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July 11, 2021  
*Trinity Season*

## WELCOME TO SECOND

- **Messenger:** The best way to find out what's going on at Second is to subscribe to our weekly email newsletter. To subscribe, simply scroll to the orange box at the bottom of our homepage and enter your name and email address—then watch for it to arrive in your inbox on Friday afternoons!
- Please take this order of worship with you as you exit. Hint: You can bring it back for worship this evening at 6:00! The order of worship for the evening service begins on page 8 of this booklet.
- **Mask Policy:** Masks are optional for vaccinated individuals on our church campus for all worship services and events. If you are not vaccinated, we ask that you continue to wear a mask to help protect those who cannot be or have not yet been vaccinated. Children above age 2 should continue to wear masks.
- Social distancing between family units continues to be recommended. Every other pew in the back floor section of the Sanctuary will continue to be roped off for those who prefer greater distancing.
- **Nursery Reservations:** Our nursery is available for the 8:15 a.m. service and during the CC hour to ages three and under and for the 6:00 p.m. service to ages four and under. Pre-registration is required. Registration opens at noon on Mondays and closes at 9:00 a.m. on Fridays, prior to each Sunday. Visit [2pckids.org](http://2pckids.org) for more information and to register.
- A live stream of services is available at [2pc.org/live](http://2pc.org/live) for all services.

# Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

*The order of worship for the evening service begins on page 8.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

ORGAN PRELUDE: Meditation on "Amazing Grace" . . . . . Frederick Swann  
*Samuel Metzger, organ*

CALL TO WORSHIP . . . . . Brandon Terry

✦HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 5 "O Worship the King" . . . . . LYONS  
*Words: Robert Grant / Music: Joseph Martin Kraus; William Gardiner / Psalm 145:10*

**O worship the King all glorious above,  
O gratefully sing His pow'r and His love;  
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,  
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.**

**O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,  
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.  
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,  
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.**

**Your bountiful care what tongue can recite?  
It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;  
It streams from the hills; it descends to the plain;  
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.**

**Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
In You do we trust, nor find You to fail;  
Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!**

### ✦INVOCATION

#### WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" . . . . .arr. Mary McDonald

*Words: Thomas Chisholm / Music: William Runyan; arr. McDonald / Lamentations 3:22-23*

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;  
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see:  
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

*Jauna and Calvin Ellis, duet*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS *See pages 10-11 for announcements.*

VIDEO: A WORD TO THE CHILDREN . . . . .Michelle Catalano

✦PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

HYMN OF PREPARATION: No. 615: "My Soul Finds Rest" . . . . . MY SOUL FINDS REST

*Words and Music: Aaron Keyes and Stuart Townend / Psalm 62; Galatians 3:13*

*Soloist:*

My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my salvation;  
A fortress strong against my foes, and I will not be shaken.  
Though lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies like arrows pierce me,  
I'll fix my heart on righteousness; I'll look to Him who hears me.  
O praise Him, hallelujah, my delight and my reward;  
Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

✦*Congregation Stands and Joins:*

**Find rest, my soul, in God alone amid the world's temptations;  
When evil seeks to take a hold, I'll cling to my salvation.  
Though riches come and riches go, don't set your heart upon them;  
The fields of hope in which I sow are harvested in heaven.**

*O praise Him, hallelujah, my delight and my reward;  
Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.*

**I'll set my gaze on God alone and trust in Him completely;  
With ev'ry day pour out my soul, and He will prove His mercy.  
Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh too brief to measure,  
My King has crushed the curse of death, and I am His forever.**

*Carrington Ellis, soloist*

SCRIPTURE LESSON. . . . . Revelation 10:1-11

<sup>1</sup>Then I saw another mighty angel coming down from heaven, wrapped in a cloud, with a rainbow over his head, and his face was like the sun, and his legs like pillars of fire. <sup>2</sup>He had a little scroll open in his hand. And he set his right foot on the sea, and his left foot on the land, <sup>3</sup>and called out with a loud voice, like a lion roaring. When he called out, the seven thunders sounded. <sup>4</sup>And when the seven thunders had sounded, I was about to write, but I heard a voice from heaven saying, "Seal up what the seven thunders have said, and do not write it down." <sup>5</sup>And the angel whom I saw standing on the sea and on the land raised his right hand to heaven <sup>6</sup>and swore by him who lives forever and ever, who created heaven and what is in it, the earth and what is in it, and the sea and what is in it, that there would be no more delay, <sup>7</sup>but that in the

days of the trumpet call to be sounded by the seventh angel, the mystery of God would be fulfilled, just as he announced to his servants the prophets.

