

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP • 10 AM

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JANUARY 25, 2026

This service is a replay of:

OCTOBER 20 • FESTIVAL SUNDAY

NO ENEMIES HERE

LUKE 6:27-36



SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



A welcoming community of faith where Jesus Christ transforms lives

WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Christopher A. Henry
Senior Pastor

Rev. Audrey F. Thorne
Lake Fellow in Parish Ministry

Rev. Karen L. Lang
Executive Pastor

Shadreck Kamwendo
Liturgist

Festival Orchestra

Sanctuary Choir

Dr. Michelle Louer
Director of Music and Fine Arts

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

PROCESSION

Acolytes
Adalena Dykstra
Michael Hamilton

Element Bearers
The Young Family

FESTIVAL ORCHESTRA

Flute Alistair Howlett Laura Recendez	Timpani Steve Hanna
Oboe Crystal Barrett Tavani Prabhu	Percussion Jeff Nearpass
Clarinet Becky Chappell Greg Imboden	Violin Sherry Hong (CM)
Bassoon Evan Duffey	Michelle Black Jen Farquhar Melissa Deal Linda Picard Chin Mi Kim Sarah Cook
Horn Rob Danforth Peggy Moran Jill Boaz Sharon Weyser	Shoshana Kay Debbie Rodin
Trumpet Joey Tartell Alex Schwarz Ross Venneberg	Viola Zak Collins Emily Owsinski Patrick Miller Lerryn Donatelle
Trombone Joe Aumann Brad Koser Jared Rodin	Cello Anna Danilova Sara Page Cameron Collins
	Bass Ju-Fang Liu Bert Witzel

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January 25, 2026

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

THIS SERVICE IS A REPLAY OF:

October 20, 2024

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

We Come Together as God's People

Prelude

Symphony No. 84 in E♭ major, I: *Largo-Allegro*
Festival Orchestra; Dr. Michelle Louer, conductor

Franz Josef Haydn
(1732-1809)

Welcome

Rev. Christopher A. Henry

Choral Call to Worship

Awake the Harp (from *The Creation*)

Franz Josef Haydn

Sanctuary Choir and Festival Orchestra; Dr. Michelle Louer, conductor

Awake the harp, the lyre awake,
And let your joyful song resound.
Rejoice in the Lord, the mighty God;
For He both heaven and earth
Has clothed in stately dress.

Text: Gottfried van Swieten (1733-1803)

*** Call to Worship**

Rev. Audrey F. Thorne

One: If you are eager for joy, you are among friends:

All: here we celebrate the goodness of God.

One: If you are overcome by heartbreak, you are among friends:

All: here we offer comfort to the grieving.

One: If you are filled with questions, you are among friends:

All: here we nurture faith and make space for doubt.

One: If you are seeking peace, you are among friends:

All: here we find the centering presence of God.

One: Let us worship the God who gathers us in and holds us together.

*** Prayer of Adoration**

*** Processional Hymn #285**

God, You Spin the Whirling Planets

Franz Josef Haydn

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

One: Lord Jesus Christ, you showed us holiness in action.
You gave away your power in the service of others
and turned our understanding of blessedness on its head.

**All: We confess the difficulties we experience
in living as you lived and loving as you loved.**

One: We confess how easy it is to concentrate on our own pleasures—
taking note of the plight of many in the world
only as the news momentarily grabs our attention.

**All: We confess our capacity to be so consumed by our own agenda
that our concern for the needs of others shrinks all too rapidly.**

One: We confess the ease with which we become conformed to the world's standards
rather than facing the challenge of conforming to those of Christ.

**All: We confess our reluctance to love our enemies
and to do good to those who dislike or even hate us.
Stir up your Spirit in us, Lord, that we may be your disciples.** (Silent Prayer)

Assurance of God's Grace

* Response of Praise

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here be low.

Al-le lu ia! Al-le lu ia! Praise God a-bove, ye heav'n-ly host.

Cre-a-tor, Christ, and Ho-ly Ghost. Al-le lu ia!

Al-le lu ia! Al-le lu ia! Al-le lu ia! Al-le lu ia!

* **Passing the Peace of Christ**

* **Hymn #450**

O Day of Peace

JERUSALEM

We Experience God's Word

The Word with Children

Prayer for Illumination

Shadreck Kamwendo

First Scripture Lesson

Romans 12:14-18

(p. 1034)

Anthem

Ubi Caritas

Ola Gjeilo
(b. 1978)

*Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.
Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor.
Exultemus, et in ipso iucundemur.
Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum.
Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero.*

Where charity and love are, God is there.
Christ's love has gathered us into one.
Let us rejoice and be pleased in Him.
Let us fear, and let us love the living God.
And may we love each other with a sincere heart.

