

APRIL 6, 2014

175 YEARS

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN
Church
1838

Second Presbyterian Church is a welcoming community of faith where Jesus Christ transforms lives through:

worship, as we praise and glorify God;

mission, as we embody God's love in service to the world;

discipleship, as we listen for God's Word;

giving, as we express gratitude to God;

fellowship, as we love and care for one another.

Weekly Sunday Worship

8:15 a.m.—Chapel

9:30 a.m.—Sanctuary

11 a.m.—Sanctuary

Service of Communion & Wholeness

10:35 a.m.—Chapel

Families@Five Worship

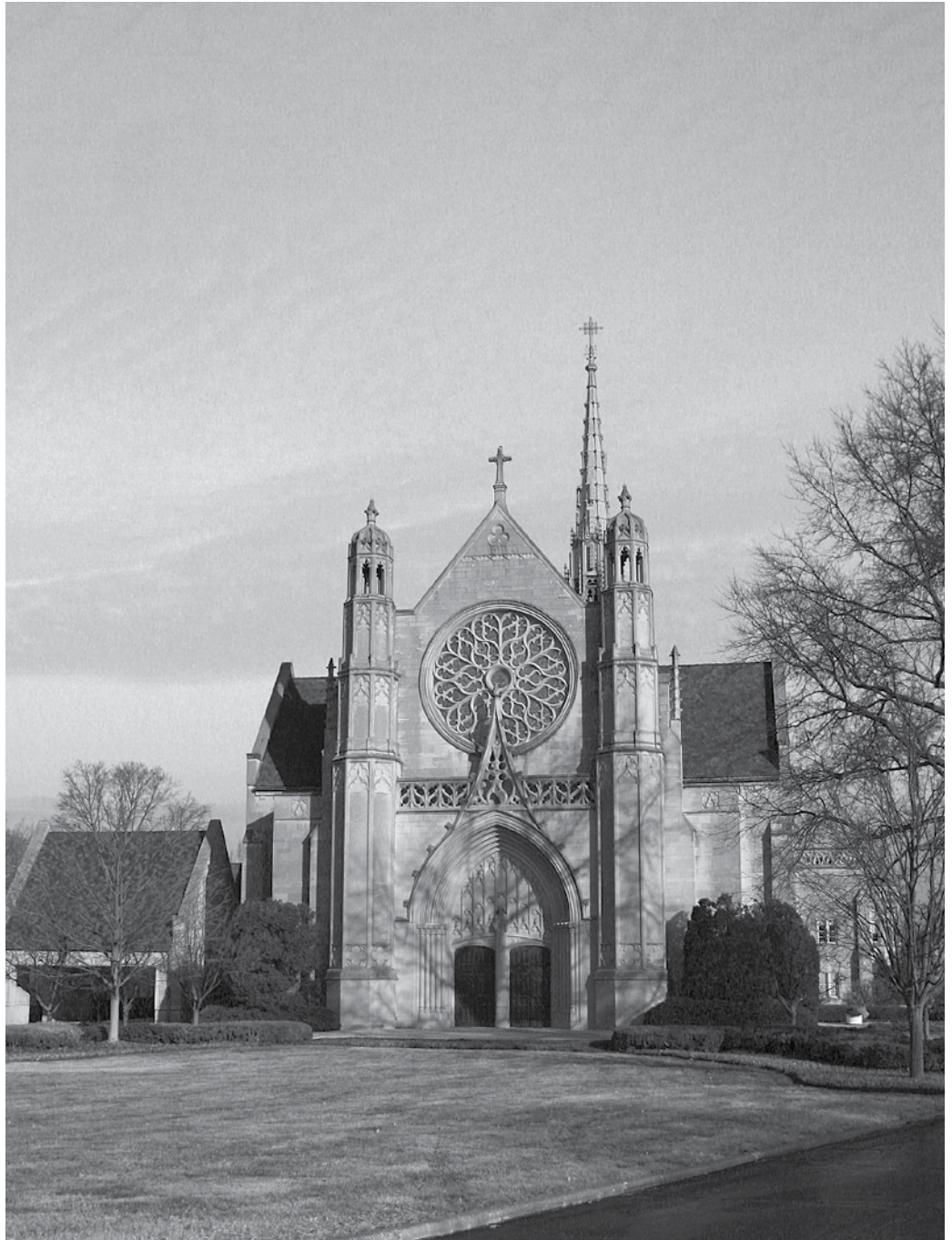
5 p.m.—McFarland Hall

March 9 - April 13 for Lenten Series

Second@Six Casual Worship

6 p.m.—Sanctuary

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP - 9:30 & 11 AM



Next Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday

8:15, 9:30 and 11 a.m.
Dr. Lewis F. Galloway

Families@Five
Rev. Caroline V. Dennis

Second@Six
Dr. Richard L. Baker

Palm Sunday

APRIL 13

MORNING: 8:15, 9:30 & 11

EVENING: 5 & 6

A festive parade of palms at 9:30 & 11 a.m.

