

This Week At 2b

TODAY
COFFEE DUTY – Open Table Class
9:30 am: Worship & Livestream
10:45 am: Sunday Small Groups For All Ages
12:00 pm: Anniversary Potluck
3:00 pm: Worship Implementation Team Meeting

MONDAY, August 31
No Activities

TUESDAY, September 1
6:30 am: Tuesday Morning Prayer Breakfast @ Chicken Run Café
9:00 am: Food Bank Distribution Day
11:00 am: B&B Book Club Meeting – Room #123
6:00 pm: Learn to Play Mahjong – Room #130

WEDNESDAY, September 2
10:00 am: Beginners Bridge – Room #130
12:00 pm: Tai Chi Class
2:00 pm: Senior Adult Fellowship – Room #130
4:00 pm: Prayer Shawl Ministry – Conference Center
5:15 pm: Fellowship Dinner – RSVP @ secondb.org/wednesday
6:00 pm: Adult Activities
2b Kids Wonder Wednesdays (K–5th grade Upstairs)
Youth Ministry Activities
6:30 pm: Orchestra Rehearsal
7:00 pm: Second Voices Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, September 3
6:45 am: Jesus and Grits @ Chicken Run Cafe
4:30 pm: Saint Benedict’s Chapel Day

FRIDAY, September 4
Church Office Closed

Parents Night Out

9.11.26

6 PM- 9PM

PAJAMA PARTY

Register Now

Make plans

\$20 per child, \$50 max per family

RSVP @ secondb.org/pno

Second Baptist Church

Celebrating

Anniversary Sunday

August 30th 2026

Second Baptist is celebrating its anniversary on Sunday, August 30th, so come commemorate it with us! We'll be having a potluck lunch immediately following Sunday School. The church will provide the entrée and bread. You are invited to bring your favorite side or dessert to share.

Welcome

THANK YOU FOR BEING OUR GUEST TODAY!

We would love to connect with you in a more personal way.
Scan the QR code to fill out a connection card.
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ARTWORK IN TODAY’S SERVICE

Valente, Liz. *Free Me*, from Art in the Christian Tradition, a project of the Vanderbilt University Divinity Library, Nashville, TN. <https://act.library.vanderbilt.edu/artworks/59324> [retrieved August 20, 2026]. Original source: Liz Valente, <https://www.instagram.com/donalizvalente/>.

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

Church Staff

Rev. Carrie Veal Senior Pastor	Rev. Dr. Tim Lyles Executive Pastor
Rev. Krystal Morrell Associate Pastor of Children and Families	Mike Spann Director of Operations
Zachary Carpenter Communications Coordinator	Quin Shelton Administrative & Youth Assistant
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Vision & Leadership Team

Stacy Elliott	Mike King
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August 30, 2026 9:30 a.m.

Anniversary Sunday

“There is talk today in theological circles that God is dead. It is said that modern man makes the important decisions of life without any thought of God or divine leadership. Man is sufficient, he thinks. There is also talk that the church is dying, that the church has had its day. As long as the church exists as an organization, as simply an institution to be preserved, she has no right to live. But the church as the living Christ will never die; nor can the gates of hell withstand her power.”

Rev. Robert Hearn,
Inaugural Sermon at Second Baptist Church, August 17, 1958

GATHERING MUSIC Larry Landusky

CALL TO WORSHIP

★ To God Be the Glory

TO GOD BE THE GLORY

1. To God be the glo- ry, great things He hath done; So loved He the world that He gave us His
2. Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done, And great our re- joic- ing thro’ Je- sus the
Son, Who yield- ed His life an a- tone-ment for sin, And o- pened the life gate that all may go in.
Son; But pur- er, and high-er, and great- er will be Our won-der, our vic- t’ry, when Je- sus we see.
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the peo-ple re-
joice! O come to the Fa- ther, through Je- sus, the Son, and give Him the glo- ry, great things He hath done!
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★ CONGREGATIONAL INVOCATION Tim Lyles

O God, for sixty-eight years you have given nourishment to Second Baptist Church
We bless you, O Lord, for all your goodness!
Your blessings upon us are lavish beyond measure!

Help us to make a place at your table for all your children.
On this anniversary of our church’s birth, give us new vision to see the coming of your kingdom of love and justice into our midst, in the name of Jesus Christ! Amen.

★Please stand if it is comfortable to do so

WELCOME

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Carrie Veal

ANNIVERSARY RECOGNITION

Carrie Veal

The Lord’s Prayer

Our God who is in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CHILDREN’S TIME

All children are invited to come forward. Following Children’s Time,
all children who are returning to the Children’s Wing are invited to room #102.

Krystal Morrell

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 3:1-15

Chase Dunn

Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness and came to Mount Horeb, the mountain of God. ² There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. ³ Then Moses said, “I must turn aside and look at this great sight and see why the bush is not burned up.” ⁴ When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, “Moses, Moses!” And he said, “Here I am.” ⁵ Then he said, “Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.” ⁶ He said further, “I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.” And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. ⁷ Then the Lord said, “I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, ⁸ and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians and to bring them up out of that land to a good and spacious land, to a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. ⁹ The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. ¹⁰ Now go, I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.” ¹¹ But Moses said to God, “Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?” ¹² He said, “I will be with you, and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall serve God on this mountain.” ¹³ But Moses said to God, “If I come to the Israelites and say to them, ‘The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,’ and they ask me, ‘What is his name?’ what shall I say to them?” ¹⁴ God said to Moses, “I am who I am.” He said further, “Thus you shall say to the Israelites, ‘I am has sent me to you.’ ” ¹⁵ God also said to Moses, “Thus you shall say to the Israelites, ‘The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you’: This is my name forever, and this my title for all generations.

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God!

★*Please stand if it is comfortable to do so*

★*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

NETTLETON

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★GOSPEL READING

Matthew 16:21-28

Chase Dunn

²¹ From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes and be killed and on the third day be raised. ²² And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, “God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.” ²³ But he turned and said to Peter, “Get behind me, Satan! You are a hindrance to me, for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.” ²⁴ Then Jesus told his disciples, “If any wish to come after me, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ²⁵ For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. ²⁶ For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? ²⁷ “For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. ²⁸ Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.”

This is the Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!

CHORAL RESPONSE

The Gift of Alleluia
by Joe Martin & Megan Faith

Second Voices

Lord, Your star of truth has led us. Light of promise, dazzling bright.
All the way, Your hand has fed us. We heard Your music in the night.
You have brought us through each valley. Mountains bowed at faith’s command.
As we journeyed, waters parted. Your truth has been our promised land.
We bring gifts of alleluia. We sing songs of hope and grace.
We are grateful, Lord. You are worthy of our praise. You are worthy of our praise.
Lord, we gather here to worship. Many voices, yet one song.
Hearts united in Your service. Working together, we are strong.
Give us vision for the future. Wake in us a sacred quest.
Raise us up to face tomorrow, our faith restored, forever blest.
Moving forward, find your purpose. Seek your calling, take your place.
Give yourself to humble service, living in love and everlasting grace.
Let us bring our gifts together, many talents joined as one;
reaching out to build our future, teaching the world what God has done!

PROCLAMATION

The Power of Distraction

Carrie Veal

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 minister.

★*The Church of Christ, in Every Age*

GERMANY

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THE MORNING OFFERING

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★ OFFERTORY PRAYER

Jennifer Ward

OFFERTORY

Christians, We Have Met to Worship
David Winkler, arr.

2B Orchestra

★PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Please share the peace with those near you.

★*O God, Our Help in Ages Past*

ST. ANNE

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★BENEDICTION

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Following this worship gathering, please join us in the Grand Hall for a time of fellowship, connection and coffee. If you are our guest, please stop by the welcome center in the Grand Hall. At 10:45, there are Sunday school classes for children, youth, and adults. We invite you to visit a discipleship group today.