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**THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY**

NOVEMBER 5, 2023

8:30 AND 11:00 A.M.

**The Congregation will speak aloud the bold print in responsive readings.
* Please rise in body or spirit.**

GATHERING

*Worship begins with God. God takes the initiative and calls the Church into being.
In the name of Christ, we heed God's call and gather as the community of faith.*

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

Please provide us a record of your attendance. At 11:00, take the red friendship pad, sign your name, and pass it down the pew and back, noting the names of those worshipping with you. At 8:30, complete the yellow card and place it in the offering plate. We encourage our guests to share your information that we might be aware of your presence with us.

PRELUDE

Requiem aeternam I E. Daley
SPC Adult Choir
Janette Robinson, soprano

Grant them eternal rest, Lord our God, we pray to Thee.
Each night I listened for your call, when your call stopped, I held my breath, suspended.
I had grown accustomed to a dialogue with silence, then wait for the sounds of night,
you, dying, and I but witness to the end.

*** CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVE)**

Blessed are those who mourn **for they shall be comforted.**
Blessed are the poor in spirit, **for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**
Blessed are those who are merciful, **for they shall receive mercy.**
Let us sing to the Lord a new song; **let all the faithful praise the Lord.**

*** HYMN NO. 275** *A Mighty Fortress is Our God* EIN' FESTE BURG

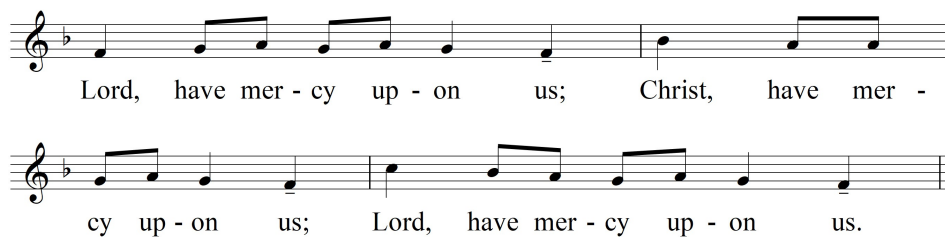
CALL TO CONFESSION (RESPONSIVE)

Jesus said: Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.
Trusting in God's grace, **let us confess our sin.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

Spirit of the living God,
fall afresh on each of us.
On this All Saints' Sunday we acknowledge we are tired.
This community of faith has experienced lots of deaths.
We are tired of losing loved ones, friends, and fellow saints.
We miss their presence, voices, humor, and grace.
We want life to reign, pain to depart, and sadness to be eradicated.
But that's not our job, nor is it our call to change those realities.
We are called to place our trust in you, Triune God.
To trust that you are in control, leading us where we need to go.
Lord, we confess that we've not always followed you.
We've walked our own paths because they are easier.
Carry us home, back to you where you will give us rest.
Lord, we've come into your presence to bear our souls to you...
(Silent confession)

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us; Christ, have mer -
cy up - on us; Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (*RESPONSIVE*)

The Lord created humanity out of dust and to dust we shall return.

This God ordained.

Yet, even at our last, we proclaim this truth:

The Lord has the last word and it is always one of grace.

May we hear such a word now — that we are forgiven. **Amen.**

* PASSING OF THE PEACE (*RESPONSIVE*)

The peace of Christ be with you!

And also with you.

Let us greet one another with the sign of Christ's peace.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Gathered in God's name, we now open ourselves to God's life-giving Word.

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN

FIRST READING

PSALM 34: 1-10, 22

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ANTHEM

Out of the Deep

E. Daley

SPC Adult Choir

Janette Robinson, soprano

Satia Spencer, mezzo soprano

Ethan Ezell, tenor

D. C. Miles, tenor

Jon Davies, baritone

Out of the deep have I called unto thee, O Lord
O let Thine ears consider well the voice of my complaint.
For there is mercy with thee, therefore shalt Thou be feared.

I look for the Lord: and in His word is my trust.

O Israel, trust in the Lord.

Out of the deep have I called unto Thee, O Lord.

GOSPEL READING

MATTHEW 7:15-20

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SERMON

What Kind of Fruit Are You?

Rev. Ben Kane

THE REMEMBRANCE OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

We celebrate and give thanks to God for those members of our church who have died during this past year. Their names will be read as a candle is lit to remind us of their eternal presence in God's light.

