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October 12, 2025  
*Trinity Season*

# Morning Worship

8:15 a.m.

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

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

## PRAISE HIM

ORGAN PRELUDE: “Prelude In Classic Style” ..... Gordon Young

CALL TO WORSHIP: Isaiah 35:3-6 ..... Chuck Jacob

♦HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 99 “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” ..... AZMON

*Words: Charles Wesley / Music: Carl G. Gläser / Acts 3:8*

1. O for a thou-sand tongues to sing my great Re - deem - er's praise,  
2. My gra-cious Mas - ter and my God, as - sist me to pro - claim,  
3. Je - sus, the name that charms our fears, that bids our sor - rows cease;  
4. He breaks the pow'r of reign - ing sin, he sets the pris - 'ner free;  
5. He speaks and, lis - t'ning to his voice, new life the dead re - ceive;

the glo - ries of my God and King, the tri-umphs of his grace.  
to spread through all the earth a - broad the hon - ors of thy name.  
'tis mu - sic in the sin-ner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.  
his blood can make the foul - est clean, his blood a - vailed for me.  
the mourn - ful, bro - ken hearts re - joice; the hum - ble poor be - lieve.

**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.

✦INVOCATION

✦PSALTER LESSON: Psalm 146 ..... Dan Fore

Praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

**I will praise the Lord as long as I live;**

**I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.**

Put not your trust in princes,  
in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.

**When his breath departs, he returns to the earth;  
on that very day his plans perish.**

Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,

**whose hope is in the Lord his God,  
who made heaven and earth,  
the sea, and all that is in them,**

who keeps faith forever;  
who executes justice for the oppressed,  
who gives food to the hungry.

**The Lord sets the prisoners free;  
the Lord opens the eyes of the blind.**

The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;  
the Lord loves the righteous.

**The Lord watches over the sojourners;  
he upholds the widow and the fatherless,  
but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.**

The Lord will reign forever,  
your God, O Zion, to all generations.

**Praise the Lord!**

✦CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE ..... AZMON

**Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb,  
Your loosened tongues employ;  
Ye blind, behold your Savior come;  
And leap, ye lame, for joy.**

## COME TO HIM

### CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious Father,  
we confess that often we have failed to be Your faithful people:  
we have not done Your will or sought first Your Kingdom;  
we have broken Your law;  
we have rebelled against Your love;  
we have not loved our neighbors;  
we have not heard the cry of the needy.  
Forgive us, we pray.  
Free us for joyful obedience  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Friend.**

**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.

### INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON. . . . . I John 1:9

*If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins  
and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

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INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY: "Variations on SOLID ROCK" . . . . . arr. Asriel Davis

*Leo Davis, organ*

### ✦PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

### ✦GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN. . . . . Lynn Erickson

## FOLLOW HIM

### ✦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: "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy". . . . .James Ryan

Words: Joseph Hart / Music: James Ryan / Matthew 9:13

*Verse*



1. Come, ye sin - ners, poor and need - y, weak and wound - ed, sick and sore;
2. Come, ye thirst - y, come and wel - come, God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy;
3. Come, ye wea - ry, heav - y la - den, lost and ru - ined by the fall;
4. Let not con - science make you lin - ger, nor of fit - ness fond - ly dream;
5. Lo! th'in - car - nate God as - cend - ed, pleads the mer - it of His blood;



Je - sus read - y stands to save you, full of pit - y, love, and pow'r.  
 true be - lief and true re - pen - tance, ev - 'ry grace that brings you nigh.  
 if you tar - ry till you're bet - ter, you will nev - er come at all.  
 all the fit - ness He re - quir - eth is to feel your need of Him.  
 ven - ture on Him, ven - ture whol - ly, let no oth - er trust in - trude.

*Chorus*



I will a - rise and go to Je - sus, He will em - brace me in His arms;



in the arms of my dear Sav - ior, O there are ten thou - sand charms,



O there are ten thou - sand charms.

