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Monthly Newsletter of Second Presbyterian Church

PAYING ATTENTION TO GOD IN DAILY LIFE

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Guest Speaker



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PASTOR'S NOTES - DR. GEORGE C. ANDERSON

SABBATICAL

Our church encourages a three-month study sabbatical every seven years—not only by allowing it, but by funding it. I am both amazed and deeply grateful to now be approaching my fourth sabbatical. It is a sign of the great privilege I have had to serve Second Presbyterian Church for a long, long time. Truth be told, I don't think I would have stayed as long without these seasons of rest, reflection, and renewal.

I have shared with you my intention to study what I am calling *The Longer Reach of Second Presbyterian Church*. During this time, I will be studying, thinking, and praying about how our congregation might further leverage its wisdom, leadership, resources, and partnerships to extend our impact beyond what is typically expected of a church our size. My focus will include our local community, the national church, and our global connections.

As I prepare to begin my sabbatical on May 18, I want to ask for your help in protecting this time so that it can be as fruitful as possible.

First, Meredith will continue to manage my calendar, so weddings, memorial services, and other events past the sabbatical can be scheduled through her. I would be grateful if you would leave me off email and text chains, as I will be doing my best to stay focused on this time of study. If there is an urgent matter,



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the pastoral staff or Meredith will keep me informed.

Second, you may see me occasionally—for example, attending Evening Bible School with Dr. John McCall. Please don't take that as a sign that I am "back" or available for normal church involvement. Dr. McCall is an important resource for my study. Otherwise, I plan to worship in other congregations during this season. Meanwhile, Millie, Virginia, and Emory will remain actively involved at Second—they wouldn't want to miss all the good things happening in the life of this church this summer.

Third, while I care deeply for each of you, pastoral concerns—visitation, calls, and memorial services—will be faithfully handled by Elizabeth, Ben, and Nancy Gray. Nancy will be increasing her hours (when she's not enjoying some well-earned travel with David) to assist with visitation and worship leadership.

Finally, I do have several trips planned—some related to my study and a couple simply for rest and renewal. When I am in town, I am going to be intentional about spending time with my family, but I will be happy to see you if our paths happen to cross.

I look forward to returning on August 10, eager to share what I have learned. And I will say this: I expect to invite your support as we seek to make the next chapter of our church's life as impactful as any we have known.

With gratitude,

Geo. Anderson

UPCOMING WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MAY 3, 10, 17

- 8:45 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday school (Note: May 17 is the last day of Sunday school and CWW)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Live Stream

MAY 24 (MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND)

- 8:45 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary
- 11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Live Stream

MAY 31—SEPTEMBER 6*

- 10:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary/Live Stream

*AUGUST 30 RALLY DAY PICNIC @ BRAELOCH

- 10:00 a.m. Worship and Picnic, 2353 Hammond Dr, Vinton, VA 24179

TRENT SYMPOSIUM 2026

We've wrapped up another successful year of the Kittye Susan Trent Symposium for Newly Ordained Ministers. Co-sponsored by Second Presbyterian Church and Union Presbyterian Seminary, this program serves as a meaningful gift from our congregation to the broader church. Over the course of the symposium, eight newly ordained ministers gathered in Roanoke to receive guidance from seasoned pastors and lay leaders. Together, they explored practical aspects of ministry, built peer relationships, connected with mentors, and gained valuable tools for their pastoral journeys.



We are deeply grateful to the congregation of Second Presbyterian Church for their continued support in nurturing the next generation of church leaders.

(Below) Photos from Easter Sunday by Lawrence l'Anson.



– NEWS & NOTES –

Flowers | March 15 – Given by the Pittendrigh family in memory of Cloyd and Christine Pittendrigh.....

March 22 – Given with love and thanksgiving for the life of Carol Bewley Dalhouse by her daughters and their families on the occasion of her birthday.....

March 29 – Given in loving memory of Lee Penny Baker by her husband, Ralph.....

