

THE LORD'S DAY

OCTOBER 25, 2015
REFORMATION SUNDAY
MORNING WORSHIP
8:30 & 11:00 AM

*The organ prelude is a call of consecration to worship the Living God.
Let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.*

The Prelude CHORAL Josef Jongen, arr. Rich Mays

The Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register — Visitors please give complete address and phone number.)

The Introit I WILL WORSHIP THE LORD John Rutter
I will worship the Lord all the days of my life; I will tell of His glory and will show forth His praise; I will sing and rejoice, for the Lord is my stronghold. Alleluia.

The Call To Worship Psalm 46: 1, 7

* **The Hymn 40** GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND OUR STRENGTH BETHLEHEM

* **The Prayer of Invocation and the Lord's Prayer**

* **The Gloria Patri** Hymnal, page 735

* **The Confession of Faith** The Apostles' Creed Hymnal, inside cover

The Commandment Exodus 20:8-11
Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy."

The Confession of Sin and Supplication for Grace

Almighty God, who art rich in mercy to all those who call upon You: Hear us as we come to You humbly confessing our sins and transgressions, and imploring Your mercy and forgiveness. We have broken Your holy laws, by our deeds and by our words, and by the sinful affections of our hearts. We confess before You our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness, and all our failures and shortcomings toward You and toward our fellow men. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, and of Your great goodness grant that we may hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon Ephesians 1:7
In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory Anthem R. Vaughan Williams

LET ALL THE WORLD IN EVERY CORNER SING

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King. The heavens are not too high, His praise may thither fly: The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow. The Church with Psalms must shout, no door can keep them out: But above all, the heart must bear the longest part.

* **The Doxology** Hymnal Page 731 OLD HUNDREDTH

* **The Prayer of Dedication**

The Anthem SING JOY! Douglas E. Wagner

Choir:

Sing, O heavens, be joyful, O earth, break forth in joyous song. Sing, O sing, O sing of our God, to Him all praise and thanks belong. Awake my soul and arise, cast off the darkness of night, and greet the new morn with strength renewed, for God is our strength and song. O, sing from the highest mountain, sing from the deepest sea; for with hearts of true thanksgiving, all created things now be. Sing alleluia. Praise the Lord; O sing from the highest mountain, all created things sing praise.

Choir and Congregation:

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love; hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee, opening to the sun above. Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive the dark of doubt away; Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day. Mortals, join the mighty chorus which the morning stars began; Father God is reigning o'er us, brother love binds man to man. Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife, joyful music leads us sunward in the triumph song of life.

Choir:

Amen.

The Prayer of Intercession

* **The Hymn 347** THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION AURELIA

The Scripture Psalm 46 (Page 598 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon A MIGHTY FORTRESS Dr. Richard D. Phillips

* **The Hymn 92** A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD EIN' FESTE BURG

* **The Benediction**

The Postlude PSALM 19 Benedetto Marcello, arr. Rich Mays

*Congregation Standing

●8:30 AM Worship Service Only

◆11:00 AM Worship Service Only

Welcome Visitors

We are delighted to have you join us for worship today. We are a founding congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America, the largest Bible-believing Presbyterian denomination in America. We invite you to take a Visitors Packet and a weekly newsletter located throughout the church and learn more about how you can become a part of our mission.

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EVENING WORSHIP
6:00 PM

The Prelude A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD J. S. Bach

The Welcome and Announcements

The Call To Worship Psalm 29:1-2 RE Joel Barnett

* **The Hymn 128** GOD MOVES IN A MYSTERIOUS WAY DUNDEE

* **The Invocation**

The Psalm 92 Page 79 in the Trinity Psalter DARWALL

The Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory SEEK THE LORD John Carter

Christina Cook

Seek the Lord while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; Let him return to the Lord, that He may have mercy on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

* **The Offertory Response** WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN SCHUMANN

The text for the offertory response is hymn 432, stanza 1

We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be: all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

The Evening Prayer RE David Rainey

* **The Hymn 631** FROM EVERY STORMY WIND THAT BLOWS RETREAT

The Scripture Luke 8:22-25 (Page 1100 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon LORD OF THE STORM Dr. Richard D. Phillips

* **The Hymn 691** IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL VILLE DU HAVRE

* **The Benediction**

The Postlude ALL GLORY BE TO GOD ON HIGH J. S. Bach

*The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this Lord's Day to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Robert C. Dillard
by Dot Dillard and family.*

DUTIES FOR THE WEEK

Nurseries:

AM Monitor	Lynda Duncan
8:15 Early Service	Leigh Anna Compton/ Kristen Owens
9:45 Treasures	Kathy Karr
Cherubs	Carol Larson/Sarah George
10:45 Treasures	Lindsay Vanderwey
Cherubs	Mary Jones/Elise Farley
Kings Kids	Rainey Hoopes/ Medora Hoopes
PM Monitor	Linda Morgan
5:45 Workers	Katy Morgan Laurie Griffin

