

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP • 10 AM

TO FOLLOW  
THE *light*

THREE IMAGES OF JESUS

APRIL 26

*Images of Jesus: Shepherd*

John 10:2-5, 10-15



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. Thomas P. Markey  
*Associate Pastor of Youth and Families*

Sara Sears  
*Liturgist*

Cherub Choir  
Carol Baker, *Director*  
Tom Ristine, *Accompanist*

Carol Choir  
Patrick Pauloski, *Director*  
Danny Fisher, *Accompanist*

Sanctuary Choir

Dr. Michelle Louer  
*Director of Music and Fine Arts*

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

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**PROCESSION**

**Element Bearers**  
Jerry Hallett  
David Lancet

**Ewer Bearer**  
Marshall Byrans

**Acolytes**  
Nora Kornmeyer  
Charlie Rowe

**2026 CONFIRMANDS**

Winter Adams	Kendall Klaus
Lilly Ashby	Ryan Odle
Will Coles	Noah Rodgers
Alexis Demaree	Barbara Steel
James Edwards	Ben Steel
Rachel Everett	Macy Sturman
Zach Fritz †	Claire VanNahmen
Charlie Illingworth	Evan Wortman
Johan Jorgenson	Junia Yoder

† Receiving the Sacrament of Baptism

**TODAY'S BAPTISM**

**Zach Fritz**

Elder: Sara Sears

Youth Deacon: Mac McDonald

**WELCOME FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN**

Following today's *Word with Children*, children ages 4 through grade 5 may remain with their families or depart for *Sunday Mornings for Children*. If departing, please assure your child is wearing a nametag. Carol Choir pick up will be in Room 355 at 11:15 AM. Pick up for other sections of *Sunday Mornings for Children* will be in the third-floor hallway at the same time. Childcare is available on the second floor for infants through age 3.

**VISUAL AND HEARING ASSISTANCE**

Please speak to an usher if you need a large print bulletin, large print hymnal, or an assistive listening device.

# April 26, 2026

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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### We Come Together as God's People

**Prelude** *O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig*, BWV 656 J.S. Bach  
Dr. John Allegar, organ (1685-1750)

**Welcome** Rev. Christopher A. Henry

**Choral Call to Worship** *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need* arr. Virgil Thomson  
Sanctuary Choir; Dr. Michelle Louer, conductor (1896-1989)

My Shepherd will supply my need, Jehovah is his Name;  
In pastures fresh he makes me feed beside the living stream.  
He brings my wand'ring spirit back when I forsake his ways,  
He leads me for His mercy's sake in paths of truth and grace.

Text: Henry Williams Baker (1821 – 12 February 1877)

**\* Call to Worship** Rev. Audrey F. Thorne

One: Jesus, the Good Shepherd,  
calls us by name and leads us with love.

**All: We come to follow him,  
our shepherd and guide.**

One: He lays down his life for the sheep,  
showing us the depth of his care.

**All: We come to worship the one who knows us and loves us,  
who leads us to green pastures.**

One: We hear his voice calling us to safety and rest,  
to peace and protection.

**All: We come to be healed, to be nourished,  
and to be led by the Good Shepherd.**

**\* Prayer of Adoration**

**\* Processional Hymn #387** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* BRADBURY (American melody)

## Invitation to Confession

### Prayer of Confession

Good Shepherd,  
We confess that we have often wandered from your fold, seeking our own way.  
We have listened to voices that lead us astray and ignored your gentle call.  
When we are lost, we fail to trust in your care and guidance,  
and we try to find our own way to safety.  
Forgive us, Lord, for our wayward hearts and our stubbornness.  
Call us back to your loving embrace,  
and help us to follow your voice with trust and obedience.

We thank you for laying down your life for us,  
and we offer our lives to you in return.  
In your name, we pray. (Silent Prayer)

### Assurance of God's Grace

#### \* Response of Praise

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks*

ALLELUIA NO. 1

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Give thanks to the ris - en Lord.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Give praise to His Name.

#### \* Passing the Peace of Christ

#### \* Hymn #171

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*  
(verses 1-4; 6)

ST. COLUMBA (Irish melody)

## We Experience God's Word

### Children's Choir Anthem

*Come, Together Let Us Sing*  
Danny Fisher, piano; Mark Blessing, oboe

J.S. Bach

Come, together let us sing,  
God for all His goodness praising;  
Grateful thanks to Him we bring,  
Joyfully our voices raising.  
Praise to God in highest heaven,  
And on earth be glory given.

### The Word with Children

#### Prayer for Illumination

Sara Sears

#### First Scripture Lesson

Colossians 1:15-20

(p. 1072)

#### Anthem

*Rise Up, My Love*

Healey Willan  
(1880-1968)

Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away.  
For lo, the winter is past; the rain is over and gone.  
The flowers appear upon the earth;  
The time of the singing of birds is come.  
Arise my love, my fair one, and come away.

Text: Song of Solomon 2:10b-12a

#### Second Scripture Lesson

John 10:2-5, 10-15

(p. 978)

#### Sermon

Rev. Christopher A. Henry

## Images of Jesus: Shepherd

*"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."*

(John 10:11)

### Moment of Silent Meditation

# We Give Thanks to God

Invitation to Discipleship and Generosity

Rev. Thomas P. Markey

Offertory

*How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings*  
Caitlin Stewart, soprano

Samuel Liddle  
(1867-1951)

How lovely are Thy dwellings, O Lord of Hosts!  
My soul longeth, ye, fainteth, for the courts of the Lord:  
My heart and my flesh cry out for the living God.  
Yea, the sparrow hath found her a house, and the swallow a nest,  
where she may lay her young, even Thine altars, O Lord of Hosts, my King and my God.  
O Lord God of Hosts, hear my prayer.  
I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.  
For a day in Thy courts is better than a thousand.  
How lovely are Thy dwellings, O Lord of Hosts!

