

Volume 19, No. 8 5 February 27–March 5, 2022

Ministry News

Children's Ministry, Tina Jones

BLESSING YOUR CHILDREN All parents of two-year-olds (or older kids if you

missed this) are invited to come and learn how to leave a legacy of blessing over your children. Join us Sunday, March 13, at 9:30am in Room C201. Breakfast is provided. Register by Wednesday, March 9, by emailing Heather Tomlinson (htomlinson@ firstpresgreenville.org). Questions? Contact Evelyn Penkert (epenkert@firstpresgreenville.org).

SUMMER CAMPS FOR K5 AND UP

Monday–Thursday, June 27-30

Register now at FirstPresGreenville.org.

- Vacation Bible School: All Aboard! Join us for fun, games, Bible stories, and more at VBS 9:00-12:00noon. Rising K5-rising 4th graders will discover how Jesus' power can pull them through life's ups and downs. Contact Evelyn Penkert at epenkert@firstpresgreenville.org for details.
- Day Missions: Do you want to serve others and make a difference? Take your focus off yourself and focus on others in our local community. Day Missions is for rising 5th-12th graders and beyond. Contact Karen King at kking@ firstpresgreenville.org for details.
- Music Camp: Does your child show an interest in singing or musical instruments? FPC Music Camp is for you! Rising K5-rising 7th graders are invited 12:00noon-4:00pm to participate. Camp will finish with a performance of the children's musical "Faith News." Contact Susan Messer at smesser@firstpresgreenville.org for details.

College Ministry

GALLIVAN-MILLS SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2022-2023

The Gallivan-Mills Scholarship is granted each year to college undergraduate and seminary students who are FPC members. Applications are available at the FPC Reception Desk and online FirstPresGreenville.org/gmscholarshipapp.pdf. at Submit your completed scholarship application, with attachments, to the Gallivan-Mills Scholarship Committee (drop off at the Reception Desk or email to Chad Brown) no later than Thursday, March 31. Questions? Contact Chad Brown (cbrown@ dodgeindustrial.com, 864.252.6195).

First Presbyterian Academy, Tom Roe

FIRST PRES ACADEMY SUMMER CAMPS

Registration is open for Summer Cru, June 5-August 5, camps exploring God's great animal kingdom for K3-K4 children in current FPA families or enrolled at FPA for the Fall. Middle and High FPA students can register for Crusader Volleyball Camps to be held May 30-June 3. Go to FirstPresAcademy.com/ school-life/summer-programs for registration forms; deadline to register is March 28.

Life Connections Ministry, Claire Ripley

HISTORY & ARCHITECTURE TOUR OF FIRST PRES

Are you interested in First Pres architecture, history, stained glass, symbols, and true stories of real people from 1848 to present? Our guided church tour of the Sanctuary and Harper Chapel on Thursday, March 10, 3:00-4:00pm, begins in the reception area. RSVP: Charlotte Joye (cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org).

org/ministry-resources/pursuit2022. For further details, contact Michael Trotter (trottermichael1@ gmail.com, 803.984.5242).

ALL MEN INVITED TO THURSDAY GATHERINGS

- Men of all ages are invited to join us weekly for: Bible, Fellowship, & Breakfast each Thursday, 7:30-9:00am (Formal Dining Room). Study the Bible one book at a time, currently in Genesis. Optional breakfast (\$4) at 8:30am. Contact Carl Evans (carl.h.evans@gmail.com, 770.5647).
- Christian Men's Fellowship each Thursday, 12:00–1:15pm (Formal Dining Room). Optional lunch (\$8) at 12:00noon, followed by Rev. Dr. Jud Wiley's spiritual gifts study entitled "On the Wings of a Dove." RSVP for lunch to Charlotte Joye, cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org.

Missions & Outreach, Brian Stewart

THANK YOU FOR YELLOW BAG DONATIONS! Last weekend our congregation donated 4985 pounds of clothing and accessories to Miracle Hill during our Yellow Bag event. In return, our church received 49 \$10 gift cards to use in other outreach ministries. Thank you for your generosity!

