

February 15, 2026

*LORD's Day Worship*

9:30 a.m.

**Announcements**

**Michael Brock**

**Preparation for Worship**

**Call to Worship**

**Anton Ivanov**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us worship God.

**Hymn of Praise #98**

*“Now Thank We All Our God”*

**Prayer of Adoration**

**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 hell<sup>1</sup>; 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.

<sup>1</sup>*Experienced 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 #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**

**Michael Brock**

**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**

*“Christ our Hope in Life and Death”  
(See insert)*

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone.

What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong.

Who holds our days within His hand? What comes apart from His command?

And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ in which we stand.

*(Chorus)*

*O sing Hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal;*

*O sing Hallelujah! Now and ever we confess*

*Christ our hope in life and death.*

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good.

Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood.

Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?

Who sends the waves that bring us nigh unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

*(Chorus)*

Unto the grave, what shall we sing? “Christ, He lives; Christ, He lives!”

And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him.

There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed.

And we will feast in endless joy, when Christ is ours forevermore.

*(Chorus)*

**Sacrament of Baptism**

**Benjamin Thomas Clark Jr. (Tom)  
Son of Sarah and Ben Clark**

**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**

**Matthew 13:44-46**

Pastor: This is God's Word.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon**

**Assistant Pastor Anton Ivanov**

**Hymn of Response #457**

*“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”*

**Benediction**

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Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, *Pastor*

Hunter Twitty, *Associate Pastor*

Anton Ivanov, *Assistant Pastor*

Anna Dodd, *French Horn*

Amalee Smith, *Pianist*

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**Over the Mountain Festival: This afternoon, February 15<sup>th</sup>** Over the Mountain Festivals presents its Concert of Sacred Choral Music, “*Tune My Heart*”. Six members of Third Church will be singing in the choir. This free event will be held at Bluff Park United Methodist Church. The concert lecture will begin at 2:00. Doors open for seating at 2:30. The music begins at 3:00. Hope to see you there!

**Special Prayer Time:** Next Sunday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>, please arrive early for a special prayer meeting from 8:30-9:15, in the Fellowship Hall. In light of the capital building campaign, the focus of this gathering will be the new season of growth and expansion.

**Men's Breakfast:** Please mark your calendars for Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m., to join us for our next Saturday Morning Men's Breakfast. This session will be taught by Hunter Twitty.

**Ladies Tea:** All Ladies Welcome! Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 11:30–2:00; please join us for Tea and Refreshments (using some of the recipes already submitted). Carol McIntyre would still love more recipes for the Third Pres. cookbook she is working on. Please bring them printed or email them to the church office.

**Third Presbyterian Church  
January 2026, Financial Report**

	January 2026 Actual	January 2026 Budget	January YTD 01/31/2026 Actual	January YTD 01/31/2026 Budget
Collections	\$81,838	\$66,730	\$81,838	\$66,730
Expenses	\$95,548	\$88,506	\$95,548	\$88,506
Net	(\$13,710)	(\$21,776)	(\$13,710)	(\$21,776)
Campaign Collections	\$101,000			
Adjusted Net	\$87,290			

**Current Active Officers**

<u>Elders</u>	<u>Areas of Responsibility</u>
Michael Brock	Worship (Harold Simon) & Membership (Colin Luke)
Eddie Burg	Prayer (Anton Ivanov)
David Byers	Missions & Outreach (Anton Ivanov)
Chris Hussar	Small Groups (Hunter Twitty) & Assimilation (Anton Ivanov)
Colin Luke	Membership & Shepherding (Michael Brock)
Charles Miller	Administration (Hunter Twitty)
Jack Neill	Presbytery & General Assembly (Anton Ivanov)
Chris Pursell	Christian Education (Hunter Twitty)
Harold Simon	Worship (Michael Brock)
<u>Emeritus Elders</u>	Gene Hill, Walter Monroe, Bob Struck, Allen Trucks and Walter Yarbrough
<u>Deacons</u>	Tommy Brannan, Billy Culp, Joe Glasgow, Chip Hall, Robert Kirby, James McLeod, Kenneth Moore and Tim Wannemuehler
<u>Trustees</u>	Jack Neill, President; Members: Billy Culp, Terry Hammond, Chuck Welden and Walter Yarbrough

Missionary Prayers for the Week

**Larry Walker:** Director of City Outreach for Liberti Church East and Deaconate Coordinator for the Liberti Church Planting Network in Philadelphia, PA.

