

# Fellowship Presbyterian Church

## Lord's Day Worship

May 11, 2008

*A wise man once said that worship is a time when we joyfully "enter into the very suburbs of heaven!" As we gather on this sacred day of the week, consider Christ, who laid aside all that was His in glory so that He might dwell among us. Meditate upon His compassion, condescending to save us; upon His power, breaking sin's hold on us. Motivated by these great truths, come before Him now joyously and energetically, each one an active participant in the praise and adoration of our risen King!*

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Marty Martin

### Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1-5

*Shout joyfully to the LORD, all the earth.*

*Serve the LORD with gladness;*

*Come before Him with joyful singing.*

*Know that the LORD Himself is God;*

*It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves;*

*We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.*

*Enter His gates with thanksgiving*

*And His courts with praise.*

*Give thanks to Him, bless His name.*

*For the LORD is good;*

*His lovingkindness is everlasting*

*And His faithfulness to all generations.*

### § Psalm

No. 65

*Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne*

### § Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

#### Corporate Confession of Sin

**Lord God, eternal and almighty Father, we confess that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in iniquity and corruption, prone to do evil, incapable of any good, that we transgress Your holy commandments without end or ceasing and deserve Your righteous judgment, our ruin and perdition. Lord, we are grieved that we have offended You; and we condemn ourselves and our sins with true repentance, pleading Your grace to relieve our distress. O God and Father most gracious and full of compassion, have mercy upon us in the name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. And as You blot out our sins and stains, magnify and increase in us daily the grace of Your Holy Spirit: that as we acknowledge our unrighteousness with all our heart, we may be moved by that sorrow which will bring forth true repentance in us, mortifying all our sins, and producing in us the fruits of righteousness which are pleasing to You; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

#### Assurance of Pardon

Colossians 2:13-15

*When you were dead in your transgressions and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He made you alive together with Him, having forgiven us all our transgressions, having canceled out the certificate of debt consisting of decrees against us, which was hostile to us; and He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross. When He had disarmed the rulers and authorities, He made a public display of them, having triumphed over them through Him.*

### § Doxology

No. 733

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise Him, all creatures here below: alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

### § Worship Through Tithes and Offerings

#### Prayer of Intercession and Supplication

### § Hymn of Preparation

No. 168

*I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art*

#### Reading of Scripture

Pew Bible page 1139

Romans 16:1-16

<sup>1</sup>I commend to you our sister Phoebe, who is a servant of the church which is at Cenchrea;

<sup>2</sup>that you receive her in the Lord in a manner worthy of the saints, and that you help her in whatever matter she may have need of you; for she herself has also been a helper of many, and of myself as well.

<sup>3</sup>Greet Prisca and Aquila, my fellow workers in Christ Jesus,

<sup>4</sup>who for my life risked their own necks, to whom not only do I give thanks, but also all the churches of the Gentiles;

<sup>5</sup>also greet the church that is in their house. Greet Epänetus, my beloved, who is the first convert to Christ from Asia.

<sup>6</sup>Greet Mary, who has worked hard for you.

<sup>7</sup>Greet Andronicus and Junias, my kinsmen and my fellow prisoners, who are outstanding among the apostles, who also were in Christ before me.

<sup>8</sup>Greet Ampliatus, my beloved in the Lord.

<sup>9</sup>Greet Urbanus, our fellow worker in Christ, and Stachys my beloved.

<sup>10</sup>Greet Apelles, the approved in Christ. Greet those who are of the household of Aristobulus.

<sup>11</sup>Greet Herodion, my kinsman. Greet those of the household of Narcissus, who are in the Lord.

<sup>12</sup>Greet Tryphaena and Tryphosa, workers in the Lord. Greet Persis the beloved, who has worked hard in the Lord.

<sup>13</sup>Greet Rufus, a choice man in the Lord, also his mother and mine.

<sup>14</sup>Greet Asyncritus, Phlegon, Hermes, Patrobas, Hermas and the brethren with them.

<sup>15</sup>Greet Philologus and Julia, Nereus and his sister, and Olympas, and all the saints who are with them.

<sup>16</sup>Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the churches of Christ greet you.