Maundy Thursday

APRIL 17, 8 PM

A service of shadows, hear the story of the last hours of the life of Jesus. Service ends in darkness.

Good Friday

APRIL 18, 12-3 PM

A series of meditations, come and go as your schedule allows.

Easter Sunday

APRIL 20

MORNING: 8, 9:30 & 11:15

EVENING: 5 & 6

Building Community ❖ Transforming Lives ❖ Engaging the World



Reception Today, April 6 to Celebrate the Ministry of Rev. Rachel Wann

■ Coffee Hour in McFarland Hall

We invite you to a reception honoring Rev. Rachel Wann as she completes 10 years of ministry as the Coordinator of Community Ministries. Rachel will be continuing as the pastor at Edinburgh Presbyterian Church as she pursues a full time call.

Today@Second

is on p.6 for this week.



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MISSION AND BENEVOLENCE



Turn your faith into action to end hunger.

TODAY, APRIL 6

Bread for the World's Offering of Letters aims to realize a world in which all of God's children are fed. Our goal is to create political will by writing our policy makers and urging them to create pathways out of hunger and poverty.

Join the Hunger Ministry Team following each worship service in McFarland Hall as we turn our faith into action by writing letters to our members of Congress. For more information on this year's Offering of Letters go to Bread.org/go/0L



breadfortheworld
HAVE FAITH. END HUNGER.

MISSION AND BENEVOLENCE



The Community Committee of the Deacons will host several blood drives in 2014 in partnership with the Indiana Blood Center. All blood drives are from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. The drives have been scheduled at least 58 days apart in accordance with IBC's guidelines so you can give blood on a regular basis.

You can put the power of faith into action and save a life!

The 2014 blood drives will take place at Second on:

- ~~February 9~~
- April 6 **THIS SUNDAY!!**
- June 1
- July 27
- September 21
- November 23

Watch our video at:

SecondChurch.org/giveBlood



Memorial Lilies Renew the Spirit

Support the Memorial Flower Fund with donations in your loved one's name. The fund provides chancel flowers for the Sanctuary every Sunday, lilies at Easter and poinsettias at Christmas. Forms are available online at SecondChurch.org/flowers, in pew and literature racks, and at the reception desk.

Names of those being remembered or honored will be published in the Easter Sunday bulletins on April 20. For more information, please contact A.J. Johnson at 253-6461, Ext. 367.

FIRM DEADLINE: April 7, 10 a.m.

April 6, 2014 — Fifth Sunday in Lent

We Come Together as God's People



Prelude *Allein Gott in der Höh sei Her*, BWV 662 J.S. Bach
 "All Glory Be to God on High" (1685-1750)
 Dr. John Allegar, organ

* **Call to Worship** (from Psalm 89) Rev. David A. Berry

Leader: I will sing of your steadfast love, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim your faithfulness to all generations,

People: **Your steadfast love is established forever; your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.**

Leader: Let the heavens praise your wonders, O Lord.

People: **The heavens are yours, the earth also is yours, the world and all that is in it.**

*+ **Processional Hymn #487** *When Morning Gilds the Skies* LAUDES DOMINI

* **Lighting of the Candles** McKenzie Cheek, Ellen Baker (9:30)
 Alexandra Gooden, Haley Ables (11:00)

* **Prayer of Adoration**

*+ **Hymn #314** *Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song* BRIDEGROOM

Call to Confession

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

* **Gloria Patri**

* **Passing of the Peace**

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

+ **Ritual of Friendship and Concerns of the Church** Rev. Karen L. Lang

Welcome! We are so glad to have you with us in worship this morning. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please fill out one of the "welcome" cards in the pew rack so we may greet you and respond to any questions you might have.

During Lent, Dr. Galloway will be preaching a sermon series on the seven "I AM" sayings of Jesus from the Gospel of John. On this fifth Sunday in Lent, we hear Jesus say, "I am the true vine."

