



ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP *of* GOD

September 11, 2022
Trinity Season

Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

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

OUR ROCK

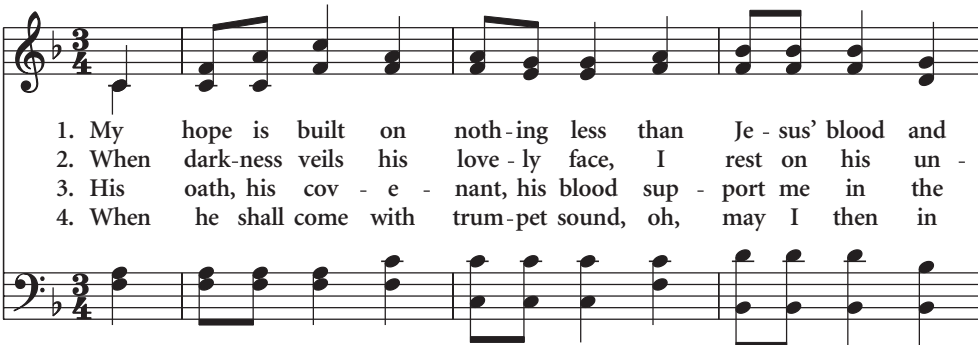
PRELUDE: "It Is Well with My Soul" Philip B. Bliss; arr. Molly Ijames

Tammy Holt, piano; Dee Walker, flute

CALL TO WORSHIP Brett Wynne

♦HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 429 "The Solid Rock" SOLID ROCK

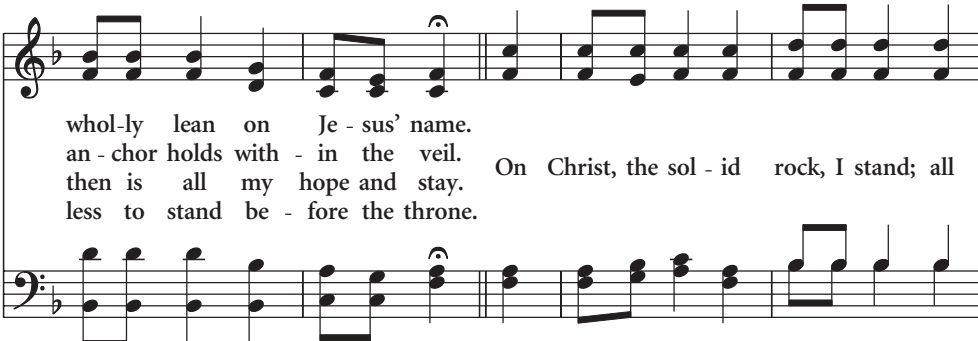
Words: Edward Mote / Music: William B. Bradbury / I Corinthians 3:11



1. My hope is built on noth-ing less than Je - sus' blood and
2. When dark-ness veils his love - ly face, I rest on his un -
3. His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood sup - port me in the
4. When he shall come with trum-pet sound, oh, may I then in



righ - teous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but
chang - ing grace; in ev - 'ry high and storm - y gale, my
whelm-ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he
him be found; dressed in his righ - teous - ness a - lone, fault -



whol-ly lean on Je - sus' name.
an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id rock, I stand; all
then is all my hope and stay.
less to stand be - fore the throne.



✦INVOCATION

✦STATEMENT OF FAITH: New City Catechism Question 1 Amanda Coop (8:15)
Elizabeth Wall (11:00)

What is our only hope in life and death?

**That we are not our own but belong,
body and soul, both in life and death,
to God and to our Savior Jesus Christ.**

✦CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE SOLID ROCK

Words: Edward Mote / Music: William B. Bradbury / I Corinthians 3:11

**On Christ the solid rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.**

OUR REFUGE

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You
in thought, word, and deed.
We have not loved You or our neighbors as ourselves.
Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done
and the good we have left undone.
Lord, You are full of compassion and grace,
slow to anger, and abundant in mercy.
There is always forgiveness with You!
Restore to us the joy of Your salvation.
Bind up that which is broken.
Give light to our minds, strength to our wills,
and rest to our weary souls.
Speak to each of us, and let Your word abide with us
until it has worked in us Your holy will.
It is in the name of Jesus and by the power of Your Spirit we pray.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON.Matthew 11:28-29

*Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me,
for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."*

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "Footsteps" Craig Courtney

Words: Jonathan Cook / Music: Craig Courtney / Psalm 23

I see His footsteps in the way and follow them through darkest night.
Unafraid, I stumble not, in the glow of perfect light, I see.

