August 30, 2026 — *LORD's Day Worship* — 9:30 a.m.

Announcements — **Michael Brock**

Preparation for Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Pastor: Let us worship God.

Hymn of Praise #48 — ***"O Lord Most High, with All My Heart"***

Prayer of Adoration

Affirmation of Faith — **Heidelberg Catechism #1**

Q: What is your only comfort in life and in death?
A: That I am not my own, but belong-body and soul, in life and in death-to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to Him, Christ, by His Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

Doxology #731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Confession of Sin — **Scott Churnock**

Silent Prayer of Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Pastor: Based upon the authority of God's word, I can declare to those of you who are in Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven; in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
People: Thanks be to God!

Hymn of Pardon #500 — ***"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"***

The Sacrament of Baptism — **Henrik Evan Irvin**
Son of Abigail and Sam Irvin

Hymn of Response #189 — ***"Jesus Loves Me, This I Know"***

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so:
Little ones to Him belong, they are weak but He is strong.

(Chorus)
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Jesus loves me, He who died, heaven's gates to open wide;
He will wash away my sin, let His little child come in.
(Chorus)

Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord's Prayer) — **Hunter Twitty**

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.

Gloria Patri #735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, Amen.

Scripture — **Genesis 1:31**
Ecclesiastes 3:11

Pastor: This is God's Word
People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon — **Pastor Michael Brock**

Sermon Title: Thinking Biblically About Work

Hymn of Response #111 — ***"This Is My Father's World"***

Benediction

Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, *Pastor*
Hunter Twitty, *Associate Pastor*
Anton Ivanov, *Assistant Pastor*
Scott Churnock, *Teaching Elder*
Anna Dodd, *French Horn*
Amalee Smith, *Pianist*

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Announcements

Sunday August 30th: Today, all the Adult Sunday School classes will meet in the Fellowship Hall for updated news on the Property.

Potluck Supper for September: The September potluck will be this Wednesday, September 2nd, at 6:00 p.m. Third will be providing the main dish (BBQ). Please bring a side dish or a dessert of your choice. The courtyard water play will be set up. Come and swim!

Weekly Prayer Time: You are invited to join us for our weekly prayer time on Fridays from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. For details about the schedule or for additional information, please contact Anton at anton@thirdpca.org.

Monday or Tuesday Bible Study: Same study-different days
All Ladies Welcome! Kathy Pursell will be facilitating (the same) Bible study in Ezra and Nehemiah on Monday evenings and Tuesday mornings. The Monday evening study is at 6:30 p.m. in the Pursell home: 1773 Murray Hill Road, Homewood, 35216. The Tuesday morning study is at 9:30 a.m. in the Brooker home: 1144 South Shadesview Terrace, Homewood, 35209. The books will be provided.

Sunday Evening Bible Study: Everyone welcome! The small group at the Clarkes' home is from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. with fellowship afterwards. Walter Hogue is leading a study of the Minor Prophets - Joel, Amos, and Micah. For more details or to RSVP contact the church office.

Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study: All Ladies Welcome! The women's bible study, at Third, will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 9th at 9:30 a.m. with a covered dish brunch in the Fellowship Hall. The video series and book are entitled, *Rejoice and Tremble: The Surprising Good News of the Fear of the Lord*. The new books are available now, at no charge, in Jennie's office. Childcare will be provided-**please let Anya know** if you will be needing childcare, so she can plan accordingly. The lessons will begin the following Wednesday, meeting weekly, from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. in the church's education building - Room 104/105.

This Fall at Third on Sunday Night:
Join us for a **10-week** teaching series beginning Sunday, October 4th, at 5:00 p.m. in the **sanctuary here at Third Pres**. Scott Churnock will lead an informal time of praise, prayer, and Bible teaching as we walk through the first two chapters of Luke's Gospel, studying the record of Christ's coming, and preparing our hearts for the Advent season. This is a wonderful opportunity to invite a friend or neighbor who may not usually attend Sunday morning worship. Come enjoy these autumn evenings with us, **October 4th through December 13th**, as we grow in Christ, encourage one another, and behold the glory of our Savior in His Word. We hope to see you there!

