

## Ministry News

*Audio-Video-Lighting Ministry, Evan Tripp*

### AVL VOLUNTEER DAY JUNE 12

Our Audio-Video-Lighting Team invites all interested volunteers to a brief AVL Ministry meeting following the 8:30am, 10:45am, and 11:00am services on **Sunday, June 12**. We need sound, lights, titles, and camera operators for all services; no experience is required. To get plugged in, meet at the sound booth following each service, or contact Evan Tripp (864.640.9712, etripp@firstpresgreenville.org).

*Children's Ministry, Tina Jones*

### VBS, DAY MISSIONS, & MUSIC CAMP NEED YOU!

The week of **June 27-30** is only four weeks away, and many more helping hands are needed. We would love for you join our team! A variety of opportunities are available for high school age and above.

**VBS needs:** *snack helper, crew leader, class assistant, or preschool assistant.* If you would like to serve, please contact Evelyn Penkert (epenkert@firstpresgreenville.org) to register your children.

**Day Missions needs:** *chaperones, drivers, check-In, snacks, and runners.* More participants mean more opportunities to serve those in need.

**Music Camp needs:** *guides for small groups of children as they travel from music station to music station during the week.*

Details and registration for team members are at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) (Featured Events tab).

### DONATIONS NEEDED FOR DAY MISSIONS

Please donate "Necessity Gift Bag" items for Greenville Summit, Garden Apartments, and others in need: *large reusable grocery bags, paper towels, facial tissue, toilet paper, hand soap, body wash, shampoo, deodorant, dish detergent, laundry detergent, glass cleaner, packaged crackers and snacks, any size zip-lock bags, 13-gallon trash bags.* Bring items to the Children's Ministry check-in area by **Sunday, June 12**. Questions? Contact Karen King, kking@firstpresgreenville.org or 565.0936.

*Events Ministry, Chelsea Fraser*

### ANDREW PETERSON IN CONCERT JUNE 17

Don't wait! Tickets for the Andrew Peterson Concert on **Friday, June 17**, are on sale now! For only \$20 a person, you and your friends can come hear internationally recognized artist Andrew Peterson perform his intimate, relatable, reverent songs in our very own Sanctuary. Bring a friend and come ready to be blessed. Tickets are available at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) and [EventBrite.com](http://EventBrite.com) (search "Andrew Peterson").

*First Presbyterian Academy, Tom Roe*

### CLASS OF 2022 GRADUATES

On May 26, the Class of 2022 seniors graduate from First Presbyterian Academy. Congratulations!



### 2022-2023 POSITIONS AT FPA DOWNTOWN

First Presbyterian Academy Downtown is hiring three positions to begin **August 10**:

- K3 Teacher (M-F, 8:30am–2:30pm)
- K3 Teacher Assistant (M-F, 8:30am–2:30pm)
- K2 Teacher Assistant (M-F, 8:30am–2:30pm)

FPA is also filling one position to begin **August 22**:

- School Nurse (M-F, 9:00am–2:00pm)

Please contact Vicky Burr if you are interested: vburr@firstpresacademy.com or 565.0991.

*Foster & Adoption Ministry, Tina Jones*

### MAY IS FOSTER & ADOPTION MONTH

Do you believe God could use you to help children in crisis? To support families who take in these children? To pray for the children, their foster families, and their biological families?

*We all can do something. What's your something?* Tina Jones (tjones@firstpresgreenville.org) will help you get plugged in! Go to [FirstPresGreenville.org/ministries/children#FA](http://FirstPresGreenville.org/ministries/children#FA) for a list of opportunities.

*Life Connections, 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, June 9**, 3:00–4:30pm, begins in the reception area. RSVP to Charlotte Joye (cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org).

*Men's Ministry*

### ALL MEN INVITED TO THURSDAY GATHERINGS

• **Bible, Fellowship, & Breakfast each Thursday, 7:30–9:00am** (Formal Dining Room). Study the Bible one book at a time, currently in *Exodus*. 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). Join us on **June 2** to hear Don Hobbs, M.D., share an intriguing inspirational story about a patient who experienced God during his recovery from a catastrophic sports injury. RSVP for lunch (\$8) to Charlotte Joye, cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org.

*Student Ministry, Mason Simmons*

### ROOTS DOWNTOWN FOR JUNIOR HIGHS

**JUNE 8 • JULY 13 • JULY 28 • NOON**

Junior High students are invited downtown this summer for lunch and fellowship on **June 8 and July 13 and 28**. Students should bring money to cover their meal and meet in the church parking lot at noon. Contact Autumn Clark with questions (aclark@firstpresgreenville.org).