April 5 – The flowers in the columbarium vase and in the baskets at the gates were given to the glory of God in loving memory of Clyde and Freda Lloyd by their daughter, Janet Lloyd, and granddaughter, Erin Saunders. The Easter flower dedications list can be found in the online version of *The Second Sheet* (www.spres.org/connect/newsletter/).

Sympathy | Our sympathies extend to the family and loved ones of Richard G. “Dick” Lawson, Sr., who died on Wednesday, February 11..... Sympathy is extended to Ken and Stacy Potter on the death of Ken’s brother, Stephen Boshell Potter of Anchorage, AK, on Wednesday, March 18..... Sympathy is extended to the family and loved ones of Patricia “Pat” Wilson, who died on Saturday, March 21..... Our sympathies extend to John and Betsy Prillaman on the death of John’s father, Alton Prillaman, on Sunday, March 22. Our prayers are also with their children, Taylor, Meghan, and Kemper..... Our sympathies extend to Janet Miller and family on the passing of her husband, Robert “Bob” Miller, on Monday, March 23..... Sympathy is extended to Sara Tuck and family on the death of her husband, Dr. Kenneth Douglas Tuck, on Tuesday, March 31.

Concerns | Patsy Chaney, CW Houghton, BJ Millar, Bill Neal, Campbell Tims, Avery Taylor.

New Arrivals | Congratulations to Meredith and Oscar Parker on the birth of their daughter, Vivian Gray Parker, on Thursday, March 12. Proud grandparents are Nancy and Andrew Kelderhouse..... Congratulations to Bobbie and Paul Black on the arrival of their granddaughter, Mary Talmadge Rogers, born to parents Anna and Jack Rogers. Proud big siblings are Nell and Bobbie.



SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR RALLY DAY PICNIC | AUGUST 30 | 10:00 A.M. | BRAELOCH PAVILION

As you make preparations for the summer, please mark your calendar and plan to join your church family at our annual Rally Day Picnic at Braeloch (the farm of Nancy and Al Hammond located at 2353 Hammond Dr, Vinton, VA 24179) on Sunday, August 30 at 10:00 a.m.! We look forward to sharing this time of worship and fellowship outdoors, with a buffet-style picnic meal.

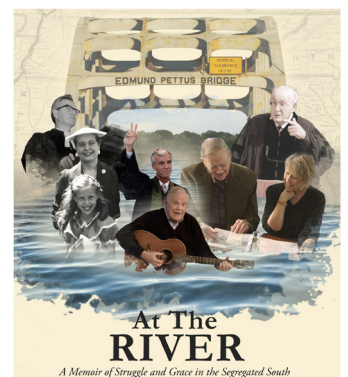
RSVPs help us plan accurately for food and materials. More details and online registration coming soon.

AT THE RIVER DOCUMENTARY AVAILABLE TO STREAM ON AMAZON PRIME

Carolyn Crowder and Hatchett Creek Productions announce the worldwide release of the feature documentary [At The River on Amazon Prime](#). Available now.

At the River is a feature documentary about Southern Presbyterian ministers who opposed segregation during the Civil Rights era. Because of their actions and sermons, they faced threats from the KKK and loss of their pulpits. Filmmaker Carolyn Crowder interviewed them decades later, sparking conversations about race, bravery, faith and responsibility.

At The River was screened at over 90 churches, including here at Second Presbyterian, during its year-and-a-half long tour. George Anderson’s father and former Interim Minister of Second, Eade Anderson, is one of the ministers who is featured. Search on Amazon Prime to view.



— WELCOME NEW MEMBERS OF SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —

MEET C.S. RICE

C.S. Rice, Jr. joined by letter of transfer on November 30, 2025, and we are pleased to welcome him into the membership of Second Presbyterian.

C.S. grew up in Covington, VA. He attended Mars Hill University for two years, playing baseball and football, and later earned a Bachelor of Science in Industrial/Technical Education from Virginia Tech in 1964, where he also played baseball. He went on to complete his Master of Education at NC State in 1976. Over the course of his career, C.S. worked at B.F. Parrott, Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock, and spent 37½ years with Corning Inc., where he served in manufacturing, procurement, and supply chain roles. In his previous church, he was actively involved on both the Personnel Committee and the Finance Committee.