FAMILY MISSION TRIP TO THE DR JUNE 18-25

Join our family mission trip to the Dominican Republic June 18-25. The team will offer a medical clinic, VBS, and continued care for needy families in the bateyes and barrios of the DR. No medical training is necessary to participate. Children ages 10 and up are welcome to serve with a parent. For information on joining the team, please contact Joy Sturgis by Friday, March 15 (joyc.sturgis@ gmail.com, 864.423.6798).

HOLLIS IS OPEN FOR VOLUNTEERS!

Volunteers are being allowed back into Hollis Academy following Covid restrictions. If you are interested in working with a student as a mentor or a reading buddy, let us know!

- Mentors work with a student once a week during their lunch hour. Contact Russell Guest (russellguest@guestbrady.com) for details.
- Reading Buddies work with a first grade student twice a month, usually during the morning hours for 20 minutes per session. Contact Beth Simmons (simmonsfam@charter.net) for details.
- If you are willing to be placed on our Drop-ofa-Hat list to be contacted occasionally as onetime needs arise at the school, contact Beth Simmons (simmonsfam@charter.net).

As always, thank you for your support of our ongoing ministry at Hollis Academy!

GREAT ALASKA SPORTING CLAY CLASSIC APRIL 8

The 9th Annual Great Alaska Sporting Clay Classic will be held on Friday morning, April 8, at The Clinton House in Clinton, SC. This clay shoot is a fundraiser for the ministry of Steven and Natalie Hall, First Pres members who have served with SEND North for 19 years. SEND North's vision is to make northern disciple-makers across Alaska and northern Canada. (Visit Send.org/north.) Register for teams and individuals, as well as sponsorships, at 2022gascc.eventbrite.com. Questions? Contact Steven Hall, shall@send.org or 907.320.0158.

Memorials & Honors

AGAPE-FELLOWSHIP CLASS FUND

In memory of

Clara Lee Shive by Scott and Linda Coleman; Bradshaw, Gordon & Clinkscales, LLC

MUSIC MINISTRY FUND

In memory of

Anne Boroughs by Mr. and Mrs. Ewan Sweeney PRAYER MINISTRY FUND

In memory of

Jim Castle by Mr. and Mrs. Ewan Sweeney

Calendar for the Week

YOUTH SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

- Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067) 8:30am • Worship Service (Sanctuary, live stream)

 - Children's Nursery (birth-age 3)
- 9:30am Children's Nursery & Programs (birth-5th gr)
 - Youth Sunday School (Room 354)
- 9:45am Adult Sunday Life Groups (On campus, Zoom)
- 10:30am Kids Church (birth-1st grade) 10:45am • Ignite Worship (Fellowship Hall, live stream)
- 11:00am Worship Service (Sanctuary, live stream)
- 4:00pm Resonate Worship (grades 6-12) (Choir Room)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

- Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067) 11:00am • Daytime Adult Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 6:00pm Session Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- Diaconate Meeting (Formal Dining Room) 6:40pm • Community Bible Study (Harper Chapel)
- **TUESDAY, MARCH 1**
- Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)
- 8:30am Women: Book of Ruth (Room 305)
- 11:30am Wit & Wisdom (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00pm Healing & Prayer Service (Harper Chapel) • Boy Scout Troop 11 (Scout Hut)

ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2

Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)

10:00am • Above All Women: Love Walked Among Us (Various rooms)

- 11:45pm Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 12:30pm Bible Study: Samuel, Saul, & Solomon (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:15pm Supper (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:30pm Covenant Choir (grades 3-5) (C205)
- 5:45pm Junior High ROOTS (Rooms 352, 354)
- 6:00pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- Instrumental Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

6:15pm • Take Me to the Cross (Harper Chapel)

- Age 0-2: Nursery (Room 215B)
- Age 2-3: Bible lesson (Room 215D)
- Age 4-5: Study/Cherub Choir (C201/C205) •Grades 1-2: Carol Choir/Study (C205/C201)
- Study: Art of Parenting (Ligon Conf Rm 100)
- Study: Book of Esther (Room 306)
- Revive Women (30s-40s) (Room 213)
- 6:30pm Bible Study: Samuel, Saul, & Solomon
 - (Fellowship Hall, live stream)
 - Radiance Women (20s-30s) (Off campus)
- 7:30pm Senior High ROOTS (Youth 352) • Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- THURSDAY, MARCH 3
 - Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)

