

WELCOME TO
SECONDPRES
SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2026



where is your **FAITH?**

Rev. Trey Haddon

Whether it's your first time visiting or you've been here for years, we look forward to your worshipping with us! Check in on the pad in your pew or online:

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9:00 AM WORSHIP | AUGUST 30, 2026
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Meditation on “Finlandia”
Dr. Dennis Gotkowski

Brenda Portman

Welcome & Life Together

Rev. Trey Haddon & Deborah Cole

Benediction

Bringing in the Christ Candle

Be Still, My Soul

FINLANDIA

Call to Confession

Elder Sara Palmgren

Prayer of Confession

Please repeat each line spoken in the Prayer of Confession

O God, we live as people in the storm of sin.

You call us to respond with peace and grace,

too often we answer with raging tempers.

Still, you share your grace with us, now and forever.

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Assurance of Pardon

Even when it is hard to believe,

God is always listening,

God is always forgiving,

God is always offering us grace-filled lives.

We are indeed redeemed forever.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

***Gloria Patri No. 579**

GLORIA PATRI

***Passing of the Peace**

***Hymn see insert**

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Matt Redman

Foundations

Children PreK-5th grade are invited to the front of the sanctuary

Children are invited to attend Sunday School

First Scripture Reading	Mark 4:35-41, p. 39	Elder Gayle Thomas
Special Music	<i>I Am They</i> Dana Plunkett, Megan VanGorder	Faithful God
Second Scripture Reading	Luke 8:22-25, pp. 67-68	
Message	where is your FAITH?	Rev. Trey Haddon
*Hymn see insert	<i>Faith Begins by Letting Go</i>	LUX PRIMA
Offering of Tithes and Gifts		
Offertory	<i>Eye of the Storm</i> Brian Tanaka	Ryan Stevenson
*Doxology No. 592		OLD HUNDREDTH
*Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Moment of Discipleship		Deborah Cole, <i>Salvation Army</i>
Prayers of the People		
*Hymn No. 343	<i>Called as Partners in Christ's Service</i>	BEECHER
Call to Worship	<i>Please repeat each line spoken in the Call to Worship</i>	
God gives hope, when the wind is too strong.	God gives hope, when the wind is too strong.	
God shares joy, when the raging waters are near.	God shares joy, when the raging waters are near.	
God extends peace, calming all of life's storms.	God extends peace, calming all of life's storms.	
Postlude	<i>Lobt Gott, ihr Christen, allzugleich</i> Dr. Dennis Gotkowski	arr. J. Samuel Harsow

Bold text spoken together
***Please rise in body or in spirit**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FAITH & FELLOWSHIP

FINAL SUMMER CHOIR OPPORTUNITY

SUNDAY: SEPTEMBER 6, REHEARSAL 8:15 A.M. BEFORE WORSHIP
Sing with the choir during this final “Summer Choir” Sunday! No prior experience needed. All ages are welcome, and members will return to their seats once finished. If you are interested in joining the Chapel Choir that meets and sings throughout September-May, please contact Brian Tanaka. The first rehearsal will be held Wednesday, September 9.

Contact Brian Tanaka at music.director@secondpres.com

THEOLOGY ON TAP

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 - 5:30-7:00 P.M.

PAXTON BUILDING - 207 E WASHINGTON ST. BLOOMINGTON

Have good food, drinks, and theological conversation with friends! Parking can be found outside the Paxton building on the street, PNC Bank lot, or at Second Pres. Dinner is \$5 and local beverages can be purchased with cash donation.

Questions? Call the church at 309-828-6297.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

TENNIS SHOE DRIVE

THROUGHOUT SEPTEMBER

“Kick off” the football season right by bringing in new or gently used tennis shoes through the month of September. All sizes are needed, but there is particular need for men’s and boy’s sizes.

Donations may be left in the labeled box outside the sanctuary.

FOX CREEK ELEMENTARY 100 CARING ADULTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 - 7:15-7:45 A.M.

Help the Fox Creek Elementary students start the year right by cheering for their entry into school! This event is held outside the school building.

Email ministryadmin@secondpres.com for more information.

FOX CREEK ELEMENTARY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Become a Mentor! Meet individually with a student at Fox Creek Elementary for 20-30 minutes each week and play games, read a book, do homework, or simply chat about their day.

Host a lunch! On Early Release Days, groups and organizations provide lunch to the staff to show our support. Contact Michele Southerd for dates.

Email ministryadmin@secondpres.com for more information.

LEADING IN WORSHIP

Rev. Trey Haddon, Pastor

Jamie Kaiser, Family Ministry Director

Brian Tanaka, Music Director

Dr. Dennis Gotkowski, Organist

Elder Sara Palmgren, Liturgist

Elder Gayle Thomas, Reader

WEEKLY AT SECOND PRES

SUNDAY

8:45 AM..... Sunday Morning Brunch

9:00 AM..... Worship Service

10:15 AM... Adult Christian Education*

3:00 PM..... Lego League Robotics

Grades 4-8

TUESDAY

8:30 AM.... Morning Men’s Bible Study

Lead by Mark Wylie

10:30 AM..... Bible Study

Lead by Bryce Jones (every other Tuesday)

7:00 PM..... Scouts Troops 903 & 9903

6:00-8:00 PM..... First Tech Challenge

(FTC) Robotics

Grades 7-12

WEDNESDAY

6-7:30 PM..... Family Ministry Nights*

Preschool-5th grade

6:30-8 PM..... Chapel Choir Rehearsal*

6-7:45 PM..... The Gathering Bible Study*

Lead by Jason Jennings

THURSDAY

11:30 AM..... Thursday Prayer Lunch

**Group or meeting is currently paused until the fall.*

FALL KICKOFF

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 - 9:00 A.M.

Help us celebrate and welcome back all of our regular programming on Sunday, September 13! Choir will be in full swing, and Family Ministry Wednesday nights begin that week.

As we learn the new digital screens, we will be configuring settings to suit the congregation’s needs. If you have feedback from week to week, we want to hear from you! Contact Sydney Gyuran via phone or email at communications@secondpres.com