In his free time, C.S. enjoys hunting, fishing, and spending time outdoors, as well as traveling and being with his grandson. We are grateful for the experience and dedication he brings to our church family and look forward to his involvement in the life and ministry of the congregation.

WELCOME BACK LINDA

FARRAR

We welcome Linda Farrar, who re-joined Second by letter of transfer on December 7, 2025.



Linda grew up in Greensboro, NC, where she was active at First Presbyterian Church. She attended UNC Chapel Hill and earned her Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. Her roots in the Presbyterian Church have been an important part of her faith journey, and she is grateful to once again be part of a church family grounded in that tradition.

Linda loves horses and gardening and is especially excited to be back at Second Pres (she was a former member before moving to Chapel Hill, NC in the '90s). We look forward to reconnecting with her and sharing in this new season of faith and fellowship together.

New member articles submitted by Connie Polly, Engagement Coordinator.

BUILD IT TOGETHER | 2026 HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD

BUILD DAYS ARE UNDERWAY: SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER

Our 2026 Partnership Build with Habitat for Humanity, alongside St. John's Episcopal, is underway! Volunteers are needed across all service days; all skill levels are welcome—no experience necessary. Our church will serve on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays and the 2nd and 4th Thursdays. Please prayerfully consider how you might take part in helping make this project a success. Learn more and sign up today by scanning the QR code or visiting www.spres.org.

We were grateful to host and meet Sidney and Monica, the homebuyers of our build (pictured to the right with church member Buster Jones), at our Mission Fair on Sunday, April 12. Monica had this to say:



"Thank you all for inviting us, it was a pleasure and I definitely enjoyed myself. There is a lot of great people I got to meet. Look forward to spending more time showing my appreciation! Thanks again!" – Monica Moss



YOUTH

The youth would like to thank everyone who helped serve our community for the **4th Annual Great Day of Service** on April 25th! Adults, youth, children, and families all joined in fellowship and fun as we served with Restoration Housing at Trinity Commons. We got out of our comfort zones, prayed, served, worked hard, got a little dirty (ok, some got really dirty), and felt the Holy Spirit grow in and through our relationships. We learned a great deal about the needs of our city, the mission of Restoration Housing, the love in ourselves, and the grace of God! There is so much good going on in Roanoke, and the Great Day of Service helped us see glimmers of that goodness! We are so blessed to serve our city as a faith family! Thank you! ...And see you next year!

On May 10th, we celebrate the Senior Class of 2026. You are invited to recognize and celebrate them during **Senior Recognition Sunday** at the 11:00 a.m. worship service as they prepare to journey on to the next chapter of their lives. Our prayers and love go with them, wherever God sends them!

— SENIOR CLASS OF 2026 —

*Charlotte Antsey, Gage Appel, Riley Appel,
Lucy Paige Ellett, Mason Fogarty, William Fowler,
Parker Fralin, Addison Gibson, Ainsley Gibson,
Gracie Greer, Peyton Greer, Lincoln Harrington,
Ryan l'Anson, Madelyn Lyons, Claire McCahill,
Meghan Prillaman, Eliza Vogel, Merritt Young*

Senior Class of 2026 pictured with their combined Confirmation Class of 2022.



Each year, High School youth have the opportunity to apply for and join **Youth Council**, a small group of dedicated and enthusiastic youth who help plan and lead. Youth Council members help Ben plan out the upcoming youth program year and are a vital part in creating a culture of kindness, enthusiasm, respect, and belonging. Additionally, Youth Council members are assigned to plan, implement, and lead a major youth event of their choosing throughout the year. Applications are due May 4th and can be found at the bottom of the Faith Formation for Youth page on the church website. Oh... and it looks great on college applications. Apply today!

Speaking of planning next year... save the date for our **2026 ALL-YOUTH RETREAT** happening Saturday, September 26 to Sunday, September 27 at Camp Tuk-A-Way!

