

The Lord's Day

March 16, 2025



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 *TRUMPET IN DIALOGUE* Clérambault

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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INTROIT *NEW SONGS OF CELEBRATION RENDER* Louis Bourgeois

New songs of celebration render

To Him who has great wonders done;

Love sits enthroned in ageless splendor;

Come and adore the mighty One.

He has made known His great salvation

Which all His friends with joy confess.

He has revealed to every nation

His everlasting righteousness.

—from Psalm 98

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 145:10–13

PSALM ✧ 145 D *GOD, MY KING, THY MIGHT CONFESSING*

INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ✧

RESPONSE ✧ 572 *GLORIA PATRI*

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

COMMANDMENT Exodus 20:17

You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor’s.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND SUPPLICATION FOR GRACE

Almighty God, our gracious heavenly Father, we acknowledge our transgressions. Our sin is ever before us. Against you, you only, have we sinned and done what is evil in your sight so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgments. All our righteousness is as filthy rags; we all do fade as a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away. There is none among us who calls upon your name as we should, nor any that stirs himself to take hold of you. Be merciful to us, O Lord. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sins. Turn us from our wayward paths. Search us and try our ways; draw us unto you, and let your lovingkindness and your truth continually preserve us, to the glory of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Through him alone we approach you, for whose sake we would forsake our sins and walk in righteousness. In His blessed name we pray. 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 *O BREATH OF LIFE* arr. Howard Helvey

*O Breath of Life, come sweeping through us,
Revive Your church with life and power;
O Breath of Life, come, cleanse, renew us,
And fit Your church to meet this hour.
O Wind of God, come bend us, break us,
Till humbly we confess our need;
Then in Your tenderness remake us,
Revive, restore, for this we plead.
O Breath of Love, come breathe within us,
Renewing thought and will and heart;
Come, Love of Christ afresh to win us,
Revive Your church in every part!*

RESPONSE ✧ 568 *DOXOLOGY*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ✧

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

SCRIPTURE Daniel 2:44–49 Pew Bible, page 938

SERMON *THE FOREVER KINGDOM* Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 281 *REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING*

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 *MAESTOSO* Young

✧ Congregation standing

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* Young

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CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 67:1–3 RE Kevin Mobley

HYMN ✧ 239 *PRAISE, MY SOUL, THE KING OF HEAVEN*

INVOCATION ✧

PSALM ✧ 85 *YOU WERE PLEASED TO SHOW YOUR FAVOR*

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *YOU SATISFY THE HUNGRY HEART* arr. David Cherwein
Janie Hill, oboe

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 Kevin Mobley

HYMN ✧ 412 *LORD, KEEP US STEADFAST IN YOUR WORD*

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 25:1–12 Pew Bible, page 745

SERMON *HE WILL SWALLOW UP* Rev. Chad Vegas

HYMN ✧ 524 *GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *O, FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING* Helvey

Congregation standing ✧

The flowers are placed in our sanctuary this Lord's Day
to the glory of God and in loving memory of MR. PAT HOLBROOK
by Mark & Linda Holbrook.

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: Membership Class

LOCATION: Room C-209 (*down from church office, first room on left*)

TEACHER: Richard Phillips

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 *Elder: Watkins*

BOOK: James

NAME: Westminster Community

LOCATION: Room 304 (*across from balcony*)

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

BOOK: 2 Corinthians

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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

CHURCH Calendar

Sunday March 16

- 8:30 A.M. Morning Worship—*The Lord's Supper*
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—*The Lord's Supper*
5:30 P.M. Season of Prayer (*Chapel*)
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship

Monday March 17

- 6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study

Tuesday March 18

- 10:00 A.M. WIC Bible Study (*Fellowship Hall*)

Wednesday March 19

- 12:00 P.M. Winsome Widows (*Fellowship Hall*)
5:30 P.M. Family Night Supper (*Gym*)
6:15 P.M. Hope Choir (K4–K5);
Covenant Choir (Grades 1–6);
Youth Choir (Grades 7–12)
6:30 P.M. Administration Committee (*Conf. Room*)
6:45 P.M. Missions Moment (*Gym*)
7:00 P.M. CAT Kids (Ages 3–Grade 4); Covenant Kids (Grades 5–8)
7:00 P.M. Jr. & Sr. High Bible Studies
7:00 P.M. Prayer Meeting/Bible Study (*Gym*)
7:30 P.M. Chancel Choir

Friday March 21

- 9:15 A.M. Raising Up Mothers (*Fellowship Hall*)
12:00 P.M. Men's Luncheon/Bible Study (*Gym*)
1:30 P.M. Mission to Main