

July 1, 2012 - JIM MCARTHY is our newest teacher at Second Pres. He has just finished his first year at GPTS, is married to Jordan and has been involved in Senior High music ministry. Jim hopes to come "under care" of our presbytery this summer as he pursues a license to preach and ultimately ordination within the PCA. Jim's topic is Discovering God's Will: A Christian Lifestyle.

July 8, 2012 - It will be my great privilege to teach through the theme of Discovering God's Will: Principles of Conduct. What is the will of God in light of my gifts and abilities? We will search the scriptures together to find these answers.

July 15, 2012 - JR FOSTER is the area RUF coordinator for South Carolina, Georgia and Florida and previously served in RUF campus ministries at Florida State and Virginia Tech. JR was there when the tragic "Virginia Tech massacre" occurred on the Blacksburg campus in 2007, and was used by God to minister to students and faculty alike. Rev. Foster will be preaching for us the morning of July 15th and has graciously agreed to teach Sunday School that day as well. His topic Discovering God's Will: Consider your Calling.

July 22, 2012 - BILL WATKINS is our Diaconate Chairman and will be teaching us through Discovering God's Will: Marriage. Do you have expectations, aims, and goals for your marriage? These are all helpful topics that will be considered for both married & single Christians alike in this lesson.

July 29, 2012 - BILL HEDGPETH is our Men's Ministry coordinator and brings a world of experience from professional and ordained ministerial experience. Bill will challenge us to think through Discovering God's Will: Wait for the Lord.

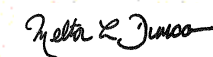
Aug. 5, 2012 - KEITH PRATT is our Christian Education Chairman and will bring us a lesson, Discovering God's Will: He Leads Me. In Psalm 23 we see God supplying our needs, restoring His people, leading His people, protecting His people, blessing His people, and lastly preserving to the end with his people.

Aug. 12, 2012 - DAVID RAINEY is our Media Committee Chairman and has served for many years as our church treasurer. This bonus topic will be helpful as we consider Discovering God's Will: Time, Money & God's Will.

Aug. 19, 2012 - KEN SAFFORD has taught "EE" for many years and is a certified instructor. Come and learn about Discovering God's Will: God's Will & Personal Evangelism.

Aug. 26, 2012 - PAUL SETTLE will end our special summer teaching series by bringing us a RALLY DAY program on the topic of "How to Study the Bible." Mr. Settle served as our Senior Minister from 1976-1991 and was previously national coordinator for Christian Education in the PCA, a denomination he spent considerable effort to help form.

Your Friend,



Church Administrator and Sunday School Superintendent

CHURCH INFORMATION

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Upcoming Events

- June 1 Men's Ministry Event—Greenville Drive Game
- June 3 All Adult Summer Sunday School begins
- June 3 Ice Cream Social
- June 4 Diaconate Meeting
- June 5 RUF Summer Meeting
- June 6 WIC Council
- June 6 Pastoral Care Committee Meeting
- June 7 Titus II Bible Study
- June 8 Senior High Gathering
- June 10-14 Hartsville Mission Trip
- June 10 Worship & Music Committee Meeting
- June 11-15 Master Flute Camp
- June 11 Session Meeting
- June 12 WIC Circles 1-5
- June 12 RUF Summer Meeting
- June 16 WIC Shower for Laura Lizak
- June 17 The Lord's Supper at the Evening Service
- June 19 RUF Summer Meeting
- June 19-22 General Assembly in Louisville, Kentucky
- June 20 WIC Circle 6
- June 23 VBS Workday
- June 24 Evangelism/Church Growth Committee Meeting
- June 25-29 Vacation Bible School
- June 26 RUF Summer Meeting
- June 27 CE Committee Meeting

Mark Your Calendars

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| Church Picnic | July 4 |
| Richmond Hill, GA Missions Trip | July 17-20 |
| Jr. High Ridge Haven Trip | July 23-27 |
| Trujillo, Peru Missions Trip | August 3-11 |
| Marriage Retreat at Bonclarken | August 17-18 |

Reformed University Fellowship

Summer 2012 (May 29 - July 10)
 Tuesdays at 7:00 pm at Second Presbyterian Church
REMINDER: Second meeting Tuesday, June 5—7:00 pm
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Good Shepherd, True Vine, Gate, Bread, Way, Light Resurrection, Life, Truth

Upcoming Men's Ministry Event

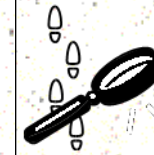
This men's event is open to families.
Greenville Drive v. Charleston RiverDogs (NYY)
Friday, June 1, 7:00 pm
 Tickets are \$7.00 per person (advanced purchase)
 Contact Bill Hedgpeth for further information.