SCRIPTURE LESSON. . . . .Matthew 6:9-13

(page 811 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,

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

SERMON: The Lord's Prayer: Part 2 . . . . . Todd Erickson

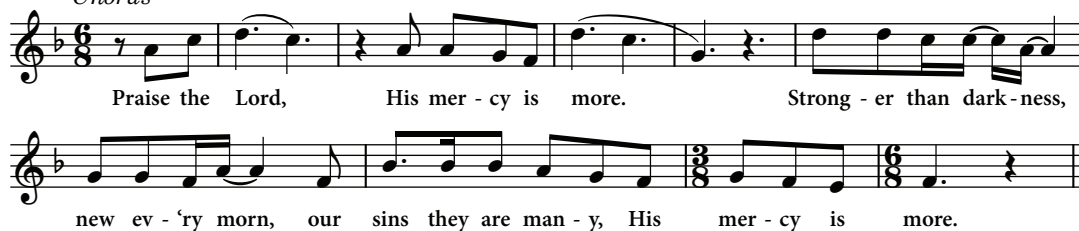
- I. Give Us (v. 11)
- II. Forgive Us (v. 12)
- III. Deliver Us (v. 13)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

♠HYMN OF COMMITMENT: "His Mercy Is More" .....Shane and Shane

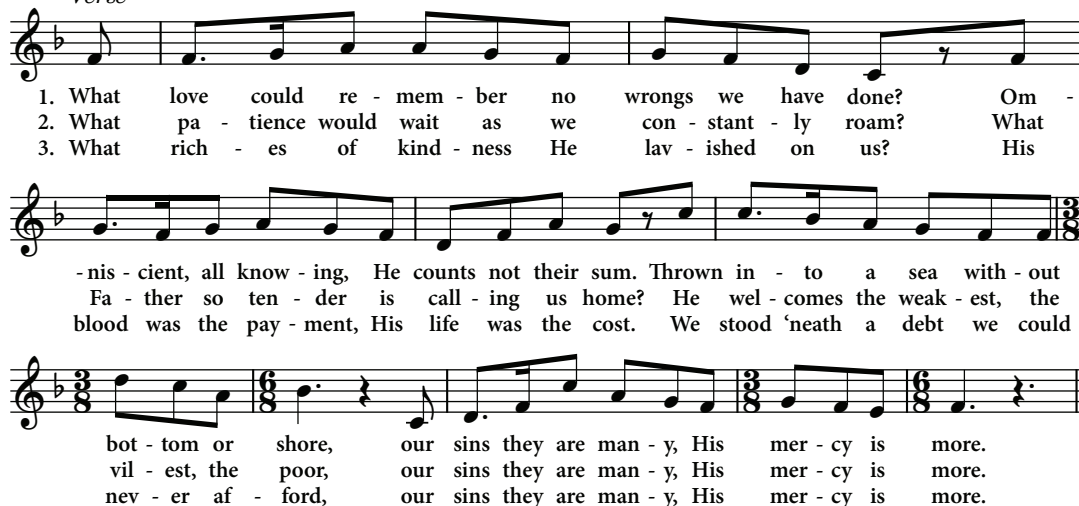
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*Chorus*



Praise the Lord, His mer - cy is more. Strong - er than dark - ness,  
new ev - 'ry morn, our sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.

*Verse*



1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done? Om -  
2. What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam? What  
3. What rich - es of kind - ness He lav - ished on us? His  
- nis - cient, all know - ing, He counts not their sum. Thrown in - to a sea with - out  
Fa - ther so ten - der is call - ing us home? He wel - comes the weak - est, the  
blood was the pay - ment, His life was the cost. We stood 'neath a debt we could  
bot - tom or shore, our sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.  
vil - est, the poor, our sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.  
nev - er af - ford, our sins they are man - y, His mer - cy is more.

♠BENEDICTION

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

♠CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

♠POSTLUDE: "Toccata Brevis" ..... Daniel E. Gawthrop

♠Indicates congregation standing

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# Sunday Night Worship

6:00 p.m.

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS ..... Brett Wynne

♣ CALL TO WORSHIP

♣ NO. 442: O THE DEEP, DEEP LOVE OF JESUS! ..... EBENEZER

*Words: Samuel Francis / Music: Thomas Williams / John 13:1*

1. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Vast, un - mea - sured,  
2. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Spread his praise from  
3. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Love of ev - 'ry

bound - less, free; roll - ing as a might-y o - cean in its  
shore to shore; how he lov - eth, ev - er lov - eth, chang - eth  
love the best: 'tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing, 'tis a

full - ness o - ver me. Un - der - neath me, all a - round me,  
nev - er, nev - er - more; how he watch - es o'er his loved ones,  
ha - ven sweet of rest. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus!

