

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 PRELUDE ON ‘RHOSYMEDRE’ R. Vaughan Williams

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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INTROIT GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY Hughes, arr. Moyer  
God of grace and God of glory, on Thy people pour Thy power.  
Crown Thine ancient Church’s story; bring her bud to glorious flower.  
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour.

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 98:1–2

HYMN ✧ 224 IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE

INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ✧

RESPONSE ✧ 572 GLORIA PATRI

CONFESSION OF FAITH ✧ APOSTLES’ CREED Hymnal, inside front cover

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.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND SUPPLICATION FOR GRACE  
Almighty God, Creator of the heavens and the earth, Redeemer of your people, we bow in humble confession of our sins because you have promised to forgive us on the merits of Christ, your only Son, the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. You alone know how often we have offended you and injured others. Forgive us, O Lord, for every irreverent thought, for every untrue word, for every unkind act, for our neglect of prayer, for every selfish use of money, and for forgetfulness of our sacred vows. O God, have mercy upon us and cleanse us, and enable us by your Holy Spirit to walk after the example of Christ, our risen Lord and King. In His name, and for His sake we pray, Amen.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON Colossians 2:13–14  
And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM AT THE NAME OF JESUS R. Vaughan Williams  
At the Name of Jesus every knee shall bow, every tongue confess Him King of glory now; ‘tis the Father’s pleasure we should call Him Lord, who from the beginning was the mighty Word. At His voice creation sprang at once to sight, all the angel faces, all the hosts of light, thrones and dominations, stars upon their way, all the heavenly orders, in their great array. Humbled for a season, to receive a name from the lips of sinners unto whom He came, faithfully He bore it spotless to the last, brought it back victorious when from death He passed. Bore it up triumphant with its human light, through all ranks of creatures, to the central height, to the throne of Godhead, to the Father’s breast; filled it with the glory of that perfect rest. Name Him, brothers, name Him, with love as strong as death, but with awe and wonder; and with bated breath; He is God the Savior, He is Christ the Lord, ever to be worshipped, trusted, and adored. In your hearts enthrone Him; there let Him subdue all that is not holy, all that is not true: Crown Him as your captain in temptation’s hour; let His will enfold you in its light and power.

Congregation stand when directed and join the choir on the final verse ✧  
Brothers, this Lord Jesus shall return again, with His Father’s glory, with His angel train; for all wreaths of empire meet upon His brow, and our hearts confess Him King of glory now.

RESPONSE ✧ 568 DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ✧

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Samuel 5:1–12 Pew Bible, page 292

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

HYMN ✧ 504 RISE, MY SOUL, TO WATCH AND PRAY

SCRIPTURE Mark 4:21–25 Pew Bible, page 1067

SERMON A LIGHT SHINING Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 418 ARISE, O GOD

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE ALLEGRO IN D MAJOR J. K. F. Fischer

✧ 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 PSALM Gordon Young

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INTROIT TELL OUT, MY SOUL, THE GREATNESS OF THE LORD W. Greaterex  
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!  
Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;  
Tender to me the promise of His Word; in God my Savior shall my heart rejoice!

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 97:11–12 RE Bill Watkins

HYMN ✧ 236 TO GOD BE THE GLORY

INVOCATION ✧

PSALM ✧ 42A AS THE DEER PANTS FOR THE WATERS

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY HE IS RISEN Cecil Cope  
Youth Choir  
He is risen, he is risen: Tell it with a joyful voice;  
He hath burst his three days’ prison; Let the whole wide earth rejoice.  
Death is conquered, man is free, Christ has won the victory.  
Come, ye sad and fearful-hearted, with radiant brow, shadow has departed,  
All our woes are over now, and the cross he bore: Sin and hell can vex no more.  
Come, with high and holy singing, Chant our Lord’s triumphant lay;  
Not one darksome cloud is dimming yonder glorious morning ray,  
Breaking o’er the purple East, Brighter far the wedding feast.

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 Bill Watkins

HYMN ✧ 511 TAKE UP YOUR CROSS

SCRIPTURE Acts 4:13–22 Pew Bible, page 1160

SERMON ASTONISHED BY THE APOSTLES Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 450 JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE AUSTRIAN HYMN F.J. Haydn

The flowers are placed in our sanctuary this Lord’s Day  
to the glory of God and in memory of our son  
JOHN FREDRICK (FRED) by Jack & Pat Shuford.

