

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

105 River Street, Greenville, SC 29601

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 CEREMONIAL SUITE G. F. Handel

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Visitors, please click "connect" on the Second Presbyterian app or at spcgreenville.org to share your contact information with us.
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INTROIT O COME, YE SERVANTS OF THE LORD Christopher Tye O come, ye servants of the Lord, and praise His holy name; From early morn to setting sun His might on earth proclaim. His laws are just, and glad the heart; He makes His mercies known: Ye people come, ye angels too, and bow before His throne.

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 95:1–3

PSALM ♦ 95 A O Come before the LORD, Our King

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 by keeping 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, neither you, nor your son or daughter, nor your male or female servant, nor your animals, nor any foreigner residing in your towns. 11For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but he 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, who is rich in mercy to all who call upon you, hear us as we humbly confess our sins and seek your 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 other failures and shortcomings toward you and toward our fellowmen. Have mercy upon us, Father, and by your great goodness grant that we may possess the fullness of the Spirit of adoption, freeing us from guilt, and causing us to pursue holiness. By your gospel, encourage us and save sinners today. We ask expectantly through the mediation of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON Titus 3:5–7

He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM E'EN SO LORD JESUS, QUICKLY COME Paul Mantz

Peace be to you and grace from Him who freed us from our sins, Who loved us all and shed His blood that we might saved be.

Sing holy to our Lord, the Lord, Almighty God,

Who was and is and is to come; sing holy Lord!

Rejoice in heaven, all ye that dwell therein,

Rejoice on earth, ye saints below, for Christ is coming soon!

E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come, and night shall be no more; They need no light nor lamp nor sun, for Christ will be their all!

-from Revelation 1, 22

RESPONSE ♦ 568 *Doxology*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ♦

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Samuel 17:1–30 Pew Bible, page 305

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

PSALM ♦ 20B THE LORD IN YOUR DISTRESS ATTEND

SCRIPTURE Amos 5:1–17 Pew Bible, page 974

SERMON SEEK ME AND LIVE Rev. Jeffrey M. Early

HYMN ♦ 165 To Your Temple I Repair

BENEDICTION \diamondsuit

POSTLUDE *MAESTOSO* Gordon Young

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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CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 68:1–4 RE William Watkins

HYMN ♦ 379 *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

INVOCATION \diamondsuit

PSALM ♦ 120 I CALLED UPON THE LORD IN MY DISTRESS

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ABIDE WITH ME arr. Jess Turner Jonathan Freeman and Brian Moore, trumpets (The text may be found in the hymnal, 159.)

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 William Watkins

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

SCRIPTURE 1 Kings 21:1–16 Pew Bible, page 385

SERMON THE BLOOD OF NABOTH Rev. Brendon J. Branigin

PSALM ♦ 94 A Mighty LORD, the God of Vengeance

BENEDICTION \diamondsuit

POSTLUDE FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH arr. Helvey

Congregation standing ❖

The flowers are placed in our sanctuary this Lord's Day to the glory of God.

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	Chase Haws
Grades 9 to 12	Youth Hut	Jeff Early

SUNDAY SCHOOL Adults 10:00 A.M.

NAME: College & Career Community

LOCATION: Conference Room (hallway off of gymnasium)

TEACHERS: 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: Ephesians

NAME: Westminster Community

LOCATION: Room 304 (across from balcony)

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

BOOK: Ecclesiastes

CHURCH Information

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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

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Trustees

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CHURCH Calendar

Sunday April 28

8:30 A.M. Morning Worship 9:55 A.M. Children's Chapel (Sanctuary)

10:00 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 а.м. Morning Worship 5:30 P.M. Season of Prayer (Chapel)

6:00 P.M. Evening Worship 7:30 P.M. Evangelism Committee (Fell. Hall)

Monday April 29

6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday April 30

10:00 A.M. WIC Bible Study (Fellowship Hall) 6:30 P.M. Lightbringers (Karr Home)

Wednesday May 1

5:15 P.M. WIC Council (Conference Room)

5:30 P.M. Family Night Fellowship Supper (Gym)

6:15 P.M. Hope Choir (K4–K5); Covenant Choir (Grades 1–6);

Youth Choir (Grades 7–12) 6:45 P.M. Missions Moment

6:45 P.M. WIC Circle 1 (Conference Room)

7:00 P.M. CAT Kids (3 years old-Grade 4) Covenant Kids (Grades 5-8)

7:00 P.M. Jr. & Sr. High Bible Studies

7:00 P.M. Adult Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

Friday May 3

_Last class this spring

9:00 A.M. Raising Up Mothers (Fellowship Hall) 12:00 P.M. Men's Luncheon and Bible Study (Gym)

1:30 P.M. Mission to Main 6:00 P.M. A Time to Build Banquet (Gym)