

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 22, 2024

8:30 am and 10:45 am

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Josh McDonald

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 46:1-3, 10-11)

Josh McDonald

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.

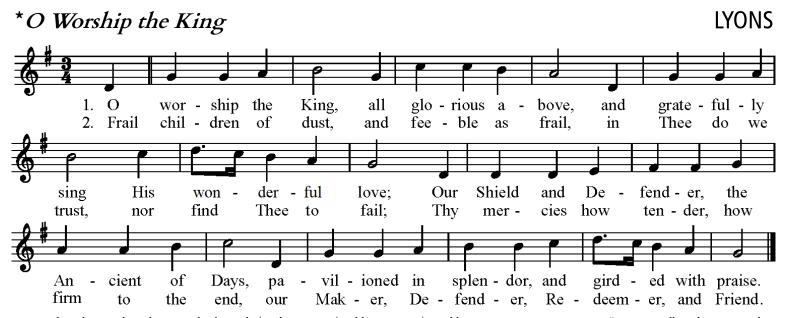
Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging.

He says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."

The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.





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*PASTORAL PRAYER

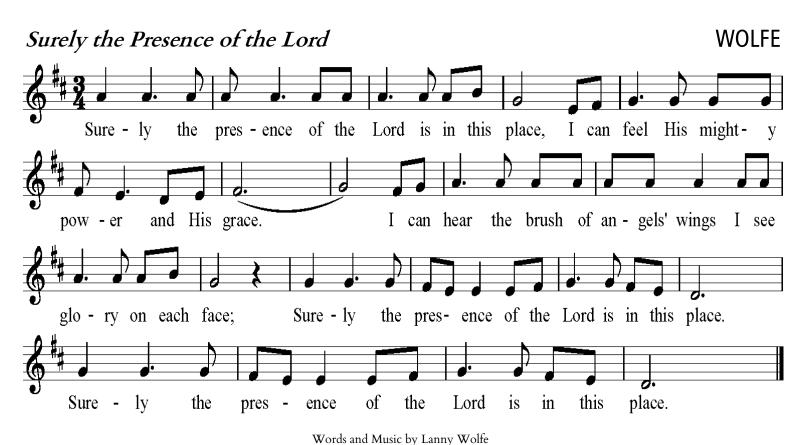
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CHILDREN'S TIME (10:45 AM)

David Cameron

All children are invited to come forward. Following Children's Time, ages 4-5 are invited to Preschool Praise, room #102 of the Children's Wing.

^{*}Please stand if it is comfortable to do so



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*GOSPEL READING

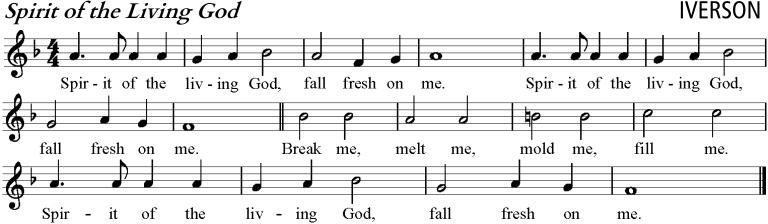
Anne Donaldson, Clint Hansard Mark 9:30-37

³⁰ They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it, ³¹ for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again." ³² But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. ³³ Then they came to Capernaum, and when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you arguing about on the way?" ³⁴ But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. ³⁵ He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶ Then he took a little child and put it among them, and taking it in his arms he said to them, ³⁷ "Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me."

This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!





