

Welcome to Second Presbyterian Church

Sharing the grace of God with one another and the world around us.



This church welcomes you no matter who you are, where you come from, or why you are here. We are Christ's people; if you are looking for a home, stay here; if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you. We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.

Please visit our website 2ndpreslou.org to connect with various ministries, or to contact the office for more information about our faith community.

If you are new to us, scan this QR Code to visit our website and learn about our life at Second.



Children of God, welcome home!

** Please stand if you can do so comfortably.*

Bold type *is sung or read in unison.*

Service for the Lord's Day

The Gathering

PRELUDE *Chorale-Fantasia on Darwell's 148th "Ye Holy Angels Bright"* Harold Darke
Mengfei Xu, organ

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

INTROIT *Confortare* Henry Walford Davies
The Sanctuary Choir; Jason Steigerwalt, baritone
Be strong and know thy worth. Keep the commandments of the Lord our God, and walk in his ways.

PRESENTING THE MEANS OF GRACE

*HYMN 1 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!* NICAEA
vss. 1-3

*CALL TO CONFESSION *read in unison*

Merciful and Loving God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for service to Christ and neighbor. We confess that we have not lived up to our calling to proclaim the good news in word and deed. We confess we are quick to speak when we ought to listen, and we remain silent when it is time to speak. We put too much faith in our own actions and fail to trust the wisdom of your Spirit.

Forgive us for our foolish and sinful ways. Strengthen us anew to follow Christ's way in the world. By your Holy Spirit, give us the grace we need to be your faithful disciples and to fulfill our common calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Time for silent prayer.

And all God's people said. **Amen.**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Friends, hear the good news:

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

***RESPONSE HYMN 1** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!, vs. 4*

NICAEA

*Children of all ages are welcomed to come forward. Following the Peace,
children will be dismissed through the side door for activities.*

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!

God in three persons, blessed Trinity.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

John Barr Ortiz

son of Alexandra and Isaac Ortiz

**read in unison when invited*

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 Ghost, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

CONGREGATION *read in unison*

With joy and thanksgiving, we welcome you into Christ's one holy and apostolic church. We are the people of God, members of the household of faith, a royal priesthood. Proclaim with us the good news of Christ for all the world. We are one in Christ Jesus: share with us at the table of God's kingdom. Welcome to the family of God and to Christ's ministry with us!

BAPTISM RESPONSE *Use Your Gifts* Lynn Shaw Bailey & Becki Slagle Mayo

We're children of light and servants of love, and all that we have are gifts from above.

Our time and our talents, our money and worth are treasures to share while we live on this earth.

This world of ambition, of pleasure and greed is really a world filled with hunger and need.

So open the storehouse of heaven's embrace and show them the gift of God's grace.

Use your gifts to share the gospel story.

Use your gifts to light the way.

Use your gifts to serve the King of Glory.

Be faithful and true in all that you do, for God's gift of love belongs to you.

Whether your service is great or small, look unto Jesus and give him your all.

Be faithful and caring in all you do; sharing the love God has given to you.

Use your gifts to share the gospel story.

Use your gifts to light the way.

Use your gifts to serve the King of Glory.

Be faithful and true in all that you do, for God's gift of love belongs to you

*PASSING OF THE PEACE *read responsively*

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

The Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

EPISTLE READING

1 Corinthians 12: 4-13 (NT, p. 163)

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

3rd Year; 2nd Presbyterian; 1st Installation of Barrett

Rev. Dr. Andrew Pomerville

The Response

*HYMN 726

Will You Come and Follow Me
vss. 1 & 5

KELVINGROVE

THE INSTALLATION OF REV. BARRETT ABERNETHY

STATEMENT OF INSTALLATION

Rev. Dr. Marian McClure Taylor

CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO THE INSTALLED

Rev. Dr. Marian McClure Taylor

QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION

Elder Liz Ratliff Evans

PRAYER FOR THE INSTALLED

Rev. Dr. Marian McClure Taylor

CHARGE TO THE INSTALLED

Rev. Molly Atkinson

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION

Rev. Dr. Camille Williams-Neal

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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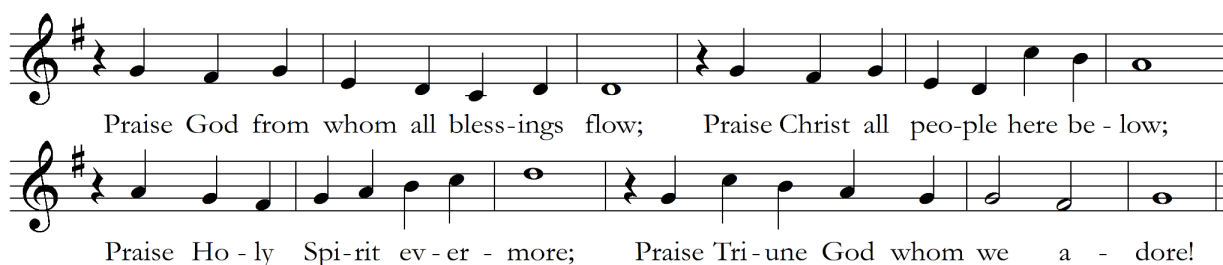
ANTHEM

How Lovely Are the Messengers (from ST. PAUL)

Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy

How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace. To all the nations is gone forth the sound of their words, throughout all the lands their glad tidings. - *Romans 10:15*

*DOXOLOGY 608 *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* PRAISE GOD (HOPSON)



Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise Christ all peo-ple here be - low;
Praise Ho - ly Spi-rit ev - er - more; Praise Tri-une God whom we a - dore!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SHARING GRACE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

The Sending

*HYMN 432

How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord

REPTON

*BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Paul Manz

*We are called to go out from our worship to share the grace of God with one another and the world.
You are welcome to remain seated for the postlude or exit quietly.*

Please join us outside in the Chapel circle to enjoy some cider provided by our Children's Ministry.

In Worship Today

PRESENTING THE MEANS OF GRACE

Our life is in Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. The Bible is the written witness to Jesus Christ, therefore it is "The Word of Life." Our lives are claimed by God through our baptism. It is God's seal on who we are as the children of God, therefore it is "The Font of Identity." The Table is the center of our home in the Body of Christ, the place where we are welcomed, renewed, and strengthened for the life to which we are called, therefore it is "The Table of Sustenance."

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS are given by the Wright family in honor of Jesse H. Wright, MD, PhD, in celebration of 50 years of service in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at the University of Louisville School of Medicine.

USHERS

John Hubbard, Nancy Hubbard, Patrick Kosse, Lucy Kosse, Bill Creason,
Gordon Duke, Marilyn Duke, Ken Fleming, Ann Fleming

MEMBERS OF COMMISSION FOR INSTALLATION (in alphabetical order)

Rev. Molly Atkinson, Financial Aid for Service, PCUSA, Ohio Valley Presbytery
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Rev. Dr. Camille Williams-Neal, Honorably Retired, Presbytery of Muskingum Valley

OUR WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Dr. Andrew Pomerville, preacher; Rev. Andrew Bowman & Rev. Barrett Abernethy,
liturgists; Elizabeth Clay, Elder for Baptism
The Sanctuary Choir; Jim Rittenhouse, Director; Mengfei Xu, Organist
Evan Vicic, Audiovisual Engineer; William Vicic, Visual Technician

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We Lift Up in Prayer

Lee Ann and David Dorsey and their family on the death of Lee Ann's sister, Roberta Gordon Barnett, 10/8/25.

Eleanor Maddox, Toby & Cindy Nutt, Grady, Heather, Grady III, & George Nutt, Amy Nutt on the death of granddaughter, niece, and cousin Meryl Maxwell Wilson, 09/18/25.

Justina, Justin, Sam, Stella, and Lillian Powers on the death of nephew and cousin, Blake Bonar, 09/14/25.

Rebecca, John Y. III, Maggie, and John IV Brown on the death of mother and grandmother, Margaret Jackson, 09/10/25.

Lucy Hovis, Julie Hovis, Peggy Coulter & Ken Coulter, Emma & Kate Coulter on the death of husband, father, and grandfather, Gary Hovis, 09/05/25.

