

*Call to Worship

*Hymn of Praise“Come People Of The Risen King”

Come people of the Risen King, who delight to bring Him praise;
Come all, and tune your hearts to sing to the Morning Star of grace.
From the shifting shadows of the earth, we will lift our eyes to Him,
Where steady arms of mercy reach, to gather children in.

(Chorus)
Rejoice, rejoice! Let ev’ry tongue rejoice!
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ rejoice!

Come those whose joy is morning sun, and those weeping through the night;
Come those who tell of battles won, and those struggling in the fight.
For His perfect love will never change, and His mercies never cease,
But follow us through all our days, with the certain hope of peace. *(Chorus)*

Come young and old from ev’ry land, men and women of the faith;
Come those with full or empty hands-find the riches of His grace.
Over all the world, His people sing-shore to shore we hear them call
The truth that cries through ev’ry age, “Our God is all in all.” *(Chorus)*

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Praise #1“Psalm 100”
 (“All People That on Earth Do Dwell”)

*Affirmation of FaithNicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven
and earth, of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord
Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his
Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God
of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the
Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our
salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy
Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified
also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and

the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and
ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and
the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in
the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the
Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is
worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we be-
lieve in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge
one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resur-
rection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Confession of Sin

*Hymn of Pardon #520“Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness”

Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord’s Prayer)
Our Father, which 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, for ever. Amen

*Psalm of Preparation“Psalm 117”
(Tune: “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”)

Praise give the Lord, you nations all;
All peoples, praise now bring.
Extol the Lord, you peoples all,
Extol Him – praise and sing!

His lovingkindness does abound;
His love toward us is sure.
The Lord’s great faithfulness endures
Forever – praise the Lord!

*ScriptureTitus 2:11- 3:8

SermonPastor Michael Brock

*Chorus of Response“Lord, Be Glorified”

In my life, Lord, be glorified, be glorified;
In my life, Lord, be glorified today.

In my work, Lord, be glorified, be glorified;
In my work, Lord, be glorified today.

Pastor: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: Christ has died.

Christ has risen.

Christ will come again.

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

All: We do not presume to come to this Your table, O merciful
Lord, trusting in our own goodness, but only in Your
righteousness credited to us. We are not worthy so much as to
gather up the crumbs under Your table. But You are the
same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant us,
therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by
faith, that we may evermore live in Him and He in us. Amen.

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

*Congregational Response“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one,
Alleluia! alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

*Benediction

MAY I COME TO THE LORD’S TABLE?

We warmly invite to the Lord’s table all those who are baptized disciples of
Jesus Christ, under the authority of Christ and His body, the Church. By
eating the bread and drinking the wine with us as a visitor, you are acknowl-
edging that you are a sinner, without hope except in the sovereign mercy of
God, and that you are trusting in Jesus Christ alone for salvation. You also
acknowledge to the elders of this congregation that you are in covenant with
God, having professed to the leadership of your church that you submit to
their spiritual accountability and authority over your life. If there is any doubt
about your partaking of these communion elements, please refrain from
partaking at this time and speak with a pastor after the service.

Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, *Pastor*
Hunter Twitty, *Assistant Pastor*
Gordon Craig, *Director of Music*
Amalee Smith, *Pianist*

Announcements

Session Meeting: The Session will meet tonight at 5:00 p.m. for their monthly meeting.

Women's Bible Study: Women's Bible Study on Wednesdays, "Ignite Your Passion for God" led by Pat Hammond and Guylene Jackson. Books will be provided. 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. in Room 104/105. Nursery will be provided for 1-1/2 and younger. Ages 2+ will have Bible class with Anya.

Save-The-Date: We are excited to announce that Third Church will be having a missions conference October 15-17. Dr. Doug Sweeney, Dean of Beeson Divinity school, will be speaking. There will be a Friday night dinner, gatherings on Saturday, and we will wrap up Sunday morning. More details will be forthcoming.

Operation Christmas Child 2021: Third Presbyterian Church has participated several years in this wonderful project. Samaritan's Purse has a goal of collecting the most Christmas boxes ever, in 2021. With the pandemic still occurring all over the world it may be challenging this year. But, is also very important to reach out sending love and hope through the story of Jesus, providing discipleship programs and Christmas gifts to thousands of children around the world. Now is a great time to purchase summer items on clearance: flip flops, sunglasses, sandals, bandanas, etc. and school supplies. More information, boxes and literature will be provided as this project gets underway. Please pray for this Ministry - that God will bless the efforts of every participant on all levels in reaching and exceeding the goal for 2021 in spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Daily "Zoom" Prayer Meeting: If you would like to join the churchwide "Zoom" Prayer Meetings: Monday – Friday at 8:00 a.m. and Saturdays at 8:00 p.m. please email Jennie@ThirdPCA.org to be added.

Walter and I are very thankful for the loving care expressed to us during our recent illness with Covid-19. Your prayers, food, cards, calls and texts were so helpful and encouraging! We love you and will never forget your kindness. Suanne Walsh

Today at Third ~ 09/12/21

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship ★
11:00 a.m. Sunday School ★

★Nursery provided downstairs in the Ed. Bldg.

This Week at Third ~ 09/12/21 – 09/18/21

Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study – E104/105
Thursday: 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study – E104/105

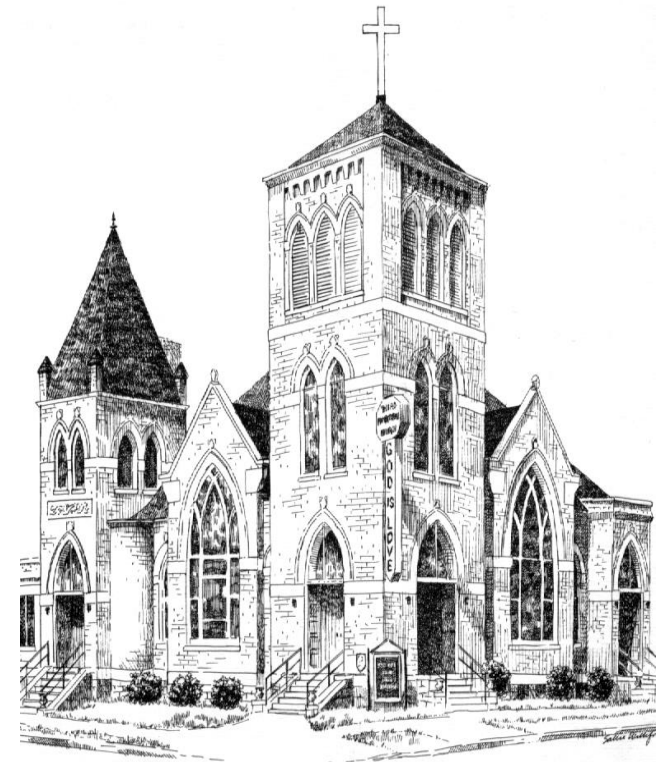
Birthdays and Anniversaries

Monday: Ashlynn Ford (B)
Tuesday: Zoe Ivanov (B)
Thursday: Elizabeth Twitty (B)
Saturday: Earl Phillips (B)

Current Active Officers

Elders: Michael Brock, Eddie Burg, David Byers, Chris Hussar, Charles Miller, Jack Neill & Harold Simon

Deacons: Tommy Brannan, Hart Byers, Billy Culp, Joe Glasgow, Joe Hall, Jim Hamil, Bob McIndoe, Ken Miller, Ben Riley, Tim Wannemuehler & Ben Whitaker



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