

The Church Gathers for Worship

October 25, 2026 at 9:35 AM

Order of Worship

The Prelude..... Musicians
The Prayer For The Sick.....Dea. Jimmy Cecil
Dea. Eugene Williams

Praise & Adoration:
The Call to Worship..... Min. MacArthur Black
The Invocation....., Min. MacArthur Black
The Prayer Response.. “The Lord’s Prayer”
The Hymn of Praise.....” *Blessed Assurance*”..... Choir/Congregation
The Scripture in Response.....*James 5:13-20*..... Min. MacArthur Black
The Greetings Min. MacArthur Black
The Musical Selection Men of Praise Choir

Thanksgiving
The Offertory Prayer & Period of Giving Pastor Simmons
The Pastoral Reflections..... Pastor Simmons

Hearing from God
The Musical Selection Men of Praise Choir
The Spoken Word..... ”*Let Us Pray Part #2*”..... Pastor Simmons
The Call to Discipleship.. Pastor Simmons
The Hymn of Invitation “*I Surrender All*”
The Altar Call & Prayer..... Min. Anna B. Cecil
The Hymn of Benediction “*Let The Church Say Amen*”
The Benediction Pastor Simmons

HYMN OF INVITATION

“I Surrender All”

Verse 1

*All to Jesus I surrender, All to Him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust Him, In His presence daily live.*

Refrain:

*I surrender all, I surrender all;
All to Thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.*

Verse 2

*All to Jesus I surrender, Make me, Savior, wholly Thine;
Let me feel Thy Holy Spirit, Truly know that Thou art mine. [Refrain]*

Verse 3

*All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to Thee;
Fill me with Thy love and power, Let Thy blessing fall on me. [Refrain]*



ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMINDER!
Don’t forget to sign the Attendance Card located on the clipboard on your pew.

Attention Parents & Students! Student Recognition Sunday is November 8, 2026. Students will be recognized for their grades in: Math • English • Science • Social Studies. Submit report cards to the Administrative Assistant. DEADLINE: Monday, November 2 at 12:00 PM. Questions? Contact Thaya Posley, 864-420-1343. Let’s celebrate our students for their hard work and academic achievements!

Early Voting for 2026 Statewide General Election is now through Saturday, October 31 from 8:30 a.m.- 6:00 p.m. (Monday-Saturday) Closed Sunday, October 25, 2026 at the following locations:

- McAlister Square, 225 S. Pleasantburg Drive, Greenville, SC 29607 (Back Entrance).
- Mt. Pleasant Community Center, 710 S. Fairfield Road Greenville, SC 29605
- Praise Cathedral (Family Life Center), 3375 Brushy Creek Road Greer, SC 29650
- Cedar Grove Missionary Baptist Church (Gym), 206 Moore Street Simpsonville, SC 29681
- Greenville Tech NW Campus, 8109 Whitehorse Rd Greenville, SC 29617
- City of Greenville Public Works, 475 Fairforest Way Greenville, SC 29607
- Greenville County Library Five Forks Branch, 104 Sunnysdale Drive Simpsonville, SC 29681

When voting, check your printed ballot. Pollsters should not mark anything on your ballot. If so, request another.



The PRISMA Mobile Unit will be at Reedy Fork Baptist Church on Thursday, October 29, 2026 from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM.

The North Enoree Baptist Association and Reedy River Baptist Association invite you to National and World Day of Prayer Saturday, November 7, 2026 at 11:00 AM at Cedar Grove Baptist Church 206 Moore Street , Simpsonville, SC 29681.

Reedy Fork family! ETO Endowment Fund, Inc., is pleased to invite you to support the 2026 Cotillion, a signature fundraising event benefiting the Fund’s mission to provide scholarships and support charitable initiatives that strengthen our community. Our very own Jordan Thomas will be a debutante this year. The event will be held on Saturday, December 19 at 7:00 pm. Tickets to attend are \$50. To purchase a ticket, or to make a donation of any amount toward Jordan’s fundraising efforts, please see Bro Avery & Sis. Keesha Thomas or Dr. Matrisa Bennett. Make checks payable to ETO Endowment Fund, Inc. or donate via Zelle. The sponsorship deadline is November 1st. Thanks for your support!

VFW Post 6734 is sponsoring several scholarships. The VFW Patriot's Pen Written essay competition is for students in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. For the entry form & details go to <https://bit.ly/4bixjJC>.
The Voice of Democracy audio essay competition is for students in the 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grades. For the entry form & details go to <https://bit.ly/3Ph3j8s>.
The deadline for Patriot Pen and Voice of Democracy competitions is October 31, 2026. You must register online.
The Scout award is open to boys and girls. Deadline is March 1, 2027.
The Smart/Maher VFW national Citizenship Teacher Award is open to certified teachers in all grades. Deadline is October 31, 2026.

