

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!

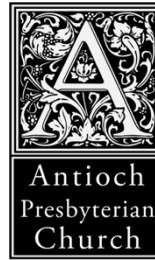
This Lord's Day at Antioch

9:30 AM	Morning Worship
10:45 AM	Fellowship Time
11:15 AM	Sunday School
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 – 5/5 @ 9 AM
Men's Hike – 5/18 @ 8 AM (*Table Rock State Park*)

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

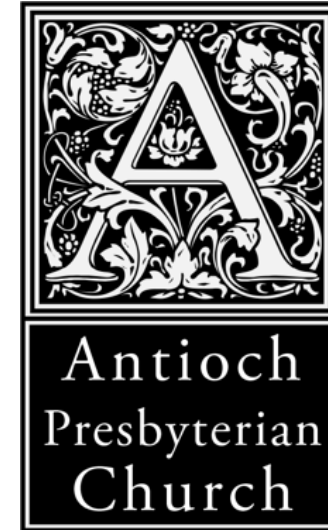
*Expository Preaching | Biblical Worship | Parish
Evangelism | Pastoral Care | Discipleship*

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

April 28, 2024

Lord's Day Morning Worship

April 28, 2024 | 9:30 AM

Meditation

Luke 18:16

But Jesus called for them, saying, "Permit the children to come to Me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."

*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. 103C

Come, My Soul, and Bless the LORD
KEESE

*Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

Revelation of God's Will

1 John 2:7-11

Confession of Sin

O Lord, we openly admit that You know us thoroughly. Our deepest secrets are open before You. You know our thoughts before they are conceived in our minds. We cannot hide from You. Therefore we ask that You discover unto us our sins so that we may humble ourselves again in Your presence and seek Your forgiveness and grace. We admit we have tolerated sinful thoughts about power, lust, greed, jealousy, malice and other things that grieve Your heart. We have committed sins of omission and commission. But we seek Your mercy and cleansing from our sins by the blood of Christ. And we thank You for Your Spirit who enables us to walk in holiness and obedience. Give us the grace to please You this day and forever. Amen!

Assurance of Pardon

I John 1:8, 9

Sacrament of Baptism

Timothy Leo Bloxham

Son of Mr. & Mrs. C. Andrew & Sarah Bloxham

Offering

No. 32B

How Blest Is He Whose Trespass
RUTHERFORD

*Prayer of Thanksgiving & Supplication

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

Hymn of Preparation

No. 399

For Your Gift of God the Spirit
BLAENWERN

*Prayer for Illumination

*Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 15:1-15

Matthew 18:21-35

*Congregational Response

All Scripture is given by inspiration of God,

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

Sermon

"Extreme Forgiveness"

Matthew 18:21-35

*Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Response

No. 457

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness
GERMANY

*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

April 28, 2024 | 5:00 PM

Meditation

Romans 11:33

Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and unfathomable His ways!

*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. 214

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above
MIT FREUDEN ZART

*Prayer of Adoration, Confession, & Invocation

Confession of Faith

WSC 66

What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?

The reason annexed to the fifth commandment is a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment.

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.

Hymn of Preparation

No. 139A

O LORD, You See and Search My Life

(stanzas 1-4)

ST. MATTHEW

*Pastoral Prayer

*Scripture Readings

Luke 13:1-9

Job 34:21-37

*Congregational Response

This is the Word of the Lord,

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

"The Reality of God's Omniscience"

Job 34:21-37

Prayer of Application & Dedication

Dedicatory Offering

silent prayer

*Closing Hymn

No. 139A

O LORD, You See and Search My Life

(stanzas 5-8)

ST. MATTHEW

*Benediction

*Doxology

No. 154

This Day at Thy Creating Word

(stanza 5)

WINCHESTER NEW

All praise to God the Father be,

all praise, eternal Son, to Thee,

whom, with the Spirit, we adore

forever and forevermore.

*Silent Prayer

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