



ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP *of* GOD

June 14, 2026
Trinity Season

Morning Worship

8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

The order of worship for the evening service begins on page 11.

Prelude: The prelude is a time for quiet reflection and preparation. As the music begins, worshipers are invited to center their hearts on God and enter the presence of the Holy.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

PRELUDE: "Folk Tune" Percy Whitlock

Leo Davis, organ

♣CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 103:1-5..... Chuck Jacob

Call to Worship: God invites us into His presence to worship in spirit and in truth—beginning a dialogue that continues throughout the service.

♣HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 32 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" LOBE DEN HERREN

Words: Joachim Neander / Music: Stralsund Gesangburch / Psalm 103

1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre - a -
2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so won - drous - ly reign -
3. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy work and de - fend
4. Praise to the Lord, who with mar - vel - ous wis - dom hath made
5. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a - dore

tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and sal -
eth, shel - ters thee un - der his wings, yea, so gent - ly sus -
thee! Sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy here dai - ly at -
thee, decked thee with health, and with lov - ing hand guid - ed and
him! All that hath life and breath, come now with prais - es be -

◆INVOCATION

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Invocation: The word invocation means “to appeal to” or “cry out to.” In this prayer, we lift our hands and call on our Father to come and help us worship Him for who He is and all He has done.

SOLO OFFERTORY: “There Is a Balm in Gilead” Mark Hayes

Words and Music: African American Spiritual; arr. Mark Hayes / Jeremiah 8:22

There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole;

There is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged and think my work’s in vain,
But then the Holy Spirit revives my soul again.

If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul,
You can tell the love of Jesus, and say, “He died for all.”

Pablo Reyes, soloist

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:15: *At this time, parents may take children to the nursery.*

◆PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

◆HYMN OF PREPARATION: "Goodness of God" CeCe Winans

Words and Music: Ed Cash, Ben Fielding, Jason Ingram, Brian Johnson, Jenn Johnson; arr. Dustin Loehrs / Psalms 103:8



1. I love You, Lord. Oh, your mer - cy nev - er fails me.
2. I love Your voice. You have led me through the fire



All my days I've been held in Your hands.
in dark - est nights, You are close like no oth - er.



From the mo - ment that I wake up un - til I lay my head,
I've known You as a Fa - ther; I've known You as a friend.



oh I will sing of the good-ness of God.
And I have lived in the good-ness of God.

Chorus



All my life You have been faith - ful.



All my life You have been so, so good.



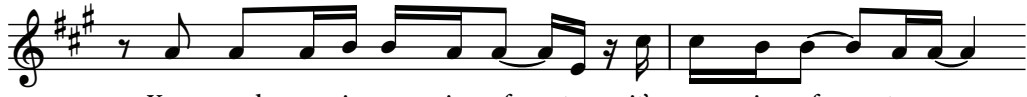
With ev - 'ry breath that I am a - ble,



oh I will sing of the good-ness of God.



Your good - ness is run - ning af - ter, it's run - ning af - ter me.



Your good - ness is run - ning af - ter, it's run - ning af - ter me.



With my life laid down, I'm sur - ren - dered now. I give You ev - 'ry - thing.



Your good - ness is run - ning af - ter, it's run - ning af - ter me.

SCRIPTURE LESSON..... Psalm 13
(page 453 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

SERMON: We Pray ... In Our Pain..... Todd Erickson

- I. Go Directly (v. 1-2)
- II. Ask Boldly (v. 3-4)
- III. Trust Fully (v. 5-6)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

✦PROFESSION OF OUR FAITH The Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man,
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered and was buried;
and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead;
whose Kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together
is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets;
and we believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**universal*

The Nicene Creed, first formulated at the Council of Nicea (325), affirms Biblical truths about the Trinity and the person of Jesus. We use it in worship to profess what we believe about our triune God and His church.

