

Security Phone Number: 423-777-0620

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

May 5

Sixth Sunday of Easter
Sacrament of Holy Communion
John 15:9-17

May 12

Seventh Sunday of Easter
Youth Sunday
Sofia Bean and Teens, leading worship
Deacons

May 19

The Day of Pentecost
Acts 2: 1-21
Session

May 26

Trinity Sunday
"We Believe,"
The Apostles Creed
Rev. Lina Hart, preaching

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MAY 5—11

GUARDIAN ANGEL REVEAL

Sunday, 10:00am

PW MORNING CIRCLE

Monday, 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

PW EVENING CIRCLE

Wednesday, 6:00pm

2ND HANDS

Thursday, 10:00am

SECOND STEPS

Friday, 9:30am

MEDITATION & MINI TENNIS!!

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

CHILDREN'S PARTY

Saturday, 10:00am

MEN'S MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

Saturday,
10:00am-2:00pm
Miller Park Downtown

HOPE HOUSE HOOPLA

Saturday, 6:30pm
The Granfalloon
400 E. Main St.



SECOND STEPS!

Friday, May 10th, 2024, 9:30am

Meet at the church parking lot at 9:30am. We will walk at the Riverfront Blue Goose Hollow Park with coffee to follow.

For info, call Mary Lynn Morrison, 717-903-4702.

CHILDREN'S PARTY

Saturday, May 11, 2024

10:00am—12:00pm

We'll be making gifts for Mother's Day, playing games, eating snacks, and of course, jumping in the bouncy house!

PW MORNING CIRCLE

Monday, May 6, 10:30am

The Bible Study is Lesson 9," of "Sacred Encounters." Bring a sack lunch and stay after the meeting. We will enjoy some fellowship.

YOUTH SUNDAY

May 12, 2024

Come support our youth: Sofia Bean, preaching
Nursery class reciting scripture.
Special music by our Youth Choir.