RFBC WEEK AT A GLANCE: OCTOBER 25 TH , 2026 – OCTOBER 31 ST , 2026			
TIME		MINISTRY	LOCATION
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25 TH			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Gary/Renee Cook	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:30 AM		Sunday Morning Worship	FLC,RFBC App, & Facebook Livestream
MONDAY, OCTOBER 26 TH			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Jimmy/Anna Cecil	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM		Church Office Hours	
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM		Janice Alford – Grief Counseling	Community Office
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM		After School Initiatives	FLC
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27 TH			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Casper/Yvonne Posley	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM		Church Office Hours	
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM		After School Initiatives	FLC
6:30 PM		Voices of Faith Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room #205
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28 TH			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Anthony & Daisy Hill	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM		Church Office Hours	Administrative Building
10:05 AM		AM Bible Study (In-Person)	Choir Room #205
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM		After School Initiative	FLC
7:05 PM		PM Bible Study (In-Person)	Choir Room #205
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29 TH			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Lonnie/Glenda Hawthorne	267-807-9605, 769-622
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM		Church Office Hours	Administrative Building
3:00 PM – 5:30 PM		After School Initiative	FLC
6:30 PM		Voices of Faith Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30 TH (OFFICE CLOSED)			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Eugene/Selina Williams	267-807-9605, 769-622
3:00 – 5:30 PM		After School Initiative	FLC
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31 ST			
6:33 AM Intercessory Prayer Line		Barbara Hill	267-807-9605, 769-622
11:00 AM		Angels of Hope Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
HOSPITAL/CONVALESCENT CENTER			
SIS. MARY DENNIS SIS. MARY GARRETT SIS. WINNIE TUBBS		N.H.C. MAULDIN, 850 E. BUTLER RD. GREENVILLE, SC 29607 WINDSOR HOUSE, 1931 PELHAM RD. GREENVILLE, SC 29615 BROOKSTONE TERRACE CHANTICLEER, 355 BERKMAN LN GREENVILLE SC	
PRAY FOR SICK AND SHUT IN			
Tawanna Burke-Lewis Bobby Chapman Dea.Cleveland Beaufort Brittany Copeland Ray Dennis Lonnie Epps Dorlee Evans	Teresa Evans Mary Evans Doris Grady Kimberly Grady Barbara Harris Joe G. Hawthorne Tamica Hawthorne Wayne Henderson	Willie R. Lewers Jennifer McKinney Mattie McKinney Aimee Nava Elizabeth Robertson Melvina Robertson Connie Robinson	Kenneth Robinson Michael Robinson Vanessa Robinson Joyce Shockley Maude Stevens Albert Sweeney Jessie Thomason

If you or a member of your family are sick, in the hospital or has passed away, please notify the church ASAP. (864-234-3495 Ext. 0 – Admin Asst or Ext. 1 – Pastor Simmons or your deacon.)

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader:

Come to us, O God.

Congregation:

Breathe through our worship with your Holy Spirit.

Leader:

Fill us with your faithful love.

Congregation:

Guide us with your ancient teachings.

Leader:

Come to us, O God.

All:

Be in our prayer and praise.

THE SCRIPTURE IN RESPONSE:

JAMES 5:13-20 (v.14-16) (NIV)

Leader:

¹³Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise.

Congregation:

¹⁴Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord.

Leader:

¹⁵And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven.

Congregation:

¹⁶Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

Leader:

¹⁷Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years.

Congregation:

¹⁸Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.

Leader:

¹⁹My brothers and sisters, if one of you should wander from the truth and someone should bring that person back,

All:

²⁰remember this: Whoever turns a sinner from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of sins.

LET US PRAY

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9:35 AM In-Person Worship

Enter to Worship

Depart to Serve

“Let Us Pray #2”

James 5:13-20 (v. 14-16) (NIV)

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Our Mission

This church seeks to glorify God by **Reaching** people for Christ; providing **Teaching** opportunities for them to grow in Christ. **Ministering** to the needs of the congregation, community, and the world; devoted to enjoying **Fellowship** of one another, and continually **Worshipping** together.

REACHING

TEACHING

SERVING

FELLOWSHIP

WORSHIPPING

Our Vision

“Reaching The Unchurched For Christ”

Come walk with us; we will do thee good!