Leigh and Ken Parrot on the death of their son, Keith, 09/01/25.

THE TRIUNE GOD

1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant

4 Ho - ly,

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,
3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark-ness hide thee,
4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

ho - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly!

mer - ci - ful and might - y!

cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,

on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.

per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

726 Will You Come and Follow Me

The Summons

Capo 3: (D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (Asus) (A)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 Csus C

- 1 "Will you come and fol - low me if I but call your name?
- 2 "Will you leave your-self be-hind if I but call your name?
- 3 "Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call your name?
- 4 "Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name?
- 5 Lord, your sum-mons ech - oes true when you but call my name.

(D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (G) (D)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 B^b F

Will you go where you don't know and nev - er be the same?
 Will you care for cruel and kind and nev - er be the same?
 Will you set the pris-oners free and nev - er be the same?
 Will you quell the fear in - side and nev - er be the same?
 Let me turn and fol - low you and nev - er be the same.

(Em7) (G) (F#m7) (G) (Asus) (A)
 Gm7 B^b Am7 B^b Csus C

Will you let my love be shown; will you let my name be known;
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare should your life at-tract or scare?
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as this un - seen,
 Will you use the faith you've found to re-shape the world a - round,
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and foot-steps show.

(D) (A7) (Bm) (Em7) (G) (D)
 F C7 Dm Gm7 B^b F

will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?"
 Will you let me an - swer prayer in you and you in me?"
 and ad - mit to what I mean in you and you in me?"
 through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?"
 Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

The first four stanzas of this ballad-like hymn are understood to be in the voice of Christ, with the fifth reflecting the individual singer's response. Created for this traditional Scottish tune, the text was written to mark the conclusion of a youth volunteer's time of ministry.

How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord 432

Capo 1: (D) (A) (Bm) (G) (D) (A)(D)
 E^b B^b Cm A^b E^b B^b E^b

- 1 How clear is our vo - ca - tion, Lord, when once we heed your call
 2 But if, for-get - ful, we should find your yoke is hard to bear;
 3 We mar - vel how your saints be-came in hin-dranc-es more sure:
 4 In what you give us, Lord, to do, to - geth - er or a - lone,

(G) (Em) (A) (F#m) (Bm) (G) (Em)
 A^b Fm B^b Gm Cm A^b Fm

to live ac-cord-ing to your word and dai - ly learn, re-freshed, re -
 if world-ly pres-sures fray the mind and love it - self can - not un -
 whose joy - ful vir-tues put to shame the ca-sual way we wear your
 in old rou-tines or ven-tures new, may we not cease to look to

(A7) (D) (A7)(B) (Em) (G)(A7) (D)
 B^b7 E^b B^b7 C Fm A^b B^b7 E^b

stored, that you are Lord of all and will not let us fall.
 wind its tan-gled skein of care: our in-ward life re - pair.
 name, and by our faults ob - scure your power to cleanse and cure.
 you: the cross you hung up - on, all you en - deav-ored, done.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

Ruling Elders

Class of 2025

Michael Beasley
Paul Costel
Elaine Duncan
Bob Horton
John Hubbard
Elizabeth Scinta
Linda Watson

Class of 2026

Miriam Ballert
Marilyn Duke
Liz Ratliff Evans
Lindsey Hundley
Lucy Kosse
Deb Vetter
Whitney Watt

Class of 2027

Ann Bowling
John Cunningham
Angela Duffy
Stephanie Fellon
Larry Jones
Justin Powers
Kyle Wiggins

Youth Elders: Morgan Fellon & Wilson Masick

Clerk: Chip Snyder

Deacons

Class of 2025

Sandy Bailey, *Clerk*
Prentice Brown
Scott Carothers
Cathy Flowers
Jane Roth
Martha Spencer
Lowell Stevens

Class of 2026

John Davis
Nathan Dicken
Glen Hume
Sissy Judy
Susan McDowell
Paige Reinstine
Kristi Smith

Class of 2027

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Kitty deVoogd
Jim Haynes
Patrice Paton
Kay Reis
Sunny Seale

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