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS:

- May 9 – End of Year Party
- May 10 – Senior Recognition
- May 17 – Youth Council Retreat

YOUNG ADULTS

Our Young Adults have a goal to create consistent opportunities to gather, fellowship, study, and serve. With our friends from Raleigh Court Presbyterian Church, we've enjoyed both trivia and a night under the stars. Mark your calendars for May 28th—we'll meet at Elmwood Park at 6:00 p.m. for good music and dancing. If you would like to join our email list, please reach out to Ben Brannan (benb@spres.org). Stay tuned for upcoming summer events and gatherings as they are scheduled!

SUMMER PASTORAL INTERN

We are excited to announce our Summer Pastoral Intern for 2026: Kylie Young. She will join the work of the church in worship, visitation, study and teaching, as well as assisting with major summer programs. She will be officially introduced in worship later this month. Help us welcome Kylie!

2025 ANNUAL REPORT GREEN TEAM FOOTNOTE

The church's 2025 Annual Report offers a thoughtful look at the year just passed and at the promise of what lies ahead. In the Pastor's Notes, George shared, **"Our stories, rightly told and thoughtfully understood, are not predictors of what lies ahead, but they can shape our imagination and steady our hope. They help prepare us not only to recognize what may come, but also to become active participants in bringing about what we pray and work to see."** For the Green Team, that means calling on all of us to become **"active participants"** in caring for God's Creation and loving one another.

As the Artemis II crew recently returned from circling the moon, one can't help but be reminded of the beautiful planet we call home... the only home we have. The Earth is alive and gives life in abundance—a manifestation of God's infinite wisdom and glory. It deserves nothing less than our love, respect, and utmost care—a sacred trust we hold because it matters to more than just us. It matters to future generations.

In a recent Associated Press article, the astronauts' photographs below show our Blue Planet setting behind the gray, cratered moon. The images echo the famous Earthrise shot from 1968 taken by the crew of Apollo 8. As Mission Specialist Christina Koch reflected, **"Honestly, what struck me wasn't necessarily just Earth, it was all the blackness around it. Earth was just this lifeboat hanging undisturbedly in the universe. It truly emphasized how alike we are, how the same thing keeps every single person on planet Earth alive."** And Pilot Victor Glover added, **"As we continue to unlock the mysteries of the cosmos, I would like to remind you of one of the most important mysteries there on Earth, and that's love. To all of you down there on Earth, we love you."**



The Artemis II crew captured these images of an Earthset and crescent Earth setting beyond the moon (Image credit: NASA).

George concluded his Pastor's Notes, **"With so many congregations struggling simply to survive, I thank God that our church is healthy, united, and in a strong position to grow our impact here in the valley and beyond. I am deeply grateful for all who have brought the church to where we are today, and I am excited and energized by what more we can do to bear witness to the transforming grace of God."** The Green Team exists, **"to bear witness."**



GREEN TEAM

Grounded by Scripture, Informed by Science.

POP-UP SUNDAY SCHOOL



MAY 3 | 9:45 A.M. | CHAPEL

Join us on May 3 for Pop-Up Sunday School hosted by Second's Green Team. We will welcome guest speaker Maureen McNamara Best, a passionate advocate for local food and vibrant farming communities. Maureen has spent more than two decades working at the intersection of food, agriculture, and community—from teaching high school agriculture and supporting migrant farmworkers to researching local food systems and public health. Now a Bloomberg Fellow at the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health, she studies how food systems shape community health and well-being.

Maureen will share about her work with LEAP (Local Environmental Agriculture Project), which nurtures our region's food community by supporting farmers, markets, and initiatives that prioritize health, dignity, access, and abundance. Come learn how local food connects us—to the land, to one another, and to a more hopeful, healthy future for Southwestern Virginia.

THANK YOU SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS! | LAST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL IS MAY 17

We are deeply grateful to the many volunteers who make our Sunday school program possible. Your time, care, and dedication have made a lasting impact on the children and families in our congregation, and we truly could not do this work without you. Please note that Sunday, May 17 (the Sunday before Memorial Day weekend), will be our final day of Sunday school for the season. To celebrate and give thanks, the Christian Education Committee will host a special meet and greet in Kirk Hall that morning in honor of our Sunday school volunteers. We hope you'll join us as we express our appreciation for all who help make this ministry so meaningful.