I walk in footsteps of His love and find His light leads on before.
Then He gently turns to me, softly whispers, "Trust Me more." I walk. I walk.

Then as I follow in His way, my path ahead will brightly shine.
For in His path of guiding light, I find His footsteps first, then mine.

*The Chancel Choir
Calvin Ellis, director*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN. Peggy Stephens
Deacon

OUR SALVATION

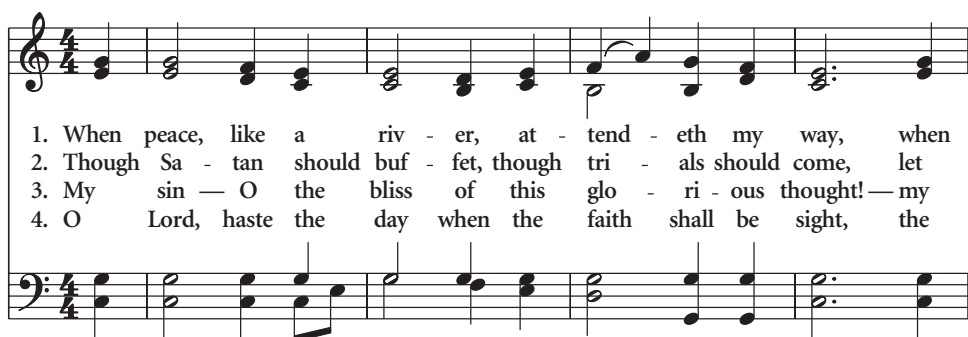
INTRODUCTION OF MEMPHIS FELLOWS

✠PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

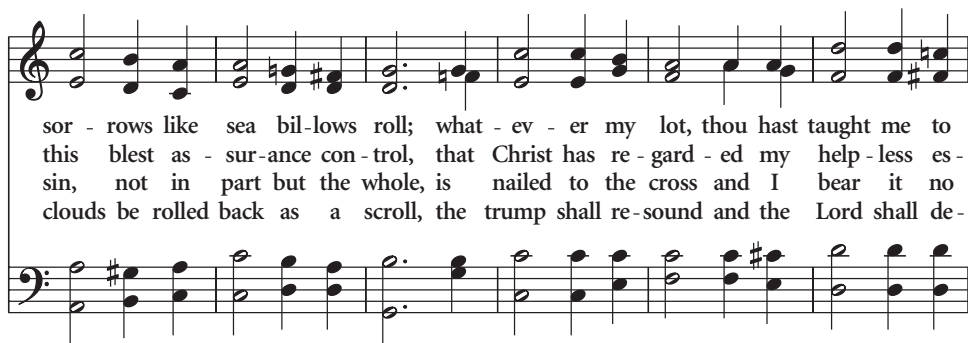
**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the Kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

♠HYMN OF PREPARATION: No. 573 "It Is Well with My Soul" VILLE DU HAVRE

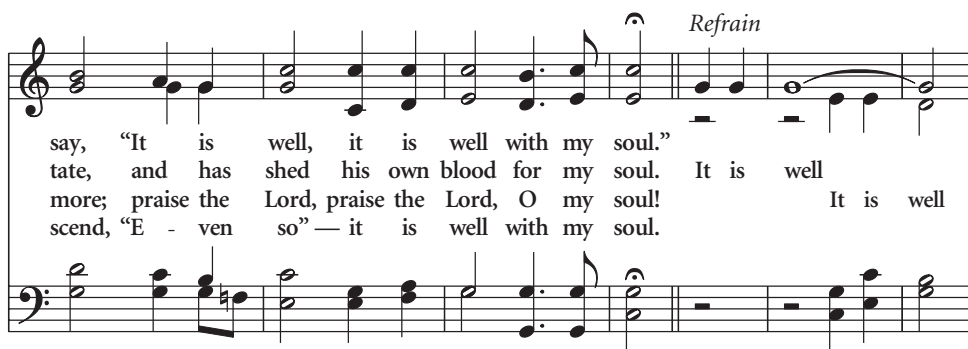
Words: Horatio G. Spafford / Music: Philip P. Bliss / Philippians 4:7