7:30am • Men's Bible Fellowship (Formal Dining Room,

Light & Life Ministry, Stan Johnson

PINK AND BLUE BANQUET MARCH 26

You are invited to the first Pink and Blue Banquet in support of St. Clare's Home, a maternity home that welcomes expectant mothers who choose life and are in need of shelter, safety, and security. The event will be held at Fluor Field baseball stadium at 5:30pm on Saturday, March 26. For details and tickets, visit StClaresHomeSC.org/pink-and-bluebanquet-2022.

Men's Ministry

MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP WEEKEND APRIL 8-10

ALL men are invited to the 2022 PURSUIT Men's Weekend April 8-10 at Awanita Valley Christian Camp & Retreat Center, for fellowship, worship, adventure, and encouraging teaching. Retreat cost of \$225 includes all meals from Friday evening through Sunday morning; receive a \$50 discount with code FPC50 at registration. Add-on activities of paintball or skeet shooting are \$15 each with registration. Space is limited so sign up early at 3genministries.

Prayer Ministry, Stan Johnson A STUDY OF HEALING PRAYER BEGINS

Join us for a Study of Healing Prayer, a 13-week class that begins **Wednesday**, March 9, at 6:15pm in Room 308, led by the First Pres Healing Prayer Team. Topics on physical and inner healing will challenge and inspire you in your personal prayer life. To sign up or if you have questions, please call or text Margaret Goodnough at 864.484.3679.

Member News

SYMPATHY

The pastors and congregation extend sympathy to Mrs. Rebecca Harris in the death of her husband, Charles Harris, on February 15.

The family of Roberta Maddox. Mrs. Maddox died on February 21.

IN MEMORIAM

Charles Richard Harris

July 5, 1952 – February 15, 2022

Roberta M. Maddox

January 22, 1928 – February 21, 2022

- Zoom)
- 9:30am Women: Jesus' Last Week (Room 301, Zoom)
 - Women: Truth Project (Room 303)
 - Abide for Women: Discerning the Voice of God (Room 308, Zoom)
 - Women: Romans (Room 305)

11:30am • Women's Community Bible Study: Elijah (Rm 305) 12:00pm • Christian Men's Fellowship (Formal Dining Rm) FRIDAY. MARCH 4

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346) SATURDAY, MARCH 5

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Looking Ahead

March 6	Milestone Sunday for children
March 11-13	Confirmation Weekend
March 20	Communion at all services
April 1-3	New Member Weekend
April 8-10	Pursuit Men's Weekend

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, GREENVILLE, SC

Real This SUNDAY

Sunday Worship

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022

8:30 & 11:00am Worship • Sanctuary 10:45am IGNITE Worship • Fellowship Hall

"THE COST OF TRANSFORMATION"

Luke 8:26-39 Rev. Charlie Buchanan

9:30am – Children's Sunday School 9:30am – Youth Sunday Life Groups 9:45am – Adult Sunday Life Groups 10:30 – Kids Church

WEDNESDAY

MARCH 2, 2022

Bible Study (12:30pm & 6:30pm) Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons: Samuel, Saul, & Solomon Classes & Choirs for all ages (see calendar)

Wednesday Meals (11:45am & 5:15pm)

Fried Chicken, Country-style Steak Pinto Beans, Green Beans Baked Parmesan Broccoli Steamed Yellow Rice, Macaroni and Cheese Salad, Bread, Dessert

Live Streaming

Sunday Traditional Worship 8:30am–9:40am • Sanctuary 11:00am–12:10pm • Sanctuary

Live Streaming: Facebook page:

Facebook page. Facebook.com/firstpresgreenville FPC YouTube channel: YouTube.com/ FirstPresbyterianChurchofGreenville FirstPresgreenville.org/media/livestream

Sunday IGNITE Modern Worship

10:45am–11:55am • Fellowship Hall Live Streaming:

Ignite Facebook page: Facebook.com/FirstPresIgnite/ Ignite YouTube channel: YouTube.com/ FirstPresIgniteWorship

Wednesday Bible Study

12:30pm–1:00pm • Fellowship Hall 6:30pm–7:15pm • Fellowship Hall

Live Streaming (6:30pm only): Facebook, YouTube, and FirstPresgreenville.org/media/ livestream

Please "like" & "subscribe" for easy access.

