

A Service of Witness to the Resurrection  
in celebration of the life of

# *Craig Dykstra*

May 31, 1947 — June 1, 2025



June 20, 2025 ▪ 10:30 AM ▪ Sanctuary

Second Presbyterian Church  
7700 North Meridian Street  
Indianapolis, Indiana

# Craig Dykstra

## Order of Worship

### Prelude

Dr. John Allegar, organ

*Schmücke dich, O liebe Seele, BWV 654*

Bach

*Wenn wir in höchsten Nöten sein, BWV 641*

Bach

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Chisholm

*Precious Lord, Take My Hand*

Dorsey

*Rhosymedre*

Vaughan Williams

*Elegy*

Parry

*What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Scriven

*How Great Thou Art*

Swedish traditional

### Musical Meditation

*Stones in the River*

Carrie Newcomer, voice

Gary Walters, piano

### Welcome and Call to Worship

Rev. Karen L. Lang

### \*Unison Prayer

Eternal God,

we bless you for all the saints who have kept the faith,  
finished their race, and who now rest from their labor.

We praise you for those dear to us

whom we name in our hearts before you.

Especially we thank you for Craig,

whom you have now received into your presence.

Help us to believe where we have not seen,

trusting you to lead us through our years.

Bring us, at last, with all your saints,

into the joy of your home,

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Old Testament Reading

*Psalms 121*

Andy Dykstra

**Words of Remembrance**

Clay Robbins

**Musical Meditation**

*The Gathering of Spirits*

**New Testament Readings**

*John 14:1-4*

Peter Dykstra

*Ephesians 3:14-19*

Rev. Dr. Thomas G. Long

**Meditation**

**Musical Meditation**

*Bare to the Bone*

**Prayers of Thanksgiving and 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 #276**

*Great is Thy Faithfulness*

FAITHFULNESS

**\* Commendation**

**\* Benediction**

**\* Postlude**

*Toccata*

Widor

## **PARTICIPANTS**

Rev. Karen L. Lang  
*Executive Pastor*

Dr. John Allegar  
*Organist and Assistant Director for Music and Fine Arts*

Carrie Newcomer  
*Vocalist*

Gary Walters  
*Pianist*

Andy Dykstra  
*Son*

Peter Dykstra  
*Son*

Clay Robbins  
*Friend and Colleague*

Rev. Dr. Thomas G. Long  
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