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in 4/4 time, key of B-flat major. It features three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line with lyrics and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are: '1. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Vast, un - mea - sured, 2. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Spread his praise from 3. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus! Love of ev - 'ry bound - less, free; roll - ing as a might-y o - cean in its shore to shore; how he lov - eth, ev - er lov - eth, chang - eth love the best: 'tis an o - cean vast of bless - ing, 'tis a full - ness o - ver me. Un - der - neath me, all a - round me, nev - er, nev - er - more; how he watch - es o'er his loved ones, ha - ven sweet of rest. O the deep, deep love of Je - sus!'. The score includes triplets and various musical notations for dynamics and articulation.

*Song continues on next page*

is the cur - rent of thy love; lead - ing on - ward,  
 died to call them all his own; how for them he  
 'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me; and it lifts me

lead - ing home - ward, to thy glo - rious rest a - bove.  
 in - ter - ced - eth, watch - eth o'er them from the throne.  
 up to glo - ry, for it lifts me up to thee.

# ✦ INVOCATION

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## LOVE OF GOD.....Brandon Lake

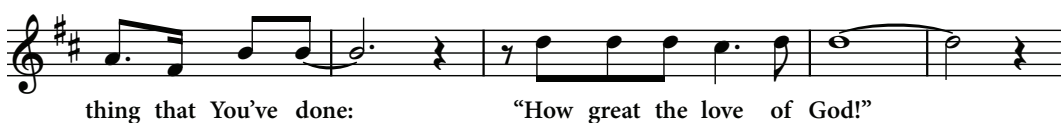
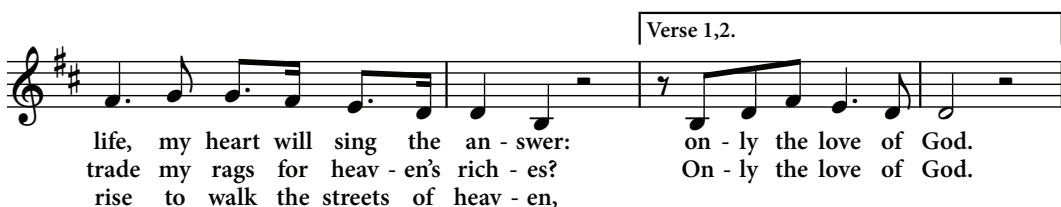
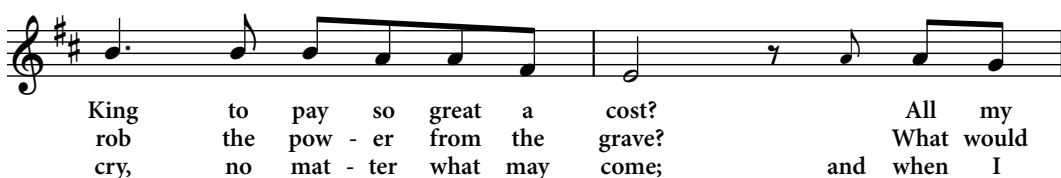
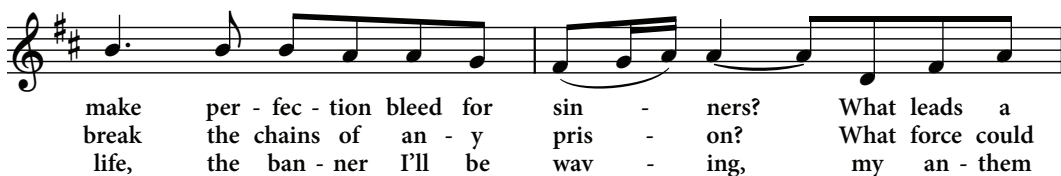
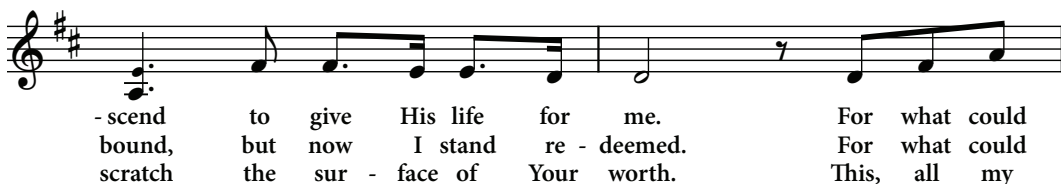
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✦ Congregation stands and joins at worship team's direction

