

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!

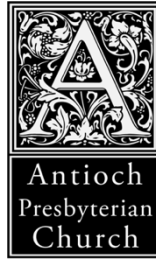
This Lord's Day at Antioch

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 and sanctified self-denial. 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 they 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.



Upcoming Events

Oliver Pierce Installation: 3/15 @ 5:00 PM
Grace Presbyterian Church | Spartanburg, SC
Session Meeting: 3/16 @ 9:00 AM
Lord's Supper: 3/22 @ 5:00 PM
Celebratory Service & Open House: 3/28 @ 4:00 PM
Joint Evening Worship Service: 3/29 @ 6:00 PM
Mount Calvary Presbyterian Church | Roebuck, SC

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

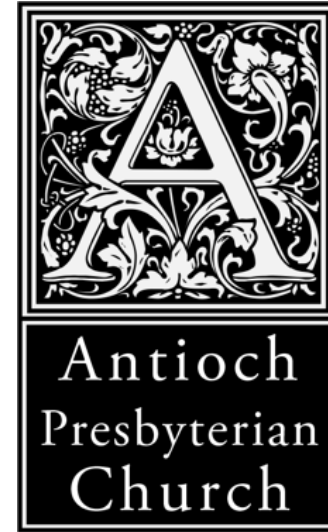
Expository Preaching | Biblical Worship
Parish Evangelism | Pastoral Care | Discipleship

Leadership & Accountability

Mr. Jeffrey A. Danes, Ruling Elder
Pastor Zachary Groff, Teaching Elder
Mr. J. Richard Long, Ruling Elder
Dr. Joseph A. Pipa, Jr., PhD, Teaching Elder

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

March 8, 2026

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Lord's Day Morning Worship

March 8, 2026 | 9:30 AM

Meditation *2 Corinthians 1:20*

Where is the wise man? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

***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. 95A**
O Come before the LORD, Our King
ST. PETERSBURG

***Prayer of Adoration & Invocation**

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

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 5:17*

Reception of Newly Transferred Members

Mr. and Mrs. Trevor & Carley Johnson
Bailey & Connor

Baptisms
Bailey & Connor Johnson
Covenant Children of Mr. and Mrs. Trevor & Carley Johnson

Offering **No. 351**
How Deep the Father's Love for Us
TOWNEND

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

Hymn of Preparation **No. 257**
Children of the Heavenly Father
TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA

***Prayer for Illumination**

***Scripture Readings** *Luke 1:57-80*
Exodus 18:1-12

***Congregational Response**
The grass withers, and the flower fades,
But the Word of our God stands forever!

Sermon
"A Father's Blessing"
Exodus 18:1-12

***Prayer of Application**

***Hymn of Response** **No. 97B**
The LORD Reigns, Let the Earth Be Glad!
UXBRIDGE

***Benediction**

***Doxology** **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.*

***Silent Prayer**

** Congregation standing, unless physically hindered*

Lord's Day Evening Worship

March 8, 2026 | 5:00 PM

Meditation *Psalms 145:8*
The LORD is gracious and merciful; slow to anger and great in lovingkindness.

***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. 75**
We Give You Thanks, O God
CARLISLE

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

Confession of Faith *Heidelberg Catechism 1*
What is your only comfort in life and in death? That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has delivered me from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His Holy Spirit, also assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

Hymn of Preparation **No. 32B**
How Blest Is He Whose Trespass
RUTHERFORD

***Pastoral Prayer**

***Scripture Readings** *Isaiah 55:1-13*
Romans 6:15-23

***Congregational Response**
Be doers of the Word,
And not hearers only, deceiving yourselves!

Sermon
"Deserts – Earned or Free"
Romans 6:20-23

***Prayer of Application & Dedication**

Dedicatory Offering *silent prayer*

***Closing Hymn** **No. 300**
Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus
HYFRYDOL

***Benediction**

***Doxology** **No. 571**
Gloria Patri
GLORIA PATRI (MEINEKE)

*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.*

***Silent Prayer**

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