

# At Second-Ponce



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GETTING YOUR  
HANDS DIRTY  
WILL DEFINITELY  
LEAVE A MARK



1st Annual Second-Ponce

**GREAT DAY OF  
SERVICE**

Saturday April 21

Looking for a way to get out in the community and serve? Join us on April 21 from 9 a.m.—Noon for our Second-Ponce “Great Day of Service!” Beginning with a light breakfast and ending with lunch, we will engage in a variety of service projects in our community and around the city. Help us by signing up for a specific project (listed below) by registering in-person on a Sunday morning or Wednesday night, or by visiting [www.spdl.org/dayofservice](http://www.spdl.org/dayofservice). Space is limited for certain projects, so sign up fast. We hope to see you there!

- 1. Collaboration Church- Prayer Walk in Church Community:** Join our friends at Collaboration Church in College Park for a prayer walk through their community.
- 2. Homebound Ministry:** Teams of church members will visit our homebound members. Drivers and cars are needed. Sign up to drive or to ride.
- 3. Missionary House:** Clean up the house and grounds of the Second-Ponce Missionary House. This involves deep cleaning the inside and exterior and general clean up and landscaping outside.
- 4. Second-Ponce Property and Grounds “Spring Cleaning”:** Primarily outdoor clean up and landscaping projects around Second-Ponce, with some indoor projects possible. Help clean and beautify our property.
- 5. Shepherd Center:** Hospitality visits to nursing stations and a "Coffee and Donuts" reception in Family Lounge. This small group will help provide love and care to the staff, patients and families, and have the chance to hear about their chaplaincy work. LIMITED to 7 people.
- 6. Garden Hills Elementary School Indoor & Outdoor Work Projects:** Help clean up and landscape the walking path from Rumson to GHES (outdoor) and install new backpack/coat hooks in classrooms (indoor).
- 7. Atlanta Youth Project Light Outdoor Construction:** Help our friends at the Atlanta Youth Project through a light construction project at their school, the Atlanta Youth Academy. Note: This project requires extra time. Participants will need to meet at Second-Ponce at 8:15 a.m. to leave, or meet at the site by 8:45 a.m. Work will end at Noon, with lunch at the church at 12:30/12:45 p.m.).
- 8. Preschool Book Station at St. Phillip Farmer’s Market:** Help give away books at the farmer’s market with our friends at The Preschool at Second-Ponce.
- 9. Large-scale Indoor Food Project at Second-Ponce with Action Ministries:** Help pack hundreds of “snack bags” for children to support the fight against childhood hunger. Snack bags are distributed throughout the school year. This project is in partnership with Action Ministries (Atlanta).
- 10. Lunch Prep-Team:** Help prepare and serve lunch for the Day of Service participants. Prep will take place during the work projects with lunch served from 11:45 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Prep-team participants may also work on the Action Ministries “snack bags” project.

**LEARN MORE & SIGN UP:**  
[WWW.SPDL.ORG/DAYOFSERVICE](http://WWW.SPDL.ORG/DAYOFSERVICE)

## CONTRIBUTIONS AS OF APRIL 1

Year-to-Date Goal: \$479,421.03

Year-to-Date Receipts: \$439,110.74

## WORSHIP WITH US

Sundays | 11 a.m. | Sanctuary

### APRIL 1

*The Disciples Went Home*  
Dr. Dock Hollingsworth  
John 20:1–18

### APRIL 8

*The Role of Faith in the Civil Rights Movement*  
Taylor Branch

### APRIL 15

*A Sermon on a Sermon*  
Dr. Dock Hollingsworth  
Acts 3:12–19

### APRIL 22

*Guardian or Gardener?*  
Dr. David Hull  
Mark 10:35–45

### APRIL 29

*The Account that Grows When Spending Increases*  
Dr. Dock Hollingsworth  
I John 4:7–11



Miss a service or sermon?

Watch full worship services on our YouTube channel at [www.youtube.com/secondponce](http://www.youtube.com/secondponce)

Listen to sermons on our Second-Ponce podcast by searching for *Second-Ponce* on itunes.