CARRYING IN THE ELEMENTS TODAY

Baptismal Water: Caitlin Deranek

Bread & Wine:

9:30 - Nathan, Mary Beth, Ellen, Charlie and Vivian Baker

11:00 - Matt, Meredith, Logan and Luke Miller

HYMN #487

When Morning Gilds the Skies is an anonymous German text from c. 1800. Its exuberance is expressed in the phrase "May Jesus Christ be praised!" which appears twice in each stanza. The hymn calls us to carry Christ in our hearts and live lives of praise to God. God is to be praised in all circumstances: at work and prayer, in sadness and in the fading of earthly bliss. In so doing, we lend our voices to the eternal song sung by all nature, the air and sea and sky, the depths of the oceans and the heights of the mountains.

HYMN #314

The text for *Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song* was written by Carl P. Daw, Jr. in 1982 specifically for the tune BRIDEGROOM. With vivid imagery throughout, the verses relate the origin and movement of the Holy Spirit, on whom the Spirit bestows power, and the charge and purpose of the Church in the world.

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 without end. Amen, Amen.

* Those who are able may stand. + Latecomers may be seated.

PARENTS: TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Before sending your child to the nursery (age 3 & under), Cherub Choir (age 4-Kindergarten), Choristers (Grade 1-2) or Carol Choir (Grades 3-5) please fill out a name tag (in pew racks). Place half on your child's back and bring the other half when you pick up your child.

Cherub Choir in Room 312
 Choristers in Room 112
 Carol Choir in Choir Auditorium

THIS MORNING'S BAPTISMS

9:30 SERVICE:

- **Noah Alan Rodgers**, son of Scott and Danielle Rodgers
Elder: Nancy Cronin
Bible Presenter: Mirabelle Ullom

A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION AND WHOLENESS

10:35 a.m. in Milner Chapel
 Rev. Joyce E. Hunn

News Within the Church Family

Welcome:

Sofia Margriet Miyamoto, daughter of Lisa and Geoff Miyamoto
 Birth Date: March 27, 2014

Hospitalized:

Wes Christian,
 Lynn Graham,
 Frank Holland

We Experience God's Word

Time with the Children (11:00)

Sacrament of Baptism (9:30)

Dr. John R. Koppitch

Congregational Response *Baptized in Water*

**Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,
 Marked with the sign of Christ, our King;
 Born of the Spirit, We are God's children,
 Joyfully now God's praises we sing.**

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Prayer of Illumination

Elder Nancy Cronin (9:30)

Elder Beth McKee (11:00)

First Lesson

Amos 9:11-15

(p. 842)

Anthem

If Ye Love Me

Philip Wilby

(b. 1949)

If ye love me, keep my commandments,
 and I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter,
 That He may abide with you for ever;
 E'en the Spirit of Truth.
 And ye know Him, for He dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.
 I will not leave you comfortless. I will come to you.

John 14:15-18

Second Lesson

John 15:1-11

(p. 983)

Response

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Dr. Lewis F. Galloway

"Staying Connected"

"I am the vine, you are the branches.

Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit,

because apart from me you can do nothing."

(JOHN 15:5)

Choral Sermon Response

BRIDEGROOM

To the members of Christ's body,
 To the branches of the Vine,
 To the church in faith assembled,
 To her midst as gift and sign:
 Come, Holy Spirit, come.

* Those who are able may stand. + Latecomers may be seated.

We Give Thanks to God

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

- * **Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed (Traditional) (Hymnal p.14)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offertory *Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee* arr. Eric Thiman
Caitlin Deranek, soprano (1900-1975)

Jesus, the very thought of Thee with sweetness fills my breast;
But sweeter far Thy face to see, and in Thy presence rest.

Nor voice can sing, nor heart can frame, nor can the memory find
A sweeter sound than Thy blest name, O Saviour of mankind.

O hope of every contrite heart, O joy of all the meek,
To those who fall, how kind Thou art, how good to those who seek!

But what to those who find? Ah, this nor tongue nor pen can show;
The love of Jesus, what it is, none but His loved ones know.

Jesu, our only joy be Thou, as Thou our prize wilt be;
Jesu, be Thou our glory now, and through eternity.

St. Bernard of Clairvaux, 1091-1153

- * **Doxology**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Blessing of Letters for *Bread for the World* (11:00)

We Go Forth to Serve

- * **Closing Hymn #418** *God, Bless Your Church with Strength!*

ICH HALTE TREULICH STILL

- * **Charge and Benediction**

* **Benediction Response** *Amen* McNeil Robinson II
(b. 1943)

* **Postlude** *Praeludium in C Major, BWV 531* J.S. Bach

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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

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.

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.

HYMN #418

God Bless Your Church with Strength! is a hymn with Hoosier roots. It was written in 1984 by John A. Dalles for the 150th anniversary of First Presbyterian Church of South Bend, Indiana where he served as associate pastor. Rather than a hymn appropriate only for anniversary occasions, Dalles chose to write a hymn directed toward the building up of the church. The text is a prayer for integrity, unity and guidance.

