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## 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!*

**ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING:** The Annual Congregational Meeting of Second Presbyterian Church is today at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Attendees will review the 2025 statistical report, discuss the 2026 Ministry Action Plan (budget), and vote on the terms of call for Barrett Abernethy and Andrew Bowman. While a Zoom option is available, members must be present in person to vote. A report of the past year's ministries is available online and in print to help celebrate the Spirit's work as the congregation looks ahead to 2026.

**BITES WITH BARRETT-** Join Tom and Karen Sweets and the Fellowship Committee for a small gathering to meet our new pastor, Barrett Abernethy, on Friday, March 6th, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Attendance is limited to 12 people; please sign up via the link in Seconds to Go. If you cannot attend this session, more opportunities to meet Barrett will be available in the coming months.

**FEBRUARY MISSION OF THE MONTH** - For the month of February, we are collecting items for United Crescent Hill Ministries (UCHM). Please see Seconds to Go or the information stands located throughout the building for a list of requested items.

**TRIVIA NIGHT** - Join us for Trivia Night on Friday, February 27th, from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m., with doors opening at 5:30 p.m. for table decorating. You can sign up as an individual or a team in the Narthex after the 11:00 service beginning February 1st. We invite you to bring an appetizer or dessert to share and consider an optional \$10 donation to benefit our Youth Program. Prizes will be awarded for both the winning team and the best table decor.

**RECITALS IN LENT** - On March 5, we feature Second's soloists Laura Atkinson, mezzo soprano and Jason Steigerwalt, baritone in a concert of sacred Baroque repertoire, accompanied on harpsichord by Mengfei Xu. This glorious music is presented in our intimate Chapel, followed by a lunch in the Fellowship Hall.

**2PK LEARNS TO CROCHET!** - On March 8 and 22, all children grades 3 and up are invited to join Busy Needles in the parlor after 11:00 worship to learn how to crochet. A light snack and all materials are provided. Childcare is provided for younger siblings if needed. Contact Lindsay Cook at [lindsayallisemartin@gmail.com](mailto:lindsayallisemartin@gmail.com) for more information.

**2PK SUMMER PROGRAMS REGISTRATION** will be available on the church's website, [2ndpreslou.org](http://2ndpreslou.org) on March 2. Be sure and reserve your spot for Smiley Camp, VBS and Summer Music Blast. See Website for more information.

**WEDNESDAYS TOGETHER** Dinner is at 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, followed by Children's Choirs, Worship Arts, and new adult programming. Rev. Andrew Bowman will lead prayer practice experiences in Lent from February 25 through March 18. Contemplative prayer, *lectio* and *visio divina*, labyrinth walking, and spiritual journaling will be included. No experience or materials are required.

Classes will start at 5:45 pm, congregating in the Fellowship Hall. Rev. Barrett Abernethy's class will continue with the book *More Presbyterian Questions, More Presbyterian Answers* (sign-up required to guarantee a copy; \$12). Reservations for dinner and childcare need to be sent to Tammy Kissling by Monday, February 23, at [tkissling@2ndpreslou.org](mailto:tkissling@2ndpreslou.org).

## *Upcoming Events - February 22, 2026*

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<b>Sunday, February 22</b>	<b><i>The First Sunday in Lent</i></b>	
8:30 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Chapel
9:45 a.m.	Congregational Meeting - Annual Report	JFH
11:00 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Sanctuary/Live Streamed
<b>Monday, February 23</b>		
1:00 p.m.	Monday Afternoon Club	Room 251
<b>Tuesday, February 24</b>		
6:00 p.m.	Iftar Dinner	Great Hall
<b>Wednesday, February 25</b>		
10:30 a.m.	SPOT: 2nd Act	The Highlands
1:00 p.m.	Hope & Healing	Parlor/Zoom
5:00 p.m.	Wednesdays Together	FHA/FHB, 150, 180, 179, Great Hall
7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room/Sanctuary
<b>Sunday, March 1</b>	<b><i>The Second Sunday in Lent / Holy Communion</i></b>	
8:30 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Chapel
9:45 a.m.	Adult Faith Formation	Room 251, 252, Parlor, JFH
11:00 a.m.	Service for the Lord's Day	Sanctuary/Live Streamed
<b>Monday, March 2</b>		
1:00 p.m.	Monday Afternoon Club	Room 252
<b>Tuesday, March 3</b>		
10:00 a.m.	SPOT: Walkers	Offsite
5:30 p.m.	SPOT: Book Notes	Parlor
7:00 p.m.	Open Gym	Great Hall
<b>Wednesday, March 4</b>		
10:30 a.m.	SPOT: 2nd Act	Vitality at Stony Brook
5:00 p.m.	Wednesdays Together	FHA/FHB, 150, 180, 179, Great Hall
7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room/Sanctuary
<b>Thursday, March 5</b>		
9:30 a.m.	Morning Joy	JFHA/Zoom
11:00 a.m.	Reflections	Room 251
12:00 p.m.	Recitals in Lent - Laura Atkinson/Jason Steigerwalt	Chapel
12:45 p.m.	Luncheon for Recitals in Lent	JFHA
1:00 p.m.	Mah Jongg	Room 168

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Please visit [2ndpreslou.org/calendar](https://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](mailto:info@2ndpreslou.org) or 502-895-3483.