## THE MORE WE GET TOGETHER, THE MORE WE ARE ABLE TO MINISTER

A Word About the March Women's Social by Maggie Roberts

Last month, over 20 ladies came together for great food, fellowship and a time of devotion. It was a great opportunity for women in our church to get to know each other better (when we're not so rushed and going in all different directions on a Sunday!). The more we are together, the more we are able to minister to each other and better know how to pray for one another and our families.

We invite all women at Second-Ponce to our April fellowship! Stay tuned for details!



COMING UP AT SECOND-PONCE

**7 APRIL:** Keep Atlanta Beautiful | 10 a.m.—3 p.m. | SPdL Lower Lot

**8 APRIL:** Use Me, God: Part II with Taylor Branch | 11 a.m. | SPdL Sanctuary | [www.spdl.org/usemegod](http://www.spdl.org/usemegod)

**10 APRIL:** Ageless Grace Session | 8:30—Noon

Women's Evening Bible Study | Focus: Philippians | 6:30—8 p.m. | Fireside Room of the FLC  
Young Adult Small Group | 7 p.m.

**11 APRIL:** Use Me, God: Part III with Ambassador Andrew Young | 6 p.m. | SPdL Sanctuary

Note: There is no Music & Missions this night due to Spring Break, but childcare is still available by RSVP. **Make your reservations by April 6 through the online form at [www.spdl.org/usemegod](http://www.spdl.org/usemegod) or by calling the church.**

**12 APRIL:** Senior Adult trip | 9:15 a.m.—4:30 p.m. | Watkinsville, GA

**16 APRIL:** Senior Adult Bible Study | Focus: Philippians | 10 a.m.—Noon | Room: B-138  
Deacons' Meeting | 6:30—8 p.m. | SPdL Fellowship Hall

**17 APRIL:** Young Adult Small Group | 7 p.m.

**21 APRIL:** Great Day of Service | Breakfast begins at 8:15 a.m. | SPdL Fellowship Hall

**22 APRIL:** Church in Conference | Following worship | SPdL Fellowship Hall



STARTS TONIGHT



# USE ME, GOD

A Church Looks at the Intersection of Race + Faith

April 4, 2018 marks the 50th anniversary of the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. In recognition of this event, Second-Ponce is hosting a series of conversations on the intersection of race and faith. Invite friends, family, neighbors and colleagues to hear these dynamic speakers.



Dr. David Hull  
April 4 | 6 p.m.  
Fellowship Hall



Ambassador Andrew Young &  
Dr. Dock Hollingsworth  
April 11 | 6 p.m.  
Sanctuary



Taylor Branch  
April 8 | 11 a.m.  
Sanctuary



Natosha Reid Rice  
April 18 | 6 p.m.  
Fellowship Hall

Learn more at [www.spdl.org/usemegod](http://www.spdl.org/usemegod)

## FELLOWSHIP SUPPER APRIL MENU

Adults: \$7 | Children: \$3.50

### LITE

Grilled Steak Salad: Grilled steak served over fresh greens with carrots, tomatoes, cheese, onions & peppers  
Chef Salad Wrap: Ham, turkey, cheese, lettuce and tomato in a wrap served with fresh fruit  
Fresh Fruit Plate: Fresh fruit, cottage cheese and sliced tomatoes

### APRIL 4

Roast turkey & gravy, cornbread stuffing, broccoli, salad and assorted pies

Kids: **No Kids menu this week due to Spring Break**

### APRIL 11

Baked ziti with meat sauce, chicken and rotini pasta, Italian green beans, salad, garlic bread & assorted mini desserts  
Kids: Baked ziti, garlic bread, fresh fruit & dessert

Please RSVP for dinner on April 11 by signing up at [www.spdl.org/usemegod](http://www.spdl.org/usemegod)

### APRIL 18

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls & assorted cakes  
Kids: Grilled burgers, french fries, fresh fruit & dessert

### APRIL 25

Fried chicken, potato salad, mixed vegetables, salad, rolls & banana pudding  
Kids: Fried chicken wings & legs, mashed potatoes, fresh fruit & dessert



# April 2018 at SPdL

## 01 SUNDAY

**EASTER SUNDAY  
SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP**  
9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m.

