

Church Calendar

Sunday, January 22

- 8:30 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
9:50 AM Children's Chapel
10:00 AM **SUNDAY SCHOOL**
11:00 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
5:30 PM Season of Prayer in the Chapel
6:00 PM **EVENING WORSHIP**

Tuesday, January 24

- 10:00 AM WIC Bible Study
5:30 PM Mites Basketball practice
6:30 PM I-Mites Basketball practice

Wednesday, January 25

- 5:00 PM CE Committee Meeting
5:30 PM **FAMILY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**
6:15 PM Hope Choir (4 & 5 year olds)
6:15 PM Covenant Choir (1st-6th grades)
6:15 PM Youth Choir (7th-12th grades)
6:55 PM CAT Kids/Covenant Kids
6:55 PM Jr. and Sr. High Bible Studies
6:55 PM **PRAYER MEETING FOR ALL ADULTS**
7:25 PM **BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL ADULTS**
7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal
8:15 PM Sr. High Boys Basketball practice

Thursday, January 26

- 4:00 PM Minors Basketball practice
5:00 PM Jr. High Boys Basketball practice
6:00 PM Evangelism Explosion Training

Friday, January 27

- 12:00 PM Men's Lunch and Bible Study

Saturday, January 28

- 9:00 AM Calvary Presbytery @ Bailey Manor

Upcoming Events

- Jan. 18 Administration Committee Meeting
Jan. 25 CE Committee Meeting
Jan. 28 Calvary Presbytery at Bailey Manor
Feb. 1 WIC Council
Feb. 6 Diaconate Meeting
Feb. 8 Pastoral Care Committee
Feb. 8 Missions Committee
Feb. 11 WIC Shower for Rebekah McDaniel
Feb. 12 Finance Committee Meeting
Feb. 12 Worship & Music Committee
Feb. 12 Membership Class begins
Feb. 13 Session Meeting
Feb. 14-15 WIC Circles
Feb. 15 Administration Committee Meeting
Feb. 18 WIC Prayer Breakfast
Feb. 19 The Lord's Supper at the evening service
Feb. 20 Young At Heart
Feb. 22 CE Committee Meeting
Feb. 22 Sports Banquet
Feb. 26 Communicants' Class begins

If you have a date for the February calendar please contact the church office this week. 232-7621, ext. 101/jgrant@spcgreenville.org

Scripture Reading for the Week

Psalm 1:3-4

He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers. The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. (ESV)

Remembering One Another

Remember in prayer this week the following shut-in member. Also, send her a note of encouragement and/or give her a call.

Jerry Rice
12 Galphin Drive
Greenville, SC 29609
244-4473

Praying For One Another

Remember in prayer this week the following members.

Lloyd Wright
Fred and Doris Youngblood
Dale and Ginny Zeigler

Missionary for the Week



There are many great opportunities to support and get involved at Calvary Home for Children. We are currently focused on generating the funds needed to fill our cottages with children and complete construction of our counseling center. We are also planning special events and ways that you can get involved in volunteering and serving at the Calvary Home for Children. Calvary Home is in a prime position to grow and meet even more children's needs. Can we count on you to get involved in the exciting work that God is doing here?

Our Mission: Providing help and hope for children in need.

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Basketball Schedule for the Week

Jan. 19	8:00 pm	Men	AYMC/FBC 1
Jan. 21	10:10 am	Mites	AYMC/FBC 1
Jan. 21	10:45 am	I-Mites	Christ Church-Finlay
Jan. 21	12:30 pm	Minors	St. James
Jan. 23	6:00 pm	Senior Girls	1st Pres.
Jan. 23	8:00 pm	Senior Boys	Home
Jan. 26	7:00 pm	Men	W. Pres. 1
Jan. 26	8:00 pm	Women	St. Matthew

Deacon Ordination/Installation

NEW DATE
 Sunday, January 22, 2017
 Evening Worship Service

Pictures will be immediately taken of all active Elders and Deacons at the close of the Evening Service in the Sanctuary. A Reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall for the congregation in honor of our new Deacons.

Calvary Presbytery

The one hundredth and thirty third stated meeting of Calvary Presbytery will be Saturday, January 28th at 9:00 am at Bailey Manor. Please be in prayer for the meeting and for the commissioners who will be attending from Second. Visitors are welcome.

Missions Interest Meeting

There will be a Missions Interest Meeting in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the evening worship service, January 29th. If you are interested in one of the SPC mission trips or would just like to find out more information please plan on attending this meeting.


 WIC
*cordially invites all ladies to a
 Baby Shower for
Rebekah McDaniel
 Saturday, February 11, 2017
 10:00 am - 11:30 pm
 Church Fellowship Hall*
 Rebekah is registered at Target and Buy Buy Baby.



