

February 7, 2016

Service of Worship

10:30 A.M.

Brother and sister, welcome to worship in the name of the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit.

PRELUDE

STRIKING THE HOUR

GREETING

CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

Announcements

Prayer Concerns

OPENING MUSIC “We Have Come Into His House” *Chancel Choir*

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 119

L: O Lord, Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

P: **Give me life, O Lord, according to your word.**

L: Accept our offerings of praise, O Lord, and teach us your ways.

P: **Your decrees are our heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart.**

L: Let us worship God!

***HYMN** “Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him” CH 82

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

***Unison:* God who creates us, Christ who redeems us, Spirit who renews us, hear our confession. We hide from you when we should obey you; we neglect seeking your voice. We have become content to listen to the voice of the world instead of obeying your word as you have revealed it to us. Help us to surrender all things to you, to declare you Lord of all. Have mercy upon us and grant us forgiveness, so that we may rest in your peace. Amen.**

***SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: God turns us around, opens our eyes, renews our faith, forgives our sins.

***P:* We are truly blessed. Thanks be to God!**

***Congregation please stand, if able**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

“Into My Heart”

“Into my heart, into my heart Come into my heart, Lord Jesus;
Come in today, come in to stay, Come into my heart, Lord Jesus.”

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

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.

FIRST LESSON: Hebrews 4:12-13

Pew Bible p. 1046

OFFERING

Offertory

*Doxology

PH 592

*Prayer of Dedication

*HYMN

“Thanks to God Whose Word Was Spoken”

CH 409

SHARING IN PRAYER

Personal Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

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.

ANTHEM

“Thy Word”

Chancel Choir

SECOND LESSON: Galatians 6: 7-10

Pew Bible p.1015

SERMON “Best Year Ever: Immersed in the Word”

Rev. Smith

*HYMN

“O For A Heart to Praise My God”

CH 650

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

*CHORAL RESPONSE

“God Be with You

Chancel Choir

w/ Congregation CH 232

CH – *The Celebration Hymnal*

PH – *The Presbyterian Hymnal*

THIS WEEK AT SECOND CHURCH

Sunday, February 7

9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study – Lucille Sanger Classroom

10:00 AM Adult Choir rehearsal – Choir Room

10:30 AM Worship *After Worship -Pastor's Breakfast Meeting*

Greeters & Ushers: Chuck Blackley (*Head Usher*), Pat Blackley, Jerry Fry, and Linda Fry

Flower Coordinator: Sue Gochenour

Monday, February 8

10:00 AM Faithful 5 Circle – The Parlor

Tuesday, February 9

10:00 AM Friendship Circle – The Parlor

Wednesday, February 9

6:00 PM Church Night Supper – “Imposition of Ashes”
Fellowship Hall

Thursday, February 10

5:45 PM JuBellation Choir Practice

6:45 PM Chancel Choir Practice

Next Sunday, February 14

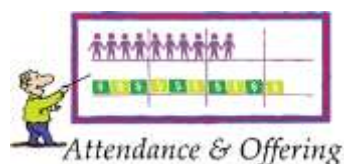
9:30 AM Sunday Bible Study – Lucille Sanger Classroom

10:00 AM Adult Choir rehearsal – Choir Room

10:30 AM Worship

Greeters & Ushers: Jim Wright (*Head Usher*), Brenda Wright, Beth Ramsey and Maxine Robertson

Flower Coordinator: Sue Gochenour



Attendance last Sunday:	58
Offering last Sunday:	\$8,907.00
Hunger Offering:	\$ 479.00
Total Deposit:	\$9,386.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The February sign-up sheet for Ushers is on the back table.
Last 2 weeks still need filling. Thanks so much for your help.

BAD WEATHER INFORMATION!

With the threat of Winter Weather, please check the website (<http://www.sec-stn.org>) or tune into WSVA-Channel 3 for church cancellations and weather – related information.

Please Note: New Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Kay Mader – Tuesday & Thursday in the office

Kay Waitier – Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday in the office

NEW CARD MINISTRY

I'm starting a card ministry at Second. I know a lot of us send cards, but this is for those who may not and wish to send messages to folks. Cards will be sent to our folks who are hospitalized, prospective surgeries, accidents, illnesses, traumas, death, friends, college students, and anyone who you know needs a card, let me know. Stop by as you come in the Sanctuary either before or after church, and I'll have cards available for you to sign beginning today.

Thanks for the donation of cards from Pam Snyder and LouAnn Powell Pangburn.

Thanks, Linda Lickliter

COMING EVENTS

A Church Night covered dish supper will be held on Wednesday, **February 10th**, 6:00 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a food item to share with all. Beverages and table service will be provided by the Christian Education/Worship Committee. As this Church Night is also Ash Wednesday, a worship service will follow at 7:00 p.m. where we will receive the “Imposition of Ashes”.

February 14th Communion Servers

1. Linda Licklitter
2. Mary Rainey
3. Matthew Ramsey
4. Dick Robinson
5. Pam Snyder
6. Woodie Wimer

Preparation: Linda Licklitter and Pam Snyder

SPAGHETTI SUPPER

There will be a Baja Fundraiser at Olivet Presbyterian Church on February 20th from 4 to 8 P.M. The meal is spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, bread, dessert and drinks. Cost \$10.00. Eat in or take out. This is to benefit all the churches going to **BAJA**.

BLANKETS +

During **February**, Presbyterian women will be collecting funds for Blankets +. **Please make your checks payable to Presbyterian Women/Blanket Fund.** There are some extra envelopes on the back tables in the sanctuary.

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Health Concerns: Pam Snyder, Linda Armstrong, Leatrice Gibson; Harry Johns, Jr. & his son, Brian; Gary Archer (Allen's cousin); Rocky & Brenda Simonetti; Michael Brown; Mary McNamara; & Mac Moyer; and Paul Archer (Allen's brothers),
- Church concerns:
Our members in care facilities: Doris Miller (Stuarts Draft Retirement Home); Virginia Brand (Shenandoah); Jane Roby (Ritenour); Betty Ramsey (Avante).
- Peace around the world where conflict abounds.
- Celebrating a birthday this week: Richard Beard (9), William Jack (9), Matthew Moyer (9), Rebecca Sherwood (10), Matthew Robertson (11), Christopher Scott Hippeard (15)
- Celebrating an anniversary this week: None
- Persons connected to Second Church in the military:
Jon Clark – Army – (grandson of Anita and Bill Haessly)
Nick Dubyk – Army Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania (grandson of Betty & [the late] Willis Clemmer)
Patrick W. Brown – Air Force – (grandson of [the late] Marie Wiseman)
Christopher Todd – USAF – (grandson of [the late]) Ruth Weller and Ralph Weller)



Please call the Church Office (885-8159) if you or someone in your family goes into the hospital. This is the only sure way that we will know of your situation, so visits and other support can be given.

As an aid to people who have trouble reading the regular sized type on the Sunday worship bulletin, a large print version is available. Simply request one from any usher.