

# ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP of GOD

March 20, 2022 Season of Lent

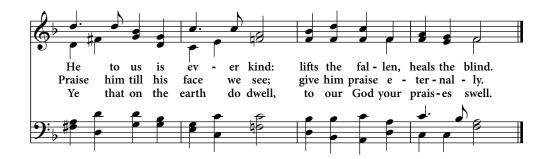
# Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

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

# Our Father's Glory





#### **†INVOCATION**

#### SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM

8.15

George Hutcherson Wepfer, born July 7, 2021, son of Betsy and Walt Wepfer Noah William James, born September 15, 2020, son of Hannah and Philip James

11:00

Wells Palmer Dowdle, born March 25, 2021, daughter of Catherine and Clint Dowdle

Jesus loves you, this we know, for the Bible tells us so; Little ones to Him belong, you are weak, but He is strong. Yes, Jesus loves you! Yes, Jesus loves you! Yes, Jesus loves you! The Bible tells us so.

## Our Father's Love

#### CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Heavenly Father,
we confess that we have been unfaithful
to our covenant with You and with one another.
We have worshiped other gods:
money, power, greed, and convenience.
We have not loved our neighbor as You have commanded,
nor have we rightly loved ourselves.
Forgive us, gracious God,
and bring us back into the fullness of our covenant
with You and one another.
It is through Jesus Christ, our Lord, we pray.

#### INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

## WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

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Music: Martin Shaw / Isaiah 48:20

With a voice of singing declare Ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.

Utter it even unto the ends of the earth.

The Lord hath delivered His people, Alleluia.

O be joyful in God, all ye lands,

O sing praises to the honor of His name, make His praise to be glorious.

The Chancel Choir Calvin Ellis, director

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastoral Resident

# Our Father's Will

#### **†PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

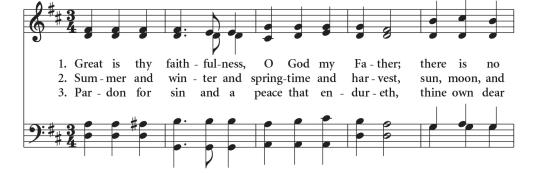
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

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.

Words: Thomas O. Chisholm / Music: William M. Runyan / Lamentations 3:22-23





SCRIPTURE LESSON. Revelation 22:6-12 (page 1042 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

- I. Obey God's word because you are blessed to have the truth. (Revelation 22:6-9)
- II. Obey God's word because you will be blessed at judgment. (Revelation 22:10-12)

#### PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

Words: Christian L. Scheidt; tr. H. Breuckner / Music: Georg Neumark / Titus 3:7

#### Choir:

By grace I am an heir of heaven: why doubt this, O my trembling heart? If what the Scriptures promise clearly is true and firm in ev'ry part, This also must be truth divine: by grace a crown of life is mine.

♦ Congregation stands and joins:



#### **†BENEDICTION**

**†CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN** 

♦ Indicates congregation standing

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# Caring Ministry Update

#### Sympathy to:

Anne Willson on the death of her mother, *Barbara McKnight Benham*, March 4, 2022, in The Woodlands, TX.

In the Hospital (as of 3/16/22): Marcia Dunlap, Memphis Jewish Home Peg Stringer, Baptist Memphis

# Weekly Prayer Focus

World Missions–David and Aliece: Pray for David and Aliece as they labor faithfully in East Asia. Ask the Lord to bless David's teaching and organization of national seminaries. Praise God that in the face of extreme opposition and government restrictions, the Gospel is moving forward in power. Pray for the traditional and online formats of David's seminary classes and for Aliece's Tree of Life Counseling center to bring healing to many. Pray for the graduates who are entering the field to bind up the wounds of the broken hearted and for the two new interns that joined the center to help fill existing ministry needs. Finally, pray for our sisters and brothers in this nation: for protection from enemies, encouragement, and fruit that would remain.

**Domestic Missions–Memphis Union Mission:** For over 65 years, Memphis Union Mission has worked to rebuild lives by ministering to the physical, spiritual, and emotional needs of men, women, and families who are experiencing homelessness, crisis, or addiction. They praise the Lord for the many generous financial gifts they received during the holiday season, allowing them to serve our homeless neighbors during the cold winter months. They also rejoice at the opening of their new Opportunity Center! Pray for God to heal and strengthen MUM's staff, many of whom have been experiencing illness which hinders them from their work. Pray that in 2022, God would "do a new thing" in the hearts of all those who come to the Mission for help.

**2PC Ministry–Restoration and Peacemaking Ministry:** The Restoration and Peacemakers Ministry (RPM) seeks to help resolve conflict and restore broken relationships by following the blueprint laid out in Matthew 18. This ministry flows from the gospel, for God the Son came to bring peace by restoring us to God the Father. RPM works under the authority of the church Session, with the supervision of an oversight committee and Second's pastoral staff, to help members resolve problems relating to personal or business disputes, addictions, abuse, marital infidelity, dysfunctional relationships, and more. Pray for God to enable the RPM team to faithfully carry out their mission by operating within a biblical framework, prioritizing confidentiality, and being accessible to church members. Pray that members in need would seek out support from RPM early in conflict rather than delaying. Pray for God to bring reconciliation where there is relational brokenness, healing where there is hurt, hope where there is despair, and harmony where there is discord.

# Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.







