

1879 "THE FORTY-SIXTH YEAR OF OUR SECOND CENTURY" 2025

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

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

"In 2025, We are Walking in the Will of the Divine"

**"The steps of a *good* man are ordered by the LORD,
And He delights in his way." Psalm 37: 23**

JUNE 15, 2025

11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

FATHER'S DAY

Enter to Worship

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

Depart to Serve

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



"God make this house of worship we have raised to You 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 Your eternal Kingdom."

The Preparation for Worship “And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another helper.” John 14:16

The Prelude “A Mighty Fortress is Our God” arr. Owens 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**

“God of Our Fathers”

God of our fathers, whose almighty hand Leads forth in beauty all the starry band Of shining worlds in splendor through the skies, Our grateful songs before thy throne arise.

Thy love divine hath led us in the past, In this free land with thee our lot is cast; Be Thou our Ruler, Guardian, Guide, and Stay, Thy Word our law, Thy paths our chosen way.

Refresh Thy people on their toilsome way. Lead us from night to never-ending day; Fill all our lives with love and grace divine; And glory, laud, and praise be ever Thine!

***The Responsive Reading**

Psalm 24:1-10

Rev. Nicholas Williams

Leader: The earth *is* the LORD’s, and all its fullness, The world and those who dwell therein. For He has founded it upon the seas, And established it upon the waters. Who may ascend into the hill of the LORD? Or who may stand in His holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, Who has not lifted up his soul to an idol, Nor sworn deceitfully. He shall receive blessing from the LORD, And righteousness from the God of his salvation.

People: This *is* Jacob, the generation of those who seek Him, Who seek Your face. *Selah.* Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in. Who *is* this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, The LORD mighty in battle. Lift up your heads, O you gates! Lift up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He *is* the King of glory. *Selah*

***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. Dorothy Haley

Father’s Day Presentation and Tribute

Youth in Action for Christ (Y.A.C.)

WORSHIP IN MEDITATION

The Choral Readers Proverbs 17:7; Psalm 103:13; Joshua 1:9; Genesis 18:19

The Morning Prayer

Rev. Keith Jackson

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Offertory Sentence and Prayer Rev. Dawarren Ennis **Jesus Action Music Ministry** Mrs. Tina Dickerson

***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

“Deliver Me”

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Sermon

“Attributes of A Great Father”

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

The Text: “But when he came to himself, he said, ‘How many of my father’s hired servants have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and will say to him, “Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you, and I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Make me like one of your hired servants.”’ And he arose and came to his father. But when he was still a great way off, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and fell on his neck and kissed him. And the son said to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and in your sight, and am no longer worthy to be called your son’. But the father said to his servants, Bring out the best robe and put *it* on him, and put a ring on his hand and sandals on *his* feet. And bring the fatted calf here and kill *it*, and let us eat and be merry.” Luke 15:17-23

The Invitation to Discipleship

“I Surrender All”

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Benediction

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

The Postlude

“God of Our Fathers” arr. Phil Lehenbauer

Mrs. La Faye Duren, Organist

*** Please Stand**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYMPATHY TO: Mrs. Jacqueline and Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson, Sr. in the loss of Mrs. Jemerson's aunt **Mrs. Annie S. Williams.** The Service for Mrs. Williams will be held **June 17, 2025 in Greenville, South Carolina.**

Deacon Dr. Charles and Trustee Dr. Marie Thurston, Mrs. Gertrude Snell, and Dr. Renee Thurston Moore in the loss of their brother-in-law and uncle **Mr. Quinton Lynch.** The service for Mr. Lynch will be held **June 20, 2025 in Dumfries, Virginia.**

Mrs. Roselin Mitchell, Miss Lakisha Fleming, Mrs. Shoneka and Larry Smith in the loss of their loved one **Miss Kiante Ageous.** The service for Miss Ageous will be held **June 21, 2025 at 11:00 A.M., Tree Mount Temple Church, 6035 FM 78, San Antonio, Texas 78219.**

THANK YOU: Wheatley Olson sends: "To Pastor Jemerson and my Second Baptist Church Family, thank you so much, God knew the best way to express His love to me, and He did it through you. I am so grateful for the graduation love gift."

Nalaniya Wilson sends: "I am grateful to Second Baptist Church for awarding me the Deacon Robert A Carter Scholarship. This scholarship will be a tremendous help in supporting my college journey. It is a privilege to receive this award, as I fondly remember Deacon Carter's kind and encouraging words from my childhood. Thank You."

The Alter Dementia Program Committee reminds the Chairs of the Deacon, Trustee, Usher Boards and Chair of Ministers, Deacons, and Trustee Auxiliary (MDTA) of the upcoming Dementia Trainings scheduled June 17-18, 2025. The names of individuals attending should include current contact information and be submitted to Dr. Lark Ford. For any questions, please contact Dr. Ford at 210-544-1535 or email: fordlark653@gmail.com

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO MEMBERS CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

June 15 Mrs. Anna Galimore, Mrs. Jennifer Martin **June 16** Mrs. Diane Hunt **June 17** Torie Williams, Mr. Rodney Perkins **June 19** Mr. Isaac Hodges **June 20** Dr. Renee Moore, Mr. Brandon Blair **June 21** Mrs. Corine Pollard

DEACON OF THE WEEK June 15-21, 2025

The Deacon of the Week is **Deacon Bruce Scott.** Members may call the Deacon of the Week or the Pastor at (210) 227-2605 to express concerns or encouragement. **Deacon Scott** can be reached at **(210) 316-7315**

MIDWEEK WORSHIP SERVICE

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

Church Family Dinner 6:00 P.M. - Bible Study 6:30 P.M. Fellowship Hall

Youth Bible Study 6:30 P.M. Taylor, Bland Burns Choir Room

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH COMMUNITY CENTER'S SCHEDULE



June 15-28, 2025

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

ALTER Dementia Support Workshop
Dr. Thurston Classroom
8:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

ALTER Dementia Support Workshop
Dr. Thurston Classroom
8:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Saturday, June 21, 2025

Bible Study
Dr. Thurston Classroom
7:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.

Friday, June 27, 2025

Fort Sam Houston Family Activity Day
7:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Gym

Saturday, June 28, 2025

Baby Shower
3:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.
Agape Room

Sunday, June 29, 2025

Banquet
4:00 P.M. – 10:00 P.M.
Agape Room

Second Baptist Church Summer Day Camp 2025 Friends, Faith, & Fun!!!



**July 7 - August 8, 2025
Monday-Friday
8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.**

***Bible Class
*Computer Class
*Bowling,
Basketball,
Skating
*Art**

**BREAKFAST
LUNCH
SNACK**

**\$5.00 PER WEEK
PER CHILD
\$10.00 PER WEEK
PER FAMILY**

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Second Baptist Church Day Camp Registration

Child's Name _____

Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____

Parents' Name _____

Contact Phone Number _____

Email _____

Emergency Contact _____

Phone Number _____

Do you give permission for anyone else to pick up
your child? If so, please provide name:

Does your child have any allergies or other medical
condition(s)? _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

“SERMON NOTES”

Who were the Main Characters?

Why and where is this Text in the Bible?

What other Scriptures were mentioned and what were the main points?

What were the meanings of the illustrations?

How did the Message affect your spiritual and moral life? _____

Suggested Sermon Scriptures _____

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