### SUMMER NIGHTS FOR SENIOR HIGHS

**JUNE 8, 29 • JULY 13, 27 • AUGUST 10 • 7:00pm**

Senior High students are invited to join us for relaxed, organic nights of hanging out, playing games, and reading through Scripture together. We will be meeting at different houses throughout the summer, so keep an eye out for an email the week before for information. The meetings will take place 7:00–9:00pm on **June 8, 29; July 13, 27; and August 10**. Food will be provided. Contact Autumn Clark for details (aclark@firstpresgreenville.org).



## Celebration Sunday June 5

Join us at our worship services—9:00am and 11:00am in the Sanctuary—as we express our thankfulness to God for His faithfulness over the last few years, especially as we begin using our new state-of-the-art facilities for all ages later this year. This June also marks the halfway point of our capital campaign and the prayerful and sacrificial commitment of the congregation to Transforming the Heart of the City. We welcome you to worship with us and tour our new facilities on June 5!

#### Schedule:

8:45am–12:30pm	Nursery
9:00am	Worship (Sanctuary)
10:00am	Tour
11:00am	Worship (Sanctuary)
11:00am	Kids Church
12:00pm	Tour

**Note:** No Ignite Worship\*, Sunday School, or Life Groups on June 5.

\* Ignite Worship will resume in Fellowship Hall on June 12.

## Member News

### BAPTISMS (May 22, 2022)

**Crawford Dudley Schaefer** and **Calhoun DuPree Schaefer**, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Dylan Thomas Schaefer (Leila).

### CONGRATULATIONS

*The pastors and congregation extend blessings to Mr. and Mrs. Parker Senn McTeer (Anna Lee) on the birth of a son, William Jennings McTeer, on May 1.*

### SYMPATHY

*The pastors and congregation express sympathy to Mrs. Ann McLellan in the death of her daughter, ArchAnna McLellan Steadham of Simpsonville, SC, on May 21.*

## Announcements

### 2022 GRADUATES TO BE ANNOUNCED IN JUNE

FPC members and family members who are 2022 (or August/December 2021) graduates of High School, College, Graduate School, and Seminary will be announced in early June. To be included, complete the form online at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) (Featured Events, Graduates icon) or contact Tomi Wier (twier@firstpresgreenville.org) by **Friday, June 3**.



### SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of a loved one on a **Sunday in June**, call Linda Sholtis at 235.0496.

## Memorials & Honors

### AGAPE-FELLOWSHIP CLASS FUND

*In memory of*

**Clara Lee Shive** by Ms. Shelley Lassiter

### CHURCH MEMORIAL FUND

*In memory of*

**Henry Faris Jr.** by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ussery; Cecile Workman; David and Mellie Motes; Sharon, Marie, and Alden Manning; Haley and Bob Nations

### FPC FOUNDATION

*In memory of*

**Jean Hoffman** by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Banks (Sandra)

### MUSIC MINISTRY FUND

*In memory of*

**Evelyn Nietzer** by the Agape-Fellowship Class

### TRANSFORMING THE HEART OF THE CITY FUND

*In memory of*

**Henry Faris Jr.** by Muff Harner; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Banks; Dr. and Mrs. Charles West  
**Marion Jeffries Kittredge** by Pam and Rick Knight  
**Ronnie Milligan Sr.** by Kip and Kim Miller

*In honor of*

**Doris Greene** by Gena McGowan

### TURNER MEMORIAL FUND

*In memory of*

**Jennie Branch** by the Covenant Class; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brennecke

## Calendar for the Week

### SUNDAY, MAY 29

*Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)*

**8:30am • Worship Service (Sanctuary, live stream)**

• Children's Nursery (birth–age 3)

**9:30am • Children's Nursery & Sunday School**  
(birth–5th grade)

• 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)**

### MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY, MAY 30

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*

Church Office, Academy, FPNS closed: Memorial Day

### TUESDAY, MAY 31

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*

7:00pm • Healing & Prayer Service (Harper Chapel)

• Boy Scout Troop 11 (Scout Hut)

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*

11:45pm • Lunch (Fellowship Hall)

12:30pm • Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

6:00pm • Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

• Instrumental Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

### THURSDAY, JUNE 2

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*

7:30am • Men's Bible Fellowship: *Exodus* (Formal Dining Room, Zoom)

12:00pm • Christian Men's Fellowship: *Don Hobbs, M.D.* (Formal Dining Room)

7:00pm • First Pres Academy Graduation (Sanctuary)

### FRIDAY, JUNE 3

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*

### SATURDAY, JUNE 4

*Pastor of the Day: Stan Johnson (423.2067)*



# This SUNDAY

## Sunday Worship

MEMORIAL DAY SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2022

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

Series: "ENCORE: ACTS FOR 2022"

Acts 15:36-40

Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons

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

## WEDNESDAY

JUNE 1, 2022

Luncheon Bible Study (12:30pm)

Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons

Wednesday Lunch (11:45am)

Fried Chicken, Savory Meatloaf  
Steamed Cabbage, Rice Pilaf  
Fried Green Tomatoes, Green Beans  
Black-eyed Peas  
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy  
Salad, Bread, Dessert

## Live Streaming

### Sunday Traditional Worship

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

Live Streaming:

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

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).

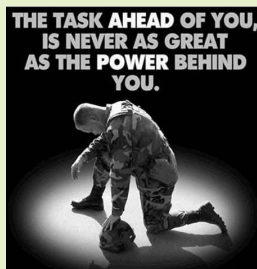
#### PRAYER REQUEST LINES

Congregational Care Director

Tammy Burkhalter: 565.0943

Prayer Appointments: 565.0960

Prayer Requests: 565.0970



#### MILITARY MINISTRY & PRAYER

FirstPresGreenville.org/care/military

## PRAYER List

Andy Anderson, Bill Anthony, **Doane August**, Susan Bennett, Jane Brennecke, Tom Brissey, Bryan Buchanan, **John Burnett Jr.**, Michael Chalmers, Joy Clawson, Stephanie Cox, Ryan Crais, **Phyllis Crist**, Levi Daniel, Nancy Deadwyler, Franky Dillard, Gayle Duggan, Kenzie Etheridge, **Lila Fairey**, Malcolm Floyd, George Freeman, Nancy Freeman, Becky Garcia, Millie Gedney, Pam Goldman, Marianne Graves, Betsy Guffey, Natalie Hall, T.G. Hanner, Gladys "Hap" Henderson, Wanda Hightower, Sherry Hooper, Lynda Hoover, Amy Hunter, Jack Key, Aline Kilgore, Phillip Kilgore Jr., **Charles Kindig**, Rami Kozaily, Sandra Lamb, Tom Lide, Jenna Livingston, Jennifer Loft, John Loft, Pat Loft, Jonathan Lotz, Gerald Loyless, Doug MacCallum, Jane MacCallum, Janet MacCallum, Barbara McKenzie, John Michels, Mozelle Moore, Alex Olyarchuk, Judy Outlaw, Jane Petrilli, Myra Phillips, **Mitchell Poe**, Becky Powell, Mason Powell, Beth Ramsey, Nancy Ramsey, Ed Reed, Joann Reed, Elizabeth Robison, Bill Rogers, Harriet K. Scully, Bob Shand, Lori Sharp, Carol Shirley, Ronnie Shirley, Bill Stover, Carrie Stringer, **Bill Sturgis**, Trey Suggs, Melanie Ann Tinnelly, Charlotte Utter, John Volpe, **Don Waters**, Lysle Wiley, Brenda Williams, Elizabeth "Liz" Williams, Esther Wilson, Don Youatt, Jan Zimmermann

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

#### ONLINE GIVING



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For more information about the ministry  
of FPC, visit [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org)

# Meet our 2022 Summer Interns!

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**ADDISON HOLMES** is a rising senior at Anderson University, majoring in Elementary Education. She enjoys playing the violin, doing yoga, reading, and spending time outdoors. During her second summer as a Children's Ministry intern, Addison is excited for the opportunity to grow and learn even more about CM and to pour into all aspects of it.

**ELIZABETH WILLCOX** is a sophomore Elementary & Special Education major at Samford University in Birmingham, AL. She loves going for walks, spending time with family and friends, baking, and art. As a Children's Ministry Intern this summer, Elizabeth says she is excited to serve First Pres by giving back to a ministry that has benefited her so much!

**CALEB JIVA**, a clarinet player and composer from Greenville, has just graduated from Eastside High School and the Fine Arts Center (for music). Having attended First Pres for over nine years, he has been involved in the Music & Worship Ministry in the Ignite and traditional services for almost a year. In his free time, Caleb enjoys hiking, swimming, and watching movies.



**MARY ELIZABETH "MEB" BAUMGARTEN** graduated from Texas Christian University and next year will be attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill for Clinical Rehabilitation & Mental Health Counseling. She is looking forward to growing in both interpersonal relationships and her own intrapersonal relationship. FPC has been a lifelong home, and she cannot wait to give back to the church that has strengthened her walk with Jesus.

**BLAKE FOSTER**, a rising sophomore at Clemson University, plans to major in Construction Science & Management. After two years in Roots as a high school student, Blake is eager to cultivate relationships with middle school students and share God and His kingdom with them. At Clemson, Blake enjoys hanging out with friends, Clemson sports, playing bass in a band, and serving in various ministries. He is excited to be a youth intern this summer!

**STOKES LINEBERGER** is a rising sophomore at Clemson University, majoring in Civil Engineering. He looks forward to meeting all of the students as he serves as an intern. He says he is especially excited for the FUGE trip later this summer!

## STUDENT MINISTRY

# THE GRAPEVINE

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