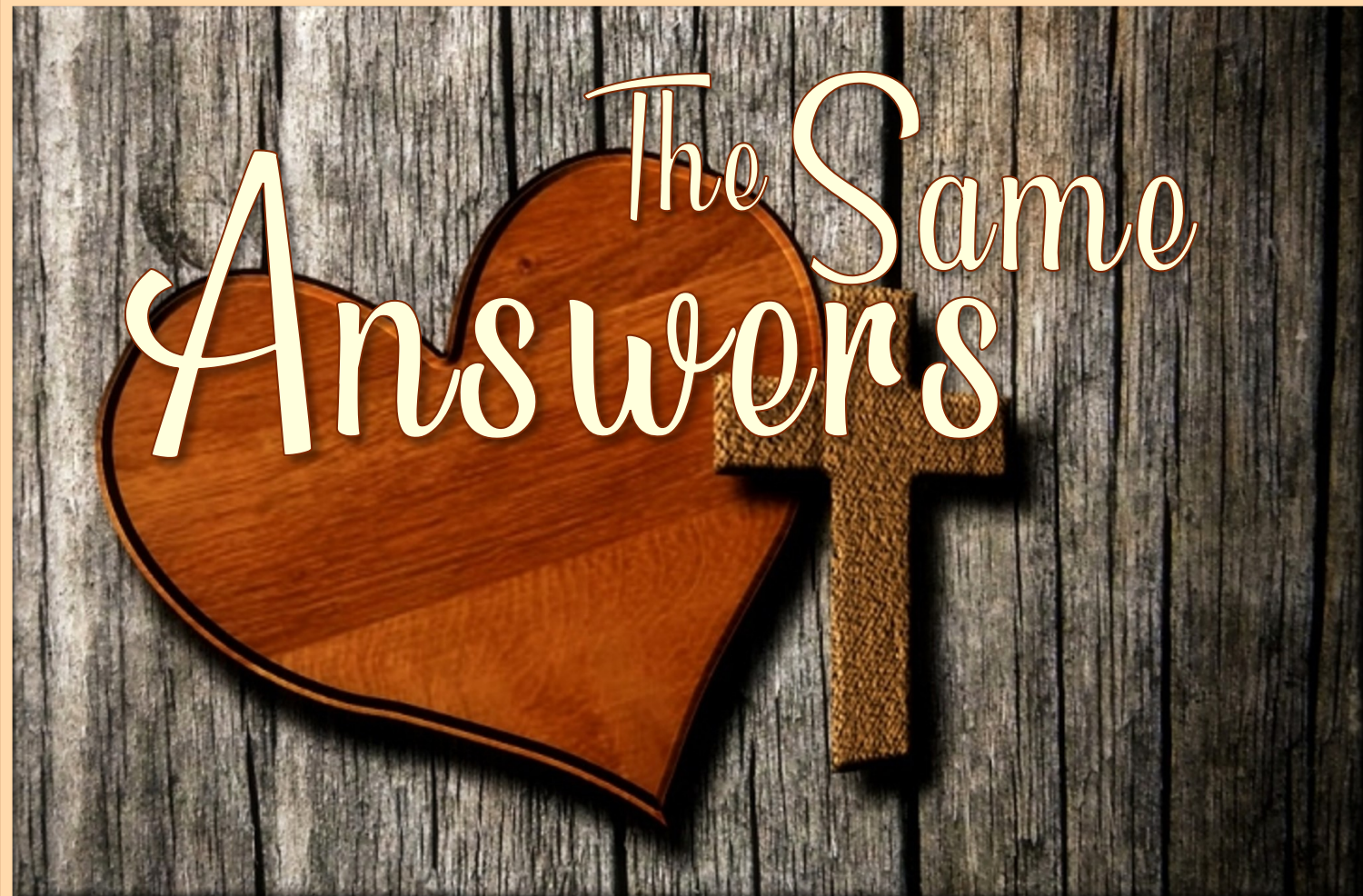


MEAL TRAIN FOR THE CONDRA FAMILY

Kevin and Natasha are caring for their friend Eric who is recovering from a quadruple bypass. We would like Second Presbyterian members to provide them with at least a couple of meals a week for the next 3 weeks. **Please call or text Natasha at 423.280.1015, before delivery of the meal.**

Please sign up on the meal train website if you can provide a meal.

The Condra Family Meal Train Link:
<https://mealtrain.com/dndz5l>



SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MAY 5, 2024

11:00AM



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Security Sexton: Hayden Perry



MAY 5, 2024—SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

CENTERING MUSIC

God has remembered His loving kindness and His faithfulness...Psalm 98:3

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Cathy Meyer

Welcome to Second Presbyterian Church! We are glad that you are here! If you are a visitor, please fill out the yellow Visitor Card in the pew and place it in an offering plate at the back of the sanctuary. We invite you to listen for the Spirit, in word, in song, in this space. You are safe here, settle in with expectation.

BLESS THE DRESSES

Carolyn Agnew

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Mental Health Awareness Month

Ken Waddell

Today you will receive mental health awareness wristbands. It is the hope of the church Mental Health Ministry Committee and Outreach Committee that you will wear them as both a reminder to make your personal mental health a priority, and as a conversation starter with those who may notice your wristband.

INTROIT

I Will Worship the Lord

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PRELUDE

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C. Debussy

CALL TO WORSHIP

We come to join with all the earth in praise:

To sing a new song to the Lord, who has done marvelous things, who has shown us steadfast love and faithfulness.

We praise the Lord with joyful noises joining the symphony of the earth:

The roar of the ocean, the call of the birds, people in every corner of the globe.

We are here to love you, Lord;

And we greet you with joy, Christ our brother and our living God!

HYMN #15

All Creatures of Our God and King

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God, we have not loved you or each other with our whole hearts. We love when it is easy and reach out only to those who are like us. How can love like that change the world? We know that we love the children of God, when we love the Lord and obey God’s commandments. For this is the love of God. Forgive us for not understanding how to love and give us strength to love as You love us.

SILENCE IS KEPT

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

GLORIA PATRI

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Rick Rushworth and Friends

After the time for young disciples, children through Kindergarten may be dismissed for childcare upstairs.

ANTHEM

If Ye Love Me

Wilby

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 98

Rick Rushworth

98:1 O sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things. His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory. ²The LORD has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations. ³He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God. ⁴Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises. ⁵Sing praises to the LORD with the

lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody. ⁶With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD. ⁷Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in it. ⁸Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy ⁹at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming to judge the earth. He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

SCRIPTURE

John 15:9-17

15:9 As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. ¹⁰If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. ¹¹I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. ¹²"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. ¹³No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command

you. ¹⁵I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. ¹⁶You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. ¹⁷I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

SERMON

“The Same Answers”

Rev. Cathy Meyer

CONFESSION OF FAITH—THE APOSTLES’ CREED

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THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give God thanks. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING / 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.

HYMN #729

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Allemande

J.S. Bach

OFFERING PLATES AND HEARING DEVICES ARE LOCATED AT THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY
GIANT PRINT BIBLES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY
Contact Susan at office@secondpreschattanooga.org, if you would like to be added to our newsletter distribution list.