

The Lord's Day
April 20, 2025



SECOND

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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105 River Street, Greenville, SC 29601

Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister

Morning Worship 10:00 A.M.

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

PRELUDE *EASTER CARILLON* Robert Powell

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Visitors, please click “connect” on the Second Presbyterian app or at spcgreenville.org to share your contact information with us.
- A loving and safe Nursery is available for infants through age 3.
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INTROIT *HAIL THEE, FESTIVAL DAY!* Ralph Vaughan Williams
*Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed forever;
Day when our Lord was raised, breaking the kingdom of death.*

CALL TO WORSHIP Luke 24:5–7

HYMN ✧ 360 *CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY*

INVOCATION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER ✧

RESPONSE ✧ 572 *GLORIA PATRI*

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

COMMANDMENT Exodus 20:12

Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

CONFESSION OF SIN AND SUPPLICATION FOR GRACE

O God of grace, you have imputed my sin to my substitute, and have imputed his righteousness to my soul. But in my Christian walk I am still in rags: my best prayers are stained with sin; my confessions of wrong are so many aggravations of sin; my receiving the Spirit is tainted with selfishness. I need to repent of my repentance. I need my tears to be washed. I have no robe to bring to cover my sins, no loom to weave my own righteousness. I am always standing clothed in filthy garments, and by grace am always receiving change of raiment, for you always justify the ungodly. I am always going into the far country, and always returning home as a prodigal, always saying, Father, forgive me, and you are always bringing forth the best robe. Grant me never to lose sight of the exceeding sinfulness of sin, the exceeding righteousness of salvation, the exceeding glory of Christ, the exceeding beauty of holiness, and the exceeding wonder of grace. In Jesus’ blessed name we pray, Amen.

SCRIPTURAL ASSURANCE OF PARDON Romans 5:1–2

Since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *CHRIST IS NOW ARISEN* K. Lee Scott

Now the song is begun, for the battle is done, and the victory won:

Now the foe is scattered: Death's dark prison shattered:

Sing of joy; and today raise the lay, Christ is now arisen!

They that followed in pain shall now follow to reign,

And the crown shall obtain; they were sore assaulted, they shall be exalted:

Sing of joy; Earth and skies bid it rise, Christ is now arisen!

For the foe nevermore can approach to that shore,

When the conflict is o'er; there is joy supernal;

There is peace eternal; sing of life; earth and skies bid it rise,

Christ is now arisen! Then be brave, then be true,

Ye despised and ye few, for the crown is for you:

Christ, who went before you, spreads His buckler o'er you.

Sing of strength; earth and skies bid it rise, Christ is now arisen!

Hallelujah! Come today raise the lay, Christ is now arisen!

RESPONSE ✧ 568 *DOXOLOGY*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION ✧

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 16:1–11 Pew Bible, page 575

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

HYMN ✧ 365 *THINE BE THE GLORY*

SCRIPTURE John 20:11–18 Pew Bible, page 1153

SERMON *CHILDREN OF THE RESURRECTION* Dr. Richard D. Phillips

HYMN ✧ 483 *LOVED WITH EVERLASTING LOVE*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *TRIUMPHAL PRAISE* J. S. Bach

Congregation standing ✧

Instrumentalists assisting in worship this morning:

Trumpets: Evan Duke, Brian Moore

Trombones: Bobby Powell, Charlie Wylie

Timpani: Daniel Kirkpatrick

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 *CHRIST IS RISEN* J. S. Bach

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CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 99:1–3 RE William Watkins

HYMN ✧ 372 *CHRIST, ABOVE ALL GLORY SEATED*

INVOCATION ✧

PSALM ✧ 97 B *THE LORD REIGNS, LET THE EARTH BE GLAD!*

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *EASTER DECLARATIONS!* arr. Leeman
David Leeman, 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 William Watkins

HYMN ✧ 368 *JESUS, LORD, REDEEMER*

SCRIPTURE Psalm 47:1–9 Pew Bible, page 599

SERMON *THE ASCENSION OF THE KING!* Mr. J. Vitor Cortial

PSALM ✧ 47 A *O CLAP YOUR HANDS*

BENEDICTION ✧

POSTLUDE *RISEN IS THE HOLY CHRIST* J. S. Bach

Congregation standing ✧

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

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL 8:55 A.M.

Ages 4 through 6th grade (*Sanctuary*)

SUNDAY SCHOOL Children 9:00 A.M.

AGE	ROOM	TEACHER
2-year-olds	Nursery	Eugenia McKee
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 9:00 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, Mobley, 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

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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- Dr. Richard D. Phillips
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- Ms. Jane H. Warner
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- Mr. Joshua D. Lyon
Ministerial Intern
- Mr. J. Vitor Cortial
Missions Fellow
- Miss Caroline E. Mobley
Youth Intern

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Session

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David L. Bragdon, *Worship & Music, Clerk*
Melton L. Duncan, *Media*
Philip D. Larson, *Christian Education Chairman*
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Dennis L. Zimmerman, *Pastoral Care*

Trustees

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

CHURCH Calendar

Sunday April 20

- 7:00 A.M. Sunrise Service (*Mountain View Baptist*)
8:00 A.M. Breakfast (*Gym*)
8:55 A.M. Children's Chapel (*Sanctuary*)
9:00 A.M. Sunday School
10:00 A.M. Morning Worship
5:30 P.M. Season of Prayer (*Chapel*)
6:00 P.M. Evening Worship

Wednesday April 23

- 5:30 P.M. CE Committee (*Conference Room*)
5:30 P.M. Evangelism Banquet (*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 (*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

Thursday April 24

- 9:00 A.M. Calvary Presbytery (*Downtown Presb.*)
4:00 P.M. Media Committee (*Zoom*)

Friday April 25

- 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