

FIRST (SCOTS) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

53 Meeting Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401

Organized 1731

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 19, 2024 AT 10 A.M.



THE REV. DR. L. HOLTON SIEGLING, JR.
SENIOR PASTOR

THE REV. DR. JAMES T. ROGERS
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THE REV. DR. DANIEL W. MASSIE
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COMMISSIONED LAY PASTOR

Serving God in Charleston and the world

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10 A.M. SERVICE

THE VISION OF GOD

PRELUDE

Chorale Variations on "Veni Creator Spiritus"
(Theme, Variations 1-3)

Maurice Durufle

(May the beginning of the prelude serve as a call to silent meditation and prayer.)

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr.

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Stephen Ministry

Vicki Roberts

†PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHORAL INTROIT

"I Will Fill This House With Glory"
Kirk Choir

Eric Thiman

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Mary Robinson

One: Thus says the Lord, "I will pour out my spirit on all flesh."

All: Come, Holy Spirit, Thou art welcome in this place!

One: "Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions."

All: With joyful hearts, O Lord, we celebrate your redemptive work in the world!

One: "Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

All: Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty!

†PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

Hymn No. 482

PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

CALL TO CONFESSION (A pause for silent confession follows.)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Almighty and Everlasting God, may the power of your Holy Spirit ignite our souls. Remind us of how far we have come and how far we still have to go. Forgive us, O Lord, when we allow our fear and self-interest to hold us back from serving others as you have served us. Purify our spirits and inspire within us a desire to be your hands and feet in the world. Help us spread love and compassion wherever we go; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

†GLORIA PATRI

"Glory be to the Father"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

†CHILDREN'S HYMN

"Spirit of the Living God"

Hymn No. 322

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

THE WORD OF GOD

THE TIME FOR CHILDREN

THE TIME FOR TEENS

(Children through 5 years old are dismissed to the Massie Building for Children's Church.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Brad Morrison

THE WORD READ

Old Testament: Genesis 11:1-9

(pew Bible, page 8)

New Testament: Acts 2:1-21

(pew Bible, page 885)

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

“EMPOWERED FOR SERVICE”

The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr.

THE RESPONSE TO THE WORD

†**THE APOSTLES' CREED** (unison)

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.

†**HYMN OF REFLECTION**

“Spirit”

Hymn No. 319

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

The Rev. Dr. James T. Rogers

(We celebrate that some people choose to give electronically or by texting FIRSTSCOTS to 73256.)

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“If Ye Love Me”

Thomas Tallis

†**DOXOLOGY**

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Hymn No. 592

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all the creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THE WORD ENACTED

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Prayer of Consecration

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

Words of Institution

The Communion of the People

Communion Anthem

“Bread of the World”

Trad. Scottish/arr. Alan Bullard

Prayer of Thanksgiving

†**HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

“Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

Hymn No. 315

†**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

The Rev. Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr.

†**BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

“Amen”

Franz Joseph Haydn

†**POSTLUDE**

Chorale Variations on “Veni Creator Spiritus”
(Variation 4)

Maurice Durufle

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are in celebration of the wedding of William McClintic IV and Ann Hay on Saturday, May 18. Congratulations!

The red rose in the sanctuary represents congratulations and prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of William Rives Sutherland, born on Thursday, April 25. He is the son of Marianne and Rives Sutherland and the great grandson of Martha Mills Anderson who is celebrating her 100th birthday today.

OUR SERVICE OF WORSHIP EXTENDS BEYOND THE WALLS OF THE SANCTUARY

in the form of video recording and live streaming. Your presence with us today signifies consent to the possibility that your image may be included as part of our media broadcast.

FIRST (SCOTS) HISTORY TOURS

Please join us for a guided tour and brief history of First (Scots) following the conclusion of worship.

Please come up and meet your docent directly at the harpsichord following the service.

The tour will last approximately 10-15 minutes. Today's docent is Graham Heller.

There will be two additional tours today at 11:30 a.m. and 12 p.m. as part of the block party.

ASSISTING WITH THE SERVICE TODAY

GREETERS: John Robinson, John Marko, Jr.

USHERS: Keith Blake (Captain), David McCormack, Margaret McCormack, Stephen Ham, Alison Beskin, Helen Ross

DEACONS: Catie Smith (Lead Deacon), Heidi Whaley

BEADLE: Regina Yost

LAY READER: Brad Morrison

Media Ministry: Cathy Hill

ELDER ON CALL (May 20 - May 26) - Whit Smith (843) 514-2948

DEACON ON CALL (May 20 - May 26) - Margaret Ann Pearson (843) 864-9341

PASTOR ON CALL: (May 20 - May 26) - The Rev. L. Holton Siegling, Jr. (865) 456-2235



The Reverend Dr. L. Holton Siegling, Jr., Senior Pastor
The Reverend Dr. James T. Rogers, Associate Pastor
Pastor Mary Robinson, Commissioned Lay Pastor



Ricard Bordas, Director of Choral Music
Katherine Clarkson, Kirk Choristers Director
Scarlett Crawford, Church Administrator
Jennifer Cromwell, Kindergarten Director
Karen Kuhn, Administrative Assistant

Shelby Olinger, Church Accountant
Martha Ann Siegling, Christian Education Assistant
Chris Silva, Communications Coordinator
Garry Stone, Facility Maintenance Coordinator
Christina Wilhoit, Handbell Choir Director

Dr. Anthony Williams, Organist and Director of Music

WELCOME TO FIRST (SCOTS)

BLOCK PARTY

MAY 19, 11 A.M. - 1 P.M.