#### **†INVOCATION**

#### RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Gloria Bradshaw, Ellen and Brian Celosky, Barbara and Rick Collins, Audrey Hamm, Breen Hardin, Tab and Joseph Hicks, Mary Elizabeth and Alan Humphreys, Lizzie Hursey, Lee and James Long, Virginia McGinnis, Randi and Josh Meyer, Chrissy Miller, Maggie and Nathan Moore, Taylor and William Pickering, Chandler Roberts, Brad Walton, Cameron Webb, Carrie Weber, Taylor Wetta, Cole Yoders

#### MEMBERSHIP VOWS

Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God and without hope for your salvation except in His sovereign mercy?

Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and depend upon Him alone for your salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?

Do you now promise and resolve, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?

Do you promise to serve Christ in His church by supporting and participating with this congregation in its service of God and its ministry to others to the best of your ability?

Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church and to the spiritual oversight of this church session, and do you promise to promote the unity, purity, and peace of the church?

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Words and Music: Chris Brown, Chandler Moore / Proverbs 23:26

#### Kendall Magaña, soloist



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

SERMON: Confess Your Sins to One Another ...... David Bowen

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

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INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

Words: Annie S. Hawks / Music: Robert Lowry / Psalm 86:1

Kristin Jones, soloist:

I need Thee ev'ry hour, most gracious Lord; no tender voice like Thine can peace afford. I need Thee, O I need Thee, ev'ry hour I need Thee; O bless me now, my Savior, I come to Thee.



THE ANTHEM ..... .....Todd Delaney Words and Music: Todd Delaney Julian Cross, soloist ♦ Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction we are healed. By His nail-pierced hands, we're free. By His stripes, we're washed clean. By His blood, Now we have the vic - to - ry. The pow'r of sin is bro-ken; Je - sus o - ver - came it all. He has won our free - dom; Je - sus has won all. Chorus You have won Hal - le - lu - jah! the vic - to Hal - le - lu - jah! You have won it all for me. Death could not hold You down. You are the ris King. Seat - ed in maj - es - ty, You are the ris King. Bridge Our God is He live. ris en, is

He reigns on

high.

vic - to - ry,

He won the

# Welcome, New Members!



Gloria Bradshaw



Ellen & Brian Celosky



Barbara & Rick Collins



Audrey Hamm



Breen Hardin



Tab & Joseph Hicks



Mary Elizabeth & Alan Humphreys



Lizzie Hursey



Lee & James Long



Virginia McGinnis



Randi & Josh Meyer



Chrissy Miller



Maggie & Nathan Moore



Taylor & William Pickering



Chandler Roberts



Brad Walton



Cameron Webb



Carrie Weber



Taylor Wetta



Cole Yoders

Following tonight's service, please join us in the Connector to greet our new members!

# New Pipe Organ Console!

Recently, we've taken a big step toward repairing our pipe organ. What you're seeing and hearing this morning is our brand new organ console, complete with an additional fifth keyboard and digital stops!

In addition to these repairs, there are several improvements we intend to make moving forward. Visit 2pc.org/pipeorgan to learn more about the history of our pipe organ and how you can support the upcoming improvements.

# Ukraine Emergency Relief

In recent days, Second's World Missions Committee designated \$7,500 of the missions emergency relief fund to be sent to our partners in Ukraine caring for those displaced by the current crisis in Ukraine. If you'd like to contribute to this relief fund, please visit 2pc.org/ukraine or note "Ukraine Relief" in the memo line of your check made payable to Second Presbyterian Church.

# **Upcoming Events**

Concert: An Evening with Jauna Ellis & Friends: April 1 Concert: Brahm's Requiem: May 21 Vacation Bible School: June 6–9

Gathering on the Grounds: May 1

# The 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 (2pc.org) and enter your name and email address—then watch for it to arrive in your inbox on Friday afternoons!

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# EASTER \_\_at Second\_\_\_\_\_

### Holy Week Services: April 11-14

12:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary *Lunches will be served before and after the services.* 

**Maundy Thursday Evening: April 14** 6:30 p.m. Communion Service in the Sanctuary

**Good Friday: April 15** 12:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

**Egg Hunt: April 16** 10:00 a.m. on the Poplar Field

Easter Sunday: April 17

**6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Memphis Botanic Garden** *Please bring a chair or blanket for seating.* 

8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m. Services in the Sanctuary
No Sunday School or Evening Service

All services will meet on campus and be live-streamed, excluding the Sunrise Service, which will be held at Memphis Botanic Garden and not live-streamed.

Nursery will be available by reservation for ages 3 and under at the Maundy Thursday evening service, the Good Friday service, and the 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. services on Easter Sunday. Registration will open soon.

Visit 2pc.org/easter for more details.

# March Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of: Gloria Joyce Cape by her family; Libbee Clifford by her granddaughters, Olive and Elizabeth; Julia H. Davidson by Mary and Orin Davidson; Jane Morrison Moore by Brandon and Joe Morrison; Dr. Phillip Sherman by his wife, Barbara, his children, and his grandchildren; Richard E. Shubert by his daughter, Linda Shubert Courtney, and his family; James Wetter by his wife, Betty, and their children and grandchildren; in gratitude for: Donna Sanders by Brandon and Joe Morrison; and in honor of: Jay Good on his birthday, March 8 by Jeanne Newcomb.



Retell. Reimagine. Repair.