1. It's so good I al - most can't be - lieve it, far be -  
 2. It's so kind, it leads us to re - pent - ance. It's so  
 3. Though I try, my mind can't com - pre - hend it. It's so

- yond what hearts could ev - er dream. The God who  
 bright the dark - ness has to flee. Hal - le  
 high, too mar - vel - ous for words. I could





SCRIPTURE LESSON. . . . . Mark 4:35-5:20  
(page 839 in pew Bible)

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

SERMON: In the Boat with Jesus . . . . . Chuck Jacob

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

## THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

✦PROFESSION OF FAITH . . . . . The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell;  
the third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead;  
I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic\* church;  
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*\*universal*

**The Apostles' Creed:** This concise summary of core Christian beliefs offers a clear framework for understanding who God is, the work of Jesus, the nature of the Christian life, and our hope for eternity. Though not written by the apostles, it summarizes what they taught.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

HERE IS LOVE, VAST AS THE OCEAN.....VANCOUVER

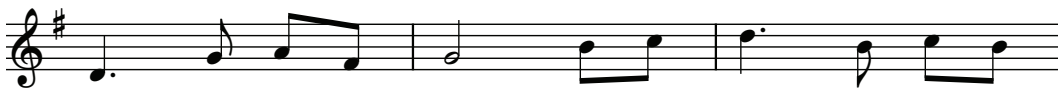
Words: William Rees; William Williams / Music: Robert Lowry / Malachi 3:10



1. Here is love, vast as the o - cean, lov - ing - kind - ness as the
2. On the mount of cru - ci - fix - ion, foun - tains o - pened deep and
3. On the morn of res - ur - rect - ion, mer - cy filled the thirst - y
4. O this love, vast love of Je - sus, bids us come and drink and



flood, when the Prince of Life, our ran - som, shed for  
wide; through the flood - gates of God's mer - cy, flowed a  
grave; where the stone of death burst o - pen, springs of  
live; to this wear - y world of long - ing, what more



us His pre - cious blood. Who His love will not re -  
vast and gra - cious tide. Grace and love like might - y  
life flowed un - re - strained. Love no heart could ev - er  
could our Sav - ior give? Now to Christ, who ful - ly



- mem - ber? Who can cease to sing His praise? He can  
ri - vers poured in - cess - ant from a - bove. Hea - ven's  
mea - sure, joy no sor - rows will out - run, rush up -  
loved us, and who freed us from our sin, be all



ne - ver be for - got - ten through - out heaven's e - ter - nal days.  
peace and per - fect just - ice kissed a guil - ty world in love.  
- on the soul be - liev - ing in the ri - sen, reign - ing Son.  
glo - ry and do - min - ion, ev - er - last - ing praise to Him.

♦HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: THE LOVE OF GOD . . . . .Brandon Lake

*Words and Music: Brandon Lake, Phil Wickham, Cody Carnes, Benjamin Hastings / 1 John 3:1*

3. Could we with ink the o - cean fill and were the

skies of parch-ment made, were ev - 'ry stalk on earth a

quill and ev - 'ry man a scribe by trade, to write the

love of God a - bove would drain the o - cean

dry, nor could the scroll con - tain the whole though stretched from

sky to sky. O love of God, how rich and

pure! How mea - sure - less and strong! It shall for -

ev - er - more en - dure — the saints' and an - gels' song.

*Chorus*

Sing - ing, oh how great is the love of God! He paid our debt on that

rug - ged cross. For all our days, we will

sing our Sav - ior's praise, how great is the love of God.

✦PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦BENEDICTION

✦GOSPEL AMEN

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### Parish Gatherings Today! 9:45 a.m.

**Today during the Sunday School hour, all ages will gather by parish groups from 9:45-10:45 a.m. for a time of fellowship and service.** Regular adult, youth, and children's Sunday School classes will not meet, and the nursery will be closed.

