

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. 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 – *The Rare Jewel of Christian Contentment* (Cook)
Secondary - Implementing God's Word (Colvin)
Primary - Investigating God's Word (Marcus/Spivey)
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 training room and childcare space in the fellowship hall as your little ones become particularly noisy. Thank you!

Announcements

Community Outreach on 2/18
Session Meeting 2/21

Vision

Our vision is for the historic Antioch Presbyterian Church to be a worshipping community that blesses 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 serve "above-and-beyond" at Antioch. They include:

Dr. Chipley "Chip" Bennett, PhD – Ruling Elder, Providence PCA
Dr. E. Todd Buchner, DMin – Teaching Elder, CTC
Mr. Richard "Rik" Hollifield – Ruling Elder, Roebuck PCA
Pastor Zachary Groff – Teaching Elder, Clerk of Session
Mr. William "Bill" Johnson – Ruling Elder, Woodruff Road PCA
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr., PhD – Teaching Elder, Moderator of Session
Mr. Theodore "Terry" Richards – Ruling Elder, Fellowship PCA

Church Staff

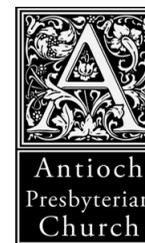
Mr. Zachary Groff – Pastor
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr. – Pastor
Mr. Ryan Colvin – Pastoral Intern
Mr. Timothy Cook – Pastoral Intern

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 (i.e., churches) of men, women, and children 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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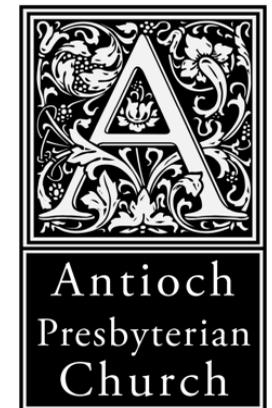
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The Lord's Day

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Lord's Day Morning Worship

February 5, 2023 | 9:30 AM

Meditation *Romans 8:31*
What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who is against us?

*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. 147B**
O Praise the LORD, for It Is Good
MINERVA

*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

Revelation of God's Will *Galatians 5:16-25*

Confession of Sin

Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before Your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and corruption, prone to evil, unable of ourselves to do any good; who, by reason of our sinfulness, transgress Your holy commandments. O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and deplore our offenses! Be pleased then to have compassion on us, Father of all mercies, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. And in removing our guilt and corruption, grant us the daily increase of Your Holy Spirit that we might put to death the sin that is within us and bear all the fruit of the Spirit in our daily lives. We trust You for these graces on the basis of the death and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *Romans 5:1*
Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Offering **No. 239**
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
LAUDA ANIMA

***Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication**
conclude with the Lord's Prayer (see back of bulletin)

Hymn of Preparation **No. 119N**
Your Word Sheds Light upon My Path
CANONBURY

*Prayer for Illumination

***Scripture Readings** *Matthew 4:1-11 (p. 865)*
Job 17 (p. 467)

*Congregational Response

Faith comes by hearing,
And hearing by the Word of God!

Sermon "The Struggles of Faith"
Job 17

*Prayer of Application

***Hymn of Approach** **No. 200**
Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness
(stanzas 1, 2)
SCHMÜCKE DICH

Confession of Faith *Nicene Creed (TPH 852)*

Communion

Hymn of Response **No. 200**
Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness
(stanzas 3, 4)
SCHMÜCKE DICH

*Benediction

***Doxology** **No. 113A**
Hallelujah! Raise, O Raise
(stanzas 1, 2)
MONKLAND

Hallelujah! Raise, O raise to the LORD our song of praise!
Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the Name of God the LORD.

From this time and evermore bless the Name of God the LORD.
From the sunrise to the its rest, may the Name of God be blest.

*Silent Prayer

** Congregation standing, unless physically hindered*

Lord's Day Evening Worship

February 5, 2023 | 5:00 PM

Meditation *Acts 10:1, 2*
¹ God is not one to show partiality, ² but in every nation the man who fears Him and does what is right is welcome to Him.

*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. 18A**
I Love You, LORD, My Strength
(stanzas 1-5)
JORDAN

*Prayer of Adoration, Confession, & Invocation

Confession of Faith *WSC 6, 70-72*
How many Persons are there in the Godhead? There are three Persons in the Godhead, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and these Three are One God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.

Which is the seventh commandment? The seventh commandment is, Thou shalt not commit adultery.

What is required in the seventh commandment? The seventh commandment requireth the preservation of our own and our neighbor's chastity, in heart, speech, and behavior.

What is forbidden in the seventh commandment? The seventh commandment forbiddeth all unchaste thoughts, words, and actions.

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

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. 18A**
I Love You, LORD, My Strength
(stanzas 6-10)
JORDAN

*Prayer for Illumination

***Scripture Readings** *Deuteronomy 1:1-18 (p. 160)*
Matthew 7:1-23 (p. 868)

*Congregational Response

Your Word is a lamp to my feet,
And a light to my path!

Sermon "Judging Rightly"
Matthew 7:1-5

Prayer of Application & Dedication

Dedicatory Offering *silent prayer*

***Closing Hymn** **No. 18A**
I Love You, LORD, My Strength
(stanzas 11-14)
JORDAN

*Benediction

***Doxology** **No. 567**
Doxology
OLD HUNDREDETH

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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