Al Donna Brown	Dave Henderson	Paula Lynch
John Barklind	Ann Hight	Mike Mallory
Suzanne Benham	Neta Hilton	Carl Mashburn
Don Bratcher	Gene Hohlfelder	Joe McKinstry
Silas Brewer	Heather Howze	Betty Jean Moore
Wayne Buckley	Fred Hunt	Byron Reeves
Barbara Coffman	T. Robert "Bob" Johnson	Walter Roettger
Roy Colglazier	Gerald Johnson	Herb Rule
Ralph Cotham	Woody Jolley	Sidney Thom
Bill Cravens	Steve Kavanaugh	Sam Trotter
Jim Daniel	Jim Lasley	Priscilla Youngblood
Susan Downs	Paul Luehr	

PRAYER FOR ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY (*UNISON*)

**Eternal God,
neither death nor life can separate us from your love.
Grant that we may serve you faithfully here on earth,
and in heaven rejoice with all your saints
who ceaselessly proclaim your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

* DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore; Praise Triune God, whom we adore.
Amen.**

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (*RESPONSIVE*)

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy

to give you thanks and praise,

O Lord our God, creator and ruler of the universe.

We praise you for saints and martyrs,

for the faithful in every age

who have followed your Son

and witnessed to his resurrection.

From every race and tongue,

from every people and nation,

you have gathered them into your kingdom.

You have shown them the path of life

and filled them with the joy of your presence.

How glorious is your heavenly realm

where the multitude of your saints rejoice with Christ!

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels,

with prophets, apostles, and martyrs,

and with all the faithful of every time and place,

who forever sing to the glory of your name:

You are holy, O God of majesty,
and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.
Sent to be our Savior,
he took our flesh and dwelt among us,
full of grace and truth.
His words are true.
His touch brings healing.
To all who follow him,
he gives abundant life.
When evil sought to destroy him,
and he lay in the darkness of death,
you raised him from the grave.
He is our risen Lord forever!

Number us among your saints, O God,
and join us with the faithful of every age,
that strengthened by their witness
and supported by their fellowship,
we may run with perseverance the race that is set before us,
and may with them receive the unfading crown of glory
when we stand before your throne of grace.

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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

We have two means by which to receive communion. As you come forward you may receive communion by intinction or you may receive a prepackaged individual serving of a gluten-free wafer with grape juice. You are invited to come forward, then return to your seat. We ask those with prepackaged servings to dispose of your kit as you exit the sanctuary.

If you are our guest, we welcome you and invite you to follow the example of the members of the congregation as to when to come forward and how to return.

To request assistance opening your communion kits, or to receive a kit at your seat, please raise your hand and a server will come to you.

COMMUNION MUSIC

In Remembrance
SPC Adult Choir

E. Daley

Do not stand at my grave and weep.
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glint on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle morning rain.
And when you wake the morning's hush,
I am the sweet uplifting rush of quiet birds encircled in flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

The proclamation of God’s Word invites responses of faith.

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY *Requiem aeternam II* E. Daley
SPC Adult Choir
Melanie Hanna, soprano
Janette Robinson, soprano
Satia Spencer, mezzo soprano

Grant them eternal rest, Lord our God, we pray to Thee.
Grant them everlasting rest. Go forth upon thy journey.
Go forth O Christian soul, in the name of God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
encompany with the blessed angels, and archangels, and all the heavenly host.
May Thy portion this day be in peace.

*** PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

SENDING

The God who calls us together in worship now sends us out in service.

*** INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP**

*** HYMN NO. 326** *For All the Saints* SINE NOMINE

*** BENEDICTION**

*** POSTLUDE** *Placare Christe servulis* M. Dupré

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Dr. Benjamin E.E. Kane
Rev. Alisa Secrest
Rev. Lindy Vogado

Dr. Bevan Keating, Director of Music and the Arts
Adam Savacool, Organist
Clint Brockway, Interpreter

Liturgists: (8:30) Carol Young (11:00) Amara Yancey
Elders of the Day: (8:30) Carol Young (11:00) Kate Franks
Communion Servers: (8:30) Nancy Hamlin, Jean Kohler, Carol Young,
Peggy Sullivan, Anne Brantley (11:00) Mim Hundley, Mary Helen Henry,
Tom Hicks, Micky Rigby, Laura Cook, Kate Franks, Chris Herring,
Cotten Cunningham

Welcome Center: Judi and Steve Short, Laura Connor
Greeters: (8:30) Amy Wisdom, Eli and David Eifling
(11:00) Sandra and Ed Rogers

Ushers: (8:30) Amy Wisdom, Eli Eifling, June and Eugene Jones, David Eifling
(11:00) Elaine Eubank, Greg Flesher, Emily Hall, Leon Lants, Carolyn Wenger,
Sandra and Ed Rogers, Alfred Williams

Please notify the church office of hospitalizations,
joys and concerns. For a full listing of prayer
concerns, please call the Care and Concern line at
(501) 227-6117.