CHURCHWIDE RETREAT @ EAGLE EYRIE | AUGUST 21–23 | REGISTER BY JUNE 1

Just ONE MONTH REMAINS TO REGISTER for our annual churchwide retreat held this August 21–23 at Eagle Eyrie in Lynchburg! Join us for an intergenerational weekend of worship, fellowship, and recreation, all set against the backdrop of beautiful mountain scenery.



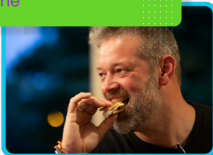
Love Builds Up: Unity, Conflict, and Grace in the Body of Christ

2020 Retreat Theme



The Rev. Dr. Rachel Thompson Orfield
Guest Speaker

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN



Our guest speaker, Dr. Rachel Thompson Orfield, will guide us in times of reflection and spiritual growth as we explore what it means to live faithfully and joyfully in community. The retreat begins with dinner on Friday evening and concludes after mid-morning worship on Sunday.

Theme: “Love Builds Up: Unity, Conflict, and Grace in the Body of Christ”

- Paul's first letter to the Corinthians addresses a church in crisis. The community was being torn apart by factions, arrogance, and selfish behavior, weakening their witness to Jesus Christ. In his letter, Paul speaks honestly to the church about these struggles and invites them into a way of life that prioritizes love, diversity, and belonging.
- Paul's words, though ancient, still resonate today. Using I Corinthians as our lens, this retreat will invite us to explore what it means to live as the body of Christ—learning how love can shape our relationships, guide us through conflict, and draw us toward deeper unity. Through Scripture, reflection, and shared conversation, we'll consider how God calls us to build one another up so that, together, we may more faithfully reflect Christ to the world.

To register, scan the QR code or visit www.spres.org.
Registration is due by Monday, June 1.



EVENING VBS | June 7–10 (Sun.–Wed.) | “PAYING ATTENTION TO GOD IN DAILY LIFE”

Register by May 31

We're excited to kick off the summer with our Evening Vacation Bible School, beginning **Sunday evening, June 7**, with a shared dinner and opening program. Adults are invited to join a special study led by mission co-worker **Dr. John McCall**, who will guide us in diving deeper into Scripture and growing together in faith. Meanwhile, children (Pre-K through 5th grade) will enjoy a **theatre-themed VBS experience**, full of creativity, storytelling, and faith-filled fun! Childcare will also be available for our youngest participants. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to learn and grow as a church family, side by side across generations. **Register by Sunday, May 31 online or by scanning the QR code!**

- **Adult Evening Study Theme, *Paying Attention to God in Daily Life*:** Following Jesus is a lifelong journey of growing in His love. As we learn to love God and our neighbor, the pace and pressures of daily life can easily distract us from spiritual growth. Yet God continually invites us to notice His presence. During our evenings together, we'll explore practical and meaningful ways to cultivate an attentive, God-centered life in the midst of everyday routines.

Scripture & Session Themes:

- **Sunday Evening:** *Paying Attention to God Through Prayer* – Matthew 6:5–13
 - **Monday Evening:** *Paying Attention to God Through the Bible* – Revelation 10:9–10
 - **Tuesday Evening:** *Paying Attention to God in Community* – Acts 2:42–47; John 13:34–35
 - **Wednesday Evening:** *Paying Attention to God as We Serve* – Matthew 20:25–28
- **About Our Speaker:** Dr. John McCall has served as a mission co-worker in Taiwan for 29 years, teaching Preaching, Spiritual Theology, and Pastoral Ministry at the three Presbyterian seminaries in Taiwan and in China. He has also pastored three churches in the United States. John's ministry, both in Asia and in the US, focuses on helping people cultivate a vibrant, world-blessing faith.
- **For 4 Year Olds–Middle School: Children's Theatre Camp:** This summer, we're thrilled to welcome back Meghan Griffith as the leader for our Evening VBS Children's Theatre Camp! Children are welcome to bring friends.
- **Dinner: June 7:** Plan to join us on June 7 to kick off Evening VBS with a congregational meal from Three Little Pigs BBQ! Menu includes Pork BBQ, Baked Beans, Mac and Cheese, Coleslaw, Garden Salad, Hot dogs and Chips.
 - Meal Cost: Adult – \$15.00. Child 5 to 12 yrs old – \$7.00. Child Under 5 – Free.
 - **Register by Sunday, May 31 online or by scanning the QR code!**



