1879 "THE FORTY-FOURTH YEAR OF OUR SECOND CENTURY" 2023

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

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

OCTOBER 1, 2023 THE 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 Christ 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."

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2023 THE 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

The Preparation for Worship "O give thanks unto the LORD, for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever. Let the redeemed of the LORD say so, whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy" Psalm 107:1-2

The Prelude "Amazing Grace" arr. Shaw

Mrs. LaFaye Duren, Organist

The Call To Worship and The Invocation

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

WORSHIP IN PRAISE

*The Opening Hymn of Praise

"We've Come This Far By Faith"

Refrain: We've Come This Far By Faith, Leaning On The Lord. Trusting In His Holy Word. He's Never Failed Us Yet. Oh, Oh- Oh- Can't Turn Around, We've Come This Far By Faith.

Just The Other Day I Heard A Man Say, He Didn't Believe In God Word. But I Can Truly Say The Lord Will Make A Way. Because He, He's Never Failed Me Yet. **Refrain:**

Just remember the good things He has done. Things that seemed impossible. Oh, praise Him for the vict'ries He has won. He has won! **Refrain:**

*The Responsive Reading

John 10: 4-10

Rev. Angela Jackson

Minister:

And when he putteth forth his own sheep, he goeth before them, and the sheep follow him: for they know his voice. And a stranger will they not follow, but will flee from him: for they know not the voice of strangers. This parable spake Jesus unto them: but they understood not what things they were which he spake unto them. Then said Jesus unto them again, Verily, Verily, I say unto you, I

am the door of the sheep.

People:

All that ever came before me are thieves and robbers: but the sheep did not hear them. I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture. The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

* The Glory 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

WORSHIP IN MEDITATION

Mrs. Ella Saine

The Music of Meditation

"Waymaker" and Morning Prayer

Rev. Keith Jackson

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Offertory Sentence and Prayer-Rev. D. Ennis, and Music-The Hand Bell Choir-Mrs. A. Powell-Brown, Director

*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

"All of My Help"

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Sermon

"The Good Shepherd"

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. 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. Psalm 23: 1-6

The Invitation to Discipleship
The Service of Holy Communion

"Falling in Love with Jesus"

The Voice of Second Baptist Church Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr., Pastor

Communion Hymn

"There is A Fountain"

Benediction
The Postlude
*Please Stand

Mas Dalalia Alamandan

"Rise Up, O Church of God" arr. Swann

Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr., Pastor Mrs. LaFaye Duren, Organist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU: Mrs. Sandra Francis-Chinn sends: "Dear Pastor Jemerson and Church Family: I just wanted you all to know how much it meant to us to receive the lovely spray for my Uncle. It is absolutely beautiful and very much appreciated.

Health Ministry: University of the Incarnate Word (UIW) Cardinal Wellness will host a COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic on Tuesday, October 17, 2023 from 1:00pm-5:00pm, in the Second Baptist Church Community Center. The new COVID-19 vaccine booster will be offered along with the flu shot. Clients are encouraged to wear masks and bring their shot records. If there are any question please contact Dr. Sarah Williams (210) 394-993.

Men and Women's Day is fast approaching. Be prepared for the Food Fest on Sunday, October 15, 2023. This will be a Western meal. Please recommend your favorite sausage (Luling, Gonzales, etc.). The Fancy Hat Luncheon Will be held on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 3:00 P.M. at the Second Baptist Community Center, tickets are now available. Men and Womens's Day is Sunday, October 22, 2023, our speaker will be Rev. Dr. Jacqueline Thompson, the first woman to serve as Second Vice President of the Progressive National Baptist Convention and pastor of the Allen Temple Baptist Church, Oakland, California.

Our Budgeted goal this year is \$110,000.00. The following contributions are as follows: **PARTNERS** \$1000.00+, **INVESTORS** \$800.00+, **DONORS** \$500.00+, **CONTRIBUTORS** \$375.00+. Any gift will be helpful to reach our goal. You will receive a call to remind you to contribute.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR MEMBERS CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

OCT 1 Summer Hille, Mrs. Brittany Anderson, Mr. Walter Hill OCT 2 Ms. Nicole Reed, Dimitri Deese OCT 3 Mrs. Gloria Bryant OCT 4 Mrs. Willie Mae Taylor, Mr. James Mulkey, Sr. OCT 5 Mr. Frankie Brown, Mrs. Yvonne Green OCT 6 Mrs. Lillian Moore, Anthonio Taplain

YOU OUGHT TO BE IN PICTURES



SCHEDULE APPOINTMENT

THURS. Oct 12 – 2 to 8 p.m. FRIDAY Oct 13 – 2 to 8 p.m. SAT. Oct 14 – 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS CAN BE MADE AFTER 11 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICES OR CALL/TEXT ELLA SAINE: 210 391 0299



JOB ANNOUCEMENT

CHURCH SECRETARY



Second Baptist Church seeks to hire a Church Secretary.

This position will be responsible for executing the administrative duties for the pastor and the church!

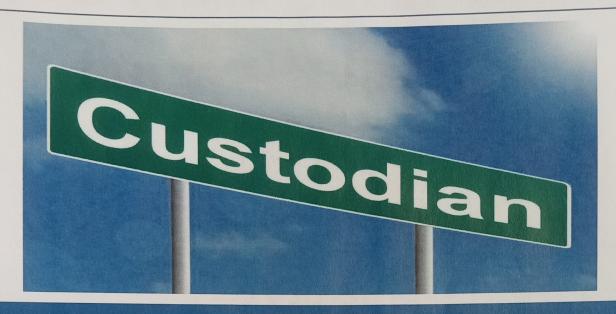
Knowledge and Skills Needed of Candidates:

Familiarity with Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, Desktop Publishing),
Organized, Ability to Type, Record Keeping, General Office Skills and
Experience

Please contact the personnel committee at 737-443-7118 for additional questions regarding the position. Advertising will be ongoing until the positions are filled.

Thank you! The Personnel Committee

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT



Second Baptist Church

Second Baptist Church seeks to hire two custodial positions.

1-full-time (40 hours per week) and 1-part-time (weekend)

some evening assignments for both positions

** Seeking a candidate with flexible work schedule**

Interested persons may visit the church for an application or send an email requesting an application.

Church email address is: baptistoffice@sbcglobal.net

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Thank you! Personnel Committee

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