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CHORAL RESPONSE

Second Voices

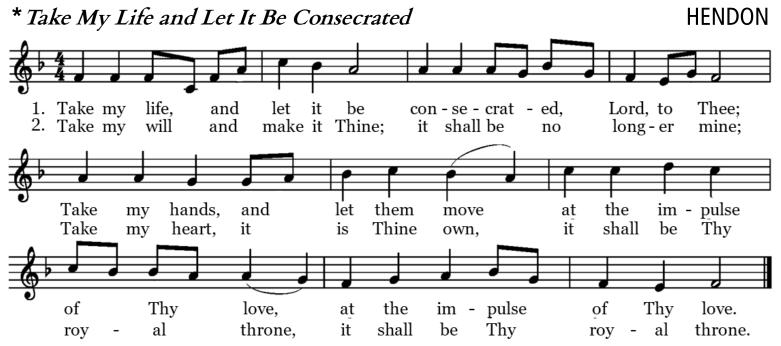
Not One Falls
by Heather Sorenson

Peyton Matthews, Caleb Cartwright, Josh Tolosa, soloists

Not one sparrow falls, not one child calls that the Father does not know. Not one voice is silenced, not one act of violence without heaven bowing low. And not one falls, and not one calls, big of small without a name. Not one lonely outcast, the one who's chosen last, without worth beyond the stars. Not one scarred survivor, young innocent, now wiser, who isn't held in Jesus' arms. Broken prayers can still be heard. Hope can spread with just one word. Heaven is not careless with our grief. Grace is running out to those in need. Ev'ry soul forgotten, ev'ry life unwanted, all cradled in the hands of God. And not one falls, not one calls, big or small without a name.

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to dedicate your life to Christ, join our faith community, or answer a call from God to do ministry in this world by coming forward during the hymn and share this decision with a pastor.



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THE MORNING OFFERING

Please drop your connection card and offering in the plate as it is passed. If you would like to donate online, please go to secondb.org/give or @secondbaptistlbk on Venmo.

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

Pat Fletcher, Michael Caballero

OFFERTORY

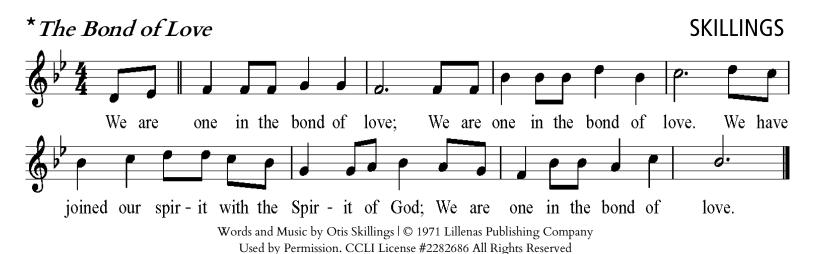
Larry Landusky

It's a New World

New World Symphony / Just as I Am
arranged by Larry Landusky

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Please share the peace with those near you.



*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

Charles Johnson

WEDNESDAY EVENING DINNER MENU



Fair Food!

Turkey Legs, Grilled Burgers, Corndogs, Chili Cheese Hot Dogs, Nacho Bar, Funnel Cake, Cotton Candy

Adults \$8 and Kids 12 & under eat FREE!

RSVP Online at secondb.org/wednesday

Find complete information on Wednesday Programming at secondb.org/wednesday

This Week at 2B

TODAY

COFFEE DUTY - Pyrexia Class

8:30 am: Early Worship

9:30 am: Sunday School/Bible Study

Invitation to Meditation - Room 126

The Pastor's Class - Room 134

Youth Ministry

10:45 am: Late Worship & Livestream

5:00 pm: Youth Choir

6:00 pm: Second Chance Al-Anon

TUESDAY, September 24

6:30 am: Tuesday Morning Prayer Breakfast

11:00 am: B & B Book Club Meeting - Hope Room

6:00 pm: Learn to Play Mahjong

WEDNESDAY, September 25

10:00 am: Beginner's Bridge

2:00 pm: Senior Adult Fellowship

Day Class - Learn to Play Mahjong

5:15 pm: Wednesday Fellowship Meal

6:00 pm: Children's Choir and Activities

Youth Hangout

Wednesday Adult Programming

6:30 pm: Orchestra Rehearsal

7:00 pm: Second Voices Rehearsal

THURSDAY, September 26

6:30 am: Men's Thursday Morning Group

FRIDAY, September 27

12:00 pm: Church & Offices Closed at Noon

WE TAKE SERIOUSLY OUR MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer cards are available. Please place your filled out card and offerings in the box on the rear wall of the Worship Hall or place in the offering plate as it is passed during worship.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR USE.

Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship.

Every Member a Minister

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