

SESSION MEETING

Session will meet after worship today

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 2022.

PRESBYTERIAN BIBLE STUDY!

Tuesday, January 18th at 2:00pm, in the Elmore Room.

TEMPTING TUESDAY DINING OUT!

Tuesday, January 18, 6:00pm Sawasdee Thai Restaurant, 4008 St Elmo Ave, 37409. You can let Martin know ahead of time (call/text [937-609-4681](tel:937-609-4681), email martin@martinHdavisjr.com)

MINI TENNIS

Mini Tennis will meet on Saturday, January 22nd at 10:00am in the gym.

JANUARY 22ND CHOIR RETREAT POSTPONED!

Due to the surge in COVID and in an abundance of caution, the choir retreat has been postponed until a later date. Thank you, Dr. Kevin Ford

ANNUAL MEETING!

Sunday, January 23, 2022 Committee reports and the 2022 budget will be reviewed; members will vote on the Pastor's compensation package.

NEW ADDRESS!

Cathy Meyer and Ken Waddell's new address: 400 S Germantown Rd., Chattanooga, TN 37411

PLASTIC FOR PROJECT HOPE

We are collecting plastic bags for "Project Hope" Homeless Ministry in Chattanooga. Please place bag donations in the box in the hallway.

A Precious New Addition!



The rose on the communion table celebrates the birth of Barrett Lee Tomer, born January 12, 2022. Congratulations to Charly and Patsy Brown on the birth of their Great Grandson!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Jason, Becky and Emily Murr, in the death of Becky's father, also to Brenda Carter and Kathryn Walker, in the loss of their niece, Lorie Jacobs and to Bill and Sara Simmons and family in the loss of Bill's mother, Rachel Simmons.

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| *Maxine Troxler | *Peggy Parkinson | *Brian Holmes (Nephew of Carol and Martin Davis, Jr.) | *Rick Rushworth |
| *Daughter Katie (Unspoken Prayer Request) | *Sandy Smith | *Janney Family | *John and Stephanie Marshall and Family |
| | *Kent Dailey | | *Ann O'Connell |
| | *John Doyal | | |

Worship in January

January 16, 2022

Criminal Justice Sunday

Guest Speaker: Michael Gilliland, CALEB

John 2: 1-11
Deacons Offering

January 23, 2022

Luke 4: 14-21
Annual Meeting

January 30, 2022

Luke 4: 21-30

METROPOLITAN MINISTRIES NEEDS

VOLUNTEERS!

MetMin needs volunteer hospitality hosts to staff the front desk of their On-site Grocery store, Mondays through Fridays, from 1pm—4pm. If interested, contact Rebecca Whelchel at 423-624-9654, ext. 108.

Second Presbyterian Church Order of Worship

Criminal Justice Sunday January 16, 2022 11:00 AM

Cell block A at Sing Sing Correctional Facility in Ossining, New York. This is the largest cell block in the country. About 1,800 men are incarcerated at this maximum-security prison.



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Security Sexton: Hayden Perry * Nursery: Hayley Johnson

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—CRIMINAL JUSTICE SUNDAY—DEACONS SUNDAY—JANUARY 16, 2022

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

David Friberg

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Cathy Meyer

DEACONS SUNDAY

Barbara Bye

INTROIT

This is the Day the Lord Hath Made

M. K. Beall

PRELUDE

He Watching Over Israel from **Elijah**
Mindy Grohman, Violin

by Felix Mendelssohn

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God of all creation, we feel your presence among us.

Blow the winds of truth through us. Open us to the change your truth reveals to us.

**People: God of Wisdom, teach us to delight in our differences,
help us to trust and find strength in one another.**

Leader: God of Power, free our dreams. Awaken our souls to your presence.

People: God of compassion, open our ears to the suffering of others.

Release our minds to your mystery. Unlock our hearts to the goodness of life. Come!

HYMN #361

O Christ, the Great Foundation

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

When hope runs dry, lift us out of despair, O God, and fill us with the waters of renewal.

When our efforts fall short, forgive our failings, and reclaim us with your promise.

Transform our lives, as you once transformed water into wine, that we may flow with abundant love. Empower your people, that captives may continue to be released; and that the oppressed may continue to be set free.

Lord Jesus Christ, who crossed boundaries and borders, help us to love our neighbors and break down barriers in our communities. Inspire us to celebrate difference and reconcile division, to re-imagine this world as a place where justice and peace kiss and freedom abounds.

SILENT CONFESSION

DECLARATION OF PARDON

GLORIA PATRI

Glory Be to the Father

Back of Hymnal

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

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

ANTHEM

Jam Christe Sol Justitiae

Jeremy Young

SCRIPTURE-OLD TESTAMENT

Isaiah 62:1-5

The Vindication and Salvation of Zion

62 For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. ²The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem

in the hand of your God. ⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married. ⁵For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

SCRIPTURE-GOSPEL

John 2:1-11

The Wedding at Cana

2 On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸He said to

them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. ⁹When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

GUEST SPEAKER

Michael Gilliland, CALEB

CONFESSION OF FAITH (from A Brief Statement of Faith)

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: Preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT / THE LORD'S PRAYER

Maker of all, You painted into being all heaven and earth, creatures and all living things. With such depth of diversity – shape, size, color, uniqueness and giftedness - help us to recognize Your Divine Image in stranger and friend, to see Christ in the displaced and dehumanized. Let us lift their dignity and act with Your passion and zeal to see justice, equity and love abound. When we do not listen to the cries, give us ears to hear. When we overlook racism and injustice, give us eyes to see. When we do not speak truth to power, give us voices to declare, 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.

HYMN #772

Live into Hope

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

In Christ there is no East or West

arr. Friberg

**OFFERING PLATES ARE LOCATED AT THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY
HEARING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY**