

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 Mystery of Providence* (Marcus)
Secondary - Implementing God's Word (Colvin/Cook)
Primary - Investigating God's Word (Spivey/Tunnell)
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

S'mores Fellowship Night – 3/17
Community Outreach – 3/25
Lord's Supper & Fellowship Meal – 4/2

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.

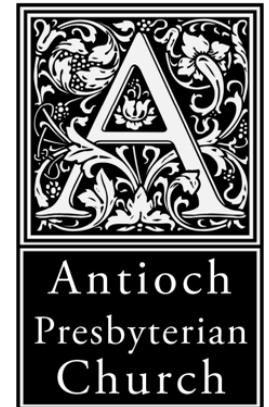


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The Lord's Day

March 12, 2023



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Lord's Day Morning Worship

March 12, 2023 | 9:30 AM

Meditation

Psalms 33:4, 5

⁴For the word of the LORD is upright, and all His work is done in faithfulness. ⁵He loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of the lovingkindness of the LORD.

*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. 95B

O Come, Let Us Sing
HANOVER (Croft)

*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

Revelation of God's Will *Deuteronomy 5:1-21*

Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature: Prone to evil; slothful in good. From that nature has come a multitude of shortcomings and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned; in wandering from Your ways; in wasting Your gifts; in forgetting Your love. But You, O Lord, have pity upon us because we are ashamed and sorry for all wherein we have displeased You. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of Your dear Son. And, O most holy and loving Father, help us to live in Your light and walk in Your ways, according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen!

Assurance of Pardon

Acts 10:38, 43

³⁸You know of Jesus of Nazareth, how God anointed Him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and how He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him... ⁴³Of Him all the prophets bear witness that through His name everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins.

Offering

No. 92A

It's Good to Thank the LORD
DARWALL

*Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

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

Hymn of Preparation

No. 110B

The LORD Has Spoken to My Lord
ALL SAINTS NEW

*Prayer for Illumination

*Scripture Readings

Luke 18:9-27

Job 20

*Congregational Response

This is the Word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

"A Portrait of the Self-Righteous"
Job 20

*Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Response

No. 21B

O LORD, in Your Great Strength
ALL SAINTS NEW

*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 and eternal victory, evermore and evermore!

*Silent Prayer

** Congregation standing, unless physically hindered*

Lord's Day Evening Worship

March 12, 2023 | 5:00 PM

Meditation

Hebrews 12:3

For consider Him who has endured such hostility by sinners against Himself, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

*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. 239

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
LAUDA ANIMA

*Prayer of Adoration, Confession, & Invocation

Confession of Faith

WSC 11, 84, 85

What are God's works of providence? God's works of providence are, His most holy, wise, and powerful preserving and governing all His creatures, and all their actions.

What doth every sin deserve? Every sin deserveth God's wrath and curse, both in this life, and that which is to come.

What doth God require of us, that we may escape His wrath and curse, due to us for sin? To escape the wrath and curse of God due to us for sin, God requireth of us faith in Jesus Christ, repentance unto life, with the diligent use of all the outward means whereby Christ communicateth to us the benefits of redemption.

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. 119G

Your Word Remember to Your Needy Servant
PERFECT LOVE

*Prayer for Illumination

*Scripture Readings

Matthew 16:13-29

2 Samuel 7

*Congregational Response

Man shall not live by bread alone,

But by every Word that proceeds from the mouth of God!

Sermon

"Jesus the Son of David"
2 Samuel 7:16

Prayer of Application & Dedication

Dedicatory Offering

silent prayer

*Closing Hymn

No. 15B

Who, O Lord, with Thee Abiding
HELEN

*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

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