

TODAY is PW Thank Offering Sunday.

The donations by PW will go to support 12 projects - 9 in the US and 3 international.

(Flyer available showing the breakdown of projects)

All donations are appreciated.

PW LADIES CIRCLE MEETING!

The Ladies Circle will meet tomorrow, **Monday, November 8th, at 10:30am.**

ANOTHER SEW AND STUFF DAY—NEWTON CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER!

The Knit Wits are having another Sew and Stuff Day at the church on **Saturday, November 13th, at 10:00am** to make more Hug Me Dolls and Egg Babies for the children at The Newton Center. Please bring a small lunch. Dessert and drinks will be supplied. Please call Martha Huskins at 423-838-1523 for more information.



STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY—NOVEMBER 14, 2021

For the past several Sundays, you have heard from your fellow congregants about the great things that we could accomplish if we carry forward our 150-year history into 150-PLUS.

The Season will end with a special message from Pastor Meyer on November 14. On that day, we will gratefully receive your completed pledge card for 2022 so we can begin planning Christ's mission for next year.

Thank you for being such a passionate and giving congregation!

We ARE Second Presbyterian and WE ARE CELEBRATING 150 YEARS SERVING CHRIST IN DOWNTOWN CHATTANOOGA!

Pledge cards & envelopes are available throughout the church!

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN
150
PLUS †

FAMILY TARTAN/PLAID

If you participated on Reformation Sunday by wearing the colors of your family tartan, please consider providing a swatch of fabric from your family tartan so that we can display them for future Reformation Sundays.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Brenda Carter and Kathryn Walker in the loss of their nephew, Jonathan Lowery, Jr., and also to the Chattanooga Community Kitchen in the loss of their CEO, Olivier LeMaitre, and also to the Edward de Rosset family.

*Maxine Troxler	*Peggy Parkinson	*Catherine Burns (Martha Huskin's Sister)	*Community Kitchen
*Daughter Katie (Unspoken Prayer Request)	*Michael Hunter	*Brenda Carter and Kathryn Walker & Family	*The Williams Family
*Rachel Simmons	*Agnes Andruk		*Lorie Jacobs (Niece of Brenda and Kathryn)

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NOTICE

THE END IS NEAR

Second Presbyterian Church
Order of Worship
Sacrament of Holy Communion

November 7, 2021

11:00 AM

**SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
NOVEMBER 7, 2021**

Thank you to our guest organist, Sarah Glenn

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Cathy Meyer

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT—ST MATTHEW’S SHELTER

Rick Rushworth

CHORAL INTROIT *Cast Thy Burdens Upon the Lord* (from Elijah)

Mendelssohn

PRELUDE *Come Sing, O Church in Joy!*

Healey Willan

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let our hearts give glory to God.

People: Let our mouths be ever fixed in praise.

Leader: Christ is waiting here for us.

People: Christ waits to show us life, present with us always.

Come and worship. We are here to praise the Lord!

HYMN #804 *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, the road of the faithful is hard and filled with challenges. Sometimes we complain. Sometimes we take a different road. Sometimes we allow other concerns, other worries, other people to lead us astray. Forgive us. Help us rise when we fall. Help us turn toward you. Help us focus only on today. Be our path to freedom and peace.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

GLORIA PATRI *Glory Be to the Father* Back of Hymnal
*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.*

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

Chloe Langston

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

ANTHEM *E’en So, Lord Jesus, Quickly Come* Paul Manz

SCRIPTURE Mark 13:1-8

Natasha Condra

The Destruction of the Temple Foretold

13 As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, “Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!”² Then Jesus asked him, “Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.”

³ When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, ⁴ “Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?”⁵ Then Jesus began to say to them, “Beware that no one leads you astray. ⁶ Many will come in my name and say, ‘I am he!’ and they will lead many astray. ⁷ When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. ⁸ For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

SERMON *But the Beginning* Pastor Cathy Meyer

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

INVITATION

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 #93 *Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates*

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Psalm 19* Benedetto Marcello

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