

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP • 10 AM

start AT THE
ending

THE BOOK OF REVELATION

FEBRUARY 1

The Lamb is Shepherd

Revelation 7:9-17



A welcoming community of faith where Jesus Christ transforms lives

WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Christopher A. Henry
Senior Pastor

Rev. Danny L. Carpenter
Lake Fellow in Parish Ministry

Rev. Gracie H. Payne
Associate Pastor for Engagement

Mandy Ernest
Liturgist

Danny Fisher
Pianist

Dawn Waddell
Guest Organist

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Today the Sanctuary Choir is participating in
worship at First Chinese Free Methodist Church of
Indianapolis.

PROCESSION

Ewer Bearer
David Lancet

Acolytes
Michael Hamilton
Prose VanVeelen

TODAY'S BAPTISMS

Elliott Marie Marshaus
Parents: Colin and Abigail Marshaus
Birthdate: June 4, 2024

Christopher Steven Varner
Parents: Spencer and Anna Varner
Birthdate: March 20, 2025

Elder: Mandy Ernest
Youth Deacon: Lilly VanBruggen
Bible Presenter: Hattie Sneller

WELCOME FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

Following today's *Word with Children*, children ages 4 through grade 5 may remain with their families or depart for *Sunday Mornings for Children*. If departing, please assure your child is wearing a nametag. Carol Choir pick up will be in Room 355 at 11:15 AM. Pick up for other sections of *Sunday Mornings for Children* will be in the third-floor hallway at the same time. Childcare is available on the second floor for infants through age 3.

VISUAL AND HEARING ASSISTANCE

Please speak to an usher if you need a large print bulletin,
large print hymnal, or an assistive listening device.

February 1, 2026

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

We Come Together as God's People

Prelude

Scherzo No. 2 in B-flat minor, Op. 31
Danny Fisher, piano

Frédéric Chopin
(1810-1849)

Welcome

Rev. Christopher A. Henry

*** Call to Worship**

Rev. Danny L. Carpenter

One: Come to this time of worship, praising God with your whole spirit.

All: We come, voices and hearts lifted up to the Lord.

One: Come to this place of prayer, seeking God with your whole mind.

All: We come, ready to hear God's word.

One: Come to this community of faith, loving God with your whole life.

All: We come to be transformed into the living body of Christ.

*** Prayer of Adoration**

*** Processional Hymn #371**

Lift High the Cross

CRUCIFER

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

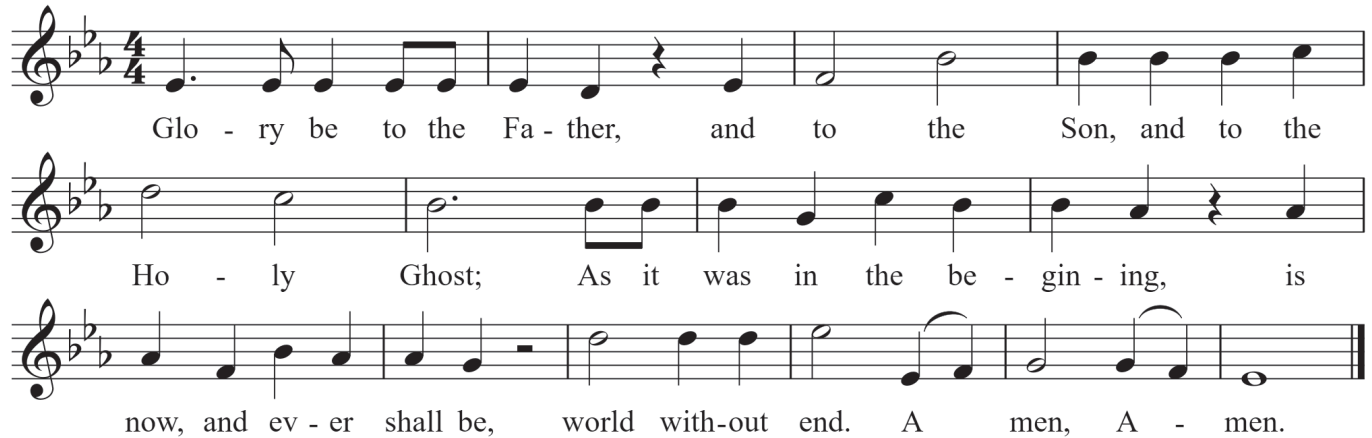
Lamb of God,
you have gathered a great multitude from every nation,
yet we confess that we divide where you seek to unite.
You offer shelter and peace,
yet we cling to fear and self-reliance.
You wipe away every tear,
yet we fail to show compassion to those who weep.
Forgive us, Lord.
Wash us in your mercy,
lead us to living waters,
and make us faithful to your kingdom.
In Jesus' name, we pray. (Silent Prayer)

Assurance of God's Grace

*** Response of Praise**

Gloria Patri

Greatorrex



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the
Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ing, is
now, and ev - er shall be, world with-out end. A men, A - men.

