

A red square with a distressed, hand-painted edge. Inside the square, the words "Sunday Night Worship" are written in a white, serif font, stacked vertically.

Sunday Night Worship

April 17, 2016

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.

PHILIPPIANS

All About the Gospel

CURRENT SERIES

God Calls Us Into His Presence and Receives Our Praises

✦ CALL TO WORSHIP Michael Davis
Assistant Pastor, Young Adults

✦ "Arise, My Soul, Arise" Charles Wesley, Kevin Twit

**Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears;
The bleeding sacrifice, on my behalf appears;
Before the throne my Surety stands,
Before the throne my Surety stands,
My name is written on His hands.**

Chorus

***Arise, arise, arise. Arise, my soul, arise.
Arise, arise, arise. Arise, my soul, arise.
Shake off your guilty fears and rise.***

**He ever lives above, for me to intercede;
His all redeeming love, His precious blood, to plead;
His blood atoned for every race,
His blood atoned for every race,
And sprinkles now the throne of grace.**

Chorus

**Five bleeding wounds He bears; received on Calvary;
They pour effectual prayers; they strongly plead for me:
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"Nor let that ransomed sinner die!"**

Chorus

**My God is reconciled; His pardoning voice I hear;
He owns me for His child; I can no longer fear
With confidence I now draw nigh,
With confidence I now draw nigh,
And "Father, Abba, Father," cry.**

Chorus

✦ PRAYER OF ADORATION

God Calls Us to Offer Ourselves to Him

WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

"Jesus, with Thy Church Abide" Christopher Miner, Thomas Benson Pollock

**Jesus, with Thy church abide, be her Savior, Lord, and Guide,
While on earth her faith is tried: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**Keep her life and doctrine pure; grant her patience to endure,
Trusting in Thy promise sure: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she one in doctrine be, one in truth and charity,
Winning all to faith in Thee: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she guide the poor and blind, seek the lost until she find,
And the broken-hearted bind: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she holy triumphs win, overthrow the hosts of sin,
Gather all the nations in: We beseech Thee, hear us.**

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ 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.

COMMISSIONING OUR DOMESTIC YOUTH MISSION TEAMS Dick Cain
Pastoral Team Leader

Baltimore (Sr. High, May 28- June 4): Jackson Bridgforth, Maeji Brown, Frazer Campbell, Laura Carrier, Merrill Culpepper, George Glassell, Miller Grissing, Kathryn Haynes, Mary Banks Hickman, Allie Johnston, Jacob Jorgensen, Will Nearn, Catey Nelson, Emma Peebles, Tyler Rakers, Georgianna Wells, Macy Williams, Henry Wood

Dallas (Jr. High, June 5-11): Caroline Alexander, Grace Bennett, Jane Clare Braswell, Abby Brown, Hadden Burgess, Ruthie Burgess, Walker Burks, Eleanor Campbell, Doug Curtis, Carrington Davis, Nathan Deacon, McRae Dickinson, Robert Dickinson, Joyner Franklin, Barbara Hale, Emma Hays Gibson, Elijah Graham, Elizabeth Grinder, Brooke Grissing, Fraser Johnston, Jack Laughlin, Travis Lewis, Eli Maxwell, McLean Meeks, Carter Patikas, Emma Prather, Brittain Rauls, Katherine Redd, Bailey Roux, Claire Schneider, Caroline Shepherd, Witt Smith, Amelia Steiner, Coley Stout, Mia Temme, Rivers Veazey, J.P. Wood

New Orleans (Jr. High, July 17-23): Caroline Bennett, Henry Bridgforth, Charlie Eason, Darnell Hargrove, Abby Hays, Elizabeth Ann Hickman, Maley Horn, Wyatt Martin, Anna Grace McCarty, Natalie Murrah, Achol Nebk, Sofia Sampietro, Lily Saunders, Anne Sexton, Patton Shaw, Anne Wilkes Skipworth, Virginia Tabor, Aaron Voehringer, Mayers Wallace, Shade Webb, Graham West, Townes Wilkinson, Ellia Wilson

God Speaks to Us His Word

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 4:2-3
(page 982 in the church Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Experience the Gospel: New Relationships

Mike Stokke
Assistant Pastor
Middle Adults

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.

Gluten-free bread is offered in the center aisle.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SONGS FOR THE TABLE

"All Creatures of Our God and King" LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing, alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
Thou silver moon with softer gleam,
O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along, O praise Him, alleluia!
Thou rising morn in praise rejoice,
Ye lights of evening, find a voice,
O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
 Make music for thy Lord to hear, alleluia, alleluia!
 Thou fire so masterful and bright,
 That givest man both warmth and light,
 O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

And all ye men of tender heart,
 Forgiving others, take your part, O sing ye, alleluia!
 Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
 Praise God and on Him cast your care,
 O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,
 And worship Him in humbleness, O praise Him, alleluia!
 Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
 And praise the Spirit, three in one,
 O praise Him, O praise Him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

“Beneath the Cross of Jesus” Keith and Kristyn Getty



1. Be - neath the cross of Je - sus I find a place to stand,
 2. Be - neath the cross of Je - sus, His fam - ily is my own.
 3. Be - neath the cross of Je - sus, the path be-fore the crown.



and won - der at such mer - cy that calls me as I am.
 Once stran-gers chas-ing self - ish dreams; Now, one through grace a - lone.
 We fol - low in His foot - steps where prom - ised hope is found.



For hands that should dis - card me hold wounds which tell me come.
 How could I now dis - hon - or the ones that You have loved?
 How great the joy be - fore us to be His per - fect bride.



Be - neath the cross of Je - sus my un - wor - thy soul is won.
 Be - neath the cross of Je - sus, see the child - ren called by God.
 Be - neath the cross of Je - sus, we will glad - ly live our lives.



1. E - ter - nal God, un - chang - ing, mys - te - ri - ous and un - known;
2. Lord, we are weak and frail, help - less in the storm.
3. Let ev - 'ry crea - ture in the sea and ev - 'ry fly - ing bird,



Your bound - less love, un - fail - ing, grace and mer - cy shown.
Sur - round us with Your an - gels, hold us in Your arms.
Let ev - 'ry moun - tain, ev - 'ry field and val - ley of the earth;



Bright ser - a - phim in cease - less flight a - round Your glo - ri - ous throne;
Our cold and ruth - less en - e - my, his pleas - ure is our harm.
Let all the moons and all the stars in all the u - ni - verse



They raise their voic - es day and night in praise to You a - lone.
Rise up, O Lord, and he will flee be - fore our sov - 'reign God.
Sing prais - es to the liv - ing God who rules them by His Word.

Refrain



Hal - le - lu - jah! Glo - ry be to our great God!



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God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out to Serve

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

♠BENEDICTION

♠Indicates congregation standing

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