✦GLORIA PATRI GREATOREX

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, amen, amen.**

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Father in heaven,
You have loved us with a love beyond our understanding
and have set us on paths of righteousness for Your name's sake.
Yet, we have not responded as we ought.
We have not trusted Your goodness
nor have we rested in Your promises.
Rather than turning towards You for comfort,
we have turned to things that cannot save.
Forgive us for letting our fears and discouragement
speak louder than Your Word
and for believing that the grace of Your son
is less than sufficient for us.
Have mercy on us, O Lord, in Your loving-kindness.
In Your great compassion,
cleanse us from these and our many other sins.
Restore us to the joy of Your salvation
and sustain us with Your bountiful Spirit,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Friend.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

Assurance of Pardon: Having confessed our sins, the pastor declares God's promise of forgiveness—assuring us that through Christ's atonement, those who truly repent are freed from guilt and shame by His mercy.

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON..... Ephesians 2:4-6

But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ— by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION 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.**

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

No. 606 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"..... ST. COLUMBA

Words: H.W. Baker / Music: Irish Melody; alt. / Psalm 23

1. The King of love my Shep - herd is whose
2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow my
3. Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, but
4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill with
5. Thou spread'st a ta - ble in my sight; thine
6. And so through all the length of days thy

good - ness fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
ran - somed soul he lead - eth, and where the ver - dant
yet in love he sought me, and on his shoul - der
thee, dear Lord, be - side me; thy rod and staff my
unc - tion grace be - stow - eth; and, oh, what trans - port
good - ness fail - eth nev - er: Good Shep - herd, may I

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I am his and he is mine for - ev - er.
 pas - tures grow, with food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
 gent - ly laid, and home, re - joic - ing brought me.
 com - fort still, thy cross be - fore to guide me.
 of de - light from thy pure chal - ice flow - eth.
 sing thy praise with - in thy house for - ev - er.

“Jesus, Thank You”.....ALL TO CHRIST

Words and Music: Pat Sczebel / II Corinthians 9:15

Verse

1. The mys - t'ry of the cross I can - not com - pre - hend,
 2. By Your per - fect sac - ri - fice I've been brought near.

the a - gon - ies of Cal - va - ry.
 Your en - e - my You've made Your friend.

You, the per - fect Ho - ly One, crushed Your Son,
 Pour - ing out the rich - es of Your glo - rious grace,

who drank the bit - ter cup re - served for me.
 Your mer - cy and Your kind - ness know no end.

Chorus

Your blood has washed a - way my sin; Je - sus, thank You. The

Fath - er's wrath com - plete - ly sat - is - fied; Je - sus, thank You.

Once Your en - e - my, now seat - ed at Your ta - ble, Je - sus, thank You.

Bridge

Lov - er of my soul, I want to live for You.

◆HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: No. 571 "Blessed Assurance" ASSURANCE

Words: Fanny J. Crosby / Music: Phoebe Palmer Knapp / Psalm 146:2

1. Bless - ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a fore - taste of
3. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest, I in my Sav - ior am

glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of God,
hap - py and blest; watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a - bove,

Refrain

born of his Spir - it, washed in his blood. This is my sto - ry,
filled with his good - ness, lost in his love.

this is my song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long; this is my

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Sunday Night Worship

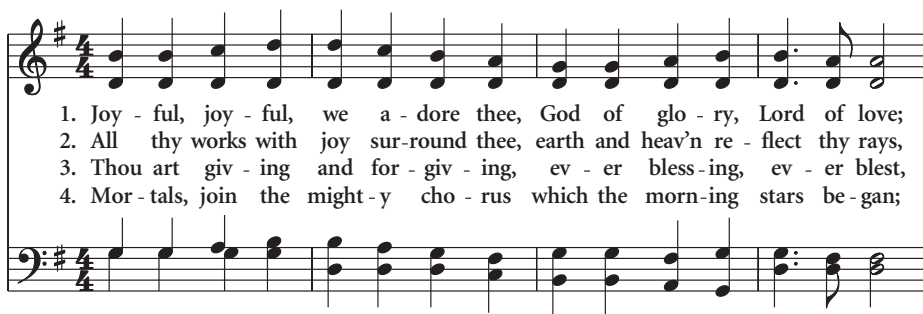
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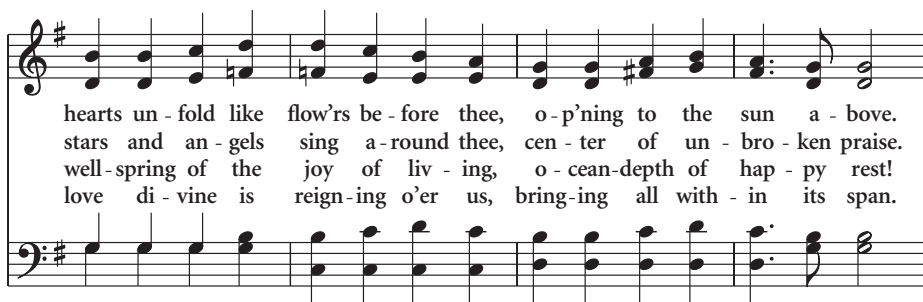
♣CALL TO WORSHIP..... Brett Wynne