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STATEMENT OF WELCOME AND INCLUSIVENESS

As one part of the church of Jesus Christ, we are inspired and guided by Christ's vision of God's realm—one that includes all who seek to love God and neighbor.

Second Presbyterian Church welcomes all people.

As a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), we invite those who respond in trust and obedience to God's grace in Jesus Christ to become part of the membership and ministry of the church.

We would be pleased to have you join us in our journey of faith, regardless of age, race, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic or family status, ethnic background, mental or physical abilities.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN 2024

DEDICATION SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12



You may have seen the question our Stewardship Team is asking in this Stewardship Season on the table in the narthex or heard it at one of our *Home Gatherings*. The question is this: **What will it take for Second**

Presbyterian to meet Christ on the mountain? We'd love to hear your answer as we believe it will take all of us to meet Christ on the mountain as a church. As you prayerfully consider your answer, we would like to invite you to mark your calendars for next Sunday, November 12. We'll collect Estimate of Giving cards at all three worship services. This helps us do God's work at Second Presbyterian Church. You can go to the church website or use the QR Code to make your 2024 Estimate of Giving.



OFFERINGS TO SUPPORT THE MINISTRIES OF SECOND PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH: Your generosity is a meaningful expression of your faith in God and your commitment to Christ's work in the world. Contributions can be made to the 2023 Annual Budget, Memorial Gifts and the Birthday Fund. You may support the ministries of our church by placing your offering in the offering plate, through online giving at secondpreslr.org/giving or mailing a check to the church office, **600 Pleasant Valley Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas 72227.**



PRAECLARA RINGERS FALL FAVORITES HANDBELL CONCERT TODAY! At 3:00 p.m. in the Great Hall. Please join us for an afternoon of some of the best handbell music ever written. There will be a simple reception following the concert. Childcare will be available. For more information, please contact Mary Ibis, maryibis@secondpreslr.org.

DID YOU MISS ONE OF THE SERMONS? If so, you can watch past worship services on the church website at secondpreslr.org. To receive a copy of a sermon either by e-mail or regular mail, contact Karin Howze, karinhowze@secondpreslr.org or (501) 227-0000. Printed copies are available in the narthex and the church office.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: Faith and Grief support group meets the third Tuesday of the month in Second Hall at noon. This is a monthly community gathering of support and comfort. Join at any time. Faith and Grief support group will not meet at its regularly scheduled time in November, due to Thanksgiving week. We will be praying for you and look forward to our next gathering on **December 19.**

CARE FOR CAREGIVERS: Our Dementia Caregiver Support Group gathers for support, resources and sharing of experiences. This month, we'll host a team from Alzheimer's Arkansas to discuss your needs and share resources. Please join us **Thursday, December 7** at 1:00 p.m. in person or on Zoom. For more information, contact the church office or Sandra Rogers.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY: Today at both the 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. services, the Second Presbyterian Adult Choir, organist Adam Savacool and soloists will present Canadian composer, Eleanor Daley's Requiem, Missa Brevis. Using the traditional Latin mass text, juxtaposed with English poetry, Daley created a unique work that is both comforting and beautiful. The choir prays that this musical offering will comfort us as we mourn and remember the members of the congregation who have passed into the arms of our Lord. Our All Saints' services are generously supported by the Rule Family Foundation.

DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL GIFTS

NOVEMBER 5, 2023

“ . . . given to the glory of God ”

GREAT HALL TABLES AND TABLE CARTS

In Memory of

Denny Richardson Bellingrath

Nancy Ruth Ogden Boop

Warren Clark Boop, Jr.

