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For the safety of our congregation, the above phone number is a special cell phone that our Security Guard, Hayden, has with him. In case of fire or any suspicious activity or emergency, please call this number.

Second Presbyterian Guest Wi-Fi Info: **Network:** 2ndPres-Guest **Password:** @SecondPres!

Sunday Worship

March 31
Easter Sunday
He Is Risen!
He is Risen Indeed!

CRITICAL NEED INFO

In case of a critical need while Pastor Cathy is on vacation, please contact Deacon Moderator, Gary Maynard, 423-593-1787; or Rev. Dr. Paul Rader, 865-719-4841, from Northside Presbyterian.

Church Office Closed
Easter Monday
April 1, 2024

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MARCH 31—APRIL 6

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, April 1st

PW MORNING CIRCLE

Monday, April 1st
10:30am

FAITH COMMUNITY NURSE

Marylynn Morrison
Tuesday, 10:00am—2:00pm
Appts: 423.266.2828

BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday, 2:00pm

TAI CHI

Wednesday, 9:30am

SECOND HANDS

Thursday, 10:00am

MEDITATION & MINI TENNIS!!

Silent Meditation
Saturday, 9:30am
Mini Tennis
Saturday, 10:00am

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE A SERVICE OF LAMENTS



SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MARCH 29, 2024—12:00PM



Second Presbyterian Church 700 Pine St., Chattanooga, TN 37402
Phone: 423.266.2828 Email: office@secondpreschatt.org

Pastor: Rev. Cathy Meyer * Office Manager: Susan Vance
Director of Music: Dr. Kevin Ford * Organist/Accompanist: Jonathan Jung
Maintenance Sexton: Andrew Wilson * Sound Tech: Michael Tabb
Security Sexton: Hayden Perry
Seminary Intern: Susan Fennema



SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

A SERVICE OF LAMENTS

*We welcome friends from Pilgram Congregational Church and their
Pastor, Rev. Katharine Toledano.*

PRELUDE

Were You There?
Jim Bailiff

arr. by Phillip Keveren

WELCOME

Rev. Cathy Meyer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray. Merciful God, as we remember how your son Jesus bore our sins in his body on the cross, how He himself spoke words of lament, we ask you to bless our hearing. Lord, as we recall how His silence cried for mercy on the souls of all, we ask you to help us understand the mystery of your love, and make us into a people who are ever more worthy of it. Amen.

Rev. Katharine Toledano

HYMN #223

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

CALL OF CONFESSION

Rev. Cathy Meyer

On Good Friday, we remember how we left You alone – yes, You – who has never abandoned even the worst of us.

Forgive us for all the times we have walked away from You, Lord.

We've walked away from you by ignoring our neighbors. We have crucified Your Earth and those who cry out for clean water and safe air to breathe.

God, hear our prayers of grief and regret.

Help us learn from this day. Help us accept it as part of who we are and what we have done so that we may move on to new life.

SILENCE IS KEPT

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

INDIVIDUAL PSALMS OF LAMENT

Psalm 22: 1-8, 14-21

Psalm 56

Rev. Katharine Toledano

Jonathan Doran

SPECIAL MUSIC

Jerusalem
Phillip Chesney, soloist

CORPORATE PSALMS OF LAMENT

Psalm 58

Psalm 80

Psalm 123

Karen Claypool

Jonathan Doran

Rev. Cathy Meyer

HYMN #221

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

MATTHEW 27:45-54

Rev. Katharine Toledano

UNISON PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Katharine Toledano

Lord God, you have given us everything. You have not held anything back.

Help us in like manner to give of ourselves. Bless us with honesty in all that we feel. Give us courage to express our own lament. May all that we think, say, and do be a graceful testimony of your presence in our lives; and may we continue to be a church that knows how to weep, and how to rejoice, for the sake of Jesus, who taught us to pray...

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.

CHARGE AND BLESSING

(Leave in silence.)