

# THE LORD'S DAY

NOVEMBER 23, 2014  
MORNING WORSHIP  
8:30 and 11:00 AM

*The organ prelude is a call of consecration to worship the Living God.  
Let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.*

**The Prelude** O HAIL, THIS BRIGHTEST DAY OF DAYS J. S. Bach

## The Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register — Visitors please give complete address and phone number.)

**The 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!*

**The Call To Worship** Philippians 4:6-7

\* **The Hymn 629** WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS WHAT A FRIEND

\* **The Prayer of Invocation and the Lord's Prayer**

\* **The Gloria Patri** Hymnal, page 735

\* **The Confession of Faith** WCF 8:1 Hymnal, page 853

**The Commandment** "You shall not murder." Exodus 20:13

## The Confession of Sin and Supplication for Grace

*Our Heavenly Father, You have clearly told us in Your Word that You have blessed us with every spiritual blessing in Christ and chosen us in Him before You even created the world, to be holy and blameless in Your sight. We are thankful for our high position in Christ. But we confess to You that we have failed to live up to the holy and blameless position. We have sinned daily against Your divine majesty by thought, word and deed. We confess that our sins are the reason Jesus suffered and died. Forgive us for our manifold sins against You and cause us to grow into the person You created each of us to be by the power of Your blessed Holy Spirit.*

## The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:6-8  
*While we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly... God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.*

## The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

**The Offertory Anthem** arr. Ronald Kauffmann

WE LIFT UP OUR HEARTS AND VOICES

*We lift up our hearts and voices; in songs we rejoice, give thanks and sing! We lift up our hearts and voices; to God our praise we bring. O clap your hands, ye people, and shout unto God loud songs of joy; with trumpet, drums and cymbals, raise a song to God on high. God reigns o'er all the nations, He reigns upon His throne; so raise your voices high in triumph and sing this joyful song.*

\* **Doxology** Hymnal Page 731 OLD HUNDREDTH

\* **The Prayer of Dedication**

## The Prayer of Intercession

◆ **The Introduction of New Members**

◆ \* **The Hymn 359** BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS DENNIS

● \* **The Hymn 628** COME, MY SOUL, THY SUIT PREPARE HENDON

**The Scripture** Ephesians 2:17-18 (Page 1242 in the Pew Bible)

**The Sermon** ACCESS TO GOD Dr. Richard D. Phillips

\* **The Hymn 634** SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER SWEET HOUR

\* **The Benediction**

**The Postlude** IN THEE IS GLADNESS J. S. Bach

\*Congregation Standing

●8:30 AM Worship Service Only

◆11:00 AM Worship Service Only

## Welcome Visitors

We are delighted to have you join us for worship today. We are a founding congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America, the largest Bible-believing Presbyterian denomination in America. We invite you to take a Visitors Packet and a weekly newsletter located throughout the church and learn more about how you can become a part of our mission.

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EVENING WORSHIP  
6:00 PM

**The Prelude** NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD Randall Thompson

## The Welcome and Announcements

**The Call To Worship** Psalm 111:1-3 RE Bill Watkins

\* **The Hymn 98** NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD NUN DANKET

\* **The Invocation**

**The Psalm 66 (verses 7-12)** Page 53 in the Trinity Psalter ARLINGTON

## The Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

**The Offertory** WE GATHER TOGETHER arr. Hal Hopson  
Youth Ensemble

*We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing; He chastens and hastens His will to make known. The wicked oppressing now cease from distressing, sing praises to His name He forgets not His own. Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining, ordaining, maintaining, His kingdom divine. So from the beginning the fight we were winning; Thou, Lord, wast at our side; all glory be Thine. We all extol Thee, Thou leader triumphant, and pray that Thou still our defender will be. Let Thy congregation escape tribulation; Thy name be ever praised! O Lord, make us free!*

\* **The Offertory Response** WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN SCHUMANN  
The text for the offertory response is hymn 432, stanza 1  
*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.*

