

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
11:15 AM	Sunday School
4:30 PM	Psalter Hymnal Sing
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

Calvary Presbytery 171: 10/22 @ 9:00 AM
Friendship Presbyterian Church

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

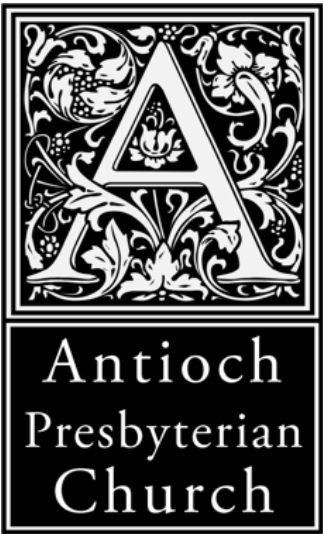
Expository Preaching | Biblical Worship
Parish Evangelism | Pastoral Care | Discipleship

Leadership & Accountability

Mr. Jeffrey A. Danes, Ruling Elder
Pastor Zachary Groff, Teaching Elder
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

October 18, 2026

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Lord’s Day Morning Worship

October 18, 2026 | 9:30 AM

Meditation *Revelation 4:2-4*
Immediately I was in the Spirit; and behold, a throne was standing in heaven, and One sitting on the throne. And He who was sitting was like a jasper stone and a sardius in appearance; and there was a rainbow around the throne, like an emerald in appearance. Around the throne were twenty-four thrones; and upon the thrones I saw twenty-four elders sitting, clothed in white garments, and gold crowns on their heads.

***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. 81A**
Sing Aloud to God Our Strength
BEACH SPRING

***Prayer of Adoration & Invocation**

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

Confession of Sin

Our Father in Heaven, in Your perfect wisdom, goodness, and grace, You have loved us with an everlasting love. Yet, we have not lived in a manner worthy of Your love. Too often, we have scorned Your perfect wisdom and played the part of the fool. Too eagerly, we have nurtured bitterness rather than goodness in our hearts. By both ignorance and rebellion, we have rejected Your grace and embraced wrath in its place. Have pity on us, Lord, as a wise, good, and gracious father has pity on his children. Restore to us the joy of Your salvation in Christ Jesus. By His Spirit, apply the Word to our hearts such that we would be wise to walk worthily in this life. How we long for heaven where Christ is, preparing a place for us. In His matchless Name, we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *1 John 1:8, 9*
Offering **No. 446**
Be Thou My Vision
SLANE

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

Hymn of Preparation **No. 63A**
O God, You Are My God Alone
PUER NOBIS NASCITUR

***Prayer for Illumination**

***Scripture Readings** *John 14:16-24*
Exodus 24:1-11

***Congregational Response**
This is the Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God!

Sermon *“Communing with God”*
Exodus 24:9-11

***Prayer of Application**

***Hymn of Response** **No. 425**
How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place
ST. COLUMBA

***Benediction**

***Doxology** **No. 117A**
Praise Jehovah, All Ye Nations
IN BABILONE

*Praise Jehovah, all ye nations,
all ye people praise proclaim;
for His grace and lovingkindness
O sing praises to His Name.
For the greatness of His mercy
constant praise to Him accord;
evermore His truth endureth;
hallelujah, praise the Lord!*

***Silent Prayer**
** Congregation standing, unless physically hindered*

Lord’s Day Evening Worship

October 18, 2026 | 5:00 PM

Meditation *Isaiah 53:11*
As a result of the anguish of His soul, He will see it and be satisfied; by His knowledge the Righteous One, My Servant, will justify the many, as He will bear their iniquities.

***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. 18B**
I Love You, LORD, My Strength
MENDON

***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. 119R**
O LORD, You Are the Righteous One
WINCHESTER NEW

***Pastoral Prayer**

***Scripture Readings** *Isaiah 50*
Romans 8:28-39

***Congregational Response**
The earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord,
As the waters cover the sea!

Sermon *“The Challenge”*
Romans 8:31-34a

***Prayer of Application & Dedication**

Dedicatory Offering *silent prayer*

***Closing Hymn** **No. 457**
Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness
GERMANY

***Benediction**

***Doxology** **No. 572**
Gloria Patri
GLORIA PATRI (Creatorex)

*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*