♣NO. 91: JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE HYMN TO JOY

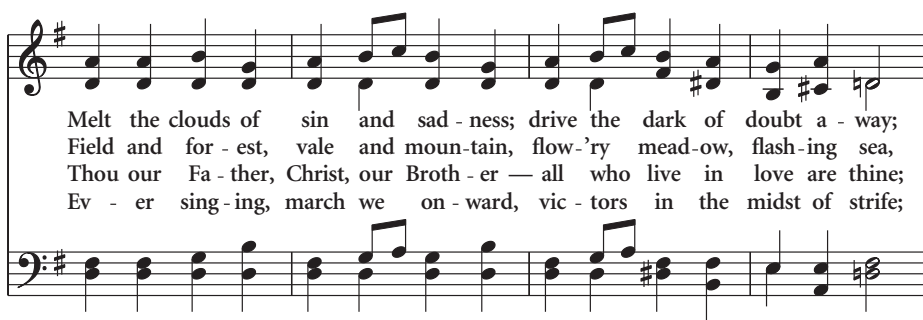
Words: Henry van Dyke / Music: Ludwig van Beethoven / Psalm 71:23



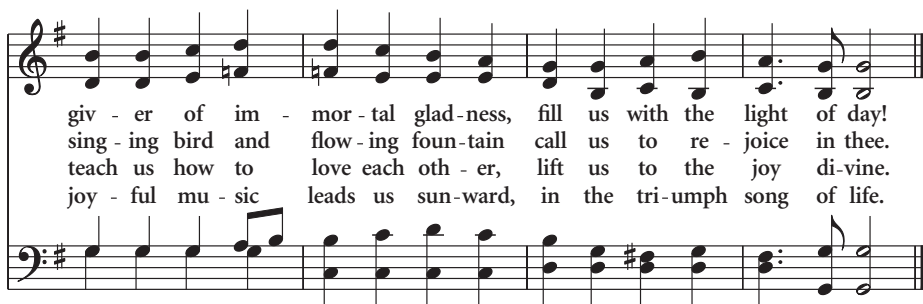
1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
2. All thy works with joy sur-round thee, earth and heav'n re - flect thy rays,
3. Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless-ing, ev - er blest,
4. Mor - tals, join the might - y cho - rus which the morn-ing stars be - gan;



hearts un - fold like flow'rs be - fore thee, o - p'ning to the sun a - bove.
stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.
well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean-depth of hap - py rest!
love di - vine is reign-ing o'er us, bring-ing all with - in its span.



Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; drive the dark of doubt a - way;
Field and for - est, vale and moun-tain, flow-'ry mead-ow, flash-ing sea,
Thou our Fa - ther, Christ, our Broth - er — all who live in love are thine;
Ev - er sing-ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife;



giv - er of im - mor - tal glad-ness, fill us with the light of day!
sing - ing bird and flow - ing foun-tain call us to re - joice in thee.
teach us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the joy di-vine.
joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun-ward, in the tri-umph song of life.

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JESUS BE THE NAMEElevation Worship

Words and Music: Davide Mutendji, Mitch Wong, Tiffany Hudson / Philippians 2:9-11

✦ Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction

1. I could sing Your name for all my life and still find more
2. You have been the friend who nev - er left. I won't for - get

to love each time. Je - sus be the Name ev - er
Your faith - ful - ness.

on my lips. It's sweet - er ev - 'ry time that I call on it.

There's just some - thing 'bout Your Name,

there's just some - thing 'bout Your Name,

there's just some - thing 'bout Your Name that makes me cry ho - ly.