Theo “Ted” A. Dillaha

Michael Hughes Lambert

Bonnie Cullen Miller

Richard Theodore “Dick” Neikirk

Gregory Lee South

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR

YOUTH BUILDING

In Memory of

June Hoes Williams

GREAT HALL KITCHEN FREEZER

In Memory of

Catherine Anne Hagemeyer

SANCTUARY MAPLE OFFERING PLATES

In Memory of

Richard Robert “Bob” Bailey

TUESDAY MEN'S GROUP MINISTRY: Each Tuesday at 7:00 a.m., men gather in Second Hall and on Zoom for encouragement, support, and Bible study. Free donuts and coffee! Men of all ages are invited to visit or join. Contact Vic Fleming (judgevic@gmail.com) or Vernon Markham (vmarkh3@gmail.com) for further details.

WEDDING BELLS! Melanie Hanna and Ethan Ezell have been singing in the SPC Adult Choir for years and teach music together at Second Presbyterian Preschool. They would like to extend an invitation to their wedding on **November 11 at 3:00 p.m.** in the sanctuary. All are welcome! Contact Melanie and Ethan at melhanna85@gmail.com or blulitskye@gmail.com for additional details.

RETREATS! Over the next three weekends, our Middle Schoolers, High Schoolers, and Young Adults will each travel to Hot Springs, AR for a special retreat weekend. During our getaway we will explore Garvan Woodland Gardens, relax by the water, and join in fellowship! There is still time to sign up for your perspective weekend. As of this week we have nine High Schoolers (Nov 3-5), eleven Young Adults (Nov 10-12), and seventeen Middle Schoolers (Nov 17-19).

MIDDLE SCHOOLERS are invited to register for our fun weekend away November 17-19 in Hot Springs for our **Fall Retreat!** We will be staying in a beautiful lake house offering plenty of time to fish, relax, and enjoy God's creation.



YOUNG ADULTS - JOIN US FOR OUR WEEKLY GATHERINGS!

First and Third Thursdays – Bible Study | 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Youth Building (September's Theme: Animals in the Bible)

Second and Fourth Thursdays – Trivia Night | 7:00-9:00 p.m. at American Pie Pizza (9709 Maumelle Blvd, North Little Rock, AR 72113)

Sunday Lunch (every week) | 12:00-2:00 p.m. Gather in the narthex to discuss location.

YOUNG ADULT FALL RETREAT | NOVEMBER 10-12 | HOT SPRINGS, AR

If you are in need of a weekend away and time to reset your clock, please join us for our Fall Retreat in Hot Springs, AR. We have rented a beautiful lake house with accessible hiking and boating. Please register with this QR Code and submit the \$100 fee. If you need financial assistance, please contact Elizabeth Cahoon.



SAVE THE DATE! HANGING OF THE GREENS: This year, it is an *evening* event! Join us Sunday evening, Nov. 26 at 4:00 p.m. for an hour of decorating, making, placing, hanging, and preparing our church for the first of Advent in December. Our redesigned evening tradition begins with volunteer stations throughout the building to set up Christmas Trees, make ornaments, fluff and place wreaths, build outdoor installations, and craft blessing bags and cards for the homeless and homebound.

4:00 p.m. Decorating inside and out

5:00 p.m. Potato and Chili Bar dinner, \$7.00 per person, \$28.00 max per household

5:45 p.m. Brief worship in Sanctuary to Light the Chrismon Tree



Make your reservations now for this enjoyable friends-and-family fellowship by calling the church office or registering online at this code! You don't want to miss the fun and fellowship of our annual tradition.

COME JOIN THE CHILDREN'S CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS! All children, kindergarteners through fifth graders, are invited to join us as we prepare for our children's led service. This year our children will lead the 11:00 a.m. service on **Sunday, December 17**. Our musical, "A Shepherd's Story," retells the Christmas narrative through the excitement of some of its very first witnesses. Our little shepherds will sing, ring, and tell the story, once again. For more information, please contact Mary Ibis, maryibis@secondpreslr.org.

HAVE YOU EVER GOTTEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN WORSHIP WHILE ON VACATION OR PERHAPS YOU WERE SICK SO STAYED HOME? How would you like to support that ministry of our church? "But I'm not a computer geek!" That's ok! Our livestreaming process is actually pretty easy. All you have to do is click the start button, follow along with the order of worship on a lineup, and then click stop at the end. And more experienced folks are always a few pews away if something does go awry. If you'd like to learn more, please reach out to our coordinator Sam Byrd - sbyrd@thebyrdnest.net or 501-837-5624 or stop by the table in the back corner of the sanctuary some morning. We'd love to have you watch us.