## 03 TUESDAY

**AGELESS GRACE SESSION**  
8:30 a.m.-Noon  
**WOMEN'S LENTEN BIBLE STUDY**  
9:30 a.m. in Room B-207  
**BAPTIST WOMEN WMU**  
11 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall  
**YOUNG ADULT SMALL GROUP**  
7 p.m.

## 04 WEDNESDAY

**FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**  
5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**USE ME, GOD: PART I WITH DR.  
DAVID HULL**

*A Closer Look at Race in the Bible*  
6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
7:15 p.m. in the Choir Room.

**ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL**  
7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

## 07 SATURDAY

**KEEP ATLANTA BEAUTIFUL**  
10 a.m.-3 p.m. in the SPdL lower lot

## 08 SUNDAY

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
9:45 a.m.

**USE ME GOD: PART II WITH TAYLOR  
BRANCH**

11 a.m. in the Sanctuary

## 10 TUESDAY

**AGELESS GRACE SESSION**  
8:30 a.m.-Noon  
**YOUNG ADULT SMALL GROUP**  
7 p.m.

## 11 WEDNESDAY

**FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**  
5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**CHILDREN'S MUSIC AND MISSIONS**  
5:45 p.m. in the Children's Building

**USE ME, GOD: PART III WITH  
AMBASSADOR ANDREW YOUNG &  
DR. DOCK HOLLINGSWORTH**  
6 p.m. in the Sanctuary

**SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
7:15 p.m. in the Choir Room.

**ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL**  
7:30 p.m.

## 12 THURSDAY

**SENIOR ADULT TRIP TO  
WATKINSVILLE**  
9:15 a.m.

**MLT MEETING**  
6:30 p.m. in the Kivette Room

## 15 SUNDAY

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP**  
9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m.

**16 MONDAY**  
**SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY**  
10 a.m. in Room B-138

**DEACONS' MEETING**  
6:30 p.m. in the Dr. Ryland Knight Room

## 17 TUESDAY

**YOUNG ADULT SMALL GROUP**  
7 p.m.

## 18 WEDNESDAY

**FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**  
5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

**CHILDREN'S MUSIC AND MISSIONS**  
5:45 p.m. in the Children's Building.

**USE ME, GOD: PART IV WITH  
NATOSHA REID RICE**  
6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**YOUTH: PROJECT 4:12**  
6 p.m. in the Youth Area.

**SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
7:15 p.m. in the Choir Room

**ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL**  
7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

## 21 SATURDAY

**GREAT DAY OF SERVICE**  
Breakfast begins at 8:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Project work begins at 9 a.m.

## 22 SUNDAY

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP**  
9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m.

**CHURCH IN CONFERENCE**  
Following worship in the Fellowship Hall

## 23 MONDAY

**SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY**  
10 a.m. in Room B-138

## 24 TUESDAY

**YOUNG ADULT SMALL GROUP**  
7 p.m.

## 25 WEDNESDAY

**FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**  
5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**CHILDREN'S MUSIC AND MISSIONS**  
5:45 p.m. in the Children's Building

**SPdLU**  
6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

**YOUTH: PROJECT 4:12**  
6 p.m. in the Youth Area

**SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
7:15 p.m. in the Choir Room

**ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL**  
7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

## 26 THURSDAY

**YOUNG ADULT SPRING RETREAT**  
April 26-29 in Seneca, South Carolina

## 29 SUNDAY

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP**  
9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m.

**BRIDAL SHOWER FOR CHELSEA  
BANKS**  
12:15 p.m. in the Kivette Room

## 30 MONDAY

**SENIOR ADULT BIBLE STUDY**  
10 a.m. in Room B-138