Current Active Officers

Elders
Michael Brock, Eddie Burg, David Byers, Chris Hussar, Colin Luke, Charles Miller, Jack Neill, Chris Pursell and Harold Simon
Emeritus Elders – Gene Hill, Walter Monroe, Bob Struck, Allen Trucks and Walter Yarbrough
Deacons
Tommy Brannan, Billy Culp, Joe Glasgow, Chip Hall, Robert Kirby, James McLeod, Kenneth Moore and Tim Wannemuehler
Trustees
Jack Neill, President; Members: Billy Culp, Terry Hammond, Chuck Welden and Walter Yarbrough

Missionary Prayers for the Week
Botho Heinz: Training pastor and leader in Biblical studies, serving with World Reach (WR). Botho works primarily through his theological school based in Germany, Bible College – Pakistan.

Summer Schedule for Children During Worship and Sunday School

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

- Nursery (through age 2) 9:30 – 11:30
  - Infants – 6 months – Brides Room
  - 6 months – 18 months – Room E109A
  - 18 Months – 2 years old – Room E109C
  - Nursing Room – Room E109B
- Children (ages 3-Kindergarten) participate in the worship service until they are dismissed at the start of the sermon to room 107 for a Children's Bible Lesson.
- Children (1st grade and up) stay in the sanctuary the entire service.

10:55 a.m. Sunday School

- Ages 3,4 and Kindergarten: Room 107
- 1st Grade – 4th Grade: Room 203
- 5th Grade – 6th Grade: Room 206

The **Youth** Class: meets in Room 201. 7th – 12th Grade
- Current Topic: Westminster Shorter Catechism
- Current Teacher: Malik Bishop

The **Salt** Class: meets in Room 104/105. College age, Singles, and young married couples.
- Current Topic: Lamentations
- Current Teachers: Anton Ivanov and Hunter Twitty

The **Faith** Class: Taking a break for the summer

The **Light** Class: meets in Fellowship Hall. Any age welcome.
- Current Topic: Gospel of John
- Current Teacher: Chris Pursell

The **Community** Class: meets in Room 204. Any age welcome.
- Current Topic: Cultural Apologetics
- Current Teachers: Eddie Burg and David Byers

The **New Members Class** meets in the Choir Room
- Current Teacher: Pastor Michael Brock

Upcoming Events at Third

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Prayer Time – Room 204
Sunday: 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Bible Study – Clarkes' Home
Monday: 6:30 p.m. Bible Study – Pursells' Home
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study – Brookers' Home
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. Potluck Supper – Fellowship Hall
Thursday: 11:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study – Room E104/105
Friday: 11:00 a.m. Weekly Prayer Time – Choir Room

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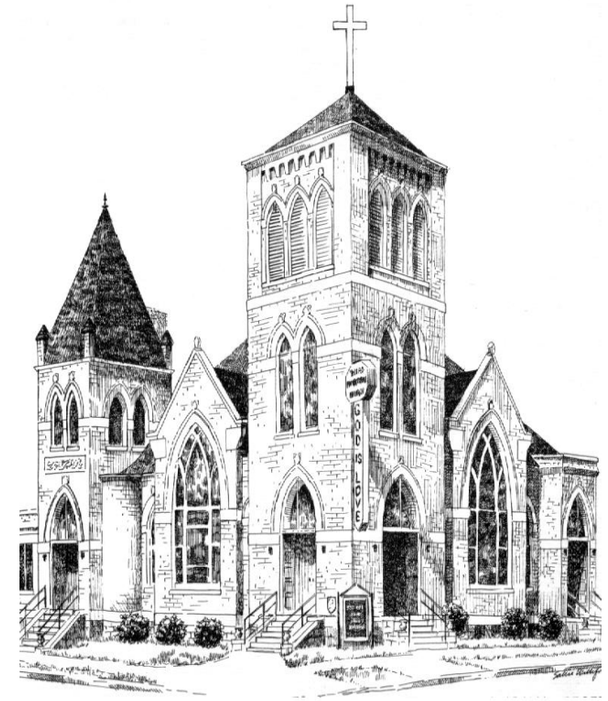

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