

Ministry News

Activities Ministry

VISIT THE HOLY LAND WITH DR. GIBBONS SEPTEMBER 11-20, 2022

Three spaces remain for an unforgettable visit to Israel. Our trip includes Bethlehem, Masada, the Dead Sea, and a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. Follow the footsteps of Jesus through the sights and sounds of ancient Jerusalem, experience the Garden of Gethsemane, and worship at the Garden Tomb. Your understanding of the life and ministry of Christ will change forever as the Bible comes alive.

Our Christian guide, George Maskubi, owner of Biblical Journeys, has led us in the past, and we are delighted to again have his expertise and experience for our exploration of the Holy Land. Register at Biblical-journeys.com/0922graham. Total cost is \$4260 (may increase after June 13). Brochures and registration forms are also available at the front desk.

Audio-Video-Lighting Ministry, Evan Tripp

AVL VOLUNTEER DAY THIS SUNDAY, 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 NEED YOU!

Would you like to be a part of an exciting week for the children? Vacation Bible School and Day Missions are only two weeks away: **Monday–Thursday, June 27-30**, 9:00am–12:00noon. For VBS we need more crew leaders (to take the children from one activity to another around the campus). Day Missions needs drivers/chaperones to take children to serve at various locations in Greenville. No advance preparation is needed—just a heart for the Lord and children. Sign up this week at FirstPresGreenville.org (Featured Events tab, CHILDREN section).

Questions? **VBS:** Evelyn Penkert, epenkert@firstpresgreenville.org. **Day Missions:** Karen King, kking@firstpresgreenville.org.

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.

College Ministry, Charlie Buchanan

SUMMER NIGHTS FOR COLLEGE-AGE

JUNE 14, 28 • JULY 12, 26 • AUGUST 9 • 7:00pm
Join the college ministry as we walk through the book of Ephesians this summer and apply the gospel to our lives. We'll meet on **Tuesdays, June 14, June 28, July 12, July 26, and August 9**, 7:00–8:30pm at Rick and Joy Sturgis's home (209 Wilmington Road 29615). Dinner will be provided. Contact Charlie Buchanan with questions (cbuchanan@firstpresgreenville.org).

Events Ministry, Chelsea Fraser

ANDREW PETERSON IN CONCERT THIS WEEK

Tickets are going fast! This week's concert on **Friday, June 17**, at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary is sure to bless you, your family, and your friends. Andrew Peterson's songs display his experience of life as a child of God in a broken world. His music will touch your heart and lift your eyes to our God who is "Always Good" and who is indeed worthy to receive all blessing and honor and power and glory!

We still need help! We need about 20 more volunteers who are willing to help greet and secure our building. Email Chelsea Fraser, cfraser@firstpresgreenville.org, to sign up.

First Presbyterian Academy, Tom Roe

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.

Life Connections, Claire Ripley

HISTORY & ARCHITECTURE TOUR OF FIRST PRES DATE CHANGE: FRIDAY, JUNE 10

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 **Friday, June 10**, 3:00–4:30pm, begins in the reception area. RSVP to Charlotte Joye (cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org).

NEW MEMBER WEEKEND JUNE 24, 25, 26

Are you interested in making First Presbyterian your church home? We invite you to attend our next *New Member Weekend* **Friday-Sunday, June 24-26**. Come discover more about the vision, discipleship, and outreach of FPC! Childcare is available for children age 5 and under. For details, contact Linda Sholtis (lsholtis@firstpresgreenville.org) or Rev. Dr. Claire Ripley (cripley@firstpresgreenville.org). Register at FirstPresGreenville.org (Events tab).

RE|ENGAGE MARRIAGE MINISTRY THIS FALL

re|engage, a 15-week marriage enrichment ministry designed to equip and disciple couples in their walk with Christ, teaches couples how to apply biblical principles to their marriage. This fall **re|engage** will be offered on **Wednesday evenings**, in person or Zoom, or on **Sunday evenings**, in person only. The joint kick-off will be held **Sunday, August 14**, at 9:00am in Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$55 per couple. Children's programming (birth–5th grade) is available on Wednesday evenings only. To find out more, view the FPC **re|engage** video at FirstPresGreenville.org/ministries/adult-ministries/marriage-and-family. Registration coming soon!

Men's Ministry, Charlie Buchanan

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 **June 16** for the second of Johnny Price's four-session series entitled "We're All Getting Older and We're All Going to Die." RSVP for lunch (\$8) to Charlotte Joye, cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org.

Student Ministry, Mason Simmons

ROOTS DOWNTOWN FOR JUNIOR HIGHS

JULY 13 • JULY 28 • NOON

Junior High students are invited downtown this summer for lunch and fellowship on **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 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 29; July 13, 27; and August 10**. Food will be provided. Contact Autumn Clark for details (aclark@firstpresgreenville.org).

Announcements

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2022 GRADUATES!

Congratulations to our graduates of High School, College, Graduate School, and Seminary! Pick up a graduate list from the church literature racks or view online at FirstPresGreenville.org.



SANCTUARY FLOWERS

If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of a loved one on **Sunday, June 19 or 26 or July 3 or 10**, call Linda Sholtis at 235.0496.