**The Evening Prayer** RE Tim Crunk

\* **The Hymn 131** TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA  
CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER

**The Interlude** Wee Worship exits (Children 4 years old-2nd grade)

**The Scripture** 2 Timothy 1:7-14 (Page 1267 in the Pew Bible)

**The Sermon** THE TRUE GUARDIAN OF MY SOUL Mr. Rob Gustafson

\* **The Hymn 604** REJOICE, YE PURE IN HEART MARION

\* **The Benediction**

**The Postlude** NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT Sigfrid Karg-Elert

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this Lord's Day to the glory of God and in loving memory of  
**Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Eugene Sparks, Miss Sylvia Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harris Wills, Sr.**  
*by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harris Wills, Jr.*

**DUTIES FOR THE WEEK**

<u>Nurseries:</u>		<u>Ushers:</u>
<b>AM Monitor</b>	Lynda Duncan	<b>Main Floor: 8:30 am:</b> Jeremy Weaver, Steve Plating, Tindell Russell
8:15 Treasures/Cherubs	Brian and Maria Bassett	<b>11:00 am:</b> Jerry Traynham, Reed Rogers, Joe Martin, Roger Lusk, Tony Stephens
Sunbeams/Kings Kids	Leigh Anna Compton	<b>Balcony:</b> Chris Lynch, Jason Korol
9:45 Treasures		<b>Evening:</b> Jerry Traynham, Randy Carter, Steve Moore, Reed Rogers, Jeremy Weaver
Cherubs	Cassie Therrell/ Chris Zimmerman	<u>Counters:</u>
10:45 Treasures	Pat Tyner/Alexandra Upton	Steve Moore, Captain; Randy Carter, Reed Rogers
Cherubs	Tammy Welker/Elise Farley	<u>Elders on Duty:</u>
Sunbeams/Kings Kid	Faith Russell	David Rainey, Fred Youngblood, Keith Pratt
<b>PM Monitor</b>	Laurie Farley	<u>Wednesday night workers:</u>
5:50 Workers	Monica and Christina Bianchi	<b>Prep/Serve:</b> Jane Stillman, Cyndi Player
		<b>Clean-up:</b> Tammy Looper, Bill Wheeler, Sharon Phillips, HS pair

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

**Sunday, November 23**

8:30 AM	<b>MORNING WORSHIP</b>
9:50 AM	Children's Chapel
10:00 AM	<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>
11:00 AM	<b>MORNING WORSHIP</b>
12:30 PM	NEW MEMBERS' LUNCHEON
5:30 PM	Season of Prayer in the Chapel
6:00 PM	<b>EVENING WORSHIP</b>
6:00 PM	Wee Worship
7:30 PM	Evangelism/Church Growth Committee

**Tuesday, November 25**

5:00 PM	I-Mites Basketball practice
6:30 PM	Jr. High Boys' Basketball practice

**Wednesday, November 26**

6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study
5:45 PM	<b>THANKSGIVING DINNER &amp; PROGRAM</b>
8:00 PM	Sr. High Boys' Basketball practice

**Thursday, November 27**

**Church Office Closed**

**Friday, November 28**

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**Saturday, November 29**

9:30 AM	WIC Decorating Church for Christmas
2:00 PM	Senior High Girls' Basketball practice

*Check Herald for time and places of basketball games this week.*

**CHURCH INFORMATION**

**Website:** spcgreenville.org    **Social Media:** facebook.com/SPCGreenville  
**Telephone:** Office (864) 232-7621 • **Fax:** (864) 232-7622 • **E-mail:** info@spcgreenville.org  
**Office Hours:** Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
**Church Services:** **Sunday:** Sunday School–10:00 AM  
Morning Worship – 8:30 and 11:00 AM • Evening Worship – 6:00 PM  
**Wednesday:** Supper – 5:45 PM & Prayer Meeting and Bible Study – 6:45 PM

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**HOW YOU MAY UNITE WITH THE CHURCH**

In the Presbyterian Church, it is the responsibility of the Session to examine and receive new members.