**Current 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 rooms: 108 (3 year-olds) and 107 (4-K) for a Children’s Bible Lesson.
- Children (1<sup>st</sup> grade and up) stay in the sanctuary the entire service.

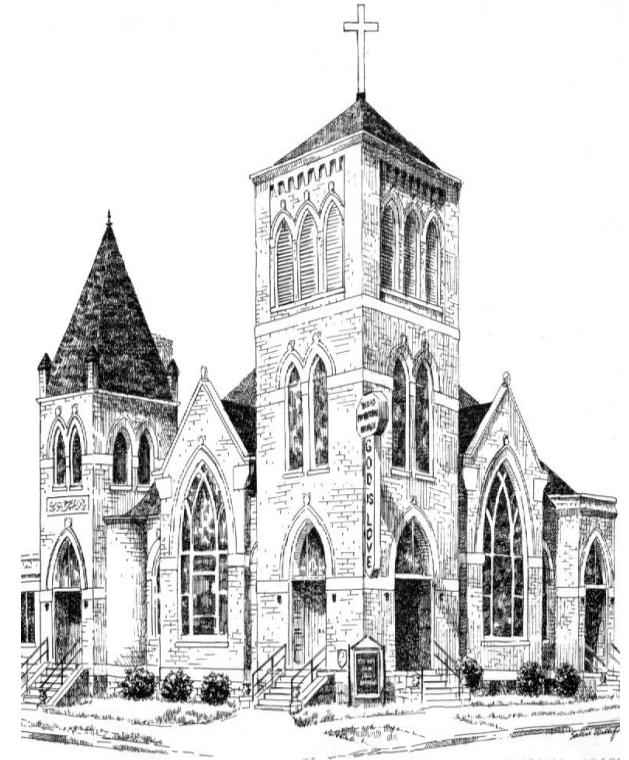
**10:55 a.m. Sunday School**

- Pre-K 3 year olds: Room 108
  - Pre-K 4 year olds – Kindergarten: Room 107
  - 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Room 202
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Room 203
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Room 206
- The **Youth** Class: meets in Room 201. 7<sup>th</sup> –12<sup>th</sup> grade
- Current Topic: Gospel of Luke
  - Current Teacher: Malik Bishop
- The **Salt** Class: meets in Room 104/105. College age, Singles, and young married couples.
- Current Topic: 1 Samuel
  - Current Teachers: Anton Ivanov and Hunter Twitty
- The **Faith** Class: meets in Room 204. Any age welcome.
- Current Teacher: Chris Hussar
- The **Light** Class: meets in Fellowship Hall. Any age welcome.
- Current Topic: Colossians
  - Current Teacher: Scott Churnock
- The **Community** Class: meets in the Chapel. Any age welcome.
- Current topic: Galatians
  - Current Teachers: Eddie Burg and David Byers
- The **New Member** Class: Meets in the Choir Room
- Current Teacher: Michael Brock

**Upcoming Events at Third**

Sunday: 8:30 – 9:15 a.m. – Viewing of the Property  
 Sunday: 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Group Bible Study – Clarkes’ Home  
 Monday 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Ladies Book Study – Clarkes’ Home  
 Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study – Brookers’ Home  
 Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Women’s Bible Study – Room 104/105  
 Thursday: 11:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study – Room E104/105

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