A Churchwide Volunteer Appreciation Day Celebration

GAMES!

FOOD!

PRIZES!



Scots On The Go offers fun, social opportunities and Christian education experiences to members of the First (Scots) Community who are retired, are partially retired, or may be considering retirement.

Sign up to help plan the annual calendar of events and activities by contacting Karen Kuhn at the church office or email her at kkuhn@first-scots.org

Plaques in Molly Wier Hall recognize those who have become 1731 Legacy Society Members by honoring First (Scots) in their wills, trusts, or life insurance plans. You'll find the plaques in a nook just to the right of the Massie Building entrance off the driveway.



You can contact Bill Prewitt directly at (843) 620-0158 or wmcprewitt@gmail.com

Thank you!

We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to all of our incredible teachers who work tirelessly and with unwavering dedication throughout the year. Your commitment to educating and nurturing our students is truly commendable. We deeply appreciate the hours you spend preparing lessons, the patience you demonstrate in guiding each student, and the passion you bring to your classrooms. Your devotion to fostering a love of learning and helping our students grow and succeed does not go unnoticed. Thank you for your extraordinary efforts and the positive impact you make in our community.

Preschool teachers: Trish McCallister, Lindsey Melville, Price Sigal, Beverly Sumner

K-5th Sunday school superintendent: Denece Warren

K-5th teachers and shepherds: Linda Stout, Janet White, Rebecca Johnson, Fran Hawk, Gene Childers, Maria Darby, Pam Wall, Ginger Liner, Legare Gresham, Tap Gresham, Anne Jackson, Laura Mitchell, Lauren Sausser, Stephanie Mitchell, Margaret Todd Truluck, Catie Smith, Chantal Byrne, Sarah Thornton, Ansley Feussner, Rebekah Compton, Christina Goodear, Mikell Thaxton, Bob & Pam Arnett, JoJo Mauldin, Anna McCubrey.

6th & 7th grade Sunday school teachers: Steve and Jenks Bailey, Courtney Buxton, Betsy Martin.

High school Sunday school teachers: Laura and Andy Beall, Louisa Dunn, Todd & Jessica Garrett, Katie and John Marko, Ali and Byron Frick.

Moms HEART group (Wednesday afternoons): Lindsay Marko

Adult teachers: Chris Hawk, Bob Baldwin, Anne & Bob Dukes, Richard Daehler-Wilking, Clarissa & Greg McKenzie, Whitney & Robert Stoddard, Elizabeth & Matt Riddle, Christa & Jason Wall, Sallie & John Robinson, Nan & Tod Williams

Mid-week studies teachers: Holton Siegling, Ruthie Edwards, Martha Jane Hudnall, Amy Shubert, Danny Massie, Greg Robinson, Mary Robinson.



Volunteer Appreciation Day

All events are located inside Molly Wier Hall, Kirk House, and the surrounding parking lot.



Everyone gets a ticket for the **Grand Prize Drawing**. See an usher at either entrance to Molly Wier to get your drawing

