

**Children
Sundays**

S@10 in the basement from 10:00 – 10:45
Nursery (ages 0-K2) is open during worship and SS! (Room 119)
Extended Session (K3 – K5) as marked in the bulletin. (Room 120)
Children's Chapel (1st – 5th grade) as marked in bulletin (Chapel)

Wednesdays

SHinE – 5:15 – 7:00 for K3 – 5th (nursery for parent participants)

**Youth
Sundays**

Sundays@10 on the 3rd floor from 10:00 – 10:45
Confirmation Class in room 206 from 10:00 – 10:45
(lunch & bowling after church)

SNY – 6-8 at the **Pinsons for a Superbowl party.**

EGGS - Thursday, Feb. 15 at 7:00 at CFA (middle schoolers)

Wednesdays (and Tuesday this week)

WEY (Wednesday Evening Youth) – **Ash Wednesday Service at 6:00**

Don't forget about the **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper & activities**

Tuesday, 2/13 at 6:00 in AH

**Winterjam
February 23
(\$15)**

4:00 carpool from FPC



Summer Mission Trip Group Missions to Elizabeth City, NC -- July 14 – 20

10 slots available for youth rising 9th through new grads.

We will have a waiting list for overflow and will try to get more slots if they come available. Registration opens January 15th – pay \$50 (on Realm or to Nan) to reserve your spot.



**Adults
Sundays**

Sundays@10 in Room 110 for Sojourners, Room 205 for FISH class

Wednesdays

Disciple Bible Study with Pastor Kyle (room 110)

Women's Small Group (room 206), Men's Small Group (room 205)

First Pres Ski Trip, March 2-3

Sugar Mountain Twilight Ski on Saturday, Overnight at Holsten Camp and Retreat Center. Price* for our youth: \$200; Price for non-youth \$300

Pay \$50 online or to Nan to reserve your spot.

*4 meals, lodging, ski rentals, and ski tix included in cost.



New group forming – beginner Adult Bells.

- For those with zero to rudimentary ringing skills.
 - Fundamentals of music reading (ability to count to 6 required)
 - Ringing skills taught (ability to grab a hammer required)
- Occasional ringing in worship. Interested?

Email me at steve@firstgreenwood.com for a speedy and enthusiastic response!

Sunday, February 11

PGS Bake Sale (Front Lobby)
9:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Chapel)
9:45 a.m. - Shine Chimes
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Confirmation Class (Room 206)

11:00 a.m. - Worship Service (Sanc)
4:00 p.m. - Festiva (Sanc)
4:30 p.m. - Youth Team (BR)
6:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir (Sanc)
6:00 p.m. - Youth (Pinson's)

Monday, February 12

10:30 a.m. - Circle #3 (HR)
4:30 p.m. - PGS (Sanc)
5:15 p.m. - Bldgs & Grnds (BR)
6:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts (HR)
6:30 p.m. - Cub Scouts (Base)
6:30 p.m. - Girl Scouts (YR)

Tuesday, February 13

9:15 a.m. - Staff Mtg
10:00 p.m. - Seekers Bible Study (BR)
12:30 p.m. - Circles #5 and 7 (AH)
5:00 p.m. - Stephen Ministry Class (BR)
5:00 p.m. - NA Board (Zoom)
5:30 p.m. - Illuminaire Choir (Choir Rm)
6:00 p.m. - Perspectives (HR)
6:00 p.m. - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner (AH)

Wednesday, February 14

SPIRE DEADLINE
7:00 a.m. - Men's Bible Study (AH)
4:30 p.m. - Stephen Ministry (BR)
6:00 p.m. - Ash Wednesday Service (AH)
7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir

Thursday, February 15

7:00 a.m. - EGGS (CFA)
10:00 a.m. - Emerald Bells
10:30 a.m. - Listening For God (BR)
11:00 a.m. - K-Group (WC)
6:30 p.m. - Boy Scouts (HR)

Friday, February 16

Saturday, February 17
9:30 a.m. - Trinity Presbytery mtg (Shandon Pres.)

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS in the sanctuary are given by Rich & Susie Goodwin to the glory of God and in loving memory of their parents, Dick & Eileen Goodwin and Lloyd & Harriet Yoh.

Our Christian prayers and sympathies are extended to the family of Carolyn Wehmann upon her passing on February 3, 2024; and to the family of Phyllis Zuehlke upon her passing on February 7, 2024. We share with them the joy of the promise of resurrection and eternal life.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE DINNER

Pancake Dinner & activities, 6:00 in AH.
Please make reservations for dinner.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

FEBRUARY 14TH:

6:00 in Alexander Hall

No Wednesday Night Dinner this week



EASTER LILIES

Easter Lily order forms are available in the front lobby. Please include your payment of \$21 each with your order form.

