

The Lord's Day
September 17, 2023



SECOND

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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105 River Street, Greenville, SC 29601

Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister

Morning Worship

8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

In preparation for the worship service, please be prayerful and reverent.
Remember to silence all phones and electronic devices.

PRELUDE *PSALM XVIII* Benedetto Marcello

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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INTROIT *O LIVING BREAD FROM HEAVEN* Michael Praetorius
*O living Bread from heaven, how well You feed Your guest!
The gifts that You have given have filled my heart with rest.
Oh, wondrous food of blessing, oh, cup that heals our woes!
My heart, this gift possessing, with praises over flows.*

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 107:1–3

HYMN ✧ 248 *ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING*

INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ✧

RESPONSE ✧ 572 *GLORIA PATRI*

CONFESSION OF FAITH ✧ *NICENE CREED* Hymnal, inside back cover

COMMANDMENT Exodus 20:4–6

You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND SUPPLICATION FOR GRACE

Most merciful God and Father, we cherish the blessed memory of the death and sufferings of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We ask that in His Supper you will so work in our hearts, through the Holy Spirit, that with true confidence we might give ourselves up more and more unto Him. Empower us to no longer live in our sins, knowing that He lives in us, and we in Him. May we truly be partakers of the new and everlasting covenant of grace. May we not doubt that You will forever be our gracious Father, who does not impute the guilt of our sins to us, and who provides us with all that we need for body and soul, as your dear children and heirs. Grant us Your grace, that we may take up our cross cheerfully, deny ourselves, confess our sins, and in all tribulation look unto Christ who is faithful to nourish and cleanse us with His body and blood, who is true God and true man. In his holy name we pray, Amen.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON Hebrews 9:13–14

For if the blood of goats and bulls, and the sprinkling of defiled persons with the ashes of a heifer; sanctify for the purification of the flesh, how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify our conscience from dead works to serve the living God.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *WONDROUS LOVE* arr. Alice Parker

*What wondrous love is this, O my soul! What wondrous love is this
That caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul!
When I was sinking down, O my soul; when I was sinking down
Beneath God's righteous frown, Christ laid aside His crown for my soul.
To God and to the Lamb, I will sing; to God and to the Lamb,
Who is the great I AM, while millions join the theme, I will sing!
And when from death I'm free I'll sing on; and when from death I'm free,
I'll sing and joyful be, and through eternity I'll sing on!*

RESPONSE ✧ 568 *DOXOLOGY*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ✧

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

SCRIPTURE Mark 3:20–35 Pew Bible, page 1066

SERMON *THE STRONG MAN BOUND* Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 265 *IN CHRIST ALONE*

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Word of Institution

The Invitation

The Prayer of Consecration

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

HYMN ✧ 202 *HERE, O MY LORD, I SEE THEE FACE TO FACE*

An offering will be taken during the hymn for the Sympathy and Service Committee of the Diaconate.

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *RIGAUDON* André Campra

✧ Congregation standing

SUNDAY SCHOOL

For a list and location of our Sunday School Communities, please see the inside back panel of this Bulletin.

OUR VISION & MISSION

Reaching out, Folding in, Growing up for the Glory of God

Second Presbyterian Church aspires to impact Greenville and the surrounding area for the Gospel, uphold our historic stance towards reverent worship and reformed theology, equip the saints and build the body of Christ, and serve Christ in South Carolina, the Presbyterian Church in America, and the world.

Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.

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PRELUDE *JESUS, TENDER SHEPHERD* arr. Robert J. Powell

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CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 55:1–2 RE Melton Duncan

HYMN ✧ 444 *COME TO THE WATERS*

INVOCATION ✧

PSALM ✧ 32A *WHAT BLESSEDNESS BELONGS TO HIM*

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD* arr. Curnow
Jonathan Freeman, trumpet

OFFERTORY RESPONSE ✧ *WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN*
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. Amen.

EVENING PRAYER RE Melton Duncan

HYMN ✧ 269 *THE PEOPLE THAT IN DARKNESS SAT*

SCRIPTURE Acts 3:17–26 Pew Bible, page 1159

SERMON *TIMES OF REFRESHING* Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 491 *JESUS, THE VERY THOUGHT OF THEE*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH* arr. Howard Helvey

✧ Congregation standing

The flowers are placed in our sanctuary this Lord's Day
to the glory of God and in loving memory of
HEYWARD & ALMA MAHON by their sons Ron and Frank.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL 9:55 A.M.

