

# Welcome to Antioch!

The most important items in this bulletin are the orders of worship which you will find printed on the inside panels. These two outlines of this week's worship services will guide you in our corporate devotion to God. To help you get to know us, we have included a clear statement of our vision, mission, and primary areas of focus as a church. For more information about our church history, theology, and leadership, please visit [antiochpca.com](http://antiochpca.com). Be sure to spend some time visiting with us after the service. We are looking forward to getting to know you!

## This Lord's Day at Antioch

9:30 AM Morning Worship  
10:45 AM Fellowship Time  
4:30 PM Kingdom Prayer  
5:00 PM Evening Worship

## Sunday School

*Classes for all ages will begin in the fall.*

## Children in Worship

We believe that children are not only a heritage from the Lord and a special gift to parents, but also members of God's covenant community. Operating on this conviction in God's dealing with us as families – including both adult believers and their children – we enthusiastically involve children as participants in corporate worship. How does this work? The children of believing parents are to be students of the Christian Faith – even baptized disciples – from infancy, and thus are not to be excluded from the assembling together of the saints. However, until such a time as they are able to examine themselves of their being in Christ, such members of the church are to refrain from taking the Lord's Supper. If you are visiting today and not accustomed to the sometimes-disruptive sounds of covenant children in the worship service, we thank you for your understanding and patience. If you are here today with your young children, please take advantage of our childcare space in the fellowship hall behind the pulpit area if your little ones seem to be particularly noisy. Thank you!

## Announcements

Prayer Meeting this Wednesday at 6:00 PM

## Vision

**Our vision** is to see the historic Antioch Presbyterian Church revitalized as a worshipping community to be a blessing to every man, woman, and child in the growing residential hub west of Woodruff and south of Reidville, to the glory of God.

## Mission

**Our mission** as a parish church at the crossroads of Greenville and Spartanburg Counties is the gathering and perfecting of God's people through biblical worship, evangelism, and pastoral care.

## Areas of Ministry Focus

*Expository Preaching  
Biblical Worship  
Parish Evangelism  
Pastoral Care  
Discipleship*

## Leadership & Accountability

As a mission work, Antioch Presbyterian Church (PCA) is governed and overseen by a provisional session of elders serving as a commission of Calvary Presbytery. The seven men appointed to the provisional session are active elders within the bounds of Calvary Presbytery, and they have graciously agreed to serve "above-and-beyond" to encourage the revitalization of Antioch. They include:

Dr. Chipley Bennett, PhD – Ruling Elder, Providence PCA  
Dr. E. Todd Buchner, DMin – Pastor, Reidville PCA  
Mr. Richard Hollifield – Ruling Elder, Roebuck PCA  
Mr. W. Tosh Groce – Ruling Elder, Blue Ridge PCA  
Mr. William Johnson – Ruling Elder, Woodruff Road PCA  
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr., PhD, DD – Moderator of Session  
Pastor Richard Thomas – Senior Pastor, Mt. Calvary PCA

## Church Staff

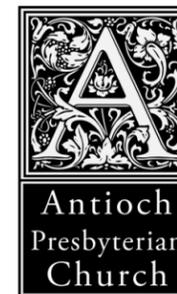
Mr. Zachary Groff – Ministerial Assistant  
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr. – Organizing Pastor  
Mr. Johann Xie – Pastoral Intern

## Worship at Antioch

The worship of the one true and living God is mankind's highest duty and greatest delight. Through Christ the living Word and by the call of the Holy Spirit, individual believers and societies of men, women, and children (i.e., churches) approach God the Father in devotion and praise. The Father seeks those who will worship Him in spirit and in truth. To participate rightly in this holy service of worship, you must consider yourself as more than a mere spectator to a performance. Rather, be a worshipper. Join with the congregation in the singing of psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs (even if the songs are unfamiliar). Pray along with the elders, adding your "Amen" to the statements of adoration, confession, supplication, and thanksgiving. Give joyfully to the work of the Lord in the corporate offering as an act of worship. Listen attentively to God speaking in and through the reading and preaching of His inspired Word. May God the Father receive an acceptable sacrifice of praise through Christ the Son as we actively worship Him by the Holy Spirit.

## The Lord's Prayer

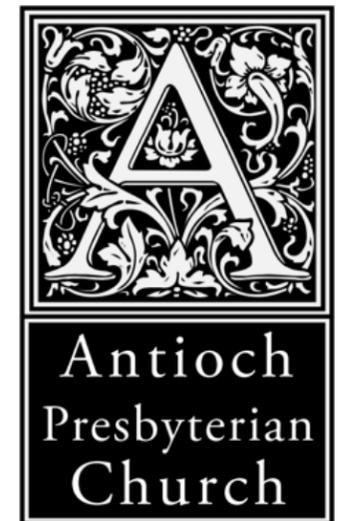
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.