Ushers:

Main Floor: 8:30 am: Leon Harmon,
Hunter Leigh, John Atwood
11:00 am: George Cumbus, Jimmy Compton,
Ethan Russell, Matthew Phillips, Mike Carey
Balcony: Rich McCall, Knox Duncan
Evening: George Cumbus, Kirby Kee,
Ron Mahon, Jerry Traynham, Leon Harmon

Counters:

Kirby Kee Capt.; Ron Mahon, Jerry Traynham

Elders on Duty:

Bill Watkins and Hugh Player

Wednesday night workers:

Prep: Cyndi Player
Clean-up: Tammy Looper, Sharon Phillips,
Bill Wheeler, HS Pair

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, October 25

8:30 AM	REFORMATION SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
9:45 AM	Membership Class
9:50 AM	Children's Chapel
9:55 AM	Diaconate Training
10:00 AM	SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
5:30 PM	Season of Prayer in the Chapel
6:00 PM	EVENING WORSHIP
7:30 PM	Evangelism/Church Growth Committee

Tuesday, October 27

10:00 AM	WIC Bible Study
6:00 PM	Evangelism Explosion Training

Wednesday, October 28

5:00 PM	CE Committee Meeting
5:30 PM	FAMILY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER
6:45 PM	REFORMATION PARTY
6:45 PM	Diaconate Training
6:55 PM	PRAYER MEETING FOR ALL ADULTS
7:25 PM	BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL ADULTS
7:25 pm	College & 20's Bible Study

Thursday, October 29

9:30 AM	WIC Precepts Bible Study
9:30 AM	WIC Bible Study

Friday, October 30

12:00 PM	Men's Lunch and Bible Study
6:00 PM	College & 20's Class Bonfire at the Loopers'

Check the West End Herald for the weekly basketball practice schedule.

CHURCH INFORMATION

Website: spcgreenville.org **Social Media:** facebook.com/SPCGreenville
Telephone: Office (864) 232-7621 • **Fax:** (864) 232-7622 • **E-mail:** info@spcgreenville.org
Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Church Services: **Sunday:** Sunday School–10:00 AM
Morning Worship – 8:30 and 11:00 AM • Evening Worship – 6:00 PM
Wednesday: Supper – 5:45 PM & Prayer Meeting and Bible Study – 6:55 PM

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The Solas of the Reformation

TAKEN FROM THE CAMBRIDGE DECLARATION
OF THE ALLIANCE OF CONFESSING EVANGELICALS

Sola Scriptura

We reaffirm the inerrant Scripture to be the sole source of written divine revelation, which alone can bind the conscience. The Bible alone teaches all that is necessary for our salvation from sin and is the standard by which all Christian behavior must be measured. We deny that any creed, council or individual may bind a Christian's conscience, that the Holy Spirit speaks independently of or contrary to what is set forth in the Bible, or that personal spiritual experience can ever be a vehicle of revelation.

Solus Christus

We reaffirm that our salvation is accomplished by the mediatorial work of the historical Christ alone. His sinless life and substitutionary atonement alone are sufficient for our justification and reconciliation to the Father. We deny that the gospel is preached if Christ's substitutionary work is not declared and faith in Christ and his work is not solicited.

Sola Gratia

We reaffirm that in salvation we are rescued from God's wrath by his grace alone. It is the supernatural work of the Holy Spirit that brings us to Christ by releasing us from our bondage to sin and raising us from spiritual death to spiritual life. We deny that salvation is in any sense a human work. Human methods, techniques or strategies by themselves cannot accomplish this transformation. Faith is not produced by our unregenerated human nature.

Sola Fide

We reaffirm that justification is by grace alone through faith alone because of Christ alone. In justification Christ's righteousness is imputed to us as the only possible satisfaction of God's perfect justice. We deny that justification rests on any merit to be found in us, or upon the grounds of an infusion of Christ's righteousness in us, or that an institution claiming to be a church that denies or condemns sola fide can be recognized as a legitimate church.

Soli Deo Gloria

We reaffirm that because salvation is of God and has been accomplished by God, it is for God's glory and that we must glorify him always. We must live our entire lives before the face of God, under the authority of God and for his glory alone. We deny that we can properly glorify God if our worship is confused with entertainment, if we neglect either Law or Gospel in our preaching, or if self-improvement, self-esteem or self-fulfillment are allowed to become alternatives to the gospel.

The Second Presbyterian Church Greenville, South Carolina

Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister



Established in 1892 for the Glory of God

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who struggle and desire victory;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to whoever will come;*

*This church opens wide her doors
and offers her welcome in the name
of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

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