

THANKSGIVING

Worship Service

Second Presbyterian Church · November 24, 2019 · 6:00 p.m.

Prelude

✦ **Call to Worship** Gerry Peak
Assistant Pastor, Senior Adults

✦ **Blessed Be Your Name**

Blessed be Your Name in the land that is plentiful,
Where Your streams of abundance flow, blessed be Your Name.

And blessed be Your Name when I'm found in the desert place,
Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be Your Name.

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise;
And when the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say:

Blessed be the Name of the Lord; blessed be Your Name.

Blessed be the Name of the Lord; blessed be Your glorious Name.

Blessed be Your Name when the sun's shining down on me,
When the world's "all as it should be," blessed be Your Name.

And blessed be Your Name on the road marked with suffering,
Though there's pain in the offering, blessed be Your Name.

You give and take away. You give and take away.
My heart will choose to say: Lord, blessed be Your Name.

✦ **Invocation** (*please raise hands*)

Worship of God with the Gifts of God

*Tonight's offering will benefit The Philemon Project's GROW Center in Lebanon,
Calvary Rescue Mission, and Memphis Union Mission.*

*In addition to cash and check, you may give electronically at www.2pc.org/give
or text THANKS followed by the gift amount to (901) 410-9500.*

You Are Good/O Give Thanks

Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever.
Lord, You are good and Your mercy endureth forever.
People of every nation and tongue,
From generation to generation.

We worship You, Hallelujah, Hallelujah.
We worship You, for who You are.

And You are good.

○ give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good, yes He is good.
○ give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good, yes He is good.

For He is worthy, worthy, for He is good, yes He is good.
For He is worthy, worthy, for He is good, yes He is good.

✦Prayer of Thanksgiving

✦Greetings and Announcements

Testimony: Retell. Reimagine. Repair.

Scripture Reading Luke 22:14-38
(page 882 in pew Bible)

The grass withers, the flower fades,
but the Word of our God will stand forever. (Isaiah 40:8)

Sermon: The Table of Thanksgiving George Robertson
Senior Pastor

Invitation to the Table

This is the Lord's table. All who profess their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ are invited to receive communion. If this is not your faith, we would still encourage you to walk forward, knowing that no one will make you take the elements. Any of our elders or pastors will be happy to talk to you about questions or doubts you have about faith in Christ. We encourage children not to take communion until they have joined the church but do welcome them to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing. If you are unable to come forward, please raise your hand and an elder will serve you in your seat. All communion wafers are gluten free.

Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Divine Pardon

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Songs for the Table

Behold the Lamb

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,
Slain for us – and we remember
The promise made that all who come in faith
Find forgiveness at the cross.
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of peace around the table of the King.

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ,
Torn for you – eat and remember.
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life
Paid the price to make us one.
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,
Shed for you – drink and remember.
He drained death's cup that all may enter in
To receive the life of God.
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of His sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of grace around the table of the King.

Worthy Is the Lamb

Thank You for the cross, Lord. Thank You for the price You paid,
Bearing all my sin and shame, in love You came and gave amazing grace.

Thank You for this love, Lord. Thank You for the nail-pierced hands;
Washed me in Your cleansing flow, now all I know: Your forgiveness and embrace!

Worthy is the Lamb, seated on the throne.
Crown You now with many crowns; You reign victorious!
High and lifted up, Jesus Son of God;
The Darling of heaven crucified—worthy is the Lamb; worthy is the Lamb.

Worthy is the Lamb! Worthy is the Lamb!
The Darling of heaven crucified.

✦ Prayer of Thanksgiving

✦ **Benediction** *(please raise hands)*

✦ Amen Chorus

Postlude

✦ *Indicates standing*

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Elders are available following the service for prayer and anointing with oil.

I. Family

II. Frail

III. Failures



HANGING
of the GREEN

Please join us December 1, at 6:00 p.m. to celebrate the beginning of the Advent season. We'll gather for worship in the Sanctuary and be led in worship by our children's choirs. Then we'll decorate the campus on our way to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. The evening will conclude with a live nativity outdoors.

Getting Connected at Second

To find out more about who we are and how you can become part of our church community, or for help with specific concerns, you may contact a member of our pastoral team listed below by emailing firstname.lastname@2pc.org or calling (901) 454-0034.

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