**YOU MAY UNITE BY PROFESSION OF FAITH**

We welcome into our membership all who are willing to take the following vows in the presence of the Session:

1. 1. Do you acknowledge yourself to be a sinner in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope, except through His sovereign mercy?
2. 2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Saviour of sinners, and do you receive and trust Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. 3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becometh the followers of Christ?
4. 4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. 5. Do you submit yourself to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to strive for its purity and peace?

Baptism administered by an ordained minister is required of all seeking membership unless the applicant has previously been baptized.

**YOU MAY UNITE BY CERTIFICATE OF TRANSFER**

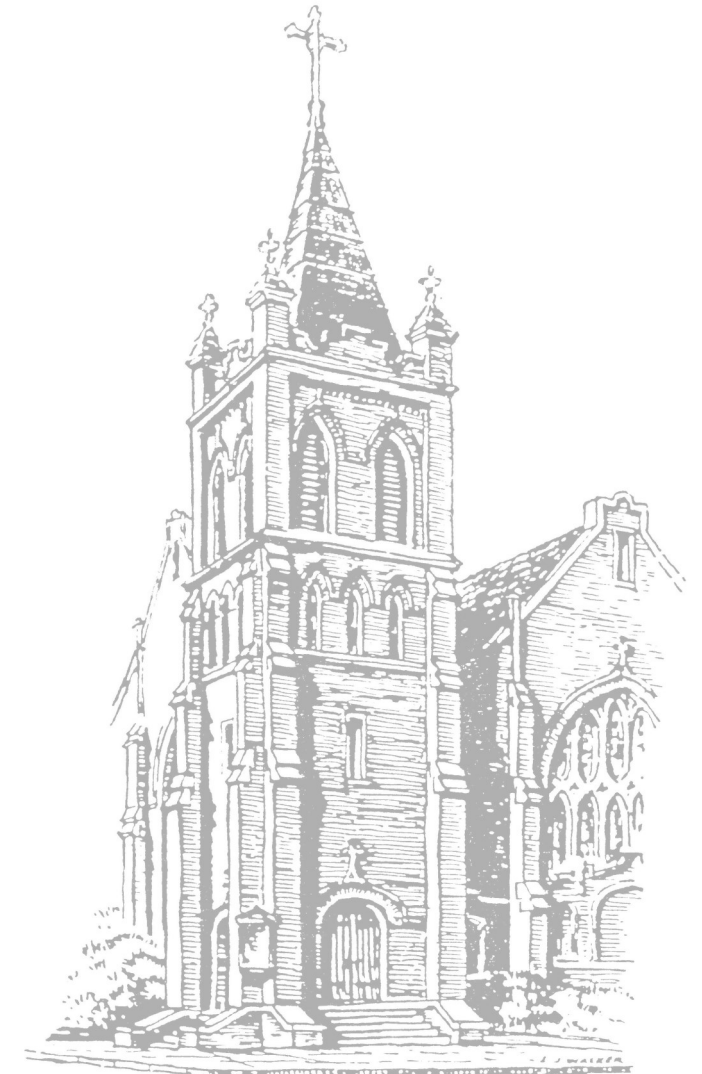
We will receive into our membership by a church letter anyone who is in good and regular standing in any evangelical church. We do not require another baptism, but accept as valid any baptism administered by an ordained minister in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, regardless of the mode used.

**YOU MAY UNITE BY A REAFFIRMATION OF YOUR FAITH**

Those who cannot secure a certificate of transfer (some denominations do not grant letters to churches outside their own communion), or who have been inactive and wish to make a fresh beginning in the Christian life and rededicate themselves to God, are received on their own statement of faith in Christ.

**The Second Presbyterian Church  
Greenville, South Carolina**

**Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister**



**Established in 1892 for the Glory of God**

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who struggle and desire victory;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to whoever will come;*

*This church opens wide her doors  
and offers her welcome in the name  
of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

**November 23, 2014**