There is no oth - er name, there is no oth - er name,

there is no oth - er name. Je - sus, You're wor - thy.

Je - sus, Your Name is like the morn - ing light, the one
Je - sus, Your Name can save, Your Name can heal, Your Name
Je - sus, the bread of life bro - ken for us, the wound -
Je - sus, the King who o - ver whelmed the grave, the Lord

the dark-ness can't de-ny, the res-ur-rec-tion and the life. Je-sus!
 can make the storm be still. You nev-er fail, You nev-er will.
 -ed and the wor-thy One, the first, the last and soon to come.
 who will for-ev-er reign, the Name a-bove all oth-er names.

✦PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....Mark 14:25-72
 (page 851 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

SERMON: Sovereign Faithfulness.....Damon Conley

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: KING OF KINGS Hillsong Worship

Words and Music: Michael W. Smith, Brooke Ligertwood, Jason Ingram, Scott Ligertwood; arr. Dan Galbraith / Revelation 19:16

**In the darkness, we were waiting without hope, without light,
 'Till from heaven You came running, there was mercy in Your eyes.
 To fulfill the law and prophets, to a virgin came the Word.
 From a throne of endless glory, to a cradle in the dirt.**

Chorus:

Praise the Fa-ther, praise the Son, praise the Spir-it, three in one.

God of glo-ry, Maj-es-ty. Praise for-ev-er to the King of Kings.

**To reveal the Kingdom coming and to reconcile the lost,
 To redeem the whole creation, You did not despise the cross.
 For even in Your suffering, You saw to the other side.
 Knowing this was our salvation, Jesus for our sake You died.**

**And the morning that You rose, all of heaven held its breath
 'Till that stone was moved for good, for the Lamb had conquered death.
 And the dead rose from their tombs, and the angels stood in awe,
 For the souls of all who'd come to the Father are restored.**

**And the church of Christ was born, then the Spirit lit the flame.
 Now this Gospel truth of old shall not kneel, shall not faint.
 By His blood and in His Name, in His freedom I am free,
 For the love of Jesus Christ who has resurrected me.**

✦BENEDICTION

Benediction: God's people receive the Lord's blessing and are sent into the world, carrying the hope of the Gospel.

✦GOSPEL AMEN

✦Indicates congregation standing

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Elders are available following the service for prayer and anointing with oil.

Caring Ministry Update

Congratulations to:

Bri and Brad Morrow on the birth of a son, *William Bradley Morrow*, June 2, 2026. (*Kirby Woods Parish*)

Grace and Christian Kauffman on the birth of a son, *Jonathan Webb Kauffman*, June 4, 2026. (*Graham/Waring Parish*)

In the Hospital: (*as of 6/10/26*)

Jenny Udouj, *Hospice at Home*
(*Shelby Farms Parish*)

Wilson Northcross, *Ave Maria* (*Senior Parish*)

Becky Dickey, *Baptist Rehab*, (*Senior Parish*)

Weekly Prayer Focus

World Missions–John and Dawn: John and Dawn were missionaries in SE Asia for many years prior to John becoming regional director for an agency that plants churches among unreached people groups in that part of the world. John casts vision for God’s glory as he comes along side each church planter, providing leadership skills, joyful encouragement and sustaining prayer. Pray that the Lord will continue to use John to wisely guide and encourage those dear Gospel laborers and bless them to bear eternal fruit. John and Dawn recently visited the Dani people of Papua, where Dawn’s father sowed seeds of truth which the Lord has used to impact thousands of lives for Christ. Pray for Jesus to continue to multiply His followers throughout SE Asia. Pray also for this couple’s four adult children who serve the Lord throughout the world.

Mission Memphis–My Cup of Tea: My Cup of Tea’s mission is to walk with women beyond the boundaries of poverty and neglect and assist them in building stable lives. MCT transforms lives by providing meaningful employment packaging and selling tea, nurturing cross-cultural and trusting relationships, fostering respect and understanding, and prioritizing and demonstrating authentic community with the women they serve and their neighbors in Orange Mound. Please pray for a deeper understanding of the Lord and evidence of it in the ladies’ daily lives. Pray also for growth in the number of customers and donors so they can serve more women. Finally, pray for the ladies to be less financially dependent on government resources and more able to manage their resources toward permanent stability.

