

ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP of GOD

February 9, 2025 Season of Epiphany

Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

The order of worship for the evening service begins on page 7.

BEHOLD THE KING OF GLORY

Roll, Jordan, roll; roll, Jordan, roll.

I want to go to heaven when I die, to hear Jordan roll.

Oh, brothers, you ought t'have been there.

Yes, my Lord! A sitting in the Kingdom, to hear Jordan roll.

Oh, preachers, you ought t'have been there.

Yes, my Lord! A sitting in the Kingdom, to hear Jordan roll.

My Lord, what a morning; my Lord, what a morning;

Oh, my Lord, what a morning, when the stars begin to fall, when the stars begin to fall.

You'll hear the trumpet sound, to wake the nations underground, Looking to my God's right hand, when the stars begin to fall.

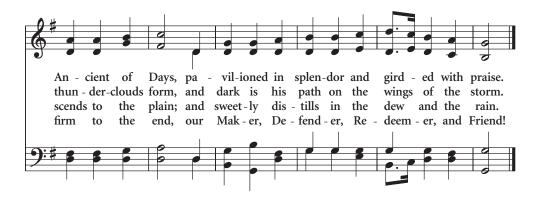
Leo Davis, organ

 *CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 145:1-3
 Todd Erickson

 \$\PMN \text{ OF PRAISE: No. 5 "O Worship the King"}
 LYONS

Words: Robert Grant / Music: Joseph Martin Kraus; harm. William Gardiner / Psalm 145:10





†INVOCATION

RECEIVE HIS MERCY AND GRACE

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Heavenly Father, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden:
Cleanse our impure thinking and living so that we might take captive every thought to obey Jesus. Forgive our idolatry and our failure to love You and others. Transform us by Your Holy Spirit so that we might be and live as the faithful bride of Christ. We pray in His matchless name.

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

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. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

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Words: Henry F. Lyte / Music: Moses Hogan / I John 3:24

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide; the darkness deepens, Lord with me abide. When other helpers fail and comforts flee, help of the helpless, O abide with me. I need Thy presence every passing hour. What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power? Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me. O Thou who changest not, abide with me. In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me. Amen.

The Chancel Choir Calvin Ellis, director

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATING THE OFFERING: A VISION FOR SENDING

OBEY HIS LIFE-GIVING WORD

♦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.

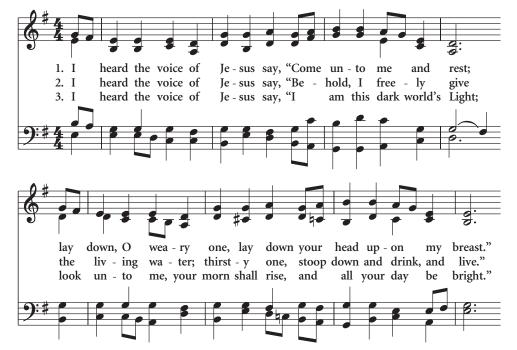
Give us this day our daily bread.

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: Horatius Bonar / Music: Trad. English melody; arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams / Matthew 11:28-30





SCRIPTURE LESSON. ... Ephesians 4:17-24 (page 978 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

SERMON: Renewal. George Robertson

- I. Put Off the Old Self (17-19)
 - A. Ethnically Defined (17)
 - B. Mentally Darkened (18)
 - C. Volitionally Callous (19, 22)
- II. Put On the New Self (20-23)
 - A. Christ Taught (20-21)
 - B. Mentally Renewed (23)
 - C. Holistically Restored Image of God (24)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

Words: Horatio G. Spafford / Music: Philip P. Bliss; arr. Paul Roberts / Philippians 4:7



†BENEDICTION

 \$BENEDICTION RESPONSE
 VILLE DU HAVRE

It is well with my soul;

It is well, it is well with my soul.

POSTLUDE: Toccata on "Lift Every Voice and Sing" arr. Mark A. Miller

♦ *Indicates congregation standing*

Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

CALL TO WORSHIP	. Barton Kimbro
THANKSGIVING (WHAT SHALL WE DO?)	Gas Street Music

Words and Music: Nick Herbert, Taku Mudere, Zo Ross-Waddel / Psalm 100:4

Enter in (Enter in)
His courts with praise (His courts with praise),
For He is greatly (He is greatly)
To be praised (to be praised).

