

# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Greer, South Carolina

11:00 a.m. Worship



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**Prayer for Illumination**

John Calvin (1509-1564)

**O Lord, heavenly Father, in whom is the fullness of light and wisdom, enlighten our minds by your Holy Spirit, and give us grace to receive your Word with reverence and humility, without which no one can understand your truth. For Christ's sake. Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading** Psalm 124 Pew Bible, pg. 498

**New Testament Reading** Romans 3:19-28 Pew Bible, pg. 915

**Sermon** "Reformed by the Grace of God" Reverend Shelburne

**\*Affirmation of Faith** Reformation Sunday Litany  
See Insert

**All Saints Remembrance**

June Johns John McWilliams  
Delores Whittington Ed Williams

**Prayers of the People**

**Offering**

**Offertory** *For All the Saints* arr. Krapf

**\*Response No. 624** *I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art* TOULON

Thou art the life, by which alone we live, and all our substance and our strength receive;  
sustain us by thy faith and by thy power, and give us strength in every trying hour.

**\*Prayer of Dedication and the Lord's Prayer**

**\*Hymn No. 326** *For All the Saints* SINE NOMINE

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Response No. 275** *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* EIN' FESTE BURG

That word above all earthly powers, no thanks to them, abideth.  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours through him who with us sideth.  
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also.  
The body they may kill; God's truth abideth still. His kingdom is forever.

**\*Postlude** *Scotland the Brave*

\* Those who are able may stand.

**Welcome to worship on this Reformation Sunday.** Please record your presence today by signing the fellowship pads located in each pew. If worshipping online, please share your presence by emailing Lisa Johnson at [lisaj@fpcgreer.org](mailto:lisaj@fpcgreer.org) or by completing the online attendance form on our website, [www.fpcgreer.org/online-attendance](http://www.fpcgreer.org/online-attendance).

**The Flowers** in the sanctuary today are given by First Presbyterian Church in gratitude for our pastors Rev. Will Shelburne and Rev. Ally Pexa, as well as the retired clergy in our congregation who help support the life and ministry of this church.

**Thank you to** Andrew Greer, bagpipes; Amy Couch, piano, for sharing their musical gifts in worship today.

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**Last call for Basketball Registration.** To register, visit [www.fpcgreer.org/basketball](http://www.fpcgreer.org/basketball) or click the basketball graphic on our website.

**Veterans Day** is November 11. During worship on November 12, we will acknowledge and recognize with great appreciation the service and sacrifice of our veterans and their families. If you have not previously provided us your name, please contact Lisa Johnson at [lisaj@fpcgreer.org](mailto:lisaj@fpcgreer.org) to be added to the list of those who have served our country.

**Our annual Fall Festival** is today Sunday, October 29 at 5:30 p.m. Join us for dinner, bounce house, games, pumpkin decorating, and a cakewalk. All ages are invited to join in the fun and costumes are encouraged! Cost is \$7.00 per person or \$25.00 max per family.

**Young Ladies' Ensemble** All girls third grade to twelfth grade are invited to sing with this group for Christmas. Rehearsals are November 5 and 19 as well as December 3 from 9:45-10 a.m. in the choir room. We will sing for Joygift on December 10 at 6:30 p.m.

**Joyful Noise Ringers will rehearse** November 5, 12, and 19 from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. and will play for worship on December 3. This beginner to intermediate handbell choir will play Christmas music this session. Please contact Lisa Dillard by today if you are interested.

**Helpers needed** after worship today to move bell equipment to the fellowship hall. Please meet in room 204 in the youth wing.

**The Monthly Men's Breakfast** will move to the 2nd Wednesday of each month in November. The next breakfast will be on November 8 at 8:00 a.m. Reach out to Cal Cannon with questions.

**A friendly reminder!** Infants and children up to age 6 are welcome in the nursery or in worship at any time. Children up to 1st grade who attend worship are welcome to go to the nursery following the invitation to children. We ask that older children remain in worship.

**Please note we have several methods available to receive your tithes and offerings.** You may place your offering in the plate, mail a check to the church office, text give to 18649993612, give on our website, or scan the QR code.