Text: attr. Paulinus of Aquileia (796)/trans. Ola Gjeilo

Second Scripture Lesson

Luke 6:27-36

(p. 939)

Sermon

Rev. Christopher A. Henry

No Enemies Here

"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you..."
(Luke 6:27)

Moment of Silent Meditation

We Give Thanks to God

* Affirmation of Faith

from the Iona Abbey Community

Rev. Karen L. Lang

**With the whole church,
we affirm that we are made in God's image,
befriended by Christ,
and empowered by the Spirit.**

**With people everywhere,
we affirm God's goodness at the heart of humanity,
planted more deeply than all that is wrong.**

**With all creation,
we celebrate the miracle and wonder of life,
the unfolding purposes of God,
forever at work in ourselves and the world. Amen.**

Prayers of the People 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.**

Invitation to Discipleship and Generosity

Offertory

Dona nobis pacem (from *Mass in B minor*, op. 232)
Sanctuary Choir and Festival Orchestra

J.S. Bach
(1685-1750)

Dona nobis pacem.

Grant us peace.

Text: from the Roman Mass (10th-12th century)

* Prayer of Dedication

We Go Forth to Serve

* Closing Hymn

Let There Be Peace on Earth Jill Jackson-Miller and Sy Miller
(Congregation joins at conductor's cue.) arr. Craig Courtney (b. 1954)

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me; let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God our creator, children all are we. Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now. With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow: to take each moment and live each moment in peace forever - nally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

* Charge and Benediction

Postlude

Prelude in C Major, BWV 531

J.S. Bach

THE POWER OF PRAYER

Would you like one of our pastors to pray with you today? We invite you to come to Milner Chapel immediately following the 10 AM worship service for a short time of communion and prayer. You may also visit SecondChurch.org/Prayer to fill out a Prayer Request Form.

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Ashley McNamara, Coordinator of Pastoral Care
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GIVING

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We are blessed by your light!

We've made wonderful progress toward our 2026 Commitment Campaign goal, thanks to the faithful generosity of the congregation. Thank you!

Everyone's help is appreciated and needed to make it to 100% so that we can serve, learn, grow, and dream boldly in the new year.

To make your 2026 commitment visit Secondchurch.org/Commitment or contact Nancy Frick at 317-253-6461, ext. 359 or nfrick@SecondChurch.org

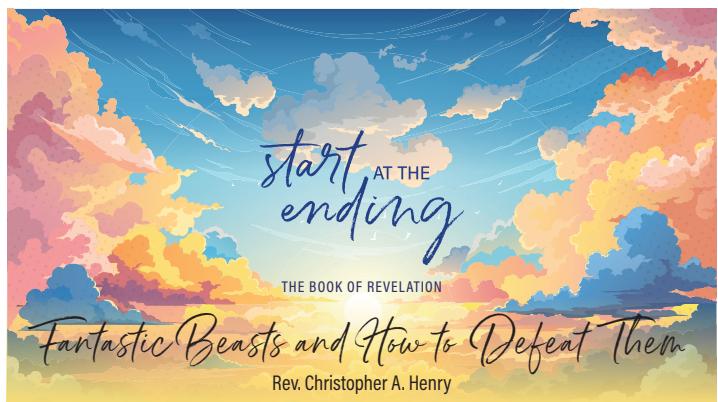


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NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1



8:15 AM • Chapel Worship

9 AM • Sunday School for All Ages

10 AM • Sanctuary Worship

11:15 AM • Service of Wholeness and Communion • Milner Chapel

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UPCOMING EVENTS

SecondChurch.org/Events



Souper Bowl of Caring Food Collection

January 25 – February 8 • Atrium Drop-Off

Second Treasures Volunteer Update and Training

January 29 • 6 – 8 PM • Common Room

The Generous Word

February 1 • 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM • Common Room

Middlers Gathering

February 3 • 7 – 8:30 PM • Offsite

Annual Congregational Meeting

February 8 • Following 10 AM Worship • Sanctuary

Memorial Flower Fund: Lilies

February 8 – March 29 • Online

Second Act February Gathering

February 9 • 3 PM • McFarland Hall

Second Treasures: Stock the Racks

February 10 • 6 – 8 PM • Library

Volunteer for Northside Community Breakfast

February 14 • 8:30 – 11:30 AM • Atrium

New Member Class

February 15 • 11 AM • Common Room

February 16 • President's Day • Building Closed



Annual Congregational Meeting

February 8 • Following 10 AM Worship • Sanctuary