**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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Todd L. Walton, *Property Chairman*

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Fred H. Youngblood

**Trustees**  
Bobby H. Mann *Chairman*  
C. Douglas McDaniel, Kevin M. Mobley

**CHURCH** Calendar  
**Sunday October 1**  
8:30 A.M. Morning Worship  
9:55 A.M. Children’s Chapel (*Sanctuary*)  
10:00 A.M. Sunday School  
10:00 A.M. Membership Class (*Room C-209*)  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship  
5:00 P.M. Finance Committee (*Conference Room*)  
5:30 P.M. Season of Prayer (*Chapel*)  
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship

**Monday October 2**  
6:30 A.M. Men’s Bible Study (*Fellowship Hall*)  
9:30 A.M. Rafiki Bible Study (*Fellowship Hall*)  
6:00 P.M. Diaconate Meeting (*Conference Room*)

**Tuesday October 3**  
10:00 A.M. WIC Bible Study (*Fellowship Hall*)

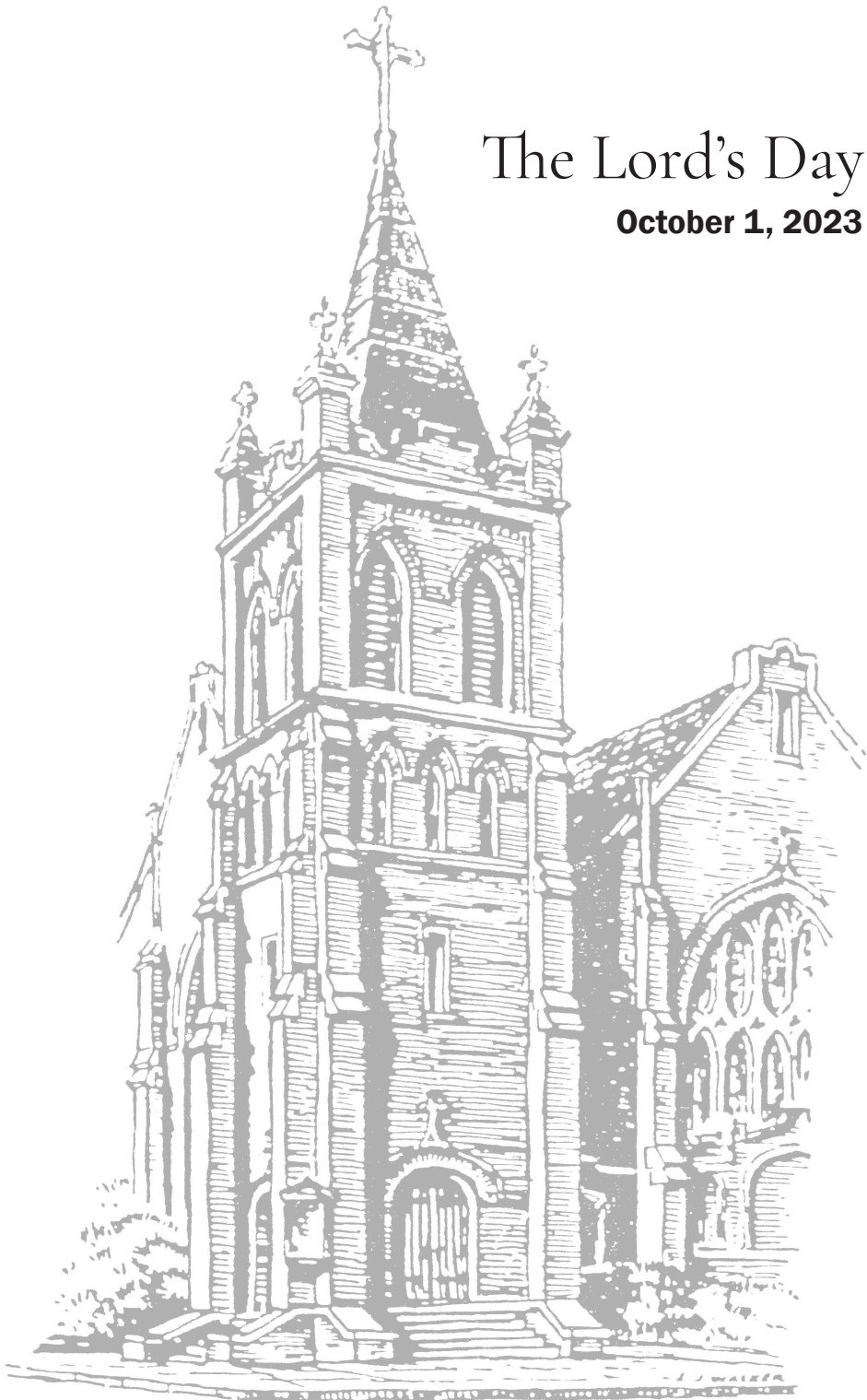
**Wednesday October 4**  
**No Meal, Activities, or Service**  
7:00 P.M. Chancel Choir

**Thursday October 5**  
9:30 A.M. Precepts Bible Study (*Conf. Room*)  
6:45 P.M. Mission to Main

**Friday October 6**  
12:00 P.M. Men’s Luncheon/Bible Study (*F.Hall*)  
6:00 P.M. GCRT Banquet (*Gym*)  
7:00 P.M. GCRT Service (*Sanctuary*)

**Saturday October 7**  
9:00 A.M. GCRT (*Sanctuary*)

**Greenville Conference on Reformed Theology (GCRT)**  
**October 6–8**



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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.