Text: from Psalm 84

\* **Doxology**

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise God, all crea - tures  
here be - low; Praise God a - bove, ye heaven - ly host;  
Cre - a - tor, Christ, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

\* **Prayers of Intercession and Dedication**

# We Go Forth to Serve

## Service of Baptism and Confirmation

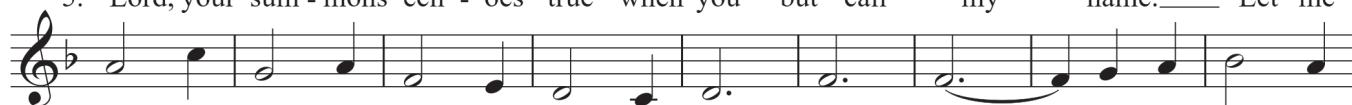
### \* Closing Hymn

*Will You Come and Follow Me*

KELVINGROVE



1. Will you come and fol - low me if I but call your name?\_\_\_ Will you
2. Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call your name?\_\_\_ Will you
3. Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call your name?\_\_\_ Will you
4. Will you love the 'You' you hide if I but call your name?\_\_\_ Will you
5. Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call my name. \_\_\_ Let me



go where you don't know and ne - ver be the same?\_\_\_ Will you let my  
care for cruel and kind and ne - ver be the same?\_\_\_ Will you risk the  
set the pris - 'ners free and ne - ver be the same?\_\_\_ Will you kiss the  
quell the fear in - side and ne - ver be the same?\_\_\_ Will you use the  
turn and fol - low you and ne - ver be the same. \_\_\_ In your com - pa -



love be shown, \_\_\_ will you let my name be known, \_\_\_ will you  
hos - tile stare \_\_\_ should your life at - tract or scare?\_\_\_ Will you  
le - per clean, \_\_\_ and do such as this un - seen, \_\_\_ and ad -  
faith you've found \_\_\_ to re - shape the world a - round, \_\_\_ through my  
ny I'll go \_\_\_ where your love and foot - steps show. \_\_\_ Thus I'll



let my life be grown in you and you in me? \_\_\_  
let me an - swer prayer in you and you in me? \_\_\_  
mit to what I mean in you and you in me? \_\_\_  
sight and touch and sound in you and you in me? \_\_\_  
move and live and grow in you and you in me. \_\_\_

### \* Charge and Benediction

### \* Choral Benediction

*Amen (from Missa Paschalis)*

Jan Dismas Zelenka

### Postlude

*Chorale Prelude on "Gelobt sei Gott"*

Healey Willan  
(1880-1968)

At the conclusion of worship, we invite you to join us in McFarland Hall for coffee, donuts, and community.

## THE POWER OF PRAYER

*The Chancel flowers this morning are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Alice Turner Scurlock from Sandra Lynch and the Moran family (Bob, Amanda, Isaiah, Ty, and Aidan).*

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](https://SecondChurch.org/Prayer) to fill out a Prayer Request Form.

If you or a loved one is hospitalized, please contact:  
**Ashley McNamara**, Coordinator of Pastoral Care  
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## GIVING

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## VISITING TODAY?

Thank you for worshipping with Second! Our Hospitality Team would love to connect and welcome you more fully into the life of Second. Scan this QR code and let us know you were here!



**Radiant Dawn**  
May 3 • Sanctuary  
3:15 PM Pre-Concert Chat  
4 PM Concert  
Indianapolis Baroque Orchestra  
& Second Presbyterian Church  
Sanctuary Choir

FESTIVE MUSIC FOR EASTERTIDE

**INTO THE WATERS**  
VBS 2026 JUNE 22-26  
REGISTER HERE!

## MARCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

Budgeted Income	\$1,491,190
Actual Income	\$1,550,829
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$59,639

## TODAY

**Deacon-Sponsored Blood Drive**  
8 AM – 12:30 PM • Multipurpose Room

**New Member Class**  
11:15 AM • Common Room

**The Gospel House: A Plan for Daily Bible Study and Prayer**  
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM • Common Room

**CFM Family Social Hour**  
11:30 AM • East Playground

## NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 3

TO FOLLOW  
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THREE IMAGES OF JESUS  
*Images of Jesus: Savior*  
Rev. Christopher A. Henry

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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[SecondChurch.org/Live](https://SecondChurch.org/Live)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

[SecondChurch.org/Events](https://SecondChurch.org/Events)



**Young Adult Evening of Service and Fellowship**  
April 27 • 5:30 PM • Food Pantry followed by Offsite Dinner

**Men's Monthly Fellowship**  
April 28 • 6 – 8 PM • The Roost in Nora

**Young Adult Brunch**  
May 3 • Following 10 AM Worship  
Another Broken Egg Cafe on North Meridian

**Family Promise Supply Drive**  
May 4 – 31 • Atrium Drop-Off

**Second Treasures Stock the Racks**  
May 5 • 6 – 8 PM • Library

**Middlers Gathering**  
May 5 • 7 PM • McAllister's at 96th and Meridian

**Women at Second Praise Luncheon**  
May 7 • 11:30 AM • McFarland Hall