Treasurer's Report

	DECEMBER 2016 & YTD		
	Actual		
	<u>Dec.. 2016</u>	<u>YTD 2016</u>	<u>YTD Budget</u>
Offerings	177,101	1,321,183	1,373,000
Outlays:			
Operating Expenses	133,619	1,169,680	1,194,770
Mission	<u>2,500</u>	<u>161,829</u>	<u>178,230</u>
Total Outlays	136,119	1,331,509	1,373,000
Net Offerings	40,982	(10,326)	

- Contributions in Dec. 2016 were \$177,101.
- Contributions for December 2015 were \$208,524.
- YTD 2016 contributions ended up behind budget by \$51,817 and were behind 2015 YTD contributions by \$8,051.
- YTD 2016 Operating expenses and Missions were \$1,331,509 versus budget of \$1,373,000.
- Overall, 2016 cash expenses exceeded income by \$10,326.
- Please continue to pray that the Lord will provide the financial resources necessary for the programs and ministry of SPC.
- If you have any questions, please contact Doug McDaniel or David Rainey.

Membership Class

Begins Sunday, February 12 @ 9:45am
 Fellowship Hall taught by Pastor Phillips
 The class will meet each Sunday for 8 weeks
 (except Easter Sunday).
 Attending the class does not obligate one to join the church, however, you are requested to take the class before joining the church.




Pancake Breakfast


“Pancakes and Prayer”

ANNUAL WIC PRAYER BREAKFAST
 Saturday, February 18, 2017
 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Please join us for a delicious pancake breakfast and a structured time of prayer and hymn singing led by our WIC Council. It is always a wonderful time of fellowship as we gather together to pray for our church, community and nation. We hope you will make plans to attend! Please RSVP to Laurie Farley at laurelfarley@gmail.com.



ANNUAL SPORTS BANQUET
Wednesday, February 22nd
5:30 pm



Communicants' Class begins February 28th.

Please contact the church if you have a change of address, cell or home phone number, email, etc. (jgrant@spcgreenville.org) We are updating the online and pictorial directories.



Evangelism, Discipleship & Church Growth (Emil Henning)

In recent years this committee started our involvement with Evangelism Explosion and the Good News Clubs at Augusta Circle and the Kroc Center which are fabulous and rewarding opportunities for member involvement. *If you have a heart for sharing your faith or you need a way to learn to express your faith better this is a great place for you to begin using your gift.*

Finance & Benevolence (Doug McDaniel)

Finance works closely with the Church Treasurer to oversee our budgeting as well as general use of the Lord's money. It also coordinates our involvement with local ministries and giving to nondenominational causes. *If you have a fiscally disciplined mind and a history of working with finance in your job and you are not serving already as an Officer we would love to know this. There are some ministries at Second that have their own "treasurers" and need some new help.*

Missions (Hugh Player)

Missions works closely with TE Chad Bailey and the Church Administrator on Short Term Missions to promote missions activity in which we actually get our hands involved. We have made regular trips to Peru over two decades and are planning to return there again this summer. This committee stewards approximately 1/6 of our budget at Second and this is growing. *If you have a love for promoting World Missions and perhaps participating in Missions Trips, or interviewing and corresponding with our missionaries you need to get involved with the Missions Committee.*

Pastoral Care (Kirby Kee)

Pastoral Care works closely with TE Chad Bailey on Undershepherd Fold Ministry and specialized ministry within the congregation and the Deacons' Sympathy & Service Committee. The Koinonia Committee also integrates its overall ministry within Pastoral Care. With all these groups working together this committee facilitates pastoral care for our people. While not everyone can serve here there are many needs a congregant can assist with from shut in and hospital visitation to mentoring. *If you have served within the church for a while and you love helping God's people in times of need this may be the place for you.*

Worship & Music (Walter Russell)

Worship & Music works closely with Music Director Verlyn Smoker to coordinate the sacred classical approach our church takes towards music and worship. The Diaconate assists it through its Ushering Committee, the timing and coordination of our worship services. The biggest need on this committee is for new members to use their gifts of music. *If you enjoy singing you need to be using your gifts in the choir. There are also opportunities to assist the Music Director with the overall choir ministry to adults and children.*



Administration (Kevin Mobley)

Administration works closely with the Church Administrator to coordinate personnel according to Session Policy. This committee is made up entirely of officers and works with all church committees together to promote our philosophy of ministry.