Ages 4 through 6th grade (*Sanctuary*)

SUNDAY SCHOOL Children 10:00 A.M.

| AGE | ROOM | TEACHER |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| 2-year-olds | Nursery | Debbie Martin |
| 3-year-olds | Room 210 | David & Jenni Farr |
| 4- and 5-year-olds | Room 213 | Cyndi Player |
| Grades 1 & 2 | Room 212 | Toni Huff |
| Grades 3 & 4 | Room 211 | Cassie Therrell |
| Grades 5 & 6 | Room 308 | Jeremy Weaver |
| Grades 7 & 8 | Room 307 | Andy Barringer |
| Grades 9 to 12 | Youth Hut | Jeff Early |

SUNDAY SCHOOL Adults 10:00 A.M.

NAME: Membership Class

LOCATION: Room C-209 (*down the hallway from church office*)

TEACHER: Dr. Richard D. Phillips

NAME: College & Career Community

LOCATION: Conference Room (*hallway off of gymnasium*)

TEACHERS: Jonathan Master, Aaron Angell *Elder: Duncan*

BOOK: Romans

NAME: Acts Community

LOCATION: Gymnasium (*to the right of the portico*)

TEACHER: Kevin Mobley *Elders: Bragdon, McNeely, Player, Rainey, Weaver*

BOOK: Romans

NAME: Chapel Community

LOCATION: Chapel (*inside front door, to the right*)

TEACHER: Bob Anderson *Elders: Barnett, Safford, Wheeler, Zimmerman*

BOOK: Luke

NAME: Fellowship Community

LOCATION: Fellowship Hall (*through portico, downstairs*)

TEACHER: Kirby Kee *Elders: Branigin, Watkins*

BOOK: 2 Corinthians

NAME: Westminster Community

LOCATION: Room 304 (*across from balcony*)

TEACHER: Jason Korol *Elders: Henning, Larson, B. Mann, J. Mann, Russell*

BOOK: Ecclesiastes

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CHURCH Services

SUNDAY:

Morning Worship 8:30/11:00 A.M.

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY:

Supper 5:30 P.M.

Missions Moment 6:45 P.M.

Prayer Meeting 7:00 P.M.

Adult Bible Study 7:15 P.M.



Office Hours: Mon–Thur: 9 A.M. – 4 P.M. Fri: 9 A.M. – Noon

PREPARATION for The Lord's Supper

1. Reverence and attention
2. Discernment of the Lord's Body—a clear understanding of the meaning of the Lord's Supper
3. Meditation on Christ's death and suffering
4. Self judgment
5. Sorrow for sin
6. Desire for Christ
7. Feeding on Him in faith
8. Trusting in Him
9. Rejoicing in His love
10. Giving thanks for His grace
11. Renewal of your covenant with God and commitment to Christ
12. Special love to all Christians

OUR MISSIONARIES

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| Stephen & Wendy Atkinson | Jewish Witness |
| Kevin & Maria Bidwell | Sheffield, England |
| John & Taylor Blevins | Knoxville, TN |
| John & Cheryl Boyte | R.U. F. Anderson University |
| Jay & Sumter Brantley | Kenya |
| Ray & Michele Call | Belize |
| William & Susan Carr | Indigenous Ministries of North America |
| William & Judy Castro | Emmanuel Upstate PCA |
| Jegar & Jemima Chinnavan | Mount Zion PCA |
| Covenant Children's Homes | India |
| Miguel & Hannah D'Azevedo | Japan |
| Octavius & Marie Delfils | Haiti |
| Roger & Laura Dye | Latin America |
| Esaie & Natacha Etienne | Haiti |
| June Gallman | Costa Rica |
| Gospel Reformation Network | Greenville, SC |
| Aaron & Rachel Halbert | Honduras |
| Brian & Missy Howard | R. U. F. I., Clemson University |
| Joshua & Charline Jacobs | France |
| Ben & Melanie Kappers | Utah |
| Albert & Jenny Kona | Albania |
| Mark & Jane Kuo | Taiwan |
| Marc & Aline Mailloux | MTW-International |
| Ethan & Laura McCarter | Northern Ireland |
| Johannes & Ayten Müller | Berlin |
| Alonzo & Esther Ramirez | Peru |
| O. Palmer & Joanna Robertson | Consummation Ministries |
| Guillermo & Jennie Salinas | Mexico |
| Seminaries | GPTS, RTS, WTS |
| Greg & Courtney Slingerland | Come Over and Help |
| Peter & Erika Szabo | Hungary |
| Twin Lakes Fellowship | Florence, MS |
| Katie Upton | (Rafiki) Liberia |
| Florian & Veronica Weicken | Switzerland |
| Rebecca White | (Christ's College) Taiwan |
| Andy & Davinia Young | Oxford, England |

LOCAL MINISTRIES

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Antioch Presbyterian Church | Meals on Wheels |
| Calvary Home for Children | Prison Ministries |
| Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF) | Miracle Hill Ministries |
| Greenville Rescue Mission | Piedmont Women's Center |
| Lifeline Children's Services | |