What shall we do? We shall lift up a shout! What shall we do? We shall praise Him! What shall we do, for our God made a way? We'll give Him our thanksgiving.

Magnify (Magnify) His Holy Name (His Holy Name), For He is greatly (For He is greatly) To be praised (To be praised).

Even if the rocks cry out, we're gonna drown them out With a louder shout of praise. Even when the battles roar, we're gonna praise the Lord, Cause You are always worthy.

You are worthy, worthy of honor and praise. You are worthy, we'll sing it again and again.

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Words and Music: Jonny Robinson, Rich Thompson; arr. Grant Wall / Ephesians 6:10-11

♦ Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction



- 1. Mine are days that God has num bered; I was made to walk with Him.
- un der stood.
- Mine are tears in times of sor row, dark ness not yet
 Mine are days here as a stran ger, pil grim on a nar - row



look for world - ly treas - ure and for - sake the King of kings. I must trav - el where I val - ley see no earth - ly One with Christ I will en - coun - ter harm and ha - tred for His name.



But mine is Re - deem - er; though I fall, His love is hope in my But mine is peace that flows from heav-en, and the strength in times of need. But mine is ar - mor for this bat - tle strong e - nough to last the ci - ty where be - side the King I And mine are keys to Zi - on



For Christ has paid for ev-'ry fail-ing; I His for - ev - er - more. pain will not be wast - ed; Christ com - pletes His work in me. I know my said He will de - liv - er safe - ly and He has to the gold-en shore. heart has found its treas-ure; Christ is For there my mine for - ev - er - more.





Fear is gone and hope is sure; Christ is mine for - ev - er - more.

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SERMON: He Never Stood Alone	
PRAYER OF COMMITMENT	
Sermon Notes	

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INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

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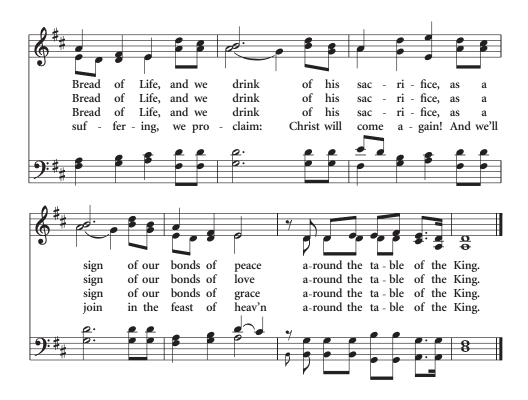
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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

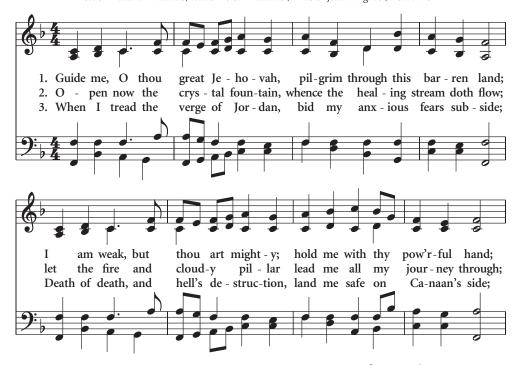
Words and Music: Keith and Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend / Ezekiel 44:16





†HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: NO. 485 "GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH" . . . CWM RHONDDA

Words: William Williams; trans. Peter Williams | Music: John Hughes | Psalm 48:14



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- ♦ Indicates congregation standing

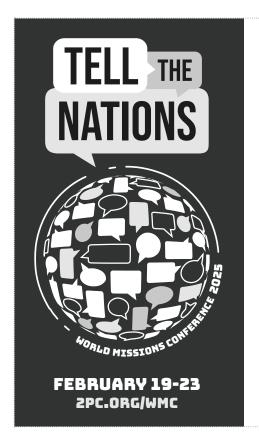
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In addition, he is an adjunct professor at Beeson Divinity School, where he also cochairs the advisory board.



