

Welcome to



SECOND PRES

The Truth of Being

Rev. Trey Haddon

Sunday, May 18, 2025
9:00 AM

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PRELUDE

Simple Gifts arr. Jeanne Cotter

Dr. Dennis Gotkowski

WELCOME & LIFE TOGETHER

Rev. Trey Haddon

***SONG of the DAY**

Congregational Singing

I Danced in the Morning No. 302

CALL to WORSHIP

Kathy Frank

Now is the time to sing!

**to sing the good news of God,
who surrounds us with joy and life.**

Now is the time to offer praise to God,

to rejoice with a word of hope.

Now is the time to worship God.

We will sing the good news of Easter!

We will rejoice in the God who loves us.

CALL to CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Now that Easter is done, Holy One, we no longer hear the special music, but listen to temptation's familiar refrains. Rather than living in the newness you bring, we do things the way they have always been done.

Still, Holy God, you know the way out of our messy lives and lead us to wholeness. You challenge us to love one another, as you have so graciously loved us.

ASSURANCE of PARDON

God's mercy and hope are shared with us
so we can praise our God joyfully.

**We offer our hearts and hands
in love and service to others.**

Thanks be to God, we are forgiven! Amen.

***GLORIA PATRI**

Congregational Singing

***PASSING of the PEACE**

Jamie Kaiser

FOUNDATIONS

Jamie Kaiser

————— *Children invited to attend Sunday School* —————

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Elder Sara Palmgren

John 13:31-35 p. #108

SPECIAL MUSIC

Celeste Arnett, soprano

Hear Ye, Israel, from Elijah Felix Mendelssohn

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Rev. Trey Haddon

Revelation 21:1-6 p. #259

MESSAGE

Rev. Trey Haddon

The Truth of Being

***HYMN**

Congregational Singing

How Great Thou Art

MOMENT of DISCIPLESHIP

Jamie Kaiser

Bryce Nicolas-Penn (Graduating from University High School)

OFFERING

Jamie Kaiser

Offertory Andante from Sonata in B-flat, Hob. XVI-17
Franz Joseph Haydn

*Doxology

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE

Jason Jennings

Ending with the Lord's Prayer

Congregational Singing

We Walk By Faith and Not By Sight No. 399

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Trey Haddon

POSTLUDE

Dr. Dennis Gotkowski

Let All Things Now Living arr. Lloyd Larson

**Please stand*

UPCOMING at SECONDPRES

Group Sale Storage:

Group Sale is in need of storage to temporarily house large donated items such as furniture. If you have extra storage that you are willing to donate until the sale, please contact Janet Frankeberger at 309-824-9777 or sjfrankeberger@aol.com.

Sun-Day Social on June 8:

Join us after worship service on Sunday, June 8 for a summer fun picnic! We'll be serving hot dogs and ice cream sundaes, having entertainment for the whole family, and sharing the day together a big church family!

Congregational Meeting:

A congregational meeting is scheduled to be held on June 1, 2025 after the 9:00 Worship service for the purpose of electing new officers.

Adult Christian Education:

There will be no ACE Class on May 18. ACE will resume on June 1st.

New Membership Class:

There will be a New Membership Class today following service.

WEEKLY at SECONDPRES
EVERY SUNDAY

- 8:45 am: Sunday Morning Brunch
- 9:00 am: Worship Service
- 10:15 am: ACE (Adult Christian Education)
- 10:15 am: High School Brunch (Resumes August)
- 3:00 pm: Lego League Robotics (Grades 4-8)

EVERY TUESDAY

- 7:00 pm: Scouts Troops 903 and 9903
- 6-8:00 pm: First Tech Challenge (FTC) Robotics (Grades 7-12)

EVERY WEDNESDAY

- 6-7:30 pm: K-5th KidsMin (Resumes August)
- 6-7:30 pm: 6-8th YOUTHMin (Resumes August)
- 6:30-8:00 pm: Chapel Choir Resumes September 3

EVERY THURSDAY

- 11:30 am: Thursday Prayer Lunch

Group Sale is July 25 & 26:

Mark your calendars for this year's Group Sale on Friday, July 25 and Saturday, July 26! For more information, contact Janet Frankeberger at 309-824-9777 or sjfrankeberger@aol.com.

VBS Registration & Donations:

VBS is coming soon, and we'd love for your family to be part of it! Registration is due by Monday, June 2 – sign up today at secondpres.com/vbs.

Support our Free Little Pantry!

As the school year winds down, many families who rely on free or reduced lunch programs will face food insecurity during the first and last weeks of summer. Our Free Little Pantry is a vital resource during this time, and we're expecting increased foot traffic in the coming weeks. Please donate if you can!

Prayer Quilt:

Please tie a knot for Louise Krueger as Louise is undergoing treatments and some health issues.

Before the service begins, please check in using your pew pad (located in each pew) or via the Second Pres church app.

UPCOMING at SECONDPRES

- 5/18 6/1-6/15 ACE Class – following service
- 6/2 VBS Registration Due
- 6/8 Sun-Day Social – following service
- 6/11 Westminster Fellowship Morning – 10:30 a.m.
- 6/23-6/27 Vacation Bible School
- 6/29 VBS Celebration – 9 a.m.

BIBLE STUDIES

EVERY TUESDAY

- 8:30 am: Morning Men's Bible Study (Wylie)

EVERY OTHER TUESDAY

- 11:30 am: Bible Study (Jones)

EVERY WEDNESDAY

- 6-7:45 pm: The Gathering Bible Study (Jennings)

For more information on Bible studies visit: secondpres.com/biblestudy