

## Ministry News

### Activities Ministry

#### REGISTER NOW FOR YOUTH BASKETBALL!

First Pres offers a Basketball Ministry for K5–12th grade with Church League Basketball for Youth (CLBBY). *Register online now!* Registration ends **Sunday, September 19**. Cost is \$70. Register at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) (click Youth Basketball icon)

### Children's Ministry, Tina Jones

#### THE CHILDREN'S TEAM HAS A PLACE FOR YOU

Would you like to be a part of the Children's Team? We are looking for once-a-month commitments in the following areas:

- Sound and light team
- Worship team
- Sunday School teachers and assistants
- Kids Church teachers and assistants

Contact Tina Jones ([tjones@firstpresgreenville.org](mailto:tjones@firstpresgreenville.org) or 565.0921) if you are interested.

### Congregational Care Ministry, Tammy Burkhalter

#### JOIN THE GRACE BEREAVEMENT TEAM!

The apostle Paul said, *"We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us... if it is serving, then serve..."* (Romans 12:6-7)

We are expanding our Grace Bereavement Ministry and would love to hear from you if you feel called to serve bereaved members of our congregation. Please contact Susan Stewart ([ssewart@firstpresgreenville.org](mailto:ssewart@firstpresgreenville.org), 565.0966) for details on how you can serve.

### First Pres Academy, Tom Roe

#### FIRST PRES ACADEMY POSITION AVAILABLE

First Pres Academy is hiring a K4 four-day assistant to work at the Downtown campus. If you are interested, please contact Jennifer Bridges ([jbridges@firstpresacademy.com](mailto:jbridges@firstpresacademy.com)).

### Life Connections Ministry, Claire Ripley

#### FALL 2021 WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Our fall schedule brochure describes all First Pres worship, children's, youth, music, discipleship, and study activities. Pick one up from the literature racks around the building or view on the church website at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org).

### Life Connections, Men's Ministry

#### MEN'S BIBLE FELLOWSHIP THURSDAY MORNING

Men of all ages are invited to join the Men's Bible Fellowship, which meets on **Thursdays** at 7:30am in the Formal Dining Room (and via Zoom), with optional breakfast at 8:30am (\$4). We are currently studying the book of Revelation. *Questions?* Contact Carl Evans ([carl.h.evans@gmail.com](mailto:carl.h.evans@gmail.com), 770.5647). For Zoom connection, contact Ron Kennett ([kennetts4usc@gmail.com](mailto:kennetts4usc@gmail.com)).

#### CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

**September through November**, the Christian Men's Fellowship will feature the highly acclaimed video series, *The Truth Project*. All men (retired or still working) are invited on **Thursdays**, 12:00–1:30pm in the Formal Dining Room. Optional lunch is \$8.

### Light & Life Ministry, Stan Johnson

#### PWC NIGHT FOR LIFE SEPTEMBER 23

This year is Piedmont Women's Center's 30th anniversary, and we want you to help us celebrate. Join us for *Night for Life* on **Thursday, September 23**, at 7:00pm at Bob Jones University. The guest speaker will be Roland Warren, president and CEO of CARENET. The event is free (but ticketed). For more details or to register, visit [PiedmontWomensCenter.org/N4L](http://PiedmontWomensCenter.org/N4L) or call 864.233.3823.

### Military Ministry, Tammy Burkhalter

#### WORLD WAR II VETERANS VIDEO

On Sunday, September 5, during worship, many of you saw our new WWII veterans video, which featured interviews of World War II veterans Bill Quarles and Dr. Dabney Robinson. You can view it again at [FirstPresGreenville.org/care/military](http://FirstPresGreenville.org/care/military).

### Music Ministry, Susan Messer

#### NEW ADULT DAYTIME CHOIR

Join our new Adult Daytime Choir! Rehearsals will be on **Tuesdays**, 1:30–2:30pm in the Sanctuary, beginning **Tuesday, September 21**. This choir will lead worship by providing music for the 8:30am and 11:00am services several times a year, as well as other special services. To learn more, please contact Susan Messer at [smesser@firstpresgreenville.org](mailto:smesser@firstpresgreenville.org).

#### CHRISTMAS CHOIR BEGINS OCTOBER 3

All ages are invited to come and join the Christmas Choir! Rehearsals will be held on **Sundays**, 4:00–5:00pm in the Sanctuary, **October 3–December 5**. This year's *Christmas@First*—"Come, Let Us Adore Him!"—will be Friday, December 10, and Saturday, December 11.

### Prayer Ministry, Stan Johnson

#### ONE PRAYER ON OCTOBER 3

ONE Prayer 2021 will take place on **Sunday, October 3**, 5:00–7:00pm at NewSpring Church's Eastlan campus in Greenville. At ONE Prayer 2021, we come together to ask God for greater local church unity, the kind of unity for which Jesus prayed in John 17:22-23—"I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one—I in them and you in me—so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me."

This is our "one prayer." As local Christians persevere in this prayer, we believe it will become a greater reality among local churches in the Greenville area and the Upstate. This year we will be led in prayer by the largest group of local pastors yet, including Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons. The group is a beautiful example of church unity, representing many different parts of the local Body of Christ.

For details about ONE Prayer, visit [OnePrayerSC.com](http://OnePrayerSC.com). Register for the event at [eventbrite.com/e/one-prayer-2021-tickets-161394147239](https://eventbrite.com/e/one-prayer-2021-tickets-161394147239)

### Senior Adult Ministry, Tammy Burkhalter

#### WIT & WISDOM OCTOBER 5

Bring a friend and join us on **Tuesday, October 5**, 11:30am–1:30pm in Fellowship Hall, for our program, fellowship, and lunch. Our First Pres musicians will join us for a musical trip down memory lane! RSVP by **September 28** to Susan Stewart (565.0966, [ssewart@firstpresgreenville.org](mailto:ssewart@firstpresgreenville.org)). Lunch costs \$8.

### Stewardship Ministry, Andy Douglas

#### SHARE YOUR STORY!

Has your relationship with God been enhanced by your commitment to tithe? Has there been one revealing moment when you truly understood the importance of your tithe? Have you deepened your relationship with God because of programs, classes, or events that others have financially supported with their tithe?

Would you be willing to share a story of your experience with our congregation? If so, please contact Andy Douglas, Director of Stewardship Ministries, at [adouglas@firstpresgreenville.org](mailto:adouglas@firstpresgreenville.org) or 565.0962. *Thank you!*

### Women's Ministry, Claire Ripley

#### FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE

Please join us on **Thursday, October 7**, at 6:00pm in Fellowship Hall for fashion, food, fellowship, and fun! *Fearfully and Wonderfully Made* will celebrate our friends with special abilities with a night to shine and share joy on the runway. Local boutiques have partnered with our models to show off the latest fall trends. Graydon Tomlinson and friends will lead the music, special entertainment will be provided by SHOCK Dance by Lindley, and our picnic dinner will be from Table 301. Reserve your space (\$25) online now at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) (*Events, Featured Events*).

#### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES

Various Bible Studies for women are offered during the week. Pick up a fall schedule brochure from the literature racks around the building or view on the church website at [FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org).

## Announcements

#### STAFF NEWS

**Mason Ankudavicius** has joined the FPC Information Technology team as Computer Technician, providing technical support for the church staff and maintaining the computers and network. Mason comes to us with five



years of IT experience. He grew up in Rock Hill, SC, and recently moved to Greenville with his wife. Mason says, "I am excited to be working with everyone here and to have an opportunity to apply my past IT experience to help provide a pleasant experience here at First Presbyterian."

#### SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of loved ones on **Sunday, October 24 or 31**, call Linda Sholtis at 235.0496.

## Member News

#### CONGRATULATIONS

*The pastors and congregation extend blessings to* **Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gilchrist (Storey)** on the birth of a daughter, Eva Elizabeth Gilchrist, on September 11.

#### SYMPATHY

*The pastors and congregation express sympathy to* **Mr. and Mrs. Rick Phillips (Bonnie)** in the death of her father, Raymond Earl Bragg Jr. of Greenville, on September 7.

## Calendar for the Week

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

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

*Please read COVID guidelines before coming on campus.*

- 8:30am • Worship Service (Sanctuary, live stream)**
  - Children's Nursery & Programs (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) (Chapel)

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

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

- 7:00pm • Community Bible Study (Harper Chapel)

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

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

- 8:30am • Women: *Discerning the Voice of God* (Rm 305)
- 7:00pm • Healing & Prayer Service (Harper Chapel)
  - Boy Scout Troop 11 (Scout Hut)

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

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

- 10:30am • Above All Women: *Trustworthy* (Parlor, Room 309)
- 11:45pm • Lunch (Fellowship Hall)
- 12:30pm • Bible Study: *Rediscovering Redeeming Love* (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:15pm • Supper (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:45pm • Junior High ROOTS (Rooms 352, 354)
- 6:00pm • Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 6:15pm • Age 0-2: Nursery (Room 215B)
  - Age 2-3: Bible lesson (Room 215D)
- 6:15pm • Age 4-5: Study/Cherub Choir (213/Chapel)
  - Grades 1-2: Carol Choir/Study (Chapel/213)
  - Grades 3-5: WOW Bible Study (Room 318)
  - Study: *Genesis* (Room 306)
  - Study: *Angels* (Room 404)
- 6:30pm • Bible Study: *Rediscovering Redeeming Love* (Fellowship Hall, live stream)
  - Radiance Women (20s-30s) (Off campus)
- 7:00pm • Instrumental Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 7:30pm • Senior High ROOTS (Youth 352)
  - Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Room 402)

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

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

- 7:30am • Men's Bible Fellowship (Formal Dining Room, Zoom)
- 9:30am • Women: *Exodus* (Room 303)
  - Abide for Women: *How Much More* (Room 308, Zoom)
  - Women: *Book of Romans* (Room 309)
- 11:00am • Women's Community Bible Study: *Jude* (Parlor)
- 12:00pm • Christian Men's Fellowship: *The Truth Project* (Formal Dining Rm)

