

ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP of GOD

August 23, 2015

Welcome to Second Presbyterian Church.
May our worship open our hearts to God's love,
our eyes to God's beauty, our minds to God's truth,
and our will to God's service.



Tonight begin a three-week series on Renewal – focusing on the three core statements of our D6 (Deuteronomy 6) initiative: The Lord is our primary devotion; The Church is our primary community; and Building God's Kingdom is our primary responsibility.

God Calls Us Into His Presence and Receives Our Praises

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God Calls Us to Offer Ourselves to Him

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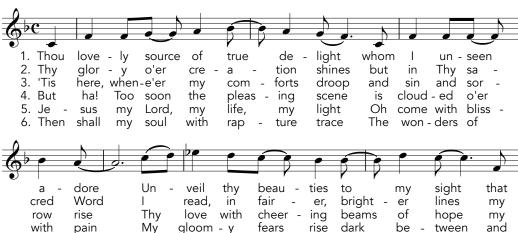
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"Thou Lovely Source of True Delight"...... Anne Steele, Kevin Twit



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PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

†GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We ask that everyone, including members and visitors, write their names, addresses, and other information in the spaces provided on the attendance pad as it is passed down the row.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Josh and Melissa Baker; Stephen Owenby; Hannah Whitehouse

God Speaks to Us His Word

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON Renewal: Our Primary Devotion

Todd Erickson
Pastoral Executive

God Invites Us to His Table

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

All those who have publicly professed their faith and joined a Christian church as a communing member are warmly welcomed to receive communion tonight. Non-communing worshipers are encouraged to contemplate the love of Jesus Christ during this time.

We encourage children not to take communion until they have joined the church as communicant members. We do, however, encourage non-communing children to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing. Those wishing to be served communion together as a group or family, please stand together in front of the two serving elders before taking the elements.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Gluten free bread is offered in the center aisle.

SONGS FOR THE TABLE

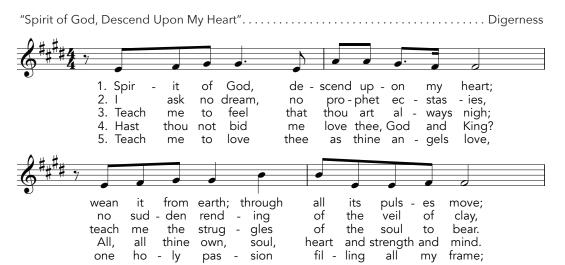
"My Jesus, I Love Thee" CARITAS

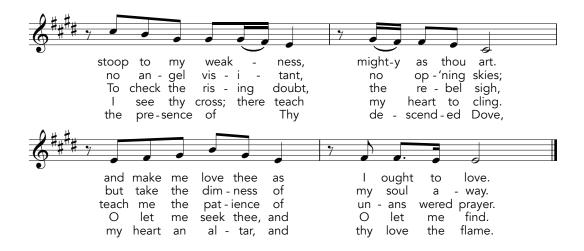
My Jesus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine; For Thee all the follies of sin I resign. My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou; If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love Thee because Thou has first loved me, And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree. I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow; If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love Thee in life, I will love Thee in death, And praise Thee as long as Thou lendest me breath; And say when the death dew lies cold on my brow, If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow; If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.





Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly, While the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high. Hide me, O my Savior, hide, 'til life's storm is past; Safe into the haven guide; receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none, I helpless, hang on Thee; Leave, oh leave me not alone, support and comfort me. All my trust on Thee is stayed, all help from Thee I bring; Cover my defenseless head in the shadow of Thy wing.

Thou, O Christ, are all I want, here more than all I find; Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind. Just and holy is Thy Name, I am all unrighteousness; False and full of sin I am; Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found, grace to cover all my sin; Let the healing streams abound; make and keep me pure within. Thou of life the fountain art, let me take of Thee; Spring Thou up within my heart; for all eternity.

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out to Serve

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

- **†**BENEDICTION
- ♦ Indicates congregation standing

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Praise and Worship Band: Michael Parsons, Robb Roaten, Kurt Ruleman, Steve Hancock, Christy Young, Claire Warlick, Gabe Statom

New Members



Josh & Melissa Baker



Stephen Owenby



Hannah Whitehouse

Getting Connected at Second

To find out more about who we are and how you can become part of our church community, contact Todd Erickson at (901) 531-8895 or todd.erickson@2pc.org.

Sermon Notes

