

# 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* Arr. Innes

## GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

INTROIT

✦ CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 30*

One: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

One: Sing to the Lord, all you faithful;

All: **Give thanks to God's holy name.**

One: God turned our mourning into dancing!

All: **God took away our sackcloth and dressed us up in celebration!**

One: Our hearts sing without ceasing.

All: **O Lord our God, we will always give you thanks!**

✦ HYMN OF PRAISE *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* #39

✦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God, you know our sinful behaviors and the ways we fall short. We come to you with the hope of your restoration. We walk with our heads held high, without noticing others and their burdens. We keep our mouths silenced when we are full of stories to share about the good things that you have done for us. We even keep our actions silenced as we become so overwhelmed with the needs of the world that we do nothing to overcome them. Fill us with your peace and mercy. Free us from the destruction of sin and restore us to a life lived in you. Amen.**

✦ ASSURANCE OF GOD'S LOVE

One: Peace!

All: **Peace we receive from God when we know that our sins are forgiven.**

One: Peace, brothers and sisters. In Jesus Christ, we have received forgiveness and been restored.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

✦ RESPONSE *Glory Be to the Father* #581

✦ PASSING OF THE PEACE

May the peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the Registration Pad found at the end of the row and pass it along.

OFFERING OUR LIVES TO GOD

Offertory *Let Us Break Bread Together* *Spiritual / Arr. Middleswarth*

✦ Response *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* #606

✦ Prayer of Dedication

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

All children are invited to come forward for the Time for Young Disciples.

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

HEBREW BIBLE READING Isaiah 66:10-14 p. 697 OT

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING Luke 10:1-11, 16-20 p. 71 NT

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

THE WORD PROCLAIMED Sarah Morgan

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

✦ Preparatory Hymn *The Servant Song* #727

Great Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer

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

Lift up your hearts. **They are lifted up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Communion of the People *At This Table* *Menzel and Myrin*  
*Tuesday Reynolds, soloist*

Prayer after Communion

✦ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Vision Statement of 2<sup>nd</sup> Presbyterian Church

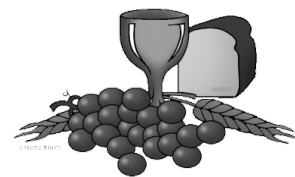
**Responding in gratitude to God's love and grace, we are a welcoming, faithful, and hopeful community, following Jesus and serving him in the world.**

✦ HYMN OF SENDING *Lift Every Voice and Sing* #339

✦ BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

✦ POSTLUDE *America, the Beautiful* Arr. Whitworth

✦ THOSE WHO ARE ABLE PLEASE STAND



**Communion:** We welcome all who follow Jesus, regardless of denomination, to the Lord's Table, including children. Parents who wish to celebrate communion as a family may get their children from the nursery during the singing of the Communion preparation hymn. **Communion will be received via intinction this morning.** There will be a gluten free station located in front of the lectern.

## SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Sarah Morgan – Pastor  
Charles White – Liturgist  
Matthew Mimbs – Director of Music & Arts  
John Lasater – Organist  
2<sup>nd</sup> Presbyterian Chancel Choir

**Ushers:** Lauren Dodson, Tim Wright, Leslie Testerman  
**Technicians:** Matt Casey (video), Matthew Lowe (audio)

## WORSHIP

**UPCOMING SERMON TEXTS AND TOPICS:** We are currently following the Revised Common Lectionary, Year C.

July 3	Luke 10:1-11, 16-20	Instructions for Discipleship
July 10	Luke 10:25-37	The Good Samaritan
July 17	Luke 10:38-42	Mary & Martha
July 24	John 4:43-54	Jesus Returns to Galilee

**THE FLOWERS THIS WEEK** are given to the glory of God and in memory of Edith Vance by a friend.

**PASTOR TIM IS ON SABBATICAL** through September 5<sup>th</sup>. He will return to the office on Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>. If you need pastoral attention while he is away, please contact Pastor Sarah Morgan or the church office.

**SEEKING ADDITIONAL USHERS:** Ushering on Sunday morning is an opportunity to meet and welcome members and visitors and to be of service to Second Presbyterian. All it takes is a smiling face and a friendly attitude. You may usher as frequently or infrequently as you wish., but the schedule is usually once a month. There are also a few instructions for new ushers. If you are interested in contributing in this way, please let Betsy Foster know via text (865-406-4800) or email (betsyfoster47@gmail.com).

**WE ARE CURRENTLY IN COVID PHASE GREEN. No Covid precautions.**

### WELCOME VISITORS!

We are excited to have you with us today and hope you feel at home! We are honored you are here and pray you will feel God's presence in this place. If you do not have a church home, we would love for you to be a part of 2nd Pres. Please let us know a bit about you by completing a Visitor's Card or by filling out your information in the Friendship Register. Children are welcome in worship. There is a **family worship area** down front. There is also a "crying room" next door in the Library where the service is live streamed. **Children's Worship Bags** are available in the Narthex. A **nursery is available** for infants and children through age 6. **Hearing Devices** are available, if needed.

### CONNECT

**SUNDAY BRUNCH RETURNS BY POPULAR DEMAND:** July 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your favorite breakfast casserole, pastries, or fruit, and join others for good food and fellowship. We will finish in time to attend the 11:00 worship service.