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# The Lord's Day

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# Lord's Day Morning Worship

July 18, 2021 | 9:30 AM

# Lord's Day Evening Worship

July 18, 2021 | 5:00 PM

## Meditation

*Matthew 6:25*

*For this reason I say to you, do not be worried about your life, as to what you will eat or what you will drink; nor for your body, as to what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing?*

## \*Call to Worship

## \*Congregational Commitment

**Minister: Congregation, in whom is your confidence?**

Congregation: Our help is in the Name of the Lord, who made the heavens and the earth.

## \*Salutation

## \*Hymn of Adoration

**No. 18B**  
*I Love You, LORD, My Strength*  
MENDON

## \*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

## Revelation of God's Will

*Deuteronomy 5:1-21*

## Confession of Sin

**No. 32B**  
*How Blest Is He Whose Trespass*  
RUTHERFORD

## Assurance of Pardon

*Psalms 86:15, 16*

<sup>15</sup> But You, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abundant in lovingkindness and truth. <sup>16</sup> Turn to me, and be gracious to me; Oh grant Your strength to Your servant, and save the son of Your handmaid.

## Offering

**No. 324**  
*Thou Who Wast Rich beyond All Splendor*  
QUELLE ET CETTE ODEUR AGRÉABLE

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

*conclude with Lord's Prayer (see back of bulletin)*

## Hymn of Preparation

**No. 156**  
*Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies*  
LUX PRIMA

## \*Prayer for Illumination

## \*Old Testament Reading

*Proverbs 23:1-12*

## \*New Testament Reading

*1 Timothy 6:17-21*

## \*Congregational Response

**Leader: Faith comes by hearing,**  
Congregation: And hearing by the Word of God!

## Sermon

“Earthly Wealth / Heavenly Treasure”  
*1 Timothy 6:17-19*

## \*Prayer of Application

## \*Hymn of Response

**No. 185**  
*We Give Thee But Thine Own*  
SCHUMANN

## \*Benediction

## \*Doxology

**No. 117C**  
*Praise Jehovah, All Ye Nations*  
ST. OSWALD

*Praise Jehovah, all ye nations, all ye people praise proclaim;  
for His grace and lovingkindness, O sing praises to His Name.*

*Great to us hath been His mercy, ever faithful is His Word;  
through all ages it endureth. Hallelujah, praise the Lord!*

## \*Silent Prayer

## Meditation

*2 Thessalonians 2:13*

*But we should always give thanks to God for you, brethren beloved by the Lord, because God has chosen you from the beginning for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and faith in the truth.*

## \*Call to Worship

## \*Congregational Commitment

**Minister: Congregation, in whom is your confidence?**

Congregation: Our help is in the Name of the Lord, who made the heavens and the earth.

## \*Salutation

## \*Hymn of Adoration

**No. 549**  
*O Gracious Lord*  
PERFECT LOVE

## \*Prayer of Adoration, Confession, & Invocation

## Confession of Faith

*WCF 3.5-6*

Those of mankind that are predestinated unto life, God, before the foundation of the world was laid, according to his eternal and immutable purpose, and the secret counsel and good pleasure of his will, hath chosen, in Christ, unto everlasting glory, out of his mere free grace and love, without any foresight of faith, or good works, or perseverance in either of them, or any other thing in the creature, as conditions, or causes moving him thereunto; and all to the praise of his glorious grace.

As God hath appointed the elect unto glory, so hath he, by the eternal and most free purpose of his will, foreordained all the means thereunto. Wherefore, they who are elected, being fallen in Adam, are redeemed by Christ, are effectually called unto faith in Christ by his Spirit working in due season, are justified, adopted, sanctified, and kept by his power, through faith, unto salvation. Neither are any other redeemed by Christ, effectually called, justified, adopted, sanctified, and saved, but the elect only.

## Gloria Patri

**No. 572**  
*Gloria Patri*  
GLORIA PATRI (Greatorex)

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, amen.*

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

## Hymn of Preparation

**No. 36B**  
*Transgression Speaks to Wicked Man*  
CADDO

## \*Prayer for Illumination

## \*Old Testament Reading

*Micah 2:1-5*

## \*New Testament Reading

*Mark 10:13-27*

## \*Congregational Response

**Leader: The earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD,**  
Congregation: As the waters cover the sea!

## Sermon

“The Question about Eternal Life”  
*Mark 10:17-22*

## \*Prayer of Application & Dedication

## Dedicatory Offering

*silent prayer*

## \*Closing Hymn

**No. 492**  
*How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds*  
ST. PETER

## \*Benediction

## \*Doxology

**No. 567**  
*Doxology*  
OLD HUNDREDTH

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

## \*Silent Prayer

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