2PC Ministry–Elders: Elders at Second are nominated by the congregation and trained, examined, and approved by the Session before being elected by the congregation to oversee the spiritual welfare of the church. They do this by exemplifying Christ-like character, studying and teaching the Scriptures, praying, caring for members experiencing sickness or suffering, and stepping in to guide and warn members straying from the truth. Thank God for our elders and for calling them to their role. Ask God to give them the wisdom they need to fulfill their duties and joy in their work. Finally, ask God to protect the elders from the enemy’s schemes.

June Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of: *Angela Elise Adhiambo Ogweno* by her parents, Cecilia and Philip Ogweno; *Bernice Flinn* by her sons George, Jr., Fred, Carl, and their families; *Brian Bross* by Lida and Walter Bross; *Dial Boyle Jackson* by the Price Morrison family; *Elaine Walker and Nan Landess* by their families; *Herbert (Herbie) Hunt* by his family; *Joe Davis, Jr. and Courtney Davis-McDonnell* by Mrs. Joe Davis, Jr. and Jeffrey Davis; *Milbrey and Milton Knowlton and Alice and Ralph Prichard* by their children Mary Joy and Milton Knowlton, grandsons, Scott and Geoffrey Knowlton, and great grandchildren; **and in gratitude for:** *Deb Coleman* by the Memphis Fellows Alumni.

Make a Joyful Noise with the Women's Choir

If you have not been able to commit to weekly choir but love to sing, the Music Ministry invites you to join the all-women's choir on Father's Day, June 21. All that is required is to come early that morning to the Choir Room at 7:30 a.m. to rehearse!

Summer Opportunities for All Ages!

Summer at Second is filled with opportunities for all ages—from Popsicles on the Playground, Family Art Day, and Mahjong in the Library to Bible studies and fellowship gatherings, a concert for seniors, and connection events throughout the week.

Rejoice Music Arts Camp returns this month for its sixth year! Campers will learn from gifted musicians, artists, and teachers in areas including voice, piano, strings, brass, guitar, percussion, dance, visual art, and music production. Camp is June 22–26, and registration closes tomorrow, June 15.

Rejoice!
MUSIC ARTS CAMP

Also, our youth are meeting throughout the summer for Bible Study, swim nights, and service days! College students are invited to gather on Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. in June and July for Bible study, community, and spiritual growth.

This is only a snapshot of what's going on at Second this Summer! Visit 2pc.org/summer for more details and registration.

Dinner, Solved — Thanks to the 2PC Kitchen Team

Our kitchen staff is serving up a variety of frozen casseroles and soups this summer! Whether you're looking for a quick family meal, something to share with a friend, or a freezer-friendly backup plan, we've got you covered.

No reservation is needed. Simply stop by the kitchen Monday–Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Credit card, debit card, or check only; no cash, please.

Visit 2pc.org/summer to view the menu!

Sunday School in July

July 5 Fellowship Time

On Sunday, July 5, Sunday School classes (all ages) will take a break, but the fellowship doesn't! Join us between the morning services to enjoy coffee, Gibson's donuts, and a relaxed time of connection with your church family.

Special Sunday School Series: July 12, 19 & 26

On the last three Sundays in July, all adults will meet together at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall for a special Sunday School series titled "Before Us: Prayers Shaped by the Character of God." Each week, we'll explore a different aspect of God's character through teaching and personal testimony:

July 12: God's Power: We pray because God is able.

July 19: God's Sovereignty: We pray because God is at work in all things.

July 26: God's Steadfast Love: We pray because God cares for His people.

Join us for these three weeks as we consider how God's character gives us confidence to come before Him in prayer.

General Fund Giving Update

	This Year Budget	This Year Actual	Variance to Budget	Prior Year Actual	Variance to Prior Year
May	\$ 835,045	\$ 755,720	\$ (79,325)	\$ 868,361	\$ (112,641)
YTD 7/1/25–5/31/26	\$ 10,092,953	\$ 9,410,759	\$ (682,194)	\$ 8,822,878	\$ 587,881

*\$1,540,803 is needed to meet the giving budget
for the fiscal year ending June 30.*

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