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24


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

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

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



This SUNDAY			PRAYER List
<p><i>Sunday Worship</i></p> <p>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2021</p> <p>8:30 &amp; 11:00am Worship • <i>Sanctuary</i></p> <p>10:45am IGNITE Worship • <i>Fellowship Hall</i></p> <p>Series: “YOU CANNOT BE SERIOUS!”</p> <p>Commandment V</p> <p>Exodus 20:8-12</p> <p>Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons</p> <p>9:30am – Children’s Sunday School</p> <p>9:30am – Youth Sunday Life Groups</p> <p>9:45am – Adult Sunday Life Groups</p> <p>10:30 – Kids Church</p>	<p><i>Live Streaming</i></p> <p><b>Sunday Traditional Worship</b></p> <p>8:30am–9:35am • Sanctuary</p> <p>11:00am–12:15pm • Sanctuary</p> <p><i>Live Streaming:</i></p> <p>Facebook page: <i>Facebook.com/firstpresgreenville</i></p> <p>FPC YouTube page: <i>http://bit.ly/firstpresyoutube</i></p> <p><i>FirstPresgreenville.org/media/livestream</i></p> <p><b>Sunday IGNITE Modern Worship</b></p> <p>10:45am–11:55am • Fellowship Hall</p> <p><b>Facebook page and YouTube channel for live streaming the Ignite worship service:</b></p> <p>Ignite Facebook page: <i>https://www.facebook.com/FirstPresIgnite/</i></p> <p>Ignite YouTube page: <i>http://bit.ly/firstpresigniteworship</i></p> <p><b>Wednesday Bible Study</b></p> <p>12:30pm–1:00pm • Fellowship Hall</p> <p>6:30pm–7:15pm • Fellowship Hall</p> <p><i>Live Streaming (6:30pm only):</i></p> <p>Facebook, YouTube, and <i>FirstPresgreenville.org/media/livestream</i></p> <p><b>Please “like” &amp; “subscribe” for easy access.</b></p>	<p><i>Prayer &amp; Care</i></p> <p><b>Encouragement &amp; Support</b></p> <p>If you would like a <b>Prayer Minister</b> to call and pray with you, or a member of our <b>Cancer Caring Ministry</b> to reach out to you, please contact Congregational Care Director Tammy Burkhalter, by email to <a href="mailto:tburkhalter@firstpresgreenville.org">tburkhalter@firstpresgreenville.org</a>.</p> <p><b>If you are in need of prayer or pastoral care</b>, please contact the Pastor of the Day (see the calendar).</p> <p><b>To share prayer requests with the Prayer Team:</b></p> <p>call <b>565.0970</b> or email <a href="mailto:prayer@firstpresgreenville.org">prayer@firstpresgreenville.org</a></p>	<p>Susan Black, <b>Ron Burkhalter</b>, Luke Chapman, Joy Clawson, Faye Cobb, Amelia Cryer, Levi Daniel, Nancy Deadwyler, Peggy Denny, Greg Dobson, Gayle Duggan, Lori Driscoll, Malcolm Floyd, Becky Garcia, Daisy Garrett, Millie Gedney, Pam Goldman, Larry Goodwin, Natalie Hall, T.G. Hanner, Sherry Hooper, Glen Houghton, Lucille Houghton, Amy Hunter, Sara Karns, Doug Kolbe, Rami Kozaily, Sandra Lamb, Tom Lide, Jenna Livingston, Jennifer Loft, Jonathan Lotz, Gerald Loyless, Anne Lybrand, Doug MacCallum, Jane MacCallum, Janet MacCallum, Roberta Maddox, Bill Marks, Bobbie McCall, Jenny McCorkle, Barbara McKenzie, Deryl McKinney, Jeff Meadors, John Michels, Mozelle Moore, Derrick Murdock, Alex Olyarchuk, <i>Judy Outlaw</i>, Charlotte Parr, Jane Petrilli, Myra Phillips, Ed Reed, Elizabeth Robison, Bill Rogers, <i>Joel Satterthwaite</i>, Charles Scales III, Lori Sharp, Jeff Shelton, Carol Shirley, Ronnie Shirley, Carrie Stringer, Melanie Ann Tinnelly, John Volpe, Lysle Wiley, Elizabeth “Liz” Williams, Esther Wilson, John Woodham, Don Youatt, Jan Zimmermann</p> <p><b>Bold</b> = New     <i>Italics</i> = In Hospital</p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY</b></p> <p>SEPTEMBER 22, 2021</p> <p><i>Bible Study (12:30pm, 6:30pm)</i></p> <p>Rev. Dr. Richard Gibbons:</p> <p><i>Rediscovering Redeeming Love</i></p> <p>Classes for all ages (see calendar)</p> <p><i>Wednesday Meals (11:45am, 5:15pm)</i></p> <p>Spaghetti with Sauce, Country-style Steak</p> <p>Black-eyed Peas, Breaded Okra</p> <p>Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Carrots</p> <p>Macaroni and Cheese</p> <p>Salad, Bread, Dessert</p>		<p><b>PRAYER REQUEST LINES</b></p> <p><b>Congregational Care Director</b></p> <p><i>Tammy Burkhalter: 565.0943</i></p> <p><b>Prayer Appointments:</b> 565.0960</p> <p><b>Prayer Requests:</b> 565.0970</p>	



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*First and Foremost* Program  
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Sundays at 10:30am

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**Wednesdays | October 6–November 17**

6:15pm–7:15pm

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7-week video series led by Emily Doll,  
Christian Counselor, FPC member, wife, and mom



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- lead their children well
- celebrate victories together
- open new lines of communication

Register:

[FirstPresGreenville.org](http://FirstPresGreenville.org) (*Events, Featured Events*)

Class book:

Available in the Vineyard bookstore (\$15)

Questions?

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