MORNING VBS | July 20–23 (Mon.–Th.) | “JOSEPH’S JOURNEY”

VBS 8:30 a.m.–12 noon

- This year's Morning Vacation Bible School (Pre-K–5th grade) will explore the inspiring story of Joseph from the book of Genesis. Together, children will discover how God was always with Joseph (like God is always with us) through challenges, change, and moments of great need.
- Our VBS programs thrive thanks to the energy and commitment of our youth and adult volunteers! If you're interested in helping with crafts, games, storytelling, or snacks, we'd love to have you join the team. To volunteer, please contact Maria Blackshaw (maria@spres.org) or Meredith Koliba (meredith@spres.org). **Registration for Morning VBS participants AND volunteers can be found on the church website or by scanning the QR code!**



VBS After Care Camps* 12 noon–4:00 p.m.

- We're pleased to again offer VBS After Care Camps for families seeking extended care during VBS week! In partnership with local sports and arts organizations, children will enjoy fun, enriching afternoon “mini camps” held right here at the church. This opportunity allows families to take full advantage of the free Morning VBS while adding engaging afternoon activities. Please note that space will be limited and a \$180 fee will apply for the aftercare portion. *Additional details are available on the registration form.* *Note: After Care Camps are open to Kindergarten–5th grade children.



CONTRIBUTIONS TO SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | MARCH 2026

Parsons Maintenance Fund

In memory of Pat Wilson by
George and Millie Anderson

In memory of Dick Lawson by
George and Millie Anderson

General Fund

In memory of Virginia and Carl Nave by
Frank Nave

Robert Nave

Carl Nave, III



SCAN
TO
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Music Fund

In memory of Bob Miller by
George and Millie Anderson

Other funds are available for your contributions. Please contact Nathan Anderson, Church Administrator, at 540-343-3659 or admin@spres.org. This list includes donations received between March 1–31, 2026.

**We sincerely regret any errors or omissions in this list. Please contact the Church Administrator to help us get it corrected.*

CURRENT FUNDS OF SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Benevolences, Mission and Outreach

- Mountain Avenue Fund – provides annual support for local ministries dealing with homelessness, poverty, hunger, and at-risk children.
 - Anne and Granger Macfarlane Grant – supports vulnerable individuals and families in the spirit of the Mountain Avenue Fund.
- Lil Brown Benevolent Fund (within Second Fund) – responds to needs related to mental health.
- Help Fund – for meeting immediate needs, at the pastors' discretion.
- Gene and Treva Richter Fund for Outreach & Education – supports outreach and education purposes within and outside church programming, as well as vocational guidance.

Christian Education

- H. Spencer Edmunds Fund – supports the Edmunds Lecture Series; brings persons of national or international reputation to challenge and inspire us with Biblical messages.
- Kittye Susan Trent Fund – supports a broad range of educational programs and scholarships at Second Presbyterian and the larger church.
- Trustees: Johnson Memorial Fund – provides in whole or in part for the college or postgraduate education of a student preparing for ministerial or other religious works.
- Trustees: Payne Scholarship Fund – for general scholarships for members of Second Presbyterian to Union Presbyterian Seminary and for the charitable purpose of the Presbyterian Homes.
- William R. Klein Continuing Education Fund – provides opportunities for continuing education, educational experiences and sabbaticals for our professional preaching staff.

- George and Millie Anderson Cornerstone Fund for Pastoral Excellence – supports pastoral excellence.

Congregational Ministry

- Music Fund – for special music programs and featured musicians which enhance our worship services.
- Organ Maintenance Fund – for organ and piano tuning and repairs.
- Preschool Fund – supports capital and program needs of Second Presbyterian Preschool.
- Frank and Martha Clay Martin Fund for Youth – supports the youth and young adult ministries.
- Youth Mission Fund (within Second Fund) – supports youth mission trips; helps those who may need funding or for projects for the youth.