<sup>8</sup>Then the voice that I had heard from heaven spoke to me again, saying, "Go, take the scroll that is open in the hand of the angel who is standing on the sea and on the land." <sup>9</sup>So I went to the angel and told him to give me the little scroll. And he said to me, "Take and eat it; it will make your stomach bitter, but in your mouth it will be sweet as honey." <sup>10</sup>And I took the little scroll from the hand of the angel and ate it. It was sweet as honey in my mouth, but when I had eaten it my stomach was made bitter. <sup>11</sup>And I was told, "You must again prophesy about many peoples and nations and languages and kings."

The grass withers, the flower fades,

**but the Word of our God will stand forever.** (*Isaiah 40:8*)

SERMON: The Only Strategy . . . . . George Robertson

**I. We must receive the Gospel.** (*Revelation 10:1-7*)

**II. We must proclaim the Gospel.** (*Revelation 10: 8-11*)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

✦PROFESSION OF OUR FAITH . . . . . The Apostles' Creed

**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.**

*Music: Henry W. Greatorex / Psalm 29:2*

**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.**

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious heavenly Father,  
You have shown us the way of life through Your Son, Jesus Christ.  
We confess with grieving hearts our slowness to learn of Him,  
our reluctance to take up the cross, and our failure to follow Him.  
Pardon us for the poverty of our worship, our neglect of fellowship,  
our hesitating witness for Christ, our evasion of Your command to love others,  
and our imperfect stewardship of Your gifts.  
Have mercy upon us and forgive us for Jesus' sake.  
It is in His strong name we pray.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON..... Lamentations 3:22-23

*The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end;  
they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.*

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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.**

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*During this time, we invite you to join in singing the hymns printed in bold below.*

No. 79 "Lamb of God" ..... LAMB OF GOD

*Words and Music: Twila Paris / I Peter 1:19*

**Your only Son no sin to hide, but You have sent Him from Your side,  
To walk upon this guilty sod, and to become the Lamb of God.**  
*O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God!  
O wash me in His precious blood — my Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.*  
**Your gift of love they crucified, they laughed and scorned Him as He died,  
The humble King they named a fraud and sacrificed the Lamb of God.  
I was so lost I should have died, but You have brought me to Your side,  
To be led by Your staff and rod, and to be called a lamb of God.**

No. 413 "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!" . . . . . HYFRYDOL

*Words: J. Wilbur Chapman / Music: Rowland Prichard / Matthew 11:19*

**Jesus! What a friend for sinners! Jesus! Lover of my soul;  
Friends may fail me, foes assail me, He, my Savior, makes me whole.**

*Hallelujah! What a Savior! Hallelujah! What a friend!  
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, He is with me to the end.*

**Jesus! What a strength in weakness! Let me hide myself in Him.  
Tempted, tried, and sometimes failing, He, my strength, my vict'ry wins.**

**Jesus! What a help in sorrow! While the billows o'er me roll,  
Even when my heart is breaking, He, my comfort, helps my soul.**

**Jesus! what a guide and keeper! While the tempest still is high,  
Storms about me, night o'ertakes me, He, my pilot, hears my cry.**

◆PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

◆HYMN OF THANKSGIVING . . . . . HYFRYDOL

*Words: J. Wilbur Chapman / Music: Rowland Prichard / Matthew 11:19*

**Jesus! I do now receive Him, more than all in Him I find.  
He hath granted me forgiveness, I am His, and He is mine.  
Hallelujah! What a Savior! Hallelujah! What a friend!  
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, He is with me to the end.**

◆BENEDICTION

◆CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE: Toccata on "O God Our Help in Ages Past" . . . . . Frederick Swann

◆Indicates congregation standing

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### Sermon Notes

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# Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS . . . . . Philip James

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## ✦CALL TO WORSHIP

### ✦THE LION AND THE LAMB

**He's coming on the clouds; kings and kingdoms will bow down.  
And every chain will break as broken hearts declare His praise;  
For who can stop the Lord Almighty?**

*Our God is the Lion, the Lion of Judah.  
He's roaring with power and fighting our battles,  
And every knee will bow before Him.  
Our God is the Lamb, the Lamb that was slain.  
For the sins of the world, His blood breaks the chains,  
And every knee will bow before the Lion and the Lamb;  
Every knee will bow before Him.*

**So open up the gates, make way before the King of kings.  
The God who comes to save is here to set the captives free;  
For who can stop the Lord Almighty?**

*Words: Brenton Brown, Brian Johnson, Leeland Mooring / Music: Dustin Loehrs, Dan Galbraith*

## ✦INVOCATION

### ✦GREAT ARE YOU, LORD

**You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness.  
You give hope, You restore every heart that is broken; great are You, Lord!**

**It's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise.  
It's Your breath in our lungs, so we pour out our praise to You only.**

**And all the earth will shout Your praise;  
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing: Great are You, Lord!**