Ice Cream Social

Come join us for a Second Pres. tradition....
 Our first ice cream social of the season
 will be Sunday night June 3, after the evening service.
 Come enjoy some refreshing ice cream and wonderful fellowship.
 The church will provide the ice cream and toppings.

Senior High Gathering

In lieu of our regular 4th Friday game night there will be a gathering at the Barnett's on **Friday, June 8th from 6:30—9:00 pm.** Dinner provided for \$3.00. Please feel free to bring modest swim wear and towel.



THE SCOTTISH SLEUTHS
 AND
THE CASE OF THE PUZZLING PARABLES
 Vacation Bible School
 June 25-29, 2012

If you would like to minister to the children during VBS this year, please contact **Fran Turek** at **299-6034** or **franturek@bellsouth.net**.

Master Flute Camp

The Master Flute Camp, taught by Tadeu (Portugese for Thaddeus) Coelho, world-renowned flute teacher and master clinician is June 11-15. He comes to Second Church with other faculty and Amanda Barrett, program coordinator and Professor of Flute at BJU. Mr. Coelho teaches music and flute techniques through a Christian perspective. His Christian testimony is reflected in the beginning of each morning class with devotions. Participant places are filled, but auditors may call Amanda Barrett for information. (704-3976)

You shall have a song . . . And gladness of heart as when one goes with a flute, to come into the mountain of the Lord, to the Mighty One of Israel.
 Isaiah 30:29 NKJV

General Assembly

The 40th PCA General Assembly will be June 19-22 in Louisville, Kentucky. Pastor Phillips, Pastor Spears, Pastor Starkey, RE Melton L. Duncan, and RE Ken Safford will be attending from our church. You can log on live to the meetings and worship services from the floor of the Assembly by going to www.pcaga.com.

WIC Baby Shower



IT'S A GIRL

*All ladies are invited to a WIC Baby Shower for **Laura Lizak**, Saturday, June 16, 2012 10:30 am - 12:00 noon Church Fellowship Hall*
Laura is registered at Buy Buy Baby



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Thank You

Dear Second Presbyterian friends,
Thank you very much for your care after my tractor accident. In the midst of a crisis like that it is difficult to contact family members or pastors. The SPC staff took care of that for us, which was a great help. Your prayers have been a comfort as well. How gracious is the Lord, who teaches us to bear one another's burdens.
In Christ, Don and Janice Woodard

Church Calendar

Sunday, June 3
 8:30 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
 9:50 AM Children's Chapel
 10:00 AM **SUNDAY SCHOOL**
 All Adult Summer Sunday School begins (7th grade-adults)
 11:00 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
 5:30 PM Season of Prayer in the Chapel
 6:00 PM **EVENING WORSHIP**
 7:15 PM **ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

Monday, June 4
 6:00 PM Diaconate Meeting

Tuesday, June 5
 7:00 PM Summer RUF Meeting

Wednesday, June 6
 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study
 5:00 PM WIC Council
 5:00 PM Pastoral Care Committee Meeting
 5:45 PM **FAMILY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**
 6:45 PM Musical CAT Kids
 6:45 PM Youth Bible Study
 6:45 PM **PRAYER MEETING AND BIBLE STUDY**

Thursday, June 7
 6:45 PM Titus II Bible Study Group at the home of Sarah Grubbs

Friday, June 8
 12:00 PM Men's Fellowship Lunch and Bible Study
 6:30 PM Senior High Gathering at the home of the Barnetts

Titus II Bible Study

The Women in the Church have begun a Titus II Bible Study group (older women teaching the younger ones.) The first meeting was in April at Cindy Howard's house. Tammy Looper covered "Tips for meal planning" as well as how we are created to be our husband's "help mate" (not the other way around.) The next meeting will be on Thursday, June 7th, at 6:45 pm at the home of Sarah Grubbs (100 Merritt View Terrace in Greenville.) Stephanie Vaughn, a professional organizer will be speaking to us on home organization.