*** Passing the Peace of Christ**

*** Hymn #171**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is
(verses 1-4, 6)

ST. COLUMBA
(ancient Irish melody)

We Experience God's Word

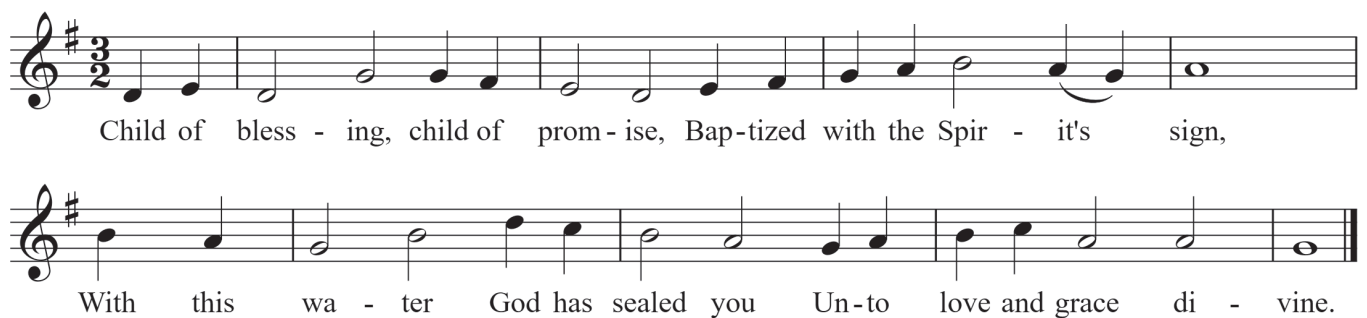
The Word with Children

Sacrament of Baptism

Hymn of Response #498

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

KINGDOM



Child of bless - ing, child of prom - ise, Bap-tized with the Spir - it's sign,
With this wa - ter God has sealed you Un-to love and grace di - vine.

Prayer for Illumination

Mandy Ernest

First Scripture Lesson

Psalm 23

(p. 491)

Response to the Word

Prelude in C-sharp major, BWV 848
Danny Fisher, piano

J.S. Bach
(1685-1750)

Sermon

Rev. Christopher A. Henry

The Lamb is Shepherd

*"...for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."
(Revelation 7:17)*

Moment of Silent Meditation

We Give Thanks to God

*** Affirmation of Faith**

Rev. Gracie H. Payne

Based on the Barmen Declaration

**We confess that Jesus Christ,
as he is attested for us in Holy Scripture,
is the one Word of God whom we must trust and obey in life and in death.
We reject all other powers and authorities that seek to take his place.
Our hope is in Christ alone, our Lord and Savior,
who calls us to follow in faith, love, and obedience.
To God be all honor and glory forever. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and 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.**