#### Proclamation of God's Word

Pastor Martin

Greetings

### § Hymn

No. 358

*For All the Saints*

### § Benediction

Pastor Martin

### § Corporate "Amen"

## Evening Worship

### Call to Worship

Psalm 144:1-4

*O LORD, I call upon You; hasten to me!*

*Give ear to my voice when I call to You!*

*May my prayer be counted as incense before You;*

*The lifting up of my hands as the evening offering.*

*Set a guard, O LORD, over my mouth;*

*Keep watch over the door of my lips.*

*Do not incline my heart to any evil thing,*

*To practice deeds of wickedness*

*With men who do iniquity;*

*And do not let me eat of their delicacies.*

### § Hymn

No. 34

*The God of Abraham Praise*

### § Prayer of Praise and Invocation

#### New Testament Reading

Pew Bible page 1103

Acts 12:18-25

<sup>18</sup>Now when day came, there was no small disturbance among the soldiers as to what could have become of Peter.

<sup>19</sup>When Herod had searched for him and had not found him, he examined the guards and ordered that they be led away to execution. Then he went down from Judea to Caesarea and was spending time there.

<sup>20</sup>Now he was very angry with the people of Tyre and Sidon; and with one accord they came to him, and having won over Blastus the king's chamberlain, they were asking for peace, because their country was fed by the king's country.

<sup>21</sup>On an appointed day Herod, having put on his royal apparel, took his seat on the rostrum and began delivering an address to them.

<sup>22</sup>The people kept crying out, "The voice of a god and not of a man!"

<sup>23</sup>And immediately an angel of the Lord struck him because he did not give God the glory, and he was eaten by worms and died.

<sup>24</sup>But the word of the Lord continued to grow and to be multiplied.

<sup>25</sup>And Barnabas and Saul returned from Jerusalem when they had fulfilled their mission, taking along with them John, who was also called Mark.

### § Hymn

No. 441

*Jesus Shall Reign*

#### Prayer of Confession, Petition and Intercession

### § Hymn

No. 654

*O Jesus, I Have Promised*

#### Scripture Reading

Pew Bible pages 508-509

Nehemiah 13:1-14

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#### Proclamation of God's Word

Pastor Martin

*Our Service of Worship*

### § Hymn

No 584

*Go, Labor On*

### § Benediction

Pastor Martin

§ *The congregation will please stand.*

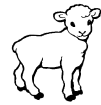
## WELCOME!

If you are visiting Fellowship Presbyterian Church for the first time, we welcome you as you worship with us. Please help us get to know one another by signing the Pew Registry as it is passed. We invite you to return to our evening worship at 6:00 PM. A nursery is provided for all services for children from birth through three years of age.

### SERVICES AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

**Sunday:**  
10:00 AM: Sunday School  
11:00 AM: Morning Worship  
6:00 PM: Evening Worship

**Wednesday:**  
5:30 PM: Catered Supper  
6:00 PM: Choir Rehearsal  
6:40 PM: Prayer Service (adults)  
6:40 PM: Catechism (children)



**“Whoever welcomes one of these little children in My name welcomes Me.”**

We appreciate those assisting in the nursery:

#### Nursery Workers for Sunday, May 11, 2008:

Sunday School: Barbara Wilder  
Morning Worship: Jeremy & Susana Skoog, Margaret Stannard  
Evening Worship: Bill & Barbara Wilder

#### Nursery Workers for Sunday, May 18, 2008:

Sunday School: Barbara Wilder  
Morning Worship: John & Kathy Way, Dolly Thorn  
Evening Worship: Andy & Sara Wortman

### SERVING IN MAY:

Elder of the Month: Dave Lesley (877-5102)  
Deacon of the Month: Bill Wilder (848-6434)  
Greeters of the Month: Carolyn Root & Margaret Stannard  
Ushers: Troy High & Bill Wilder.

## Fellowship Presbyterian Church

### The Session:

Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin

### Ruling Elders:

Ron Hughey, Dave Lesley, Lafoye Mooney, Larry Poole & Jeff Wayne, Sr.