1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way, when
2. Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, let
3. My sin — O the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought! — my
4. O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, the



sor - rows like sea bil-lows roll; what - ev - er my lot, thou hast taught me to
this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, that Christ has re - gard - ed my help - less es -
sin, not in part but the whole, is nailed to the cross and I bear it no
clouds be rolled back as a scroll, the trump shall re-sound and the Lord shall de -



say, "It is well, it is well with my soul."
tate, and has shed his own blood for my soul. It is well
more; praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! It is well
scend, "E - ven so" — it is well with my soul.



with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.
with my soul;

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....Lamentations 3:1-57
(page 688 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

SERMON: Four Things To Do When Tragedy Strikes George Robertson

I. Pour out your feelings to the Lord (Lamentations 3:1-20)

II. Profess the faith of your fathers and mothers (Lamentations 3:22-27)

III. Pursue the peace of the King to come (Lamentations 3:28-29)

IV. Pray with Jesus' prayers

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

♠HYMN OF COMMITMENT: No. 56 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness".....FAITHFULNESS

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

1. Great is thy faith - ful-ness, O God my Fa - ther; there is no
2. Sum - mer and win - ter and spring-time and har - vest, sun, moon, and
3. Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth, thine own dear

shad - ow of turn - ing with thee; thou chang - est not, thy com -
stars in their cours - es a - bove, join with all na - ture in
pres - ence to cheer and to guide, strength for to - day and bright

pas - sions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou for - ev - er wilt be.
man - i - fold wit - ness to thy great faith - ful-ness, mer - cy, and love.
hope for to - mor - row, bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side!

Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by

morn-ing new mer-cies I see: all I have need-ed thy

hand hath pro-vid-ed — great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me!

✦BENEDICTION

✦CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

✦POSTLUDE: “Near the Cross” William H. Doane; arr. Molly Ijames

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Sermon Notes

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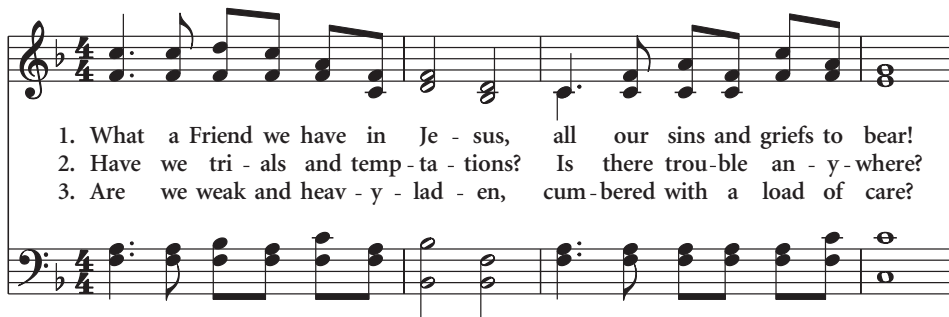
Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.

♣CALL TO WORSHIP.....Denny Catalano

♣WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS CONVERSE

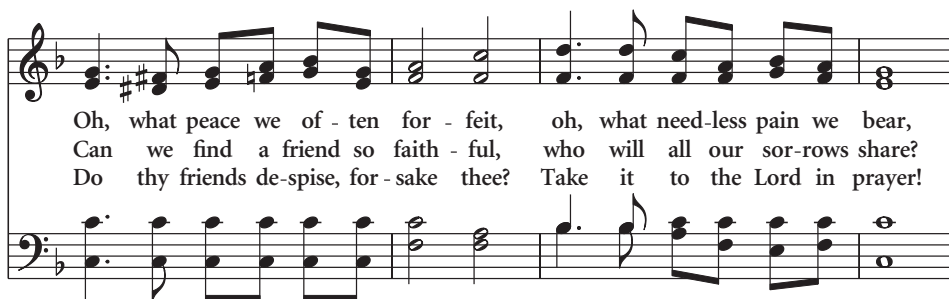
Words: Joseph Scriven / Music: Charles C. Converse / Philippians 4:6



1. What a Friend we have in Je - sus, all our sins and griefs to bear!
2. Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions? Is there trou - ble an - y - where?
3. Are we weak and heav - y - lad - en, cum - bered with a load of care?



What a priv - i - lege to car - ry ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer!
We should nev - er be dis - cour - aged; take it to the Lord in prayer!
Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our ref - uge — take it to the Lord in prayer!



Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit, oh, what need - less pain we bear,
Can we find a friend so faith - ful, who will all our sor - rows share?
Do thy friends de - spise, for - sake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!



all be - cause we do not car - ry ev - 'ry-thing to God in prayer.
Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry weak - ness — take it to the Lord in prayer!
In his arms he'll take and shield thee; thou wilt find a so - lace there.