HELP PROVIDE THANKSGIVING DINNER FOR FAMILIES AT BALE ELEMENTARY:

Our school partner, Bale Elementary, provides meals during the Thanksgiving season for their student families in need, and we've been invited to join them in making a "Box for a Bobcat." The boxes will provide food for a family of 6-8 people, and there is a specific grocery list that makes up the contents of each box. If you or a church group that you're a part of would like to join our efforts, please contact Lindy Vogado (lindyvogado@secondpreslr.org), and she will provide you with the instructions and grocery list. The boxes are due at Bale Elementary by November 14 so please contact Lindy soon if you'd like to participate.

AFGHAN WELCOME UPDATE: Wonderful news! Both of our families have now been granted asylum! Achieving this status has been a huge goal for both our volunteer teams, and we are grateful for our members' hard work in handling paperwork and also the expertise of pro-bono lawyers who are helping us negotiate the immigration process. Both families continue to be busy with employment and school, and we are grateful for all the ways they are becoming involved in the Little Rock community. As some of our original volunteers have concluded their responsibilities, we welcome new volunteers to help with after-school activities, occasional transportation needs, and other miscellaneous tasks. Please contact Lindy Vogado (lindyvogado@secondpreslr.org) if you would like more information about how to get involved.

FIRST AND THIRD MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Let's continue to Eat This Book, our study by Eugene Peterson, on the art and practice of spiritual reading – how to ingest and digest scripture to transform our lives. Join at 9:30 a.m. in Second Hall on **November 6** for chapters 4 and 5; bring a Bible if not the book for practice in *lectio divina*.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN NEWS: The Presbyterian Women November Gathering will take place on Tuesday, November 14, 10:30 a.m. in Second Hall. All women are invited to join us for music, prayer and our Bible Study, *A Bleeding Woman Encounters Jesus*. Rev. Dr. Ben Kane will lead the lesson. Call the church to make your lunch reservation. *Together in Service* will NOT meet this month. **THANK OFFERING:** During the month of November, Presbyterian Women will be receiving their annual Thank Offering. This offering is one of Presbyterian Women's two offerings. Received in the fall each year, it gives women a tangible way to express their gratitude for the special blessings in their lives. Thank Offering grants range from \$5,000 to \$50,000. At least 40 percent of the offering funds health ministries. You may give to this offering online (www.secondpreslr.org) or by mailing/bringing a check to the church. The check is payable to Second Presbyterian Church designated to PW Thank Offering.

CHEESES WITH JESUS: We are a dynamic community, bridging the gap between 'young adulthood' and retirement with grace and zeal. Our doors swing wide to welcome newcomers seeking spiritual enlightenment and treasured long-time members alike. We start our meetings with a time of fellowship and libations/food followed by study. Within the intimate sanctuary of a private residence, we transcend the ordinary, embarking on a journey of profound connection and spiritual growth. We meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday and are currently studying The Walk by Adam Hamilton. Our next meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, November 8** at the home of Garry Mertins and J. Dyke (5224 Hawthorne Rd. LR). There will be no meeting the week of Thanksgiving. On **December 13, 7:00 p.m.**, we will meet at the home of Philip and Leah Shell (5 Berwyn Drive, LR). We'll be decorating Christmas cookies! Contact Catherine Allsbury or Justin Villines if you want to join us: villinesjustin@gmail.com. ALL are welcome!

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES MINISTRY UPDATE

SPY Kids will meet on Sunday, November 12 to make pumpkin bread for friends at home. We will have church family lunch on November 12 and November 26. Please join us for fellowship and food! All are welcome. November 12 will be hosted by the Hankins Family (9 Cape Cod Court) and November 26 will be hosted by the McCormack Family (2 Northwest Court).

We are excited to host a preschool popup on November 18 at Two Rivers Park. We invite all 2-5 year olds to join us for fun play time and snacks at the new inclusive park at Two Rivers. For more information on these events, contact Maggie Kirchner at maggiekirchner@secondpreslr.org or Leslie McCormack at lesliemccormack@secondpreslr.org.

**ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES
SUNDAY MORNINGS, 9:50 A.M.**

SECOND HALL SHORT SERIES FOR NOVEMBER
Healing After Challenge: The Christian and Trauma

Exhausted? Burnt out? Short temper? Maybe fearful or anxious? You aren't alone. We live in troubling times: changes wrought by COVID, anxiety produced by the news, and difficulty in our personal lives – births, deaths, career changes, illness, natural disaster, violence - all conspire to create a very real harm to our bodies, minds, and spirits. Join us for a series informed by the book The Body Keeps the Score to understand how humans adapt to challenge and trauma, and current techniques to treat harm and recover. Reverend Ben Kane will open us with a discussion of communal challenge and trauma in scripture, and our second leader, therapist Rachel Pinto, will tell us, “Trauma isn’t the event that happened, it’s how our bodies become stuck in the process of healing, and how modern society prevents healing. We must learn to cope as a community, and as individuals, and the good news is that many ways are available to us.” Rev. Marie Mainard O’Connell will conclude our final two classes in consideration of how we can choose to help our communities and children heal as well. Books available in the church office for \$10.

Connections Class will be joining with Second Hall for the month of November.

The *Seeking More Light* class is in room 67 is starting the book No Cure for Being Human by Kate Bowler, who asks “how do you move forward with a life you didn’t choose?” Order books online or contact the front office. Zoom room also available.

The *Bible Study Class* on Zoom and in the Library at 9:30 a.m. remains focused on studying The Fall Uniform Series on “God’s Law is Love” and moves through key passages of Luke, John, Romans, Galatians, Acts and First Corinthians to explore how Love Completes, Faith Triumphs and Christ Frees. Curriculum available digitally or printed free of charge.

Spiritual Nourishment is reading Help, Thanks, Wow: The Three Essential Prayers by Anne Lamott. Join them at 9:30 a.m. in the Heritage Room or online Sundays. Newcomers always welcome as we slowly digest these wise, funny words from one of our favorite modern writers.



**CELEBRATING 31 YEARS OF
STEPHEN MINISTRY AT
SECOND PRESBYTERIAN!**



commissioned May, 1992

If you or someone you know is hurting and you would like more information about receiving Stephen Ministry care, please contact any of our Stephen Leaders.

Kay Combs 501-517-5007

Cathy Crass 501-951-5890

Steve Dunnagan 501-590-9768

Laurie Stueart 501-658-7966

Jana Villemez 501-517-1474

JoAnn McQuade, Grief Care

Rev. Alisa Secrest 501-227-0000

**STEPHEN MINISTRY
GIVING COMFORT, LIFTING SPIRITS**

USHER/GREETER VOLUNTEERS ALWAYS APPRECIATED: Those who serve as ushers and greeters for our worship service are providing a ministry of hospitality for members and visitors to our church. Along with providing an important leadership role for worship, those who serve as ushers and greeters are also afforded a wonderful opportunity to meet and work alongside other members of the congregation. You may contact the following deacons who serve as usher captains to volunteer as ushers or greeters.

NOVEMBER WORSHIP USHER CAPTAINS

8:30 A.M.

(11/12) Dan Voth
(11/19) David Eifling

11:00 A.M.

(11/12) Galen Wenger
(11/19) Emma Ryall
(11/26) Jo Paulus

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

All Saints' Sunday

Worship 8:30, 9:00, 11:00
Sunday School 9:50
Stewardship Gathering 12:00
Praeclara Ringers Concert 3:00
Children's Ministry 5:30
Middle School SPY 5:30
SPY Dinner 6:30
High School SPY 7:00

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

*First and Third Monday Morning
Bible Study 9:30
Day Ringers 11:30
Pastoral Care 1:30
Personnel Committee 4:30
Volleyball 7:00
Boy Scouts 7:00

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Men's Group Bible Study 7:00
Pastoral Care Ministry 5:00
Adult Education Ministry 5:30
Property Ministry 5:30
Outreach Ministry 7:00
Youth Ministry 7:00

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Staff Meeting 9:00
*W.A.C.K.Y. 5:00
Adult Choir 6:30
*Cheeses With Jesus 7:00

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9

*Young Adult Trivia 7:00
Home Gathering 6:00

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10

*Young Adult Fall Retreat
Our House Cook Team 3:00

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

*Young Adult Fall Retreat
*Hanna/Ezell Wedding 3:00

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Stewardship Dedication Sunday

Worship 8:30, 9:00, 11:00
Sunday School 9:50
Praeclara Ringers 2:00
Middle School SPY 5:30
SPY Dinner 6:30
High School SPY 7:00

* Denotes announcement in bulletin