*Words and Music: David Leonard, Jason Ingram, and Leslie Jordan / Ezekiel 37:4-10*

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON



SCRIPTURE LESSON. . . . . Psalm 119:73-80

<sup>73</sup>Your hands have made and fashioned me; give me understanding that I may learn your commandments. <sup>74</sup>Those who fear you shall see me and rejoice, because I have hoped in your word. <sup>75</sup>I know, O LORD, that your rules are righteous, and that in faithfulness you have afflicted me. <sup>76</sup>Let your steadfast love comfort me according to your promise to your servant. <sup>77</sup>Let your mercy come to me, that I may live;

for your law is my delight. <sup>78</sup>Let the insolent be put to shame, because they have wronged me with falsehood; as for me, I will meditate on your precepts. <sup>79</sup>Let those who fear you turn to me, that they may know your testimonies. <sup>80</sup>May my heart be blameless in your statutes, that I may not be put to shame!

The grass withers, the flower fades,  
**but the Word of our God will stand forever.** (*Isaiah 40:8*)

SERMON: Affliction and Glory . . . . . Brett Wynne

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦THIS IS AMAZING GRACE

**Who breaks the power of sin and darkness;  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.  
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder;  
Who leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.**

*This is amazing grace; this is unfailing love;  
That You would take my place, that You would bear my cross.  
You laid down Your life that I would be set free!  
O, Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me.*

**Who brings our chaos back into order;  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.  
Who rules the nations with truth and justice,  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings.**

**Worthy is the Lamb who was slain;  
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave.**

*Words and Music: Jeremy Riddle, Josh Farro, Phil Wickham; arr. Mott / I Chronicles 17:16*

✦BENEDICTION

✦GOSPEL AMEN

✦Indicates congregation standing

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*Gospel Choir: Amanda Joy, Hannah Crowley, Adrianna Christmas,  
Laurie Niederbrach, Shelbie Pittman, Eric Hale, Gregory Mason*

*Instrumentalists: Pablo Reyes, Joe Mariencheck, David Pruitt, Emily Taylor*

## Sermon Notes

A series of horizontal dotted lines for writing notes.

### Adult CC Electives in July

All adults are invited to the Sanctuary during the CC hour (beginning at 9:45 a.m.) on three Sundays in July for a series of electives:

- July 11:** Restoring Relationships and Keeping Them Healthy; led by Brent Stenberg
- July 18:** Refreshment for Your Marriage; led by Brent Stenberg
- July 25:** Wise Re-engagement: Life After the Pandemic; led by Laurin Maddux

## Weekly Focus on Missions

**World Missions:** John and Dawn continue to serve from the States while they wait for their country of service to reopen to foreigners. They marvel at the way the Lord has opened doors of opportunity through Zoom and other technology, allowing them to come alongside others who are serving amidst ever-shifting Covid realities. Last month John spoke in N. Africa, his first time traveling internationally in over a year. Please pray that John's

words were encouraging to these professionals who go to unreached areas to make Christ known.

**Mission Memphis:** Our partners at Service Over Self are excited to serve with local volunteers and summer staff on roof repair projects this summer! Please pray that the Gospel would be clearly proclaimed and heard as they work with homeowners in the Binghampton, Heights, and Orange Mound neighborhoods.

## Caring Ministry Update

**Sympathy to:**

Virginia McLean on the death of her husband, *George "Hite" McLean, Jr.*, June 30, 2021. Mr. McLean was the father of Hite McLean, III and Mathilde Crosby.

Carol Overcast on the death of her brother, *Richard Dotson*, July 3, 2021, in Arkansas.

**In the Hospital:** *(as of 7/7/21)*

Bill Threlkeld, *Allen Morgan*  
 Monta Robinson, *Allen Morgan*  
 Bill Draper, *Baptist Memphis*  
 Julia Harvey, *Baptist Memphis*  
 Eva Miller, *St. Francis*

## July Flowers

**The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in honor of:** the bride's grandparents, *Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick McCarty, Jr.* and *Mr. and Mrs. J. Ronald Hickman, Sr.* by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Taylor Rayburn who were married July 10, 2021. Mrs. Rayburn is the former Mary Banks Hickman.

**The flowers in the Sanctuary for the month of July are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:** *Thomas Bechtel* by his wife, Judy Bechtel, and his children, Charles Bechtel and Kathryn Fox, **and in honor of:** *Selden Popwell* by Carolyn and Robert M. Rogers.

## General Fund Giving Update

	This Year Budget	This Year Actual	Variance	Last Year Actual
May	\$ 738,819	\$ 864,200	\$ 125,381	\$ 731,384
YTD 7/1/20-5/31/21	\$ 8,930,232	\$ 8,938,453	\$ 8,221	\$ 8,576,636



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