

Call to Worship**Hymn of Praise #55***"To God Be the Glory"****Prayer of Adoration*****Hymn of Praise #44***"How Great Thou Art"****Affirmation of Faith****The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell¹; the third day he arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic† church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

¹Experienced the full fury of the Father's wrath; was utterly forsaken, rejected, and abandoned.

†Universal-not limited to any one particular denomination, nation, or ethnicity.

***Doxology**

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**Silent Prayer of Confession****Prayer of Confession****Assurance of Pardon*****Hymn of Pardon***"Purify My Heart"****Hymn of Response***"Benediction Song"*

(See insert)

(Sing through twice)

Purify my heart, touch me with Your cleansing fire.
Take me to the cross, Your holiness is my desire.
Breathe Your life in me,
Kindle a love that flows from Your throne.
Oh, purify my heart, purify my heart.

Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord's Prayer)

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.

Hymn of Preparation"Psalm 119:145-152"*(Tune: *"Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove"*)

My heart cries out: O answer, Lord! Your statutes I'll obey.
I cry to You: Save me! I'll keep Your testimonies' way.

Before dawn I cry out for help, I put hope in Your word.
My eyes stay open through the night, to contemplate Your word.

In lovingkindness, hear my voice, revive my life, O Lord;
According to Your ord'nances, preserve my life, O Lord.

All those who follow wickedness are always drawing near;
But they are far away from You, and from Your law so dear.

Yet You are near me, O my Lord, and Your commands are true.
Of old, I've known Your statutes are established firm by You.

Scripture*Proverbs 6:6-11****Sermon****Pastor Michael Brock*****Benediction**

May the peace of God our heav'nly Father,
And the grace of Christ the risen Son,
And the fellowship of God the Spirit keep our hearts
And minds within His love.

(Chorus)

*And to Him be praise for His glorious reign,
From the depths of earth to the heights of heav'n.
We declare the name of the Lamb once slain:
Christ eternal, the King of kings!*

May this peace which passes understanding,
And this grace which makes us what we are,
And this fellowship of His communion make us one
In spirit and in heart. (Chorus)

 Sermon Notes

Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, *Pastor*
Hunter Twitty, *Assistant Pastor*
Anton Ivanov, *Assistant Pastor*
Amalee Smith, *Pianist*

Announcements

Prayer Time: Please join us every Sunday at 9:00 a.m. in the choir room for a special time of prayer as we intercede for our congregation and our worship service.

Newcomers Prayer-Gathering: The Brock's are inviting everyone who is new and visiting Third (and those who have been members for less than a year) to come to their home on Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm for a one-hour gathering to hear a brief devotion, share prayer requests and pray. It is a time to get to know others who are new to Third church and grow in faith. Please email Jennie@ThirdPCA.org or Michaelthirdpres@gmail.com for their address.

Men's Breakfast: Please mark your calendars for Saturday, October 8th, to join us for our Saturday Morning Men's Breakfast. The breakfasts will occur quarterly, and the topic of the series for the next several meetings will be Biblical Masculinity, taught by Michael Brock. In addition to marking your calendars, please think now about someone you can bring – sons, grandsons, nephews, friends - all are welcome!

Friday Email from Third Pres. On Fridays, Pastor Brock sends out an email with church news, upcoming events, stories, and occasionally a little something funny. If you would like to receive the Friday Email from Pastor Brock, please email: Jennie@ThirdPCA.org.

Membership at Third: If you are interested in becoming a member of Third Presbyterian Church, please see Pastor Brock about the process, or you may email him at Michaelthirdpres@gmail.com.

Sunday School Missionary Prayers – September

Salt Class: **Craig & Stacy Pohl** serve as church planters with MTW in Chiba, Japan. The Pohl's work with one of the few Bible believing church plants in a densely populated neighborhood to evangelize the local population, train new ministers, and to start a campus ministry.

Light Class: **Joel Linton** with Mission Sending Service in Taiwan. Joel is married to Judy, and they have five children (all girls!). They are planting a church in Yilan County.

Faith Class: Maranathan Academy: Donna Dukes is Founder & Executive Director. A non-profit school and learning center dedicated to the education and development of critically-at-risk youth and adults.

Today at Third ~ 09/04/2022

9:00 a.m. Prayer Time – Choir Room
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship ★+
10:45 a.m. Sunday School ★

★Nursery provided downstairs in the Ed. Bldg.
+Children(ages 3-8 only) are dismissed for Children's Church before sermon

This Week at Third ~ 09/04/2022 – 09/10/2022

★Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study – E104/105
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Newcomer's Prayer-Gathering: Brocks
Thursday: 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study – E104/105

★Childcare provided

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Sunday: Sally & Chuck Brooker (A)
Tuesday Guylene & Jim Jackson (A), Linda Sue & Jack Neill (A)
Friday: Liv Wesson (B)

Current Active Officers

Elders

Areas of Responsibility

Michael Brock – Worship (Harold Simon) & Administration (Charles Miller)
Eddie Burg – Prayer (with Hunter Twitty)
David Byers – Missions & Outreach (with Anton Ivanov)
Chris Hussar – Christian Education & Small Groups (with Hunter Twitty)
Colin Luke – Membership & Shepherding (with Hunter Twitty)
Charles Miller – Administration (with Michael Brock)
Jack Neill – Presbytery & General Assembly (with Anton Ivanov)
Harold Simon – Worship (with Michael Brock)

Deacons

Tommy Brannan, Hart Byers, Billy Culp, Joe Glasgow, Joe Hall, Jim Hamil, Bob McIndoe, Ken Miller, Tim Wannemuehler and Ben Whitaker

Trustees

Jack Neill, President; Members: Billy Culp, Terry Hammond, Gene Hill, Chuck Welden and Walter Yarbrough

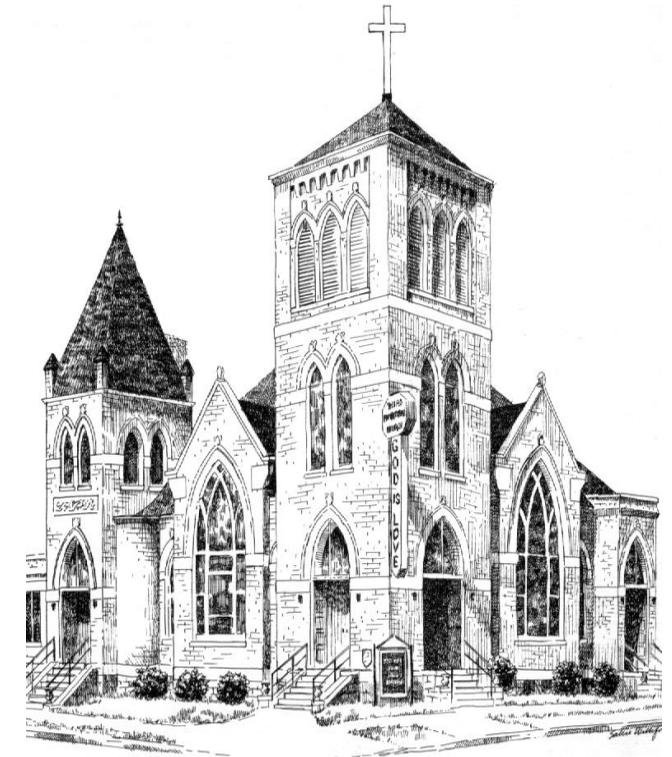


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*Teach the Word, Live the Word, Share the Word
With Our Southside Neighborhood and Beyond
September 04, 2022*