Facilities and Operational Expenses

- Columbarium Fund – for long-term care and maintenance of the Columbarium.
- Donald and Elizabeth Parsons Maintenance Fund – supports ongoing maintenance and operational expenses of the church.
- Alexa House Fund – for maintenance of Alexa House.

Long-term Viability

- Second Fund – for the use of the church as it engages in promoting or carrying out religious, charitable, benevolent or literary purposes. Separately incorporated fund for the preservation of Second and for special mission projects.

CALENDAR - MAY 2026

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 3 Legacy Sunday 8:45am Worship Service with Communion, Sanctuary 9:45am Believing and Belonging, Hospitality Room 9:45am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service, Sanctuary/Live Stream 5:00pm Kid's Fellowship, Fellowship Hall 5:00pm - 6:30pm Parenting Group, Hospitality Room 5:00pm Youth Group 5:30pm Welcome Families to the Alexa House | 4 6:30pm AI Anon & Alateen, Trent Classroom, Reading Room, Library 6:30pm Cub Scouts, Cafe 6:45pm Scouts | 5 9:30am Staff Meeting | 6 12:00pm Bulletin Article Deadline 5:15pm Personnel Committee, Zoom and Session Room | 7 Appreciation Week 7:15am Men's Bible Study, Reading Room/Zoom 10:00am - 11:00am Knitting Group, Hospitality Room 4:00pm Christian Education Committee Meeting, Reading Room/Zoom 5:00pm Property Committee Meeting, Session Room/Zoom | 8 12:00pm Stewardship Meeting, Zoom and Reading Room | 9 Youth End of Year Party |
| 10 High School Senior Recognition Sunday 8:45am Worship Service, Sanctuary 9:45am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service with infant baptism of Rowan Butler, Sanctuary/Live Stream 5:00pm Youth Group | 11 5:30pm Service and Outreach Committee Meeting, Zoom and Session Room 6:30pm AI Anon & Alateen, Trent Classroom, Reading Room, Library 6:30pm Cub Scouts, Cafe 6:45pm Scouts | 12 9:30am Staff Meeting 5:00pm Congregational Life Meeting, Zoom 5:15pm Trent Fund Subcommittee, Trent Room | 13 8:05am Preschool Committee Meeting, Hybrid 12:00pm Bulletin Article Deadline 12:00pm Second Sheet Article Deadline 5:00pm Green Team, Zoom/Trent Classroom 5:15pm Worship & Music Committee, Zoom and Session Room | 14 Staff Habitat Build Day 7:15am Men's Bible Study, Reading Room/Zoom 10:00am - 11:00am Knitting Group, Hospitality Room | 15 | 16 |
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| 24 Pentecost Sunday 8:45am Worship Service, Sanctuary 11:00am Worship Service, Sanctuary/Live Stream | 25 Office and Preschool Closed for Memorial Day | 26 9:30am Staff Meeting | 27 12:00pm Bulletin Article Deadline 5:15pm Session Meeting, Session Room/Zoom | 28 7:15am Men's Bible Study, Reading Room/Zoom 10:00am - 11:00am Knitting Group, Hospitality Room | 29 | 30 |
| 31 Two Cents a Meal 10:00am Worship Service, Sanctuary & Live Stream | | Calendar Info as of April 8 | | | | |

SCAN TO VIEW THE DIGITAL CALENDAR



MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION FOR PCC: Food items for the month of May are cereal, oatmeal, pancake mix, syrup. Pull top cans preferred. A donation bin is in the coat closet (please check the expiration date before donating).



2026 Easter Flower

Memorials and Celebrations



In Loving Memory of . . .

- Lee W. Lazarus, *given by* Jim and Susan Bailey
- Lloyd G. Lazarus, *given by* Jim and Susan Bailey
- Nancy Casey Bailey, *given by* Jim and Susan Bailey
- Dewey James Bailey, Jr., *given by* Jim and Susan Bailey
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