Nominations for *Presbyterian Women Honorary Life Member* are being accepted until Feb. 16, 2024. Nomination forms can be picked up in the church office. More information can be found in the February Spire.

Palmetto Girls Sing Bake Sale, TODAY!

Palmetto Girls Sing is hosting a Valentine Bake Sale this morning before and after worship services. Didn't bring extra \$\$\$? Consider dropping by the church lobby between 4:00 and 7:00 on Monday, February 12. All proceeds benefit the girls' June choir festival in New York City.

Yes! The youth are selling pine straw!!!

Buy your pine straw from us and the proceeds will go to a good cause – supporting our youth! Bales are \$6.50 each. We will deliver to your home. See a youth in the lobby before or after worship or call the church.

**MEN OF THE CHURCH
TACO TRUCK DINNER & FELLOWSHIP**

Friday, Feb. 23rd at 5:30

Alexander Hall, sign up in the front office with \$10 per person.

**February 11, 2024
9:00 am and 11:00 am**



THIS AFTERNOON
at 4:00 pm
Ensemble Radieuse
Pianist, Steven Graff
Oboist, Kelley Vaneman
Flautist, Chris Vaneman

Senior Pastor -- The Rev. Dr. Kyle D. Hite
Director of Christian Education -- Elise Collins
Director of Music Ministries -- Steve Skinner
Interim Youth Leaders -- Meg Stevens & Brian Pinson
Parish Associate -- The Rev. Dr. Brad Christie
Theologian in Residence -- The Rev. Dr. Cliff Cain
Music Associate/Organist -- Tim Walters
Noah's Ark Director -- Lauren Trantham

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GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND GREETING

Rev. Christie

Leader: The earth is the Lord’s and all that is in it;
People: the world, and those who live in it.

Ps. 24:1

(Please sign and pass the Member/Guest Registry. If you are a guest, your name, address, phone number, and e-mail address will be most helpful.)

PRELUDE (11:00) “The Lord is My Light” Michael Bedford
SHinE Choirs, Laura Margaret Fennell, soloist; Amy Fennell, director

ADORATION

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Psalm 86:1-5*) Rev. Christie

Leader: Incline your ear, O Lord, and answer me,
for I am impoverished and needy.

People: Preserve my life, for I am devoted to you.
Save your servant who trusts in you.

Leader: You are our God.
Be gracious to us, O Lord.

People: Gladden the soul of your servants.
For to you, O Lord, we lift up our whole being.

Leader: O Lord, you are good and forgiving,
abounding in steadfast love to all who call on you.

People: Let us worship God.

***OPENING HYMN** #263 “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!” CORONATION

CONFESSION

CALL TO CONFESSION Dr. Cain

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious, encouraging, and loving God: Your grace makes possible our faith; we thank you for that. Your encouragement makes possible our hope; we thank you for that. Your love makes possible our love; we thank you for that. Yet, our gratitude is not always made manifest in our attitudes, desires, and actions. For, too often, we think that “we” are all that matters; that what we want we ought to get (and right away!); that we need to be “number one” to think well of ourselves; that you always work through only “the very best and brightest.” So, we pray for your forgiveness and your help—to do the right thing, to enrich our poverty within, to set the full measure of our gifts for the benefit of others, to think of ourselves in good, modest, and healthy ways, and to shine forth the light of your love into a world that is too full of meanness, violence, and hate. We pray that somehow through us your will might be done on earth, and we, and our children, and our children’s children, will live our days with justice and in peace. In Christ’s name we pray, AMEN.

SILENT CONFESSION

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends in Christ, we are forgiven.
People: Thanks be to God!

ASSURANCE OF PARDON
(9:00) #163 “Wild and Lone the Prophet’s Voice” ABERYSTWYTH
Stanza 1

(11:00) “Prince of Peace”
SHinE Choirs, Charlie Fennell, guitar

GIVING of TITHES and OFFERINGS

Call to Offering Rev. Christie
Offertory (9:00) Tim Walters

(11:00) “Jubilate Deo” (Psalm 100) Dale Wood

***Doxology** OLD HUNDREDTH

***Prayer of Dedication**

TIME WITH CHILDREN (11:00) Beth Justesen

PROCLAMATION

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 1:4-8 Dr. Cliff Cain
Exodus 17:8-13

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

Musical Meditation

SERMON “A Volkswagen, Not A Toyota”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*The Apostles’ Creed*) Rev. Christie

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN** ** #630 “Fairest Lord Jesus” CRUSADERS’ HYMN

***CHARGE AND BLESSING** Dr. Cain

***POSTLUDE**

AIDS FOR WORSHIP - Large print hymnals and wireless hearing devices (instructions are in the pew racks) are available in the narthex.

*Congregation stands

**Late comers may be seated