

The Lord's Day

December 29, 2024



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 *PRELUDE FROM PARTITA #1* J. S. Bach

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 *GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST* Robert Powell
*Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.
Lord God, Heavenly King, Almighty God and Father,
We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.*

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 90:1–2

HYMN ✧ 222 *O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST*

INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ✧

RESPONSE ✧ 572 *GLORIA PATRI*

CONFESSION OF FAITH ✧ *WESTMINSTER LARGER CATECHISM* #87
Hymnal, page 949

COMMANDMENT Exodus 20:16
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND SUPPLICATION FOR GRACE

Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and corruption, prone to evil, unable of ourselves to do any good; who, by reason of our sinfulness, transgress your holy commandments. O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and deplore our offenses! Be pleased then to have compassion on us, Father of all mercies, for the sake of your Son, Christ Jesus our Lord. And in removing our guilt and corruption, grant us the daily increase of your Holy Spirit that we might put to death the sin that is within us and bear the fruit of the Spirit in our daily lives. We trust you for these graces on the basis of the death and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON 1 Peter 1:18–19

You were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *THAT GLORIOUS SONG OF OLD* arr. Robert Wetzler

*It came upon the midnight clear, That glorious song of old,
From angels bending near the earth, To touch their harps of gold:
“Peace on the earth goodwill to men, beloved by heaven’s King.”
The world in solemn stillness lay, To hear the angels sing.
Still through the cloven skies they come With peaceful wings unfurled,
And still their heav’nly music floats O’er all the weary world.
Above its sad and lowly plains They bend on hov’ring wing,
And ever o’er its Babel sounds The blessed angels sing.
For lo, the days are hast’ning on, By prophet seen of old,
When with the ever circling years shall come the time foretold
When peace shall over all the earth Its ancient splendors fling,
And the whole world send back the song Which now the angels sing.*

RESPONSE ✧ 568 *DOXOLOGY*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ✧

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Samuel 2:1–32 Pew Bible, page 324

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

HYMN ✧ 403 *GLORIOUS THINGS OF THEE ARE SPOKEN*

SCRIPTURE Obadiah 15–21 Pew Bible, page 980

SERMON *IT SHALL BE HOLY* Rev. Jeffrey M. Early

HYMN ✧ 299 *JOY TO THE WORLD! THE LORD IS COME*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *LITTLE PRELUDE #3* J. S. Bach

Congregation standing ✧

Assisting in worship today:

Piano: Jessica Elliott

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.

In preparation for the worship service, please be prayerful and reverent.
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PRELUDE *ALLEMANDE FROM FRENCH SUITE #5* J. S. Bach

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CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 44:23 RE Philip Larson

HYMN ✧ 320 *AS WITH GLADNESS MEN OF OLD*

INVOCATION ✧

PSALM ✧ 54 *BY YOUR NAME, O GOD, NOW SAVE ME*

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *CHRISTMAS MEDLEY* arr. Mobley
Mary Grace Mobley, piano

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 Philip Larson

HYMN ✧ 262 *ONE THERE IS, ABOVE ALL OTHERS*

SCRIPTURE John 2:1–12 Pew Bible, page 1129

SERMON *THE CHRIST AT CANA* Mr. Joshua D. Lyon

HYMN ✧ 332 *SONGS OF THANKFULNESS AND PRAISE*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *SINFONIA #10* J. S. Bach

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 & 20s Community

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

TEACHER: John Duncan *Elder: J. Mann*

BOOK: Proverbs

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: Brendon Branigin *Elders: Kee, Watkins*

BOOK: Galatians

NAME: Westminster Community

LOCATION: Room 304 (*across from balcony*)

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

BOOK: 2 Corinthians

CHURCH Information


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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.

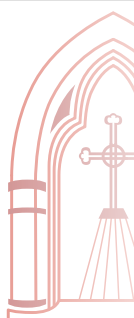
WEDNESDAY:

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

CHURCH Directory

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Youth Intern

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Trustees

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

CHURCH Calendar

Sunday December 29

8:30 A.M. Morning Worship
9:55 A.M. Children's Chapel (*Sanctuary*)
10:00 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship
5:30 P.M. Season of Prayer (*Chapel*)
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship

Tuesday December 31

Church Offices Closed

Wednesday January 1

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Friday January 3

1:00 P.M. Memorial Service (Brenda Cumbus)
1:30 P.M. Mission to Main
6:00 P.M. Friday Night Alive (*Phillips Home*)

Saturday January 4

11:00 A.M. Memorial Service (Mamie Riggins)