### The Diaconate:

Deacons: Bill Wilder & Sam Stubbs

### Church Intern:

Emilio Garofalo

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### PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER OUR MISSIONARIES IN PRAYER:

Rev. & Mrs. Jack Campbell: RMI (Clemson) Rev. & Mrs. Guillermo Salinas: Mexico  
Rev. & Mrs. Clayton Quarterman: Ukraine Rev. & Mrs. James Buckner: Hong Kong  
Dr. & Mrs. Roger Smalling: Visión R.E.A.L. Rev. & Mrs. Will Traub: Germany  
Rev. & Mrs. Francisco Cardoso: Brazil Rev. & Mrs. Gary Watanabe: New York City  
Mr. & Mrs. William Weidlich: Wycliffe Translator

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS:

**Pew Registry:** Please help us get to know one another by signing the pew registry (located at the end of each aisle). Thank you!

### Wednesday Schedule & Supper Sign-up:

5:30-6:30 PM: Supper\* (catered meal: \$3.50/adult; \$2.50/child; \$10 max/family)



\*Please indicate on the **Pew Registry** the number of adults & children attending this week's supper; the menu is: make your own taco salad, tea & cheese cake w/ cherries.

6:00 PM: Choir Rehearsal 🎵

6:40 PM: Devotional & Prayer Time (adults); Catechism (children)

Catechism teachers for this Wednesday: Jeff & Susan Wayne, John Way;  
Supper clean-up: Marty & Celanie Martin

**Nursery Help Needed:** If you are not currently on the nursery rotation, please contact the church office (office@fellowshippres.org or 877-3267) or Kathy Way (inmanways@yahoo.com or 864-814-1908). Thank you!!



### Sunday Evening Picnic Supper: May 18<sup>th</sup> (in honor of our graduates!)

Plan to join us Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup> (following evening worship),  
for a picnic supper in honor of our graduates.

**Menu: Sandwiches, chips, lemonade & desserts**

Please sign-up to bring a tray of sandwiches or your favorite dessert;  
sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

Presbyterian Theological Seminary invites you to attend their  
**18<sup>th</sup> Commencement Service on Friday, May 16, 2008, at 7:00 P.M.;**  
reception following. See bulletin board for details.



### Movie Event—May 24<sup>th</sup>: **Prince Caspian**

**Saturday afternoon, May 24<sup>th</sup>—Movie Event: The Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian**  
All are invited (including friends & neighbors!) to meet at Hollywood 20 Movie Theatre (on Woodruff Road in Greenville) to see The Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian, after the movie, the group will have pizza and discuss the latest Narnia installment. **Movie tickets are at your expense, pizza will be provided (sign-up required).** Specific show time and location for pizza TBA.

**Sign-up sheet is in the narthex.**

Questions? Contact Emilio Garofalo (292-9772 or emiliogneto@yahoo.com.br).

**FROM THE DIACONATE:** for everyone's safety and the security of our facilities, please keep all exterior classroom doors shut/locked at all times (except in case of an emergency), enter/exit the building through the front or side doors only, and please **do not prop open/block the side door.**  
~Thank you for your cooperation.

### Ladies' Tuesday Morning Bible Study: Shepherding a Child's Heart Begins Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>



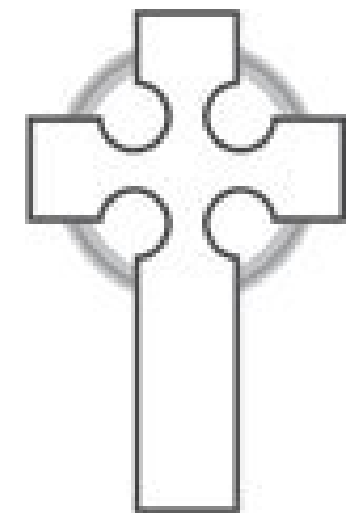
(9:30—11:30 AM, at the church; nursery provided)

**Sign-up sheet is in the narthex.**

**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP & PRAYER BREAKFAST:**  
Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00—9:00 AM; sign-up sheet in narthex.

# Fellowship Presbyterian Church Presbyterian Church in America

May 11, 2008



Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ  
and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.  
II Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20