Prayer & Care

Encouragement & Support

If you would like a **Prayer Minister** or **Cancer Caring Ministry** member to contact you, please email Tammy Burkhalter at tburkhalter@firstpresgreenville.org. **If you need prayer or pastoral care,** please contact the Pastor of the Day (see the calendar).

PRAYER REQUEST LINES

Congregational Care Director Tammy Burkhalter: 565.0943 Prayer Appointments: 565.0960 Prayer Requests: 565.0970



MILITARY MINISTRY & PRAYER *FirstPresGreenville.org/care/military*

PRAYER List

Bill Anthony, Susan Bennett, Joy Clawson, Mary Cobb, Ryan Crais, Justin Cundiff, Meghan Cundiff, Collins Cundiff, Kenzie Cundiff, **Buddy** Daniel, Levi Daniel, Nancy Deadwyler,

Franky Dillard, Gayle Duggan, Pat Dukes, Malcolm Floyd, Becky Garcia, Millie Gedney, Pam Goldman, Larry Goodwin, Marianne Graves, Natalie Hall, Betty Hedgpeth, T.G. Hanner,

Wanda Hightower, Sherry Hooper, Amy Hunter, Jack Key, Aline Kilgore, Phillip Kilgore Jr., Rami Kozaily, Sandra Lamb, Tom Lide, Jenna Livingston, Jennifer

Loft, John Loft, Pat Loft, Jonathan Lotz, Gerald Loyless, Doug MacCallum, Jane MacCallum, Janet MacCallum, Bobbie McCall, Barbara McKenzie, Jeff Meadors, John Michels, Mozelle Moore, Alex Olyarchuk, Judy Outlaw, Jane Petrilli, Myra Phillips, Nancy

Jane Petrilli, Myra Phillips, Nancy Ramsey, Beth Ramsey, Elizabeth Robison, **Bill Rogers,** Rob Schoolfield, Harriet K. Scully, Lori Sharp, Carol Shirley, Ronnie Shirley, Bill Stover, Carrie Stringer, Melanie Ann Tinnelly, Lewis Tollison, John Volpe, Lysle Wiley, Brenda Williams, Elizabeth "Liz"

Williams, Esther Wilson, Don Youatt, Jan Zimmermann Bold = New Italics = In Hospital



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> TELEVISION First and Foremost Program on WHNS-TV FOX Carolina Sundays at 10:30am

ONLINE GIVING



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WHAT'S INSIDE

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Healing Prayer Study begins March 9

History & Architecture Tour March 10

Blessing Your Children March 13

Register Now: Summer Camps for Kids June 27-30

First Pres Academy Summer Camps

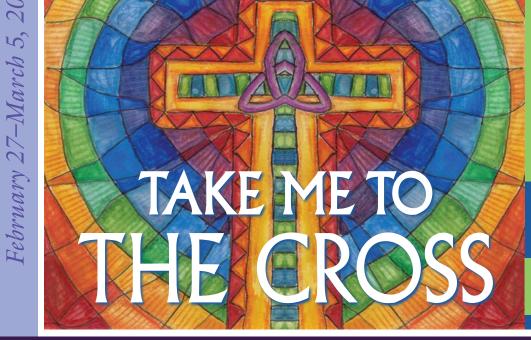
Family Mission Trip to the DR

For more information about the ministry of FPC, visit FirstPresGreenville.org



* EVERYONE is invited to our annual Ash Wednesday Service *

Growing faithful Christians to engage and impact the culture with the transforming power of Jesus Christ



Worship & Prayer Service Wednesday, March 2 6:15–7:15pm in Harper Chapel DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM

presented by Children's Ministry • Worship क्ष Music • FPC Prayer Team

Questions? Contact Karen King kking@firstpresgreenville.org • 565.0936

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"I am the vine; you are the branches." JOHN 15:5