
TO OUR VISITORS - Welcome to Second Presbyterian!

Please help us get to know you better by filling out an information card (in the pew pockets). You are welcome to hand the card to a pastor in the Narthex or place it in the offering plate. *Thank you!*

CALLED CONGREGATIONAL MEETING - will be held TODAY. There will be two meetings, one after the 8:30 a.m. service and one after the 11 a.m. service, so everyone has a chance to elect church officers (attendance at both meetings is not necessary).

CHILDCARE is available for all Sunday morning events. Childcare is available in room 120 for children from birth through age 5 until 10:45 a.m. and birth through age 3 for 11:00 a.m. worship. Older children are asked to remain in 8:30 a.m. worship. Childcare & activities for 1st through 6th grades are available during the Sunday school hour (9:45-10:45 a.m.) in room 180 off of the youth suite.

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! We are in need of a helper in the nursery in addition to our nursery staff each Sunday. Please consider volunteering during 11:00 worship. Sign up by scanning the QR code or contact Lorie Williamson at lwilliamson@2ndpreslou.org. (All volunteers must be members and are subject to background check and training.)



CHILDREN'S CHURCH- Older 3's (by 8/1) through 6th grade attend worship and exit to activities after the Passing of the Peace. Children can be picked up after worship in the following rooms: PreK-K room 153, 1st-3rd grade room 152, 4th-6th grade room 180.

COCOA & CAROLING - TONIGHT, join us in the Fellowship Hall for hot cocoa at 4:30 PM, followed by caroling at 5:00 PM. We will share the joy of Christmas as we walk through the neighborhood for about an hour. All voices are welcome. Bring your friends, your holiday spirit, and a flashlight!

PARENTS NIGHT OUT - Saturday, December 13, Birth through third grade are welcome to join for gym time, craft, movie time & more! RSVP to Lorie Williamson by Monday, December 8 at lwilliamson@2ndpreslou.org.

A MUSICAL CELEBRATION OF JOY SUNDAY - On Sunday, December 14, both 8:30 and 11 a.m. services will be in the Sanctuary. The Choirs of Second, Symphonic Chamber Orchestra, and Mengfei Xu, Organist, along with our pastors and readers will present "Redemption's Happy Dawn," with music of CPE Bach, Dan Forrest, David Willcocks, and more. Preludes begin 15 minutes before.

LONGEST NIGHT SERVICE - For some of us the Christmas season can be tinged with grief or sorrow, for many reasons. This year we are offering a Longest Night service to help address these feelings. This intimate, casual service will provide space to mourn a variety of losses, and help prepare our spirits for a more joyful holiday. Wednesday, Dec. 17, 5:30 pm in the Chapel.

PLEDGE CARDS - If you have not had a chance to turn in your pledges for 2026, please do so as soon as possible. Pledge cards have been sent in the mail, and extras are available at the tables outside of the worship spaces if you need one. We still have quite a few yet to be returned, so let's keep those pledges coming. *Thank you!*

DECEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH - For the month of December we are collecting monetary donations for foreign mission outreach to both PC(USA)'s Global Ecumenical Partnerships and mission co-workers, Dustin and Sherri Ellington currently working in Lebanon. Please make checks payable to Second Presbyterian Church or online through our giving page.

CALLING ALL STORYTELLERS - Do you have a passion for sharing stories or writing news/human interest articles? Are you actively using social/digital media to generate engaging content? If so, please email watson.courtenay@gmail.com. See Seconds to Go for more information.

Upcoming Events - December 7, 2025

Sunday, December 7			<i>The Second Sunday of Advent - Holy Communion</i>
8:30 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day (<i>Cong. Meeting follows</i>)	Chapel	
9:00 a.m.	Cabbage Patch Wrapping	Great Hall	
9:45 a.m.	Adult Faith Formation	Rooms 251, 252, Parlor, JFH	
11:00 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Sanctuary/Live Streamed	
12:00 p.m.	Congregational Meeting	Sanctuary	
3:00 p.m.	Mah Jongg	Room 168	
4:30 p.m.	Cocoa & Caroling	Fellowship Hall	
5:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study	Parlor	
6:00 p.m.	High School Christmas Party	Masick Home	
Monday, December 8			
1:00 p.m.	Monday Afternoon Club	Room 252	
4:00 p.m.	Caregiver's Group	Zoom	
Tuesday, December 9			
10:00 a.m.	Presbyterian Women	Room 252	
7:00 p.m.	Open Gym	Great Hall	
7:00 p.m.	Sisters in Spirit	Offsite	
Wednesday, December 10			
10:00 a.m.	SPOT: 2nd Act	Offsite	
6:30 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room/Sanctuary	
Thursday, December 11			
1:00 p.m.	SPOT: Mah Jongg	Room 168	
Friday, December 5			
7:00 a.m.	Men's Weekly Bible Study	Room 251	
1:00 p.m.	SPOT: Mah Jongg	Room 168	
Saturday, December 13			
5:00 p.m.	Parents Night Out	WDS classrooms, 150	
Sunday, December 14			<i>Musical Celebration of Joy Sunday</i>
8:30 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Sanctuary	
9:45 a.m.	Adult Faith Formation	Rooms 251, 252, Parlor, JFH	
9:45 a.m.	Breakfast and Bibles	Youth Suite	
11:00 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Sanctuary/Live Streamed	
12:00 p.m.	SPOT: Busy Needles	Parlor	
3:00 p.m.	SPOT: Mah Jongg	Room 168	
5:00 p.m.	Middle School Christmas Party	Offsite	

Please visit 2ndpreslou.org/calendar, or scan this QR code, for a complete list of events at Second. See our weekly email, *Seconds to Go*, for details about upcoming activities and Zoom links. To learn more about the ministries at Second, contact us at info@2ndpreslou.org or 502-895-3483.