A word about Session Committees and Meetings. You may have noted from looking at the calendar that certain committees have standing meetings or regularly planned meetings, usually on either Sunday or Wednesday nights. Sometimes there will be special called meetings to deal with issues that come up. Most of our Committees (unless otherwise noted) are open for church members to attend. In almost every case (unless there is a good reason not to) a Chairman will welcome a member who wishes to listen or voice an opinion. As a matter of courtesy it's a good idea to have a conversation with the appropriate Chairman ahead of time to let him know of your interest in a particular ministry item.

Programs, personnel, budgets and committees exist at Second to prepare a member to do Gospel work. While we are not "program-driven" our programs and committees assist in our primary mission of Glorifying God and Enjoying Him forever.

Your Friend,

Melton L. Duncan
Church Administrator



Reading Through the Bible in 2017

Below is the new schedule for reading through the Bible in 2017. We invite all members to participate in this exciting adventure of reading through the Bible in one year. The amount of reading is balanced each day, rotating from OT to NT and using Sundays as "catch-up" days.

Jan. 23	Matthew 12-13
Jan. 24	Matthew 14-17
Jan. 25	Matthew 18-20
Jan. 26	Matthew 21-23
Jan. 27	Matthew 24-25
Jan. 28	Matthew 26-28



REMINDERS

- There are still 2017 offering envelopes on the table outside the library. If you have not picked up your envelopes please do so this week. The Deacons are asking everyone to use the 2017 envelopes for accurate accounting purposes.
- There are still dates available to put Memorial Flowers in the church sanctuary for our Sunday worship services. If you would like to reserve a date please contact Judy Bishop (246-0951).
- If you would like to volunteer to help with the Good News Clubs beginning mid-January, please contact Cyndi Player (864-483-4644).
- If you are interested in being a part of our vibrant ministry of singing and worship leadership, please contact Verlyn Smoker (864-979-9378).

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Church Services: **Sunday:** Sunday School - 10:00 AM
Morning Worship - 8:30 and 11:00 AM * Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Wednesday: Supper - 5:30 PM * Prayer Meeting - 6:55 PM

Adult Bible Study - 7:25 PM

2017 Mission Dates

Missions Interest Meeting
January 29, 2017 (following evening service)
Fellowship Hall

Mission Trip to Cajamarca, Peru
July 21-29, 2017
Team Leader: Chad Bailey

Mission Trip to Cherokee Reservation
July 22-29, 2017
Team Leader: Ken Pujdak

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

- Hugh Player, Chairman
- David Bragdon
- Melton L. Duncan
- Sarah George
- Sarah Grubbs
- Elizabeth Madrid
- Ken Pujdak
- Richard D. Phillips

*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the Father and
of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them
to observe all that I have commanded you.*

*And behold, I am with you always,
to the end of the age.*
Matthew 28: 19, 20 (ESV)

~The Editor



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Return Service Requested

**WORSHIP AT SECOND
THE LORD'S DAY**

January 22, 2017

MORNING WORSHIP

8:30 & 11:00 am

DOWN TO EGYPT

Genesis 12:10-20

Hymns: 16, 472, 128

Anthem: Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending

Dr. Richard D. Phillips preaching

EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 pm

THE OLD HUNDRETH

P salm 100

Hymns: 9, 1, 32

P salm 122

Dr. Richard D. Phillips preaching

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**Letter from the Church Administrator
How to Get Involved**

Let's suppose that you are a new member at Second Church and it's a good time for getting involved with our ministry. Maybe you've been around a while and you are not sure what you ought to be doing but you know you ought to be doing something. Well first let me say that ministry is rewarding work and an obvious byproduct of it is community for those who get involved. Secondly, ministry is very important to the church's outreach and mission. Ministry is planned by our Session as well as by the Diaconate and the Women in the Church. Now is always a good time to get involved.

At Second we have standing committees (you may have been in a church where these are called ministry teams) that allow our Elders gathered as the Session to both direct ministry and respond to recommendations. Session committees are made up of a broad representation of the congregation (according to our own policy) and Chairmen on a yearly basis invite new members to join.

In the Presbyterian Church the Senior Minister is the Moderator of the Session and works to lead its Elders to fulfill each committee's goals and mission by Session approval. As we have grown as a congregation, staff has been paired to work alongside specific committees.

If you wish to participate in the following areas of ministry seek out your Undershepherd Elder and talk with him about it, or contact a committee Chairman listed below and get involved today.

Christian Education (Johnny Mann)

"CE" works closely with TE Scott Cook in matters related to teaching and teachers. It covers all ages in the church and deals with curriculum, media, nursery, seniors, and youth related issues. This committee facilitates most of the teaching ministry in the congregation. *If you have a heart for teaching others (especially young people & children) this is a great place for you to start your ministry amongst us.*