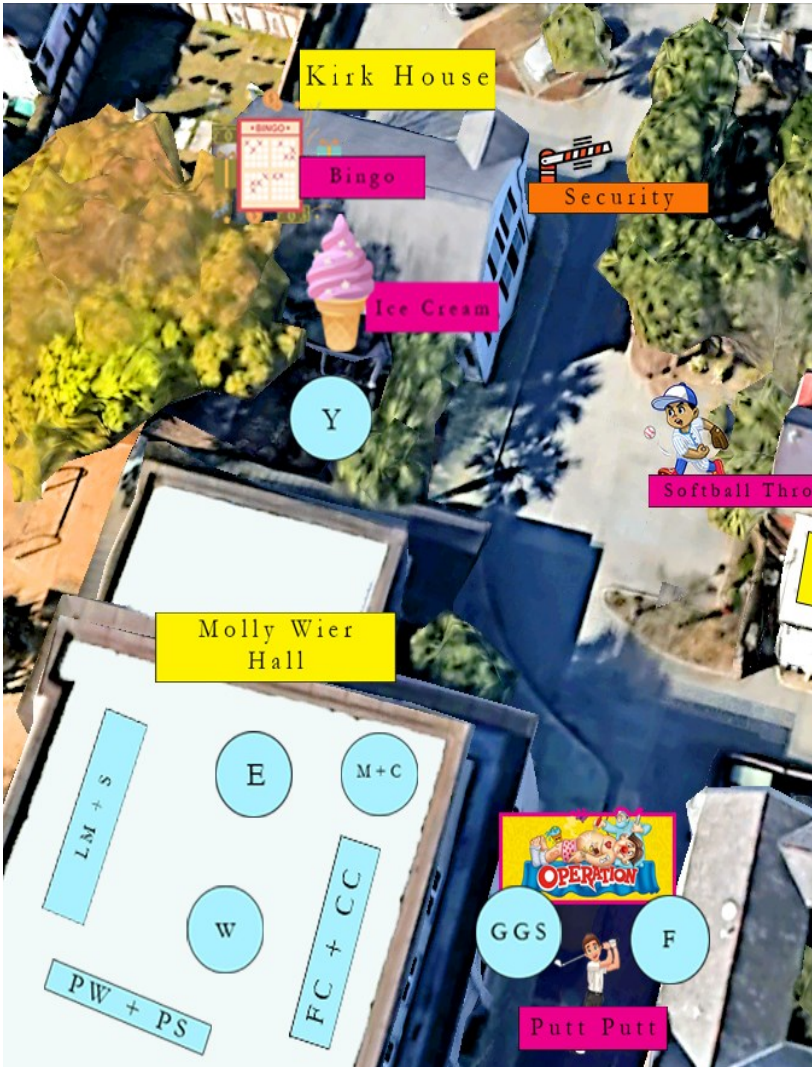
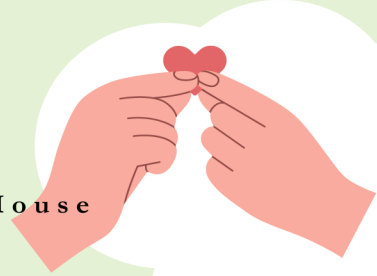
Visit all of the exciting events
Earn more tickets! More tickets mean more chances to win a prize




Don't miss out on **BINGO** in the Kirk House



*Picnic provided by the Evangelism Committee.
Tables inside and outside.*



Block Party



Map and Guide to Activity Locations



Grand Prize

Annual Gold Pass to Charleston County Parks and Recreation

Other Prizes

Tickets to the Charleston Riverdogs (Family 4-Pack)

Tickets to Charleston Stingrays Hockey

Tickets to the Charleston Battery Soccer

Prize drawing begins at 12:30 p.m.

Lunch service ends at 12:30 p.m.



Map Legend

CC = Congregational Care ~ Guess How Many Jelly Beans

CE = Christian Education ~ Jump Castles + Basketball

E = Evangelism ~ The Puzzle

F = Fellowship ~ Putt Putt to Win

FC = Flower Committee

GGS = God's Gift Shop - Operation ~ Fix as Many Ailments Game

LM = Local Missions

M+C = Music and Choirs

PS = Prayer Shawl

PW = Presbyterian Women ~ Bean Bag Toss

S = Stewardship ~ Origami

W = Communion Preparations

Y = Youth ~ Bingo and Ice Cream in the Kirk House



Confirmation Class Invitation

Current seventh graders and older youth who have not completed the program are invited to be a part of the 2025 First (Scots) Confirmation Class. Confirmation is an eight-month process that prepares youth to publicly profess faith in Jesus Christ and become adult members of the church.

Those interested are invited to attend an informational meeting for youth and parents in the Kirk House (62 King Street) on Sunday, May 26 at 9:15 a.m. (before the 10 a.m. worship service)

Confirmation class will then meet most Sundays from 10 - 11 a.m. in the Kirk House (62 King Street; second floor classroom) from September 15 through May 4, when the class will have the opportunity to be welcomed as adult members at the 11:15 a.m. service. Youth can register by completing the Confirmation Class of 2025 Jotform (tinyurl.com/FSCconfirm2025) by May 26 and should invite an adult to serve as their personal confirmation mentor.

Questions?

Please contact James Rogers (jrogers@first-scots.org).



Scan to Register

Vacation Bible School

July 29 - August 2

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.



AVAILABLE POSITION

2024-2025 Academic Year

Kindergarten Assistant Teacher

First (Scots) Presbyterian Kindergarten is looking for an Assistant Kindergarten Teacher who will prepare students for entry into first grade. This teacher is responsible for working with the Lead Teacher in developing and implementing a curriculum in an accelerated kindergarten program with an emphasis on phonics, Writing, guided reading, and mathematics.

Please contact Jenn Cromwell at fspckindergarten@first-scots.org or call (843) 722-8882.



Presbyterian Women June Board Meeting



PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN

The Presbyterian Women June Board Meeting will take place on Tuesday, June 4 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 202 of the Massie Building. For additional information, please contact Jane Davis at (843) 343-4737 or birdgirl59@yahoo.com.

Presbyterian Women Honorary Life Membership Award 2023-24

First (Scots) PW is excited to announce that at the PW Birthday Luncheon on May 14, Tita Massie was recognized with this year's PW Honorary Life Membership Award! Tita has many years of faithful service to PW and to several churches and embodies what it means to be the hands and feet of Christ. We are so grateful for her many years of service to others!

Congratulations, Tita, on becoming an Honorary Life Member of Presbyterian Women!