

# 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
11:15 AM	Sunday School
4:30 PM	Kingdom Prayer
5:00 PM	Evening Worship

## Sunday School

Adults - Officer Qualifications (Pipa)  
Secondary - Implementing God's Word (Groff/Colvin)  
Primary - Investigating God's Word (Cook/Marcus)  
Pre-School - Learning to Love Jesus (Benson)

## Children in Worship

We believe that the children of believers are not only a heritage from the Lord and a special gift to parents, but also members of God's covenant community. Therefore, we enthusiastically involve children as participants in corporate worship. 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 exercise courtesy and consideration by taking advantage of our childcare space in the fellowship hall behind the pulpit area as your little ones become particularly noisy. Thank you!

## Announcements

Prayer Meeting this Wednesday at 6 PM  
Great Scots! Parade this Friday at 6 PM in G'ville  
*meet in Second Presbyterian parking lot (near gym) between 5 & 6 PM*  
Lord's Supper & Fellowship Meal on June 5

## 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 eight 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 – Teaching Elder, Reidville PCA  
Mr. Richard Hollifield – Ruling Elder, Roebuck PCA  
Mr. W. Tosh Groce – Ruling Elder, Blue Ridge PCA  
Pastor Zachary Groff – Teaching Elder, Antioch PCA  
Mr. William Johnson – Ruling Elder, Woodruff Road PCA  
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr., PhD, DD – Moderator of Session

## Church Staff

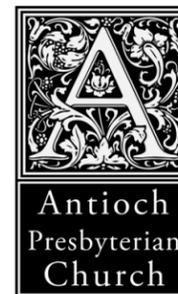
Mr. Zachary Groff – Pastor  
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr. – Pastor  
Mr. Timothy Cook – Pastoral Intern

## 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

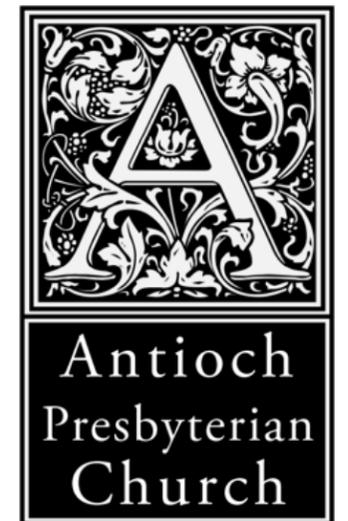
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power,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



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# The Lord's Day

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# Lord's Day Morning Worship

May 22, 2022 | 9:30 AM

## Meditation

Genesis 3:19

*By the sweat of your face you will eat bread, till you return to the ground, because from it you were taken; for you are dust, and to dust you shall return.*

## \*Call to Worship

## \*Congregational Commitment

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

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

## \*Salutation

## \*Hymn of Adoration

**No. 8C**

*Lord, Our Lord, Thy Glorious Name*  
EVENING PRAISE

## \*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

## Revelation of God's Will

Deuteronomy 5:1-21

## Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we are sinners. Your Word and our hearts confirm that to us. We have done things You have forbidden and left undone things You have commanded. We have not loved You with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. As judge of the whole earth, You would be just to condemn us. Yet in Your love You sent Christ to bear the guilt of our sin, and to suffer our punishment. To Him now we flee; forgive us for His sake, and by Your Spirit help us to live in the light of His sacrifice, a life worthy of Your name. Judge us not according to our work but according to Your mercy in Jesus Christ. For in Him we hope and in Him we come before You this day. Amen!

## Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 65:3

*Iniquities prevail against me; as for our transgressions, You forgive them.*

## Offering

**No. 433**

*Amazing Grace!*  
AMAZING GRACE

## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

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

## Hymn of Preparation

**No. 143B**

*O Hear My Prayer, LORD*  
DOLGELLY

## \*Prayer for Illumination

## \*Scripture Readings

Romans 3:9-20

Job 4:12-21

## \*Congregational Response

Your Word is a lamp to my feet,

And a light to my path!

## Sermon

"A Searching Revelation"

Job 4:12-21

## \*Prayer of Application

## \*Hymn of Response

**No. 260**

*All Mankind Fell in Adam's Fall*  
SAXONY

## \*Benediction

## \*Doxology

**No. 268**

*Of the Father's Love Begotten*

(stanza 5)

DIVINUM MYSTERIUM

*Christ, to Thee, with God the Father, and, O Holy Ghost, to Thee  
hymn and chant and high thanksgiving and unwearied praises be,  
honor, glory, and dominion – ion and eternal victory,  
evermore and evermore!*

## \*Silent Prayer

# Lord's Day Evening Worship

May 22, 2022 | 5:00 PM

## Meditation

Job 28:28

*And to man He said, "Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom; and to depart from evil is understanding."*

## \*Call to Worship

## \*Congregational Commitment

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

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

## \*Salutation

## \*Hymn of Adoration

**No. 111B**

*O Give the LORD Wholehearted Praise*  
GERMANY

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

## Confession of Faith

WCF 16.7

Works done by unregenerate men, although for the matter of them they may be things which God commands; and of good use both to themselves and others; yet, because they proceed not from an heart purified by faith; nor are done in a right manner, according to the Word; nor to a right end, the glory of God, they are therefore sinful, and cannot please God, or make a man meet to receive grace from God: and yet, their neglect of them is more sinful and displeasing unto God.

## Gloria Patri

**No. 572**

*Gloria Patri*

GLORIA PATRI (Creatorex)

*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. 446**

*Be Thou My Vision*  
SLANE

## \*Prayer for Illumination

## \*Scripture Readings

Genesis 1:26-31

Mark 12:1-17

## \*Congregational Response

**The grass withers, and the flower fades,**

But the Word of our God stands forever!

## Sermon

"The Wisdom of Almighty God"

Mark 12:13-17

## Prayer of Application & Dedication

## Dedicatory Offering

*silent prayer*

## \*Closing Hymn

**No. 171**

*O Word of God Incarnate*  
MUNICH

## \*Benediction

## \*Doxology

**No. 117B**

*Praise the LORD God, All You Nations*  
REGENT SQUARE

*Praise the LORD God, all you nations;  
all you peoples, sing His praise.  
For His truth endures forever,  
and His steadfast love is great.  
He is faithful! He is faithful!  
Hallelujah! Praise the LORD!*

## \*Silent Prayer

\* Congregation standing, unless physically hindered

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