Invitation to Discipleship and Generosity

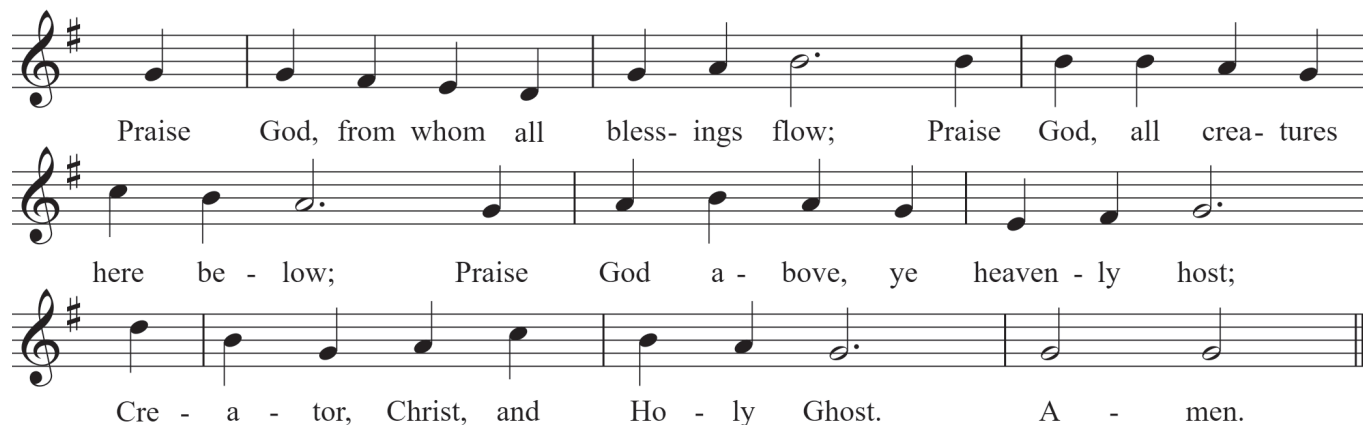
Offertory

L'isle Joyeuse, L. 109
Danny Fisher, piano

Claude Debussy
(1862-1918)

* **Doxology**

OLD HUNDREDTH



* **Prayer of Dedication**

We Go Forth to Serve

* **Closing Hymn #281**

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDDA

* **Charge and Benediction**

Postlude

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty
Dawn Waddell, organ

Diane Bish
(b. 1941)

At the conclusion of worship, we invite you to join us in McFarland Hall for coffee, donuts, and community.

Notes

THE POWER OF PRAYER

*The Chancel flowers this morning are given
to the glory of God in loving memory of Donald W. Buttrey
from Greg, Karen, Alan, and Jason Buttrey.*

Would you like one of our pastors to pray with you today? We invite you to come to Milner Chapel immediately following the 10 AM worship service for a short time of communion and prayer. You may also visit SecondChurch.org/Prayer to fill out a Prayer Request Form.

If you or a loved one is hospitalized, please contact:
Ashley McNamara, Coordinator of Pastoral Care
AMcNamara@SecondChurch.org

GIVING Secondchurch.org/Commitment



We are blessed by your light!

We've made wonderful progress toward our 2026 Commitment Campaign goal, thanks to the faithful generosity of the congregation. Thank you!

Everyone's help is appreciated and needed to make it to 100% so that we can serve, learn, grow, and dream boldly in the new year.

To make your 2026 commitment visit Secondchurch.org/Commitment or contact Nancy Frick at 317-253-6461, ext. 359 or nfrick@SecondChurch.org



VISITING TODAY?

Thank you for worshipping with Second!
Our Hospitality Team would love to connect and welcome you more fully into the life of Second.
Scan this QR code and let us know you were here!



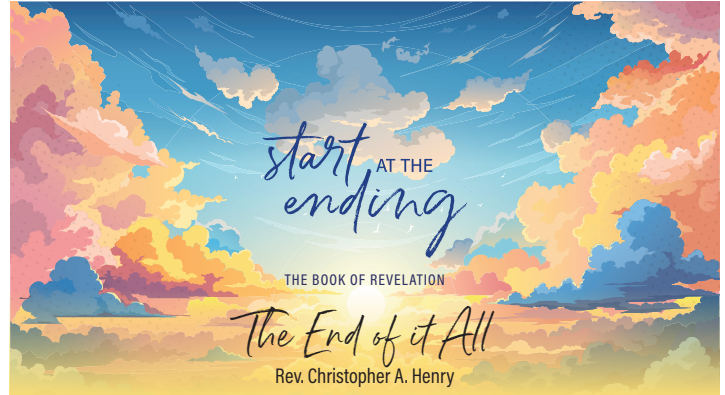
*Annual
Congregational Meeting*
February 8 • Following 10 AM Worship • Sanctuary

TODAY

Reception for Rev. Gracie Payne
Following 10 AM Service • McFarland Hall

The Generous Word
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM • Common Room

NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8



8:15 AM • Chapel Worship

9 AM • Sunday School for All Ages

10 AM • Sanctuary Worship

Annual Congregational Meeting
Following 10 AM Service • McFarland Hall

NO 11:15 AM Service of Wholeness and Communion

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UPCOMING EVENTS SecondChurch.org/Events



Souper Bowl of Caring Food Drive
Now – February 8 • Atrium Drop-Off

Middlers Gathering
February 3 • 7 – 8:30 PM • Common Room

Memorial Flower Fund: Lillies
February 8 – March 29 • Online

Second Act February Gathering
February 9 • 3 PM • McFarland Hall

Second Treasures: Stock the Racks
February 10 • 6 – 8 PM • Library

Volunteer for Northside Community Breakfast
February 14 • 8:30 – 11:30 AM • Atrium

New Member Class
February 15 • 11 AM • Common Room

February 16 • Presidents' Day • Building Closed