

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. Please visit with us after the service. We are looking forward to getting to know you!

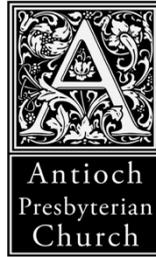
This Lord's Day at Antioch

9:30 AM	Morning Worship
10:45 AM	Fellowship Time
<i>No Sunday School Today</i>	
4:30 PM	Kingdom Prayer
5:00 PM	Evening Worship

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 churches approach God the Father in devotion and praise. The Father seeks those who will worship Him in Spirit and in truth. Do not content yourself with spectating, but rather join with the congregation in the singing of psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs. Pray along with the elders, adding your "Amen" to the prayers. Give joyfully to God 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.

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 church. Therefore, we involve children as participants in 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 can 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 children in the worship service, we thank you for your understanding and patience. If you are here today with young children, please exercise courtesy by using our training room or our childcare space as needed. Thank you!



Upcoming Events

Lord's Supper & Fellowship Meal – 1/7 @ 9:30 AM
160th Meeting of Calvary Presbytery – 1/27 @ 9 AM
Second Presbyterian Church of Greenville

Vision & Mission

Our vision is for the historic Antioch Presbyterian Church to be a worshipping community that blesses every family in the growing residential hub at the crossroads of Greenville and Spartanburg Counties, to the glory of God. **Our mission** is the gathering and perfecting of God's people through biblical worship, evangelism, and pastoral care.

Areas of Ministry Focus

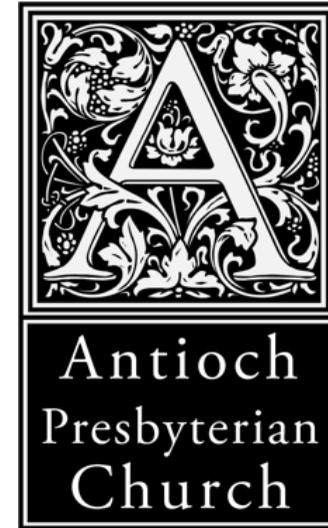
*Expository Preaching | Biblical Worship | Parish
Evangelism | Pastoral Care | Discipleship*

Leadership & Accountability

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

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.



The Lord's Day

December 31, 2023

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Lord's Day Morning Worship

December 31, 2023 | 9:30 AM

Meditation *Psalm 90:1*
Lord, You have been our dwelling place in all generations.

***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. 554**
Great God, We Sing That Mighty Hand
WAREHAM

***Prayer of Adoration & Invocation**

Revelation of God's Will *Exodus 20:1-17*

Confession of Sin

O Lord, we marvel that You became incarnate, were crucified, dead, and buried. The tomb calls forth our adoring wonder, for it is empty and You are risen; the four-fold gospel attests it, the living witnesses prove it, our hearts' experience knows it. Give us to die with You that we may rise to new life, for we wish to be as dead and buried to sin, to selfishness, to the world; that we might not hear the voice of the tempter, and might be delivered from his lusts. O Lord, there is much ill around us and sin within us – crucify it! Much flesh within us – mortify it! Purge us from selfishness, the fear of man, the love of praise, the shame of being thought old-fashioned, the desire to be seen as cultivated or modern. Grant us to stand with our dying Savior, to be content to be rejected, to be willing to take up unpopular truths, and to hold fast despised teachings until death. Grant us more and more of the resurrection life: may it rule us, may we walk in its power, and be strengthened through its influence. For the glory of our living Savior. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *Luke 24:46, 47*

Offering **No. 132**
LORD, Our God, Remember David
BLAENWERN

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

Hymn of Preparation **No. 69A**
O Save Me, God, Because the Floods
(stanzas 1-5)
XAVIER

***Prayer for Illumination**

***Scripture Readings** *Leviticus 18:1-5*
Matthew 14

***Congregational Response**

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

Sermon

"Feasts, Fears, & Faith"
Matthew 14

***Prayer of Application**

***Hymn of Response** **No. 77**
I Cried Aloud to God for Help
RESIGNATION

***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**

** Congregation standing, unless physically hindered*

Lord's Day Evening Worship

December 31, 2023 | 5:00 PM

Meditation *1 Peter 4:19*
Those also who suffer according to the will of God shall entrust their souls to a faithful Creator in doing what is right.

***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. 138B**
With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring
SOLID ROCK

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

Confession of Faith *WSC 50*

What is required in the second commandment?
The second commandment requireth the receiving, observing, and keeping pure and entire, all such religious worship and ordinances as God hath appointed in His Word.

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. 91B**
Who with God Most High Finds Shelter
HYFRYDOL

***Prayer for Illumination**

***Scripture Readings** *James 1:1-18*
2 Kings 3:1-14

***Congregational Response**

All Scripture is given by inspiration of God,

And is profitable for doctrine, reproof, correction, and instruction in righteousness!

Sermon *"A Time to Trust"*
2 Kings 3:1-14

Prayer of Application & Dedication

Dedicatory Offering *silent prayer*

***Closing Hymn** **No. 476**
It Is Well with My Soul
VILLE DU HAVRE

***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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