♣INVOCATION

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CHRIST, OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH . . . Keith and Kristyn Getty, Matt Boswell, Matt Papa

Words and Music: Jordan Kauflin, Keith Getty, Matt Boswell, Matt Papa, and Matthew Merker

✦ *Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction*



1. What is our hope in life and death? Christ a - lone, Christ a - lone.
2. What truth can calm the trou - bled soul? God is good, God is good.
3. Un - to the grave, what shall we sing? "Christ, He lives! Christ, He lives!"



What is our on - ly con - fi - dence? That our souls to Him be - long.
Where is His grace and good - ness known? In our great Re - deem - er's blood.
And what re - ward will heav - en bring? Ev - er - last - ing life with Him.



Who holds our days with-in His hand? What comes, a - part from His com-mand?
Who holds our faith when fears a - rise? Who stands a - bove the storm-y trial?
There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be de-stroyed,



And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh un - to the shore, the rock of Christ?
and we will feast in end - less joy, when Christ is ours for - ev - er - more.

Chorus



O sing, ha - le - lu - jah! Our hope springs e - ter - nal,



O sing, ha - le - lu - jah, now and ev - er we con - fess,



Christ our hope in life and death.

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....James 1:1-12
(page 1011 in pew Bible)

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

SERMON: Defiant JoyBarton Kimbro

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

NO. 60: MY SHEPHERD WILL SUPPLY MY NEED.....RESIGNATION

Words: Isaac Watts / Music: Freeman Lewis's Beauties of Harmony; harm. Shelby Trapp / Psalm 23



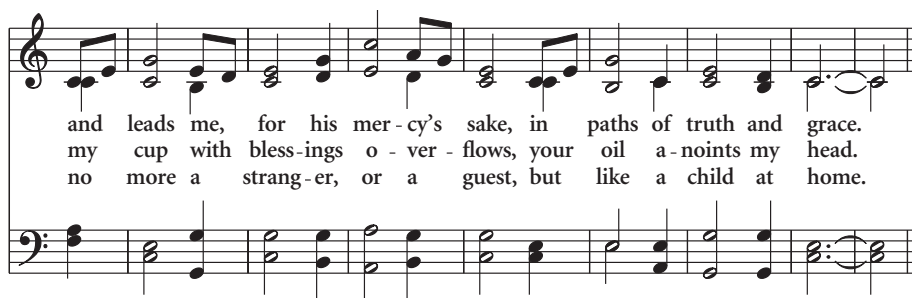
1. My Shep-herd will sup - ply my need; Je - ho - vah is his name;
2. When I walk through the shades of death your pres-ence is my stay;
3. The sure pro - vi - sions of my God at - tend me all my days;



in pas - tures fresh he makes me feed, be - side the liv - ing stream.
one word of your sup - port - ing breath drives all my fears a - way.
O may your house be my a - bode, and all my work be praise.



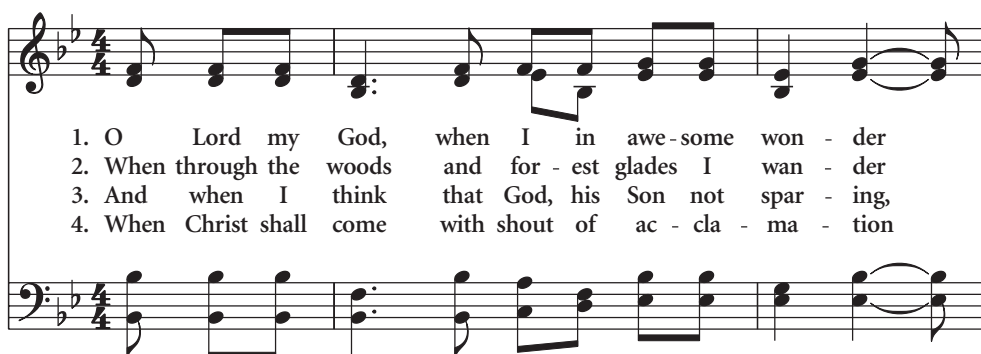
He brings my wan-d'ring spir - it back, when I for - sake his ways;
Your hand, in sight of all my foes, does still my ta - ble spread;
There would I find a set - tled rest, while oth - ers go and come;



and leads me, for his mer-cy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.
 my cup with bless-ings o-ver-flows, your oil a-noints my head.
 no more a strang-er, or a guest, but like a child at home.

