

1879 "THE FORTY-FIFTH YEAR OF OUR SECOND CENTURY" 2024

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

**3310 E. COMMERCE STREET, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78220
THE REV. DR. ROBERT L. JEMERSON, SR., D. MIN., PASTOR**

"Called To Excellence"

"Shew I unto you a more excellent way." 1 Corinthians 12:31

APRIL 28, 2024

11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Enter to Worship

Depart to Serve

**Only one life
It'll soon be past**

**Only what's done
For God will last!**



"God make this house of worship we have raised to Thee wide enough to receive all who need human love, fellowship and the Father's care and narrow enough to shut out envy, pride and hate. Make its threshold smooth that it may be no stumbling block to childhood weakness or straying feet, but rugged and strong enough to turn back the tempter's power. God make this house of worship the gateway to Thy eternal Kingdom."

The Preparation for Worship “I am the good shepherd, and know my sheep, and am known of mine. My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me: And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.” John 10:14, 27-28

The Prelude “Come, Christians Join and Sing” arr. Thallander Mrs. La Faye Duren, Organist

The Call To Worship and The Invocation Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr., Pastor

WORSHIP IN PRAISE

***The Opening Hymn of Praise** “Hold to God’s Unchanging Hand”

Time is filled with swift transition. Naught of earth unmoved can stand. Build your hopes on things eternal. Hold to God’s unchanging hand. **Refrain: Hold to His hand, God’s unchanging hand. Hold to His hand, God’s unchanging hand. Build your hopes on things eternal. Hold to God’s unchanging hand.**

Trust in Him who will not leave you. Whatsoever years may bring. If by earthly friends forsaken, Still more closely to Him cling. **Refrain:**

Covet not this world’s vain riches That so rapidly decay. Seek to gain the heav’nly treasures. They will never pass away. **Refrain:**

When your journey is completed, If to God you have been true, Fair and bright the home in Glory Your enraptured soul will view. **Refrain:**

***The Responsive Reading** Psalm 23:1-6 Rev. Angela Jackson

Minister: The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

People: Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

***The Gloria Patri** 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 with out end. Amen, Amen.

The Welcome Mrs. Peggy Fuller

WORSHIP IN MEDITATION

The Morning Prayer Rev. Keith Jackson **The Music of Meditation “Deliver Me”** The Voices of Second Baptist Church

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Offertory Sentence and Prayer Rev. Cornell Evans

***The 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

WORSHIP IN PROCLAMATION

The Music of Preparation “Every Praise” The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Sermon “He Made Me Lie Down” Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr., Pastor

The Text: “The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.”

Psalm 23:1-3

The Invitation to Discipleship

“Let the Church Say Amen”

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Benediction

Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr., Pastor

The Postlude

“Rejoice, Your Lord is King” arr. Swann

Mrs. La Faye Duren, Organist

***Please Stand**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be held **June 10-14, 2024** at **6:00 P.M.** in Second Baptist Church Community Center. Volunteers are needed to teach the classes, 2 adult class teachers, 1 teacher for the juniors, primaries, and preschool class. Volunteers are also needed to help coordinate and prepare meals for the entire week.

PRAISE LINE DANCING CLASS will be held on **Thursday, May 2 and 16, 2024**, in the Second Baptist Church Community Center from 11:00 A.M-12:00 P.M.

YOUTH MINISTRY: If you are interested in working with the Second Baptist Church Youth Ministry there will be a meeting with **Reverend Argra Nell Thompson** in the small chapel immediately following today’s service.

WELCOME TO THE NEWEST MEMBER OF THE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY

Mr. Byron Denmon

Christian Experience

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MOTHER’S DAY LUNCHEON
MAY 11, 2024 11:00 A.M. S.H. JAMES FELLOWSHIP HALL
YOUTH DAY
JUNE 9, 2024 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

DEACON OF THE WEEK
April 28 - May 4, 2024
The Deacon of the Week is **Deacon Thomas Dunlap**. Members may call the Pastor or the Deacon of the Week to express concerns. **Deacon Dunlap** can be reached at **(210) 209-7505**.

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