

Sunday Night Worship

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP of GOD

December 28, 2014

Welcome to Second Presbyterian Church.
May our worship open our hearts to God's love, our eyes to God's beauty,
our minds to God's truth, and our will to God's service.

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✦ CALL TO WORSHIP Dick Cain
Assistant Pastor

SINGING HIS PRAISE

✦ "Bless the Lord" Jonas Myrin, Matt Redman

*Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul. Worship His holy name.
Sing like never before, O my soul. I'll worship Your holy name.*

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning.
It's time to sing Your song again.
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing when the evening comes.

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger,
Your name is great and Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing,
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

Chorus

And on that day when my strength is failing,
The end draws near and my time has come.
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending,
Ten thousand years and then forevermore.

Chorus

✦ "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand" Christopher Miner

**On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye
To Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.**

**All o'er those wide extended plains, shines one eternal day;
There God the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away.**

*I am bound (I am bound); I am bound (I am bound);
I am bound for promised land.*

**No chilling winds nor poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore;
Sickness, sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.**

Chorus

**When shall I reach that happy place, and be forever blessed?
When shall I see my Father's face, and in His bosom rest?**

Chorus

✦ PRAYER OF ADORATION

WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

Worshippers at the end of a row should pass the collection bag to those in the row behind them.

"Grace Like Rain" C. Collins, E. Excell, J. Newton, T. Agnew

**Amazing grace, how sweet the sound—
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost but now I'm found,
Was blind but now I see!**

*Hallelujah, grace like rain falls down on me.
Hallelujah, all my stains are washed away.
Hallelujah, grace like rain falls down on me.
Hallelujah, all my stains are washed away, washed away.*

**'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!**

Chorus

**When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing Your praise
Than when we first begun.**

Chorus

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Joshua 24:1-18
(page 198 in the church Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Renewal and Revitalization

Dan Burns
Associate Pastor

THE PARTICIPATION OF THE BREAD AND CUP

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SONGS FOR THE TABLE

"In Christ Alone" Keith Getty, Stuart Townend

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.
'Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied.
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

On Christ the solid rock I stand – all other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then, bursting forth in glorious day,
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory,
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine,
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the pow'r of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
'Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

"O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus" Samuel Trevor Francis

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free!
Rolling as a mighty ocean
In its fullness over me!
Underneath me, all around me,
Is the current of Thy love
Leading onward, leading homeward
To Thy glorious rest above!

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Spread His praise from shore to shore!
How He loveth, ever loveth,
Changeth never, nevermore!
How He watches o'er His loved ones,
Died to call them all His own;
How for them He intercedeth,
Watcheth o'er them from the throne!

O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
Love of every love the best!
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing,
'Tis a haven sweet of rest!
O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
'Tis a heaven of heavens to me;
And it lifts me up to glory,
For it lifts me up to Thee!

"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder" John Newton

Let us love and sing and wonder,
Let us praise the Savior's Name!
He has hushed the law's loud thunder,
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame.
He has washed us with His blood,
He has washed us with His blood,
He has washed us with His blood,
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord Who bought us,
Pitied us when enemies,
Called us by His grace, and taught us,
Gave us ears and gave us eyes:
He has washed us with His blood,
He has washed us with His blood,
He has washed us with His blood,
He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing, though fierce temptation
Threaten hard to bear us down!
For the Lord, our strong Salvation,
Holds in view the conqueror's crown:
He, Who washed us with His blood,
He, Who washed us with His blood,
He, Who washed us with His blood,
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder; grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store;
When through grace in Christ our trust is,
Justice smiles and asks no more:
He, Who washed us with His blood,
He, Who washed us with His blood,
He, Who washed us with His blood,
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise, and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high;
Here they trusted Him before us,
Now their praises fill the sky:
Thou hast washed us with Your blood;
Thou hast washed us with Your blood;
Thou hast washed us with Your blood;
Thou art worthy, Lamb of God!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SENDING OUT GOD'S PEOPLE

✦ BENEDICTION

✦ *Indicates congregation standing*

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Youth Worship Team Members:

Will Nease, guitar and vocals; Charli Hale and Gracie Donoghue, vocals;
Gil Brandon, piano; Elle Erickson, guitar; Emily Shores, djembe

Getting Connected at Second

To find out more about who we are and how you can become part of our church community, contact Todd Erickson at (901) 531-8895 or todd.erickson@2pc.org.



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