♦HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: NO. 28: HOW GREAT THOU ART Yolanda Adams

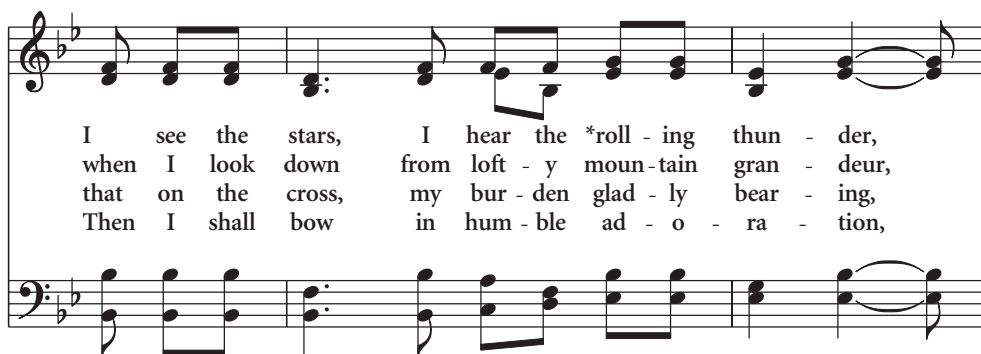
Words: Stuart Hine / Music: Yolanda Adams / Psalm 48:1



1. O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won-der
 2. When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der
 3. And when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing,
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion



con-sid-er all the *worlds thy hands have made,
 and hear the birds sing sweet-ly in the trees,
 sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
 and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!



I see the stars, I hear the *roll-ing thun-der,
 when I look down from loft-y moun-tain gran-deur,
 that on the cross, my bur-den glad-ly bear-ing,
 Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-ra-tion,

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thy pow'r through - out the u - ni - verse dis - played.
and hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze;
he bled and died to take a - way my sin.
and there pro - claim, my God, how great thou art.

Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to thee: how great thou
art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to
thee: how great thou art, how great thou art!

✦BENEDICTION

✦THE BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you,
Make His face shine upon you, and be gracious to you.
The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace.
Amen, amen, amen.

✦Indicates congregation standing

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MEMPHIS FELLOWS

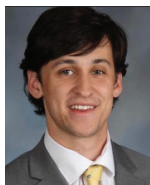
Welcome to the 2022–23 Class of Fellows! The Fellows Program is an intensely practical nine-month spiritual and vocational leadership program that prepares the Fellows to live a seamless life of faith. The program includes a part-time job in a field of interest, biblical coursework, Bible study, mentoring, and service. All of this takes place in community within the context of the local church. This is our 18th class of Fellows at Second Presbyterian Church!



Anna Handloser graduated from Arkansas State University with a degree in Strategic Communications and a minor in Theatre. She is originally from Sheridan, Arkansas. In her free time, she likes to play guitar, sew, run, and play with her dogs. This year, she's eager to be a part of the 2PC community and grow in biblical knowledge. She will be working at Monogram Foods, mentored by Stacey Hays, and living with Brandon, Rachel, Blake, Andrew, and Evan Hammons.



Yasmine (Yas) Isom graduated from Southeast Missouri State University with a degree in Business Administration. She is originally from St. Louis. In her free time, Yas enjoys playing sports, listening to music, singing, dancing, playing instruments, and making music of her own. This year, she's eager to experience Christ-centered community with the Fellows. She will be working at The Salvation Army, mentored by Lacey Moody, and living with Brian, Ann, Matthew, Micah, and Suzanne Lankford.



Clayton (Mosie) Kirby graduated from the University of Mississippi with a degree in Accounting. He is originally from Ocean Springs, Mississippi. For fun, Mosie enjoys playing chess, music, and pickleball, as well as working out. This year, he hopes to grow closer to God, experience deep community with the Fellows, and make life-long friends. He will be working at Advance Memphis, mentored by Bill Overcast, and living with Seth, Julia, Adam, Merritt, and Lawson Harkins.



KeNasha (Keke) Moffett graduated from the University of Memphis with a degree in Psychology (minor in Child Development). She is originally from Chicago. In her free time, she enjoys listening to music and hanging out with friends. This year, she hopes to learn more about God and His Word as well as gain community as she transitions from the college context. She will be working with the CPC and the 2PC Children's Ministry, mentored by Maddy Bobango, and living with Allison Garrett.