One of the hymn's primary images is taken from John 15:1-12 in which Jesus speaks of our connection to God and our relationship with him and each other. "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower..." Dalles originally wrote the text with tune DIADEMATA.

Today@Second

8 a.m.

Bread for the World Offering of Letters

Coffee, McFarland Hall

Deacons Blood Drive, Multipurpose Room

Theology, Thoughts & Coffee, 312:

Studying Paul Tillich's book,
Dynamics of Faith

9:30 a.m.

Nursery: Infants, 240; Toddler, 233

Preschool & Kindergarten Sunday
School, Second Floor

Elementary Sunday School, Third Floor

Middle School, Youth Suite

High School, Youth Suite

Faith in Action, Common Room:

Dr. Emily Beckman presents,
"Discovering Empathy"

Families in Christ, 112

Koinonia, 402:

Book Study - *The Lost Letters of Pergamum*
by Bruce W. Longenecker

The Upper Room Bible Study, 109

Words on the Word, 312:

Discuss AM sermon Scripture text

"Wrestling with Wisdom," Choir Room

10:30 a.m.

Coffee Hour, McFarland Hall:

Bread for the World Offering of Letters

Steak Dinner Reservations

Reception for Rachel Wann

11 a.m.

New Officer Orientation, 407

11:15 a.m.

Carol Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Choristers Rehearsal, 112

Musical Rehearsal for Palm Sunday, 356

12 p.m.

All Church Luncheon with Dr. Richard
Baker, Community Room

1 p.m.

Musical Script Rehearsal, Choir Room

5:30 p.m.

Sundays@Supper, Common Room

Youth Bowling Night, Off site at
Woodland Bowl

6 p.m.

Second@Six Children's Classes, Third Floor

Bread for the World Offering of Letters

FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION



Making Mystics Out of Cheeses The Life and Works of Flannery O'Connor

"What I am asking for is really very ridiculous. Oh Lord, I am saying, at present I am a cheese, make me a mystic immediately. But then God can do that—make mystics out of cheeses."

—Flannery O'Connor, *A Prayer Journal*

WEDNESDAYS THROUGH APRIL 9, 6:30-8 PM

During five Wednesday nights in Lent, Dr. Richard Baker will lead a discussion on O'Connor's life, her writing, and the larger themes of each: how grace changes us, why it is painful, how we resist it, and how God's grace overcomes that resistance.

Wednesdays
@Second

FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION



Wrestling with Wisdom: Proverbs

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom"

PROVERBS 1:7

SUNDAYS, 9:30 AM, CHOIR ROOM

The book of Proverbs claims: *"For learning about wisdom and instruction, for understanding words of insight, for gaining instruction in wise dealing, righteousness, justice, and equity; to teach shrewdness to the simple, knowledge and prudence to the young—let the wise also hear and gain in learning, and the discerning acquire skill, to understand a proverb and a figure, the words of the wise and their riddles"* (PROVERBS 1:2-6).

Join Dr. Richard Baker and Rev. Will Scott in unraveling the riddles of Proverbs.

MUSIC AND FINE ARTS



Moment by Moment

DRAWINGS BY DORIS J. BRINKMAN

PAINTER, PRINTMAKER, AND TEACHER

You are invited to encounter the extraordinary drawings of Doris Brinkman in an exhibit in the West Gallery in the third floor hallway leading to room 356, through April 25, 2014. The exhibit, "Moment by Moment," is presented as a special Lenten experience and opportunity for meditation by the Fine Arts Advisory Team.

JOHN HAY

SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 9:30 AM

Radical Hospitality: The Daily Faith Frontier

Ancient and rooted in the Biblical story, hospitality is, at the same time, an emerging frontier of faith and social change. Its recovery from over-professionalization and tea-party politeness is creating heart-reaching, life-changing trajectories for individuals, families, and communities. It is difficult and risky, but its outcomes are transformational. Are you ready for this?



ThisWeek@Second

Monday, April 7

- **PW Prayer Group.** 9 a.m., 355.
- **Centering Prayer.** 10 a.m., 355.
- **PW Book & Bible Study.** 10 a.m., 112.
- **PW Mission Sew-ers.** 10 a.m., 230.

Tuesday, April 8

- **Men's Fellowship Breakfast.** 7 a.m., Youth Suite.
- **Prayer Shawl Ministry.** 10 a.m., 230.
- **PW Women in the Word.** 2:30 p.m., 312.
- **New Day for Families of Divorce.** 6 p.m., 356.
- **Mom's Journey.** 7 p.m., 216.

