

A red square with a distressed, hand-painted edge. Inside the square, the words "Sunday Night Worship" are written in a white, serif font, stacked vertically.

Sunday Night Worship

May 29, 2016

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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All About the Gospel

CURRENT SERIES

God Calls Us Into His Presence and Receives Our Praises

✦ CALL TO WORSHIP David Bowen
Assistant Pastor, Middle Adults

✦ "Lead On, O King Eternal" Ernest Warburton Shurtleff, Jeff Pardo

**Lead on, O King eternal, the day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest, thy tents shall be our home.
Through days of preparation, Thy grace has made us strong;
And now, O King eternal, We lift our battle song.**

**Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper, the sweet amen of peace.
For not with swords' loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums;
With deeds of love and mercy, the heavenly kingdom comes.**

Chorus:

***Lead on, O King;
Lead on, O King;
Lead on, O King, Lead on.***

**Lead on, O King eternal, we follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning, where'er Thy face appears.
Thy cross is lifted over us, we journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might.**

Chorus

✦ PRAYER OF ADORATION

God Calls Us to Offer Ourselves to Him

WORSHIP OF GOD WITH THE GIFTS OF GOD

"Not What My Hands Have Done" Aaron Keyes

**Not what my hands have done can save my guilty soul;
Not what my toiling flesh has borne can make my spirit whole.
Not what I feel or do can give me peace with God;
Not all my prayers and sighs and tears can bear my awful load.**

**Thy work alone, O Christ, can ease this weight of sin;
Thy blood alone, O Lamb of God, can give me peace within.
Thy love to me, O God, not mine, O Lord to Thee,
Can rid me of this dark unrest and set my spirit free.**

Chorus:

*These guilty hands are raised, filthy rags are all I bring,
And I have come to hide beneath Your wings.
These holy hands are raised, washed in the fountain of Your grace,
And now I wear Your righteousness.*

**Thy grace alone, O God, to me, can pardon speak,
Thy power alone, O Lamb of God, can this sore bondage break.
No other work save Thine, no other blood will do;
No strength but that which is divine can bear me safely through.**

Chorus

**I praise the God of grace, I trust His truth and might,
He calls me His, I call Him mine, my God, my joy, my light.
My Lord has saved my life and freely pardon gives,
I love because He first loved me, I live because He lives.**

Chorus

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We ask that everyone, including members and visitors, write their names, addresses, and other information in the spaces provided on the attendance pad as it is passed down the row.

God Speaks to Us His Word

SCRIPTURE READING..... Philippians 4:21-23
(page 982 in the church Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Experience the Gospel: A New Community

Michael Davis
Assistant Pastor
Young Adults

God Invites Us to His Table

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

All those who have publicly professed their faith and joined a Christian church as a communing member are warmly welcomed to receive communion tonight. Non-communing worshipers are encouraged to contemplate the love of Jesus Christ during this time.

We encourage children not to take communion until they have joined the church as communicant members. We do, however, encourage non-communing children to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing. Those wishing to be served communion together as a group or family, please stand together in front of the two serving elders before taking the elements.

Gluten-free bread is offered in the center aisle.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

SONGS FOR THE TABLE

"Jesus, with Thy Church Abide" Christopher Miner

**Jesus, with Thy church abide;
Be her Savior, Lord, and Guide,
While on earth her faith is tried:
We beseech Thee, hear us,
We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**Keep her life and doctrine pure;
Grant her patience to endure,
Trusting in Thy promise sure:
We beseech Thee, hear us,
We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she one in doctrine be,
One in truth and charity,
Winning all to faith in Thee:
We beseech Thee, hear us,
We beseech Thee, hear us.**

**May she guide the poor and blind,
Seek the lost until she find
And the brokenhearted bind:
We beseech Thee, hear us,
We beseech Thee, hear us.**

"How Great Is Our God/How Great Thou Art" Chris Tomlin

**The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty,
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.
He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide,
And trembles at his voice, trembles at his voice.**

Chorus:

*How great is our God, sing with me,
How great is our God, all will see,
How great, how great is our God.*

**Age to age He stands, and time is in His hands,
Beginning and the end, beginning and the end.
The Godhead, three in one: Father, Spirit, Son,
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.**

**Name above all names,
Worthy of all praise,
My heart will sing
How great is our God.**

**Then Sings My Soul, my Savior God to Thee
How Great Thou art, how Great Thou Art.**

"Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting" arr. David Hampton

**Jesus, I am resting, resting in the joy of what Thou art;
I am finding out the greatness of Thy loving heart,
Thou hast bid me gaze upon Thee, as Thy beauty fills my soul,
For by Thy transforming power, Thou hast made me whole.**

Chorus:
*Jesus, I am resting, resting in the joy of what Thou art;
I am finding out the greatness of Thy loving heart.*

**O how great Thy loving kindness, vaster, broader than the sea!
O how marvelous Thy goodness lavished all on me!
Yes, I rest in Thee, Beloved, know what wealth of grace is Thine,
Know Thy certainty of promise and have made it mine.**

Chorus

**Simply trusting Thee, Lord Jesus, I behold Thee as Thou art,
And Thy love, so pure, so changeless, satisfies my heart;
Satisfies its deepest longings, meets, supplies its ev'ry need,
Compasseth me round with blessings: Thine is love indeed.**

Chorus

**Ever lift Thy face upon me as I work and wait for Thee;
Resting 'neath Thy smile, Lord Jesus, earth's dark shadows flee.
Brightness of my Father's glory, sunshine of my Father's face,
Keep me ever trusting, resting, fill me with Thy grace.**

Chorus

God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out to Serve

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ BENEDICTION

✦ *Indicates congregation standing*

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Pastor Search Recommendations

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