**2<sup>nd</sup> READERS** meet on Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at Buckingham Clubhouse. Marianne Thuesen will lead discussion of *The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry*, by Rachel Joyce. Bring lunch and join us at 11:30 a.m.

### GROW

**THE FAITH SCIENCE & THE FUTURE SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS** meets in the Barbour Room at 9:45. Note: the class will NOT MEET on July 17<sup>th</sup>, so that members can participate in the Brunch.

**THE JULY – AUGUST UPPER ROOM** devotional books are available, in the narthex and vestibule.

### GO

**FISH PANTRY:** Our FISH Pantry is a ministry that helps feed shut-ins and those in need. If you can help pack grocery bags or deliver them to homes, we meet on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month from 9-12 in the Fellowship Hall. Call Joe Clarke at 865.335.0421 if you are interested in helping. Needs change monthly, so please refer to the weekly eblast for current list of items needed.

**THE LOVE KITCHEN:** Are you looking for an opportunity to serve GOD and your neighbor? As many of you know, the Love Kitchen was started in 1984 by sisters Helen Ashe and Ellen Turner, to serve the needy by feeding God's children. While both sisters are now deceased, their legacy continues through the efforts of volunteers. The Love Kitchen has no paid staff, but volunteers serve over 3,000 meals each week. The GO team seeks SPC volunteers to help pack food. If you would like to help, please consider these opportunities:

**Tuesday, July 19** 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. (3 people)

**Wednesday, July 20** 10 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. (7 people)

To sign up and/or ask questions, please call Tim Wright at **865-617-4025**.

### SUPPORT

**OUR PLANNED FRIDAY OPENING** is delayed slightly but we do plan to begin opening the church office on Friday mornings (9 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.) later this summer.

## THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

### Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> – Communion Sunday

9:45 a.m. Faith, Science and the Future (Barbour)  
Choir Practice (Sanctuary)  
11:00 a.m. Worship

### Monday, July 4<sup>th</sup> – Independence Day Holiday

Church Office and Preschool Closed

### Tuesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>

5:00 p.m. Facilities Team Meeting (Zoom)

### Wednesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>

2:00 p.m. Compassionate Cuisine (Fellowship Hall)

### Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>

1:00 p.m. GO Team meeting (Mary Chambers)

### Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>

5:00 p.m. First Presbyterian Youth, Whippany, NJ  
(Gym and various, overnight)

### Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>

9:45 a.m. Faith, Science & the Future (Barbour)  
Choir Practice (Sanctuary)  
11:00 a.m. Worship

### PRAYER CONCERNS

Arlys Milligan, Beverly White, Bobbie Denton, Doux Robertson, Fran McLean, Frances Johnson, Sue Jacox, Peter Douglas Hamilton and the family of Edith Vance.

\*Please notify the office if you are sick, in the hospital, or have a prayer request.  
Names remain on the prayer list 4 weeks unless requested to keep them on longer.

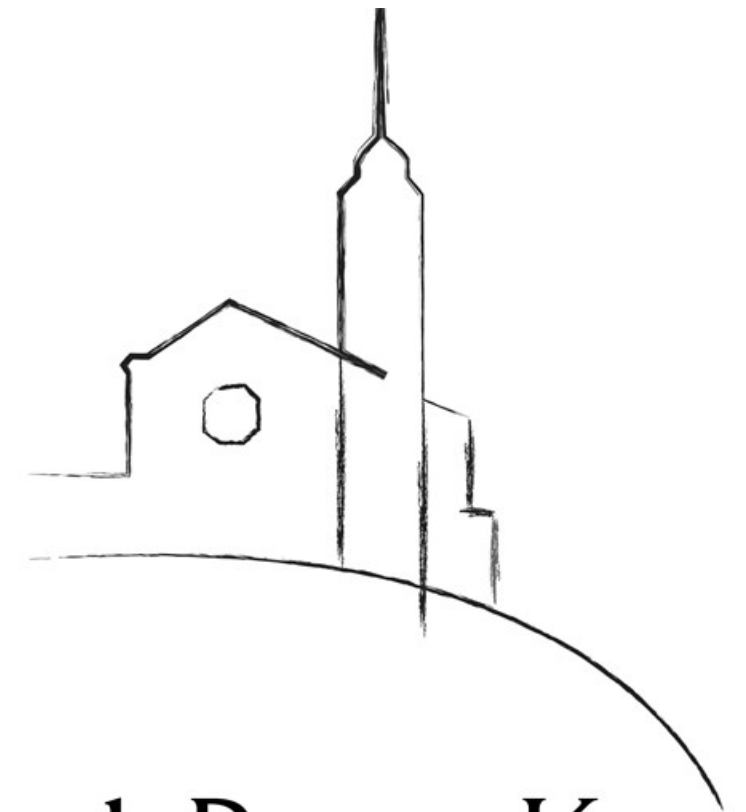
### SECOND PRESBYTERIAN STAFF

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Check out our blog: [2ndpresknox.blogspot.com](http://2ndpresknox.blogspot.com)

**WI-FI NETWORK:** Our Wi-fi network is for use by anyone who visits the building. The network is "Second Presbyterian Church", and the password is *Psalm100*.

**THE JULY 2<sup>nd</sup> EDITION** newsletter is now available! To read online, visit the home page of our website ([2ndpres.org](http://2ndpres.org)). Copies are also found in the narthex and vestibule.



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