Wednesday, April 9

- **PW Wednesday AM, Bible Study.** 9:15 a.m., 356.
- **Future Is Now Luncheon with Dr. Ray Bowden.** 11:30 a.m., Common Room.
- **Centering Prayer Wed. Night.** 6:30 p.m., 113.
- **Lenten Series.** 6:30 p.m., Milner Chapel.
- **Youth Ministries Wed. Night.** 6:30 p.m., Youth Suite. Quest: Middle School. Niners: Confirmation. Trek: High School.

Thursday, April 10

- **PW Thursday AM Bible Study.** 9:15 a.m., 407.
- **Son Rise Adult Bible Study.** 6 p.m., McFarland Hall.
- **Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.** 7 p.m., Choir Auditorium.

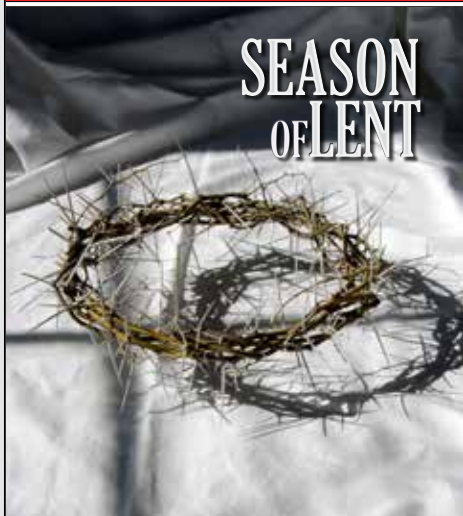
Friday, April 11

- **Mindfulness Meditation.** 12:15-12:45 p.m., 113.

Saturday, April 12

- **Handbell Ensemble Rehearsal.** 9 a.m., Sanctuary.

CHILDREN AND FAMILY



Families @Five

SUNDAYS, 5 PM,

MCFARLAND HALL

Who do you say I am?

Through multi-sensory worship and hands-on prayer stations, children and their families will contemplate who Jesus is in their lives exploring Jesus' I AM statements from the gospel of John.

- ❖ **Come ...** worship God.
- ❖ **Stay ...** for table fellowship with friends.
- ❖ **Depart ...** renewed for your walk in the world.

Summer Planning Underway?

After a bout with Cabin Fever... The "i"s are being dotted and the "t"s crossed on the summer events at Second! Events for all ages are planned. Please visit the church website calendar for all the details while you plan your valuable summer weeks. (Registration is now open for events marked with *)

Vacation Bible School

JUNE 23-27

Middle School Mission Trip *

JUNE 26-30

High School Mission Trips*

JULY 13-19

JULY 20-26

Second Summer Celebration

AUGUST 1-3



SecondChurch.org/Calendar



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Office Hours:

Mon.-Fri.: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.;
Sat.: 9 a.m. to noon

Ministerial Candidates:

Sarah Bilek, Karl Duchmann,
Nick Ison, Jennifer Lipinski,
Tom Markey, Ben Snipes,
Maureen Wilson.

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Children's Circle Preschool

(317) 252-5517

Childcare Reservations

(317) 252-5519

CenterPoint Counseling

(317) 252-5518

NEW TO US?

**Are you considering
membership at Second?**

Please plan to attend the
next Discovering Second,
a two-part class on
**Saturday, May 3,
9 a.m. - 1 p.m. and
Sunday, May 4,
9 - 10:45 a.m.**

Please contact

Dr. Jim Riley at 253-6461 or
JRiley@SecondChurch.org

MEN OF SECOND



Steak Dinner

Dr. Ken Johnson

Chaplain of the Indianapolis Colts

APRIL 30, 6 PM

All are invited to hear an inspirational
speaker over an excellent meal benefitting
Shepherd Community Center.

Dinner Reservations & Details:

SecondChurch.org/SteakDinner



PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN



144TH PRAISE GATHERING

THURSDAY, MAY 8

11:15 AM, MCFARLAND HALL

Rev. Laura Arico

Hanover College Chaplain

*Standing on Holy Ground: Cultivating
the Fertile Spiritual Soil of Young Adulthood*

Tickets: \$15 at SecondChurch.org/ISS and
during Coffee Hour starting April 13. Childcare
is available upon request.

Inspiring
Speaker
Series



Service of Holy Communion and Wholeness

*"Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying
heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."*

MATTHEW 11:28

Sundays, 10:35 a.m.,
Milner Chapel

This worship service is held every Sunday for
those who would like to receive The Lord's
Supper and join in a reflective time of prayer.

Please come and be renewed.

Be Renewed.