We have a variety of projects we'll do to support six of our local ministry partners—Agape Child and Family Services, Hanley Elementary, Alcy Ball Development Corporation, Advance Memphis, One by One Ministries, and Binghampton Christian Academy.

**Parishes are grouped together and will meet in the following rooms:**

- **C310:** Audubon, Sea Isle, White Station, Laurelwood
- **PDS Cafeteria:** Graham/Waring, Waring/Mendenhall
- **C100:** Normal Station, Belle Meade/The Village, Highland
- **Fellowship Hall West:** Richland, Parkway/Graham, West
- **Fellowship Hall East:** Kirby Woods, Shelby Farms, Germantown

Don't know which parish you're in? Visit Amanda Coop in the Connector following worship, check one of the maps in the hallway, or jump in with any parish!

### Fall Break Schedule This Week

With some schools on Fall Break this week, a few groups are taking a break this week:

- Wednesday night dinner, activities, and Bible studies will take a break (True North will still meet). AMEN will not meet on Thursday morning.
- Men's Intensive, The Walk, and Overflow will meet as usual on Tuesday.

Please reach out to your ministry leaders if you have questions!

**GATHERING  
ON  
THE  
GROUNDS**

We are looking forward to worshipping together outside next Sunday evening, **October 19**, on the Poplar Field! We'll start gathering at 5:00 p.m. for live music, fun, and food, and worship will begin at 6.

Bring lawn chairs/blankets for seating. Also, feel free to bring a frisbee, football, soccer ball, etc. for a little competitive activity! Don't forget to bring your friends and neighbors, too!

## Caring Ministry Update

**In the Hospital** (*as of 10/6/25*):

Nancy Neal, *Baptist Rehab*  
Helen Davis, *Baptist Hospital Memphis*  
Jenny Udouj, *Hospice at Home*

## Weekly Prayer Focus

**World Missions–The Youngs:** The Youngs are church planters and regional leaders in Central Asia. Part of their work is to oversee teams and workers in often difficult and religiously closed countries. Another aspect of their ministry is to look for expansion possibilities within their reach. As they encourage and support fellow workers, pray that God would fill them with wisdom, courage, discernment, and stamina. Pray also that they and their teams might remember to praise the Lord in all things and rest upon His eternal arms. Pray for Bangladesh—that the Spirit would bring repentance to hearing ears. Finally, pray for Mr. Young as he is experiencing health issues—pray for a clear diagnosis and healing.

**Mission Memphis–Restore Corps:** Restore Corps works to end human trafficking by empowering survivors, equipping communities, and pursuing justice. Serving as the regional point of contact for 21 West Tennessee counties, they coordinate care for survivors and mobilize communities toward a slave-free future, rooted in the belief that God created all people to know Him, love Him, and glorify Him. Praise God that several clients have begun meeting with the in-house therapist, that the Red Sand Project was a wonderful success, and that a client recently had a charge dismissed and is now one step closer to reuniting with her daughter. Pray that more survivors will begin therapy; that the 15 women in the RENEW program will stay encouraged, focused, and strong to finish; and for favor and open doors for the four women in RENEW preparing for parole hearings.

**2PC Ministry–Deacons:** The Deacons at Second lovingly serve in many areas of our church community, offering compassionate care to the sick, the grieving, the lonely, and those in need. They also help guide our church's finances, stewarding our gifts with wisdom, and support our greeting and ushering ministry, as well as care for our little ones in the nursery. Please pray for our deacons as they seek thoughtful and effective ways to weave their service into the heart of our parish life.

## October Flowers

**The flowers in the Sanctuary this month are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:** *Virginia and Ralph Braden* by their family; *Dr. Gerald Billions* on his birthday by his loving family; *Mildred Neal Gadberry and James Clayton Green* by Charlotte and Bob Neal; *James Marvin Garner* by Mary and Orin Davidson; *Fred Tarkington* by his daughter, Ferrin Mavar; *Blanche and Bob Webb* by their daughter, Judith Belisomo, and their grandchildren.

### Weekly Worship Playlist

Listening to our playlist of hymns and songs is a wonderful way to grow familiar with the music, reflect on the words, and enjoy personal or family worship throughout the week. Visit [2pc.org/playlist](https://2pc.org/playlist) to subscribe on your preferred platform.

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### Getting Connected at Second



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