Our annual World Missions Conference is February 19-23! We can't wait for the opportunity for all ages to be encouraged by what God is doing across the globe. It's also a chance for us to become better equipped to partner in His mission of sharing the gospel to the ends of the earth.

We'll be joined by 15 visiting partners, our very own Andy Cheely will be our speaker, and Andrew Peterson and Sandra McCracken will lead us in worship on Sunday night, February 23, to close out the conference!

Tickets are on sale—\$25 per adult and \$10 per child, which covers all events and meals.

Also, volunteers are needed for KidMission. Sign up to travel to Egypt, the UAE, Lebanon, and Iran with our kids and missionaries on Friday evening and Saturday morning!

View the Schedule, Sign Up to Volunteer, and Get Tickets >>





AN EVENING OF WORSHIP

ANDREW PETERSON SANDRA McCRACKEN



FEBRUARY 23 · 6:00 PM · SANCTUARY

Join the Choir for the Concert

We invite you to join the worship choir for Andrew Peterson and Sandra McCracken at the grand finale of our World Missions Conference on February 23! Whether you're an experienced singer or just love to lift your voice, this is a wonderful opportunity to be part of something special. All ages, 7th grade and up, are welcome to participate—visit 2pc.org/wmc to sign up!

Caring Ministry Update

Sympathy to:

The family of *Susan "Sue" K. Dewald* on her death, January 30, 2025.

Congratulations to:

Jonathan and Lindsey Blackmon on the birth of a daughter, *Frances Melinda Blackmon*, January 30, 2025. In the Hospital: (as of 2/5/25)

Lynn Ballinger, Village at Germantown Rehab (no visitors)

Patsy Karnowsky, Baptist Memphis

Weekly Prayer Focus

World Missions—George Tolias: We thank God for the service of Pastor George Tolias, his wife, Phaedra, and their children, Olivia, Nikolas, and Zoe who serve at Glyfada Evangelical Church in Athens, Greece. Pray for the Lord to bless Glyfada's worship services focused on Biblical hospitality and for their ministry to adults, children, and teens. Pray for the Holy Spirit to empower those serving in various outreach programs, particularly to refugees coming from the Middle East. Ask the Lord to open hearts and minds to receive the gospel. We thank our Father that George will be at our upcoming World Missions Conference, and we pray for our members to be touched by his stories and receive a greater vision for Kingdom ministry.

Mission Memphis-Memphis Family Connection Center: Memphis Family Connection Center supports hope and healing by increasing access to holistic care for families impacted by adverse childhood experiences and trauma. Families are served through three primary programs: clinical services, community training and implementation, and development of resources that inform better care practices, prioritizing root causes and community support. Please pray for families to experience hope and healing through these various services. Pray also that God would provide the needed volunteers to run MFCC programs. Finally, pray that God would continue to strengthen the support provided to TN DCS through trauma-informed coaching and implementation.

2PC Ministry–Campus Outreach: Campus Outreach is a global network of ministries working through local churches to reach and develop the next generation of Christ-centered leaders on university campuses. Their mission is to glorify God by building laborers for the lost world (Matthew 9:35-38). Please pray for the work God is doing through Campus Outreach Memphis. Pray for the hundreds of students involved in small groups and discipleship groups, that they would grow deeper in their walk with Jesus and be equipped to make disciples. As students plan for spring and summer, pray that they would choose paths that draw them closer to God and His mission. Specifically, lift up the staff and students at the University of Memphis and Rhodes College, that they would be surrounded by loving community—especially here at Second.

February Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of: David G. Williams, Sr., Anne and Ernest B. Williams, Jr., and Ernest B. Williams III by Billie Anne Williams and family; Dee Bonner and Agnes Perkins by Debbie and Mark Perkins; Dial Boyle Jackson by her children and grandchildren; our dear parents, Polly and Evan Fellman, by their devoted daughters, Joanne Fleming and Peg Stringer; Robert Tipton Jr.'s birthday by Deborah and Mary Elisabeth Tipton; Robert Y. Fleming by his wife Joanne and his family; and in honor of: Gray Morrison by her daughters and grandchildren.

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