Member News

SYMPATHY

The pastors and congregation express sympathy to **Mrs. Marie Comer and family** in the death of her grandson, SGT Aaron Joseph Pierce of Fayetteville, NC, on May 31.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kittredge (Lila) in the death of her mother, Lila Murray Fairey of Greenville, on May 31; to Mr. and Mrs. Will Kittredge (Maggie) in the death of his grandmother; to Mr. and Mrs. Zay Kittredge (Jennifer) in the death of his grandmother; and to Elwyn Kittredge and Amarillys Marian Kittredge in the death of their great-grandmother.

Memorials & Honors

CHURCH MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of

William Boswell Jr. by Mr. Charles M. Timmons Jr.
Henry Faris Jr. by Vicki and Charles Wood; Deborah Finkelstein

MUSIC MINISTRY FUND

In memory of

George Auld by the Agape-Fellowship Class
Neill Perrin by the Agape-Fellowship Class
ArchAnna Steadham by the Agape-Fellowship Class

TRANSFORMING THE HEART OF THE CITY FUND

In memory of

William Boswell Jr. by Peggy and Craig Carver
Jean Hoffman by Cher and Pete Hoskins; Vicki and Charles Wood; Julia Pace
Ronnie Milligan Sr. by Charles and Marcie Radcliffe

Calendar for the Week

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

Pastor of the Day: Claire Ripley (423.2064)

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)

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

10:00am • Women: Lemonade & Learning
(Fellowship Hall)

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

- Boy Scout Troop 11 (Scout Hut)
- College Summer Nights (Off campus)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

11:45pm • Lunch (Fellowship Hall)

12:30pm • Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

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

12:00pm • Christian Men's Fellowship: Johnny Price
(Formal Dining Room)

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

7:00pm • Andrew Peterson Concert (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY, JUNE 18

Pastor of the Day: Charlie Buchanan (561.6346)

Sunday Worship

SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022

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

Series: "ENCORE: ACTS FOR 2022"

Acts 16:1-5

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

Live Streaming

Sunday Traditional Worship

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

Live Streaming:

Facebook page:

[Facebook.com/firstpresgreenville](https://www.facebook.com/firstpresgreenville)

FPC YouTube channel: [YouTube.com/FirstPresbyterianChurchofGreenville](https://www.youtube.com/FirstPresbyterianChurchofGreenville)

[FirstPresgreenville.org/media/livestream](https://www.firstpresgreenville.org/media/livestream)

Sunday IGNITE Modern Worship

10:45am–11:55am • Fellowship Hall

Live Streaming:

Ignite Facebook page:

[Facebook.com/FirstPresIgnite/](https://www.facebook.com/FirstPresIgnite/)

Ignite YouTube channel: [YouTube.com/FirstPresIgniteWorship](https://www.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).

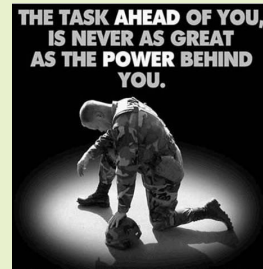
PRAYER REQUEST LINES

Congregational Care Director

Tammy Burkhalter: 565.0943

Prayer Appointments: 565.0960

Prayer Requests: 565.0970



MILITARY MINISTRY & PRAYER
[FirstPresGreenville.org/care/military](https://www.firstpresgreenville.org/care/military)

Bill Anthony, Doane August, **Betty Bennett**, Susan Bennett, **Gayle Boland**, Jane Brennecke, Tom Brissey, Bryan Buchanan, John Burnett Jr., Michael Chalmers, Joy Clawson, Stephanie Cox, Ryan Crais, Phyllis Crist, Levi Daniel, Nancy Deadwyler, **Judy DePriester**, Franky Dillard, Gayle Duggan, Kenzie Etheridge, 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, **Isaac Smith**, Bill Stover, Carrie Stringer, Bill Sturgis, Trey Suggs, Melanie Ann Tinnelly, Charlotte Utter, John Volpe, Don Waters, **Nixine Waters**, Lysle Wiley, Brenda Williams, Elizabeth "Liz" Williams, Esther Wilson, Don Youatt, Jan Zimmermann

Bold = New *Italics* = In Hospital

WEDNESDAY

JUNE 15, 2022

Luncheon Bible Study (12:30pm)

Rev. Dr. Claire Ripley
"Perseverance of the Saints"

Wednesday Lunch (11:45am)
Chef's Choice

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

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TELEVISION

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

ONLINE GIVING



June 12–18, 2022

WHAT'S INSIDE

Lemonade & Learning
June 14

DATE CHANGE:

History & Architecture Tour of First Pres June 10

Summer Nights for College begin June 14

Andrew Peterson Concert
June 17

Serve in VBS and Summer Camps
June 27-30

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

Lemonade & Learning Summer Refreshment for Women



Second Tuesday mornings ☼ 10:00am in Fellowship Hall

June 14 ☼ Rev. Dr. Claire Ripley
"May the God of Hope" ☼ Romans 15:13

July 12 ☼ Leah Cloud
"Sacrifice of Praise" ☼ Hebrews 13:15-16

August 9 ☼ Chrystie Cole
author of *A Woman's Words*

Join us!

Childcare
(0-5 years)
available by RSVP
to Evelyn Penkert
565.0963



Questions? Charlotte Joye ☼ cjoye@firstpresgreenville.org ☼ 565.0956

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