

THIS WEEK AT TRIUNE

(Triune is closed 1:00 PM-2:00PM, Mon, Wed, Th, and 1:00PM-2:30PM Tues)

Today

Bible Study, 9:30AM

Intergenerational Bible Study, 10:00AM-10:45AM (Art Room)

Worship, 11:00AM

Lunch, Noon

NA, 6:00PM

Monday

Hot Breakfast, 7:00AM-8:00AM

Mail Pick-up, Other needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM

Staff Appointments, 2:00PM-5:00PM

NA, 7:00PM

Tuesday

Mail Pick-up, Other Needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM

Staff Appointments, 2:30PM-5:00PM

Wednesday

Food Pantry, Pop-Top Bags, Hygiene Kits, 9:00AM-11:30AM

Art Room (Open Studio), 9:00AM-12:00PM

Bible Study, 10:00AM

Mail Pick-up, 11:00AM-1:00PM

NA, 6:00PM

Staff Appointments 2:00PM-5:00PM

Thursday

Mail Pick-up, Other needs, 9:00AM-1:00PM

Staff Appointments, 2:00PM-5:00PM

NA, 7:00PM

Friday - Closed**Saturday**

Mail Pick-up,, 9:00AM-12:00PM

Art Room (OPEN STUDIO), 9:00AM-12:00PM

Lunch, Noon

AA, 9-10 and NA, 5:00PM and 7:00PM

*****We have activity bags for children. Please see a staff member for one. We would love to collect them back after the service so that they're available the next time you worship with us.**

Triune Mercy Center

Greenville, South Carolina



Art by Charles Anderson

August 9, 2026

You are God's child, and you are welcome in this place.

222 Rutherford St.
Greenville, SC 29609
864-233-8020

Worship – 11:00 a.m.
www.triunemercy.org

Pastor: Jennifer Fouse Sheorn
Violin: Andy Carlson
Music Director: Charles Hedgepath
Sound: Niles McCall
Percussion: Jason Owens & Ike Maddox

Associate Pastor: Trevor Barton
Parish Associate: Elaine Nocks
Live-streaming: Grayson Hiatt
Vocals: Tim Turner & Bronwyn White
Bass: Sam Kruer

ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 9, 2026

11th Sunday After Pentecost

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

(from *The Shema* in Deut. 6: 4-5)

Hear, O people of God: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone.
We come to worship the One who alone is worthy of our devotion.

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your might.
We lay aside every competing loyalty and every rival claim upon our lives. We belong to the God who has called us by name.

Hymn

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"GTG #263

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Lord Jesus Christ, you alone are Lord. Yet we confess how easily we give our hearts to lesser things -to nation, ideology, party, tribe, power, security, and success. Too often, we long for a Savior who confirms our desires more than a Lord who transforms our lives. Forgive us when we confuse earthly power with your kingdom, when we seek glory without sacrifice, certainty without humility, and victory without love. Turn us again to your Son. Give us courage to follow where he leads, to take up our cross, and to bear faithful witness that Jesus Christ alone is King of kings and Lord of lords. In the name above all names, we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news: our hope does not rest in any earthly power, but in the grace of God revealed in Jesus Christ. In him, our sins are forgiven, our idols

are cast down, and our lives are made new. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we are forgiven.

Meditation

"Holy Forever" (Tomlin)

Scripture

Mark 8:27-33

Sermon

The Problem with Christian Nationalism- Who is Lord?

Affirmation of Faith (from *The Confession of 1967*, 9.08)

In Jesus of Nazareth true humanity was realized once for all. Jesus, a Palestinian Jew, lived among his own people and shared their needs, temptations, joys, and sorrows. He expressed the love of God in word and deed and became a brother to all kinds of sinful men. But his complete obedience led him into conflict with his people. His life and teaching judged their goodness, religious aspirations, and national hopes. Many rejected him and demanded his death. In giving himself freely for them he took upon himself the judgment under which all men stand convicted. God raised him from the dead, vindicating him as Messiah and Lord.

Offering

"The Jesus I Know Now" (Lake)

Doxology

"Glory To God, Whose Goodness Shines On Me"GTG #582, v. 1

Prayers of the People

Neal Hopkins

Hymn

"In Christ Alone"See Insert

Benediction

Postlude

Please silence your cell phone. As always, we'd love for you to join us for lunch in the Dining Hall immediately following today's worship service. All are welcome.

The next TMC Movie Day will be on Saturday August 22 at 1 PM. We'll be watching *The Public*, a story about a group of unhoused library patrons staging a peaceful sit-in. Come join us for popcorn, brownies, soda and a great movie!