

PRELUDE By The Rivers of Babylon, BWV 653 J.S. Bach	Kevin Chunko
CHORAL INTROIT Praise the Lord	Chapel Choir Interns
WELCOME	Rev. Trey Haddon
CALL to WORSHIP Do not be silent, O God of my praise. O Lord my Lord act on my behalf for your name's sake; because your steadfast love is good, deliver me. I am poor and needy, and my heart is pierced within me. Help me, O Lord my God! Save me according to your steadfast love. With my mouth I will give great thanks to the Lord; I will praise him in the midst of the throng. For he stands at the right hand of the needy, to save them from those who would condemn them to death. Do not be silent, O God of my praise. O Lord my Lord act on my behalf for your name's sake; because your steadfast love is good, deliver me.	Rev. Trey Haddon
CALL to CONFESSION	
PRAYER of CONFESSION We search for your light, but too often end up settling for the dimness of temptation. We desire all the world gives, rather than strive for the transformation of compassion and peace. Forgive us, giver of life, we are foolish to put our needs ahead of your grace. Help us to find your hope, grace, and gratitude. As we journey with your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, fill us with the light of your joy and love.	
ASSURANCE of PARDON Grace has been poured into our hearts, love has flooded our souls, hope reverberates in our future. God’s redeeming love which has come to all, we will carry and give to everyone we meet. Thanks be to God. Amen.	
PASSING of the PEACE	
*SONG of the DAY Be Thou My Vision, No. 339	Congregational Singing
FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 48	Elder Ruth Gabor
WORD in SONG Out of the Depths (Psalm 130)	Chapel Choir Interns
SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 14:1–12	Rev. Trey Haddon
MESSAGE Beheaded	Rev. Trey Haddon
*HYMN Though I May Speak, No. 335	Congregational Singing
PRAYERS of the PEOPLE	Rev. Trey Haddon
*HYMN Our God, Our Help in Ages Past, No. 210	Congregational Singing
BENEDICTION	Rev. Trey Haddon
POSTLUDE Carillon Franklin Ashdown	Kevin Chunko

Isaiah 48

¹Hear this, O house of Jacob, who are called by the name of Israel, and who came forth from the loins of Judah; who swear by the name of the Lord, and invoke the God of Israel, but not in truth or right.

²For they call themselves after the holy city, and lean on the God of Israel; the Lord of hosts is his name.

³The former things I declared long ago, they went out from my mouth and I made them known; then suddenly I did them and they came to pass.

⁴Because I know that you are obstinate, and your neck is an iron sinew and your forehead brass,

⁵I declared them to you from long ago, before they came to pass I announced them to you, so that you would not say, “My idol did them, my carved image and my cast image commanded them.”

⁶You have heard; now see all this; and will you not declare it?

From this time forward I make you hear new things, hidden things that you have not known.

⁷They are created now, not long ago; before today you have never heard of them, so that you could not say, “I already knew them.”

⁸You have never heard, you have never known, from of old your ear has not been opened.

For I knew that you would deal very treacherously, and that from birth you were called a rebel.

⁹For my name's sake I defer my anger, for the sake of my praise I restrain it for you, so that I may not cut you off.

¹⁰See, I have refined you, but not like silver; I have tested you in the furnace of adversity.

¹¹For my own sake, for my own sake, I do it, for why should my name be profaned?

My glory I will not give to another.

¹²Listen to me, O Jacob, and Israel, whom I called:

I am He; I am the first, and I am the last.

¹³My hand laid the foundation of the earth, and my right hand spread out the heavens; when I summon them, they stand at attention.

¹⁴Assemble, all of you, and hear!

Who among them has declared these things?

The Lord loves him;

he shall perform his purpose on Babylon,

¹⁵I, even I, have spoken and called him,

I have brought him, and he will prosper in his way.

¹⁶Draw near to me, hear this!

From the beginning I have not spoken in secret,

from the time it came to be I have been there.

And now the Lord God has sent me and his spirit.

¹⁷Thus says the Lord,

your Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel:

I am the Lord your God,

who teaches you for your own good,

who leads you in the way you should go.

¹⁸O that you had paid attention to my commandments!

Then your prosperity would have been like a river,

and your success like the waves of the sea;

¹⁹your offspring would have been like the sand,

and your descendants like its grains;

their name would never be cut off

or destroyed from before me.

²⁰Go out from Babylon, flee from Chaldea,

declare this with a shout of joy, proclaim it,

send it forth to the end of the earth;

say, “The Lord has redeemed his servant Jacob!”

²¹They did not thirst when he led them through the deserts;

Matthew 14:1–12

¹At that time Herod the ruler heard reports about Jesus; ²and he said to his servants, “This is John the Baptist; he has been raised from the dead, and for this reason these powers are at work in him.” ³For Herod had arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, ⁴because John had been telling him, “It is not lawful for you to have her.”

⁵Though Herod wanted to put him to death, he feared the crowd, because they regarded him as a prophet. ⁶But when Herod's birthday came, the daughter of Herodias danced before the company, and she pleased Herod ⁷so much that he promised on oath to grant her whatever she might ask. ⁸Prompted by her mother, she said, “Give me the head of John the Baptist here on a platter.” ⁹The king was grieved, yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he commanded it to be given; ¹⁰he sent and had John beheaded in the prison. ¹¹The head was brought on a platter and given to the girl, who brought it to her mother. ¹²His disciples came and took the body and buried it; then they went

ACE THIS MONTH

- July 17: **Matthew 14:1–12 with Florilegia**
July 24: Filming: Jonah Reenactment
July 31: **Filming: Jonah Reenactment**
August 7: Mark 16:1–8 with Lectio Divina
August 14: **Judges 16:4–8, 15–22 with Sacred Imagination**
August 21: The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe Chapters 5 and 6 with Florilegium or Havruta

HAPPENING IN JULY

SOLAR ENERGY DISCUSSION

TUESDAY, JULY 19TH AT 5:30 PM IN F100A

Join us for a presentation and general Q&A about solar as it pertains to its usage here at Second Pres.

COFFEE OR TEA AND THEOLOGY **THURSDAY, JULY 21**
Location: Denny's Donuts
Time: 10:00 AM

Join Pastor Trey for coffee or tea and theology! This is a new gathering which will take place on the third Thursday of each month. You are encouraged to bring a friend! We'll see you there!



FRIDAY, JULY 29
8:00 AM-6:00 PM
SATURDAY, JULY 30
8:00 AM-NOON
(HALF PRICE DAY)
Location: Second Pres

THE BRASS BAND OF CENTRAL ILLINOIS



SUNDAY, JULY 24
BROADVIEW MANSION
4:00-6:00 PM
Street parking available as well as at the Shirk Center. Shuttle service provided. Food truck on site for food and drink purchase.

HAPPENING EVERY WEEK

EVERY SUNDAY:

- 8:00 am Chapel Worship
10:30 am Sanctuary Service
9:15 am • Children's Sunday School
• Sunday Brunch Grab & Go

3:00-4:00 pm S.P.R.I.N.G.

Family Ministry will be having a Sunday afternoon time of discipleship where children ages 5-12 will be exploring robotics systems and how they work while being mentored by spiritual leaders of our church family. We meet in Martin Hall.

EVERY TUESDAY:

- 8:30 am: Morning Men's Bible Study

EVERY THURSDAY

- 12:00 pm: Thursday Prayer Lunch



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Welcome!



BELENDED

Rev. Trey Haddon
Sunday, July 17, 2022
10:30 AM Service