Sunday Night Worship

Second Presbyterian Church · March 31, 2019 · 6:00 p.m.

Prelude

✝Call to Worship ........................................... Brett Wynne
Assistant Pastor, Young Adults

✝Come, Now Is the Time to Worship

Come, now is the time to worship;
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship;
Come, just as you are before your God.
Come.

One day every tongue will confess You are God; one day every knee will bow.
Still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose You now.
Willingly we choose to surrender our lives, willingly our knees will bow.
With all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, we gladly choose You now.

Words: Brian Doerksen / Music: Brian Doerksen; arr. Shipps / Romans 14:11

✝Invocation (please raise hands)

Worship of God with the Gifts of God

Again I Say, Rejoice!

Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say,
Again I say rejoice in the Lord always,
And again I say, and again I say, rejoice!

Come bless the Lord, come bless the Lord,
Draw near to worship Christ the Lord.
And bless His name, His holy name, declaring He is good!

O that men would praise Him, O that men would praise Him.
O that men would praise His name,
Praise His name to the ends of the earth.

Words: Israel Houghton / Music: Aaron Lindsey; arr. Galbraith / Philippians 4:4
Prayer of Thanksgiving

Greetings and Announcements

Ordination of Brandon Terry

Presbytery of Central South Ordination Commission: TE Tim Russell, Second Presbyterian Church, Memphis; TE Mike Davis, Downtown Church, Memphis; RE Fred Flinn, Second Presbyterian Church, Memphis; RE Cedric Calhoun, Downtown Church, Memphis; RE John Laughlin, Second Presbyterian Church, Memphis

Ordination Vows

Congregational Vows
Are you, the members of this congregation, ready to receive Brandon as your pastor?
Do you promise to submit to Brandon in matters of spiritual discipline and to receive from him with humility and love the word of truth?
Do you promise to support Brandon with your prayers, to give encouragement in his work, and to assist him in every way as he seeks to instruct you in the things of the Lord and to lead you in the building of the Kingdom of God in this place?

Sessional Vow
Do you recommit yourselves to fulfill the terms of the call you have extended and to make provision for Brandon’s needs that the name of Christ might be glorified?

Prayer of Ordination

Charge to the Pastor and Congregation

Pastor, Arsenal Hill Presbyterian Church
Columbia, SC

Scripture Reading

Il Corinthians 13:11-14
(page 971 in the pew Bible)
The grass withers, the flower fades,
but the Word of our God will stand forever. (Isaiah 40:8)

Sermon: Grace, Love, and Fellowship

Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 6
How many persons are in the one God?
Three persons are in the one God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. These three are one God, the same in substance and equal in power and glory.

Prayer of Commitment

Invitation to the Table

All who have publicly professed their faith and joined a Christian church are welcomed to receive communion tonight. 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

Jesus, Thank You

The mystery of the cross I cannot comprehend,
The agonies of Calvary.
You, the perfect Holy One, crushed Your Son
Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me.

Your blood has washed away my sin: Jesus, thank You.
The Father’s wrath completely satisfied: Jesus, thank You.
Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table: Jesus, thank You.
By Your perfect sacrifice I’ve been brought near;
Your enemy You’ve made Your friend.
Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace;
Your mercy and Your kindness know no end.

Lover of my soul: I want to live for You.

Words: Pat Sczebel / Music: Pat Sczebel; arr. Leohrs / Colossians 1:21

Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted

Stricken, smitten, and afflicted, see Him dying on a tree.
‘Tis the Christ by man rejected; yes, my soul, ‘tis He, ‘tis He!
‘Tis the long-expected Prophet, David’s son, yet David’s Lord;
By His Son, God now has spoken: ‘tis the true and faithful Word.
Tell me, ye who hear Him groaning, was there ever grief like His?
Friends thro’ fear His cause disowning, foes insulting His distress;
Many hands were raised to wound Him, none would interpose to save;
But the deepest stroke that pierced Him was the stroke that justice gave.
Ye who think of sin but lightly nor suppose the evil great
Here may view its nature rightly, here its guilt may estimate,
Mark the sacrifice appointed, see who bears the awful load;
‘Tis the Word, the Lord’s Anointed, Son of Man and Son of God.

Here we have a firm foundation, here the refuge of the lost.

Words: Thomas Kelly / Music: William Walker / Isaiah 53:4
Mighty to Save

Everyone needs compassion, a love that’s never failing, let mercy fall on me. Everyone needs forgiveness, the kindness of a Savior, the hope of nations.

* Savior, He can move the mountains.  
* My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save.  
* Forever, Author of salvation, He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave.

So take me as you find me, all my fears and failures, fill my life again. I give my life to follow, everything I believe in, now I surrender.

Shine your light and let the whole world see, We’re singing for the glory of the risen king: Jesus.

* Words: Bend Fielding / Music: Reuben Morgan; arr. Galbraith / Zephaniah 3:17

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction *(please raise hands)* .........................................................Brandon Terry

Postlude

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

Please join us immediately following the service, for a reception in honor of Brandon Terry.

Grace, Love, and Fellowship  March 31, 2019

I. Grace of Christ

A. Aim for Perfection

B. Accept Encouragement

II. Love of God

A. Open Mind

B. Peace

III. Fellowship of Holy Spirit

A. Holy Kiss

B. Greet All the Saints