



### Welcome to The Seneca Church!

We welcome you to The Seneca Church of God of Prophecy. We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us! If you are new here, please visit our website at [www.senecacogop.org](http://www.senecacogop.org) to learn more.

### OFFERING

Today's Offering: Building Fund

You can "bring your offering" to the Lord when prompted. You can also donate by going to [www.senecacogop.org/donate](http://www.senecacogop.org/donate) or by scanning the QR code to the right.

To submit a prayer request online, please go to [www.senecacogop.org/prayer](http://www.senecacogop.org/prayer)



#### Thanksgiving Mid-Week Service Change

Due to Thanksgiving, we will be moving our Wednesday, November 22 service to Tuesday, November 21. This change is only for this holiday week.

#### Senior Ministry Thanksgiving Lunch

Our seniors will be going to the Seneca Family Restaurant on Tuesday, November 21, 2023 at 1 pm. Sister Sherry & Brother Larry Stone highly encourages all our seniors to come out and enjoy a Thanksgiving lunch together.

#### Women's Ministry

Our Women's Ministry invite all ladies to a fellowship at the Olive Garden in Anderson, SC. It will be held November 28 @ 6pm. Please RSVP Sherri Mann, Lizza Muszynski, or Ashley Kinder by Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup>.

#### Christmas Play

Practice **TODAY** at 5 pm. If you volunteered to be in this year's Christmas play, please make sure you are here ahead of time so we can start on time.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULE

Men's Breakfast (8am – Seneca Family Restaurant)	Every Friday
Trail Life & American Heritage Girls @ 6 pm	Second & Fourth Thursday
Mid-week Service Change (6:30 pm)	November 21, 2023
Senior Thanksgiving Lunch (1pm)	November 21, 2023
Women's Ministry Supper (6pm)	November 28, 2023
Thanksgiving	November 23, 2023
Senior Christmas Lunch (1 pm)	December 2, 2023
Pastor's Christmas Banquet (6:30 pm)	December 6, 2023
Christmas Play (11 am)	December 17, 2023
Christmas Banquet (5pm)	December 17, 2023
Christmas Eve	December 24, 2023
Christmas	December 25, 2023

### THANK YOU for joining us today.

We invite you to fill out some information below. Please tear this tab off of your bulletin and place the filled-out tab in the offering basket. The offering basket is located in the vestibule after service.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all that apply:

- I would like to have a relationship with JESUS.
- I have a home church.
- I am just visiting.
- I am interested in learning more about the Seneca Church of God of Prophecy.
- I would like to be contacted by the Pastor.
- I am in need of prayer.
- Please pray for: \_\_\_\_\_

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**“THANKSGIVING”**  
PASTOR ANDY KINDER

Undoubtedly, Thanksgiving Day is one of the most iconic American public holidays. According to the Harris Poll, Thanksgiving trails only Christmas as the favorite holiday of Americans. Turkey, stuffing, sweet potatoes, pumpkin pies, football, overeating, and family gatherings – all a part of the Thanksgiving celebration we have come to know. Where did Thanksgiving begin? Americans today model the Thanksgiving holiday of a 1621 harvest feast shared between English colonists and the Wampanoag Indians. This shared feast is recognized as the first Thanksgiving celebration in the American colonies. Colonists in New England and Canada regularly held “thanksgiving” prayer services for blessings and shared this ceremony with Native Americans over an Autumn harvest meal. The celebration took place alongside approximately 90 new-found indigenous friends in their new land – members of the local tribe, who had taught the settlers how to cultivate the land and fish in the rivers. As the lore goes, the groups came together to enjoy a celebratory feast of thanks.

As you gather with our family this Thanksgiving, you are encouraged to thank God for His many blessings upon your life and family!

Sunday School	10 am
Sunday Morning Worship	10:45am
First Sunday of Each Month	6 pm
Wednesday Small Groups	6:30 pm

**LEADERSHIP**

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Pastor: Rev. Andy Kinder  
Cell: 843.618.0084 Church: 864.280.3267  
Children’s Church: Josh & Cortney Ragsdale  
Youth: Brady & Cassidy Anderson  
Nursery Ministry: Terri Bryant  
Ignite Ministry: Sharon Weaver  
Sunday School: Deaconess Carol Becknell  
Senior Ministry: Sherry & Larry Stone  
Trail Life: Roddy Cooper  
American Heritage Girls: Deaconess Carol Becknell  
Drama Ministry: Cindy Donald  
Men’s Ministry: Robert Muszynski & Randy Holbrooks  
Women’s Ministry: Lizza Muszynski, Sherri Mann, & Ashley Kinder  
Head Usher: Harold Becknell

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**USHERS & SUPPORT**

Sunday AM: Harold Becknell  
Robert Muszynski

**Nursery**

Lead: Faye Willis

**CHILDREN’S CHURCH**

Lead: Bethan & Stephen Rochester  
Youth: Heather Rose Donald

**VAN DRIVERS**

November 19th: Larry Stone (Sun. AM)  
Robert Muszynski (Wed.)

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**November 19, 2023**