Edy Smith graduated with a degree in Finance from the University of Tennessee. She is originally from Florence, Alabama. In her free time, she likes to go for walks, play pickle ball, and enjoy good coffee. She's eager to get involved with our church and hopes to achieve a better knowledge of how to be both a disciple and a disciple-maker. Her workplace is to be determined, but she will be mentored by Katie Harris and will live with Walt, Betsy, Hunter, Graham, and Hutch Wepfer.

Fellows Steering Committee: Kem Wilson, *Chair*; Larry Higginbotham, *Admissions Chair*; Barton Kimbro, *Pastoral Liaison*; Debbie Perkins, *Mentor Chair*; Vicki Simmons, *Speaker Series Chair and TFI Board Member*; Reid Wesson, *Work Placement Chair*; Deborah Coleman, *Director*

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Caring Ministry Update

Sympathy to:

Ashli Avis on the death of her father, *John Neil Avis*, August 31, 2022.

Adele Wellford on the death of her daughter, *Eliza Wellford Fletcher*, September 2, 2022. Mrs. Fletcher was the wife of Richie Fletcher and the mother of James and Ford.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Zampini who were married on September 1, 2022. Mrs. Zampini is the former Linda Coyle.

In the Hospital (as of 9/7/22):

Eva Miller, *Methodist Germantown*
Benjamin Robbins, *LeBonheur*
Jim Spratley, *Jordan River Health Center*

Weekly Prayer Focus

World Missions—Dean and Kyria: Dean and Kyria returned to the U.S. last summer for medical leave, and since then, they have transitioned out of work in Central Asia, welcomed their firstborn, Thomas, and found successful treatment for Dean's Achilles heel injury. They are seeking the Lord's guidance for their next assignment. Their recent consultations with their agency and others have led them to some possibilities in Ethiopia. They are planning a field visit in November. Serving there would require a work visa, so their trip will include exploring what types of jobs they could find. They send many thanks to all who have sustained them through prayer and support and are asking for wisdom, guidance, and peace as they travel with baby Thomas for the first time.

Domestic Missions—Restore Corps: Restore Corps exists to eradicate human trafficking by empowering survivors, equipping communities, and seeking justice through systemic change. Their vision is to see a slave-free community through the rehabilitation of survivors and a community galvanized against human trafficking. Restore Corps praises God for their first psychoeducational group, where a cohort of 15 participants processed complex trauma related to human trafficking. Pray for the survivors who have recently transitioned into long-term independent housing, that they would stay encouraged as they navigate this new season. Pray as well for survivors working within the immigration system, particularly those seeking citizenship. Finally, pray for God to sustain and strengthen Restore Corps staff.

2PC Ministry—Memphis Fellows: The Fellows Program is a nine-month spiritual and vocational leadership program that prepares recent college graduates to live a seamless life of faith. Praise God for our 2023 Memphis Fellows: Anna, Edy, KeKe, Mosie, and Yas. Please pray for their transition to Memphis and for them to develop deep community this year. Pray for their host families, workplaces, and mentors—may God accomplish His purposes in each of these areas of their lives. Pray for our Fellows to cultivate a love for Memphis as they serve our city. Finally, pray that they'll experience the joys of being a part of the 2PC family.

September Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of: *Meredith Fox* by Terri, Roy, Roy III, and Margaux; *Demetra Patton Quinn* by her children and her grandchildren; *Reverend Tim Russell* by Katherine W. Russell; *Forrest Spence* by his parents, Brittany and David, and his siblings, Austin, Miller, and Maggie; *Stanley Huggins* by his family; and in honor of: *Jeanne Broemmelsick Smith's birthday* by her daughters.

Fall at Second

Visit 2pc.org/fall for a list of Bible studies for adults and programs for youth and children as well support ministries and special events.

Save the Dates:

9/16: 2PC Kids Family Game Night

9/18: CityServe Food Drive Ends

10/2: Gathering on the Grounds

Wednesday Night Meals

Join us from 5:00-6:15 p.m. each Wednesday for a fresh-cooked family meal from the 2PC kitchen with your church community.

An option of a hot meal or salad is available; both with various desserts. Visit 2pc.org/fall to view the menu. Payment is taken at the door (cash or credit card); \$8 for adults and \$4 for kids.

CityServe Food Drive Deadline Next Sunday

Through September 18, we are collecting food and other necessary supplies for the most vulnerable in our city. Drop-off barrels are located throughout the hallways (near the Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall as well as in the Recreation Lobby). Visit 2pc.org/fooddrive for the list of most-needed items.

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