Second Presbyterian Marriage Retreat

Bonclarken Conference Center, Flat Rock, NC
August 17-18, 2012
Conference Speaker: Dr. Derek Thomas
 Minister of Preaching and Teaching, First Presbyterian Church, Columbia, SC
 \$189.00 per couple
(includes lodging, Friday evening dinner and Saturday morning breakfast)
\$50.00 reservation deposit due June 24th (balance due July 22)
Limited availability
 Please contact Bill Hedgpeth for details and to reserve your room.

Remembering One Another

Remember in prayer this week the following member.
 Also, send her a note of encouragement.
 Frances Giles
 4 Hoke Smith Blvd., Apt. 14
 Greenville, SC 29615

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WORSHIP AT SECOND THE LORD'S DAY

JUNE 3, 2012

MORNING WORSHIP
 8:30 & 11:00 AM

THE MAN OF LAWLESSNESS

2 Thessalonians 2:3-10

Anthem:

Behold Now, Praise The Lord

Hymns: 92, 668, 94

Rev. Richard D. Phillips preaching

EVENING WORSHIP

6:00 PM

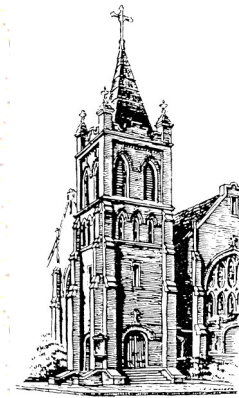
THE FATHER'S GREAT LOVE

John 3:16-17

Hymns: 310, 257, 81

Psalter: Psalm 134

Mr. Joshua Sparkman preaching



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Letter from the Sunday School Superintendent "Discovering God's Will" in Sunday School

This summer we are blessed to have a stellar line up of teachers bring us biblical insight into the themes outlined in "Discovering God's Will" a book by Sinclair Ferguson, Senior Minister of the historic First Presbyterian Church of Columbia. These classes will meet from 10:00 am to 10:40 am each Sunday morning in the sanctuary (7th grade and up). We invite everyone to attend. Here is a little bit about the book itself.

There are few more important things in the Christian's life than discovering God's will. The assurance that we are in the center of God's purposes brings lasting stability to our experience. But how do we discover the will of God for our lives?

Discovering God's Will draws out fundamental principles by which God guides us, applies them to practical situations like vocation and marriage, and underlines many important biblical counsels. It shows that the guidance God gives comes primarily through knowing, loving and obeying him.

We are uniquely blessed to have an abundance of teachers both on our Session and within our membership. Let me extend a public thanks to all our Sunday School teachers who faithfully equip and encourage our people in the Sunday school program. Here is a little bit about our summer teachers and topics.

June 3, 2012 - JIM MCGOLDRICK will be teaching through I Peter 5:5-11. This is the concluding lesson of the term in the Chapel Class and will be a helpful beginning and complimentary message to our course of study. Dr. McGoldrick is an ordained minister in the PCA, published author, seminary professor and husband to Betty.

June 10, 2012 - SETH STARKEY will begin our study in "Discovering God's Will" by considering "God's Ultimate Purpose." Why has God made me? What is my life for? What does it mean to glorify God?

June 17, 2012 - ROBERT SPEARS will help us understand God's direct commandments and prohibitions; principles worked out in the Scriptures; "The chief need we have is that of increased familiarity with sensitivity to the wisdom of his word". Discovering God's Will: Guidelines for Guidance.

June 24, 2012 - JOSH SPARKMAN will bring us a study of motives in the Christian life. How do we guard our heart in light of our imperfect motivation? The Proverbs, Psalms, and the book of James are helpful here. Discovering God's Will: Guarding the Heart. Josh is in the middle of a two year ministerial internship at Second.