

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 22, 2025
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

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 “I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, *that* I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live.”

Deuteronomy 30:19

The Prelude “Come, Christians Join and Sing” arr. Thallander

Mrs. La Faye Duren, Organist

The Call To Worship and the Invocation

Rev. Dawaren Ennis

WORSHIP IN PRAISE

***The Opening Hymn of Praise** “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, Leaning on the everlasting arms; what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, Leaning on the everlasting arms. **Refrain: Leaning, leaning, Safe and secure from all alarms; leaning, Leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.**

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, Leaning on the everlasting arms; O how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms. **Refrain:**

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, Leaning on the everlasting arms? I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, Leaning on the everlasting arms. **Refrain:**

***The Responsive Reading**

Psalm 148: 1-14

Rev. Cornell Evans

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise the LORD from the heavens; Praise Him in the heights! Praise Him, all His angels; Praise Him, all His hosts! Praise Him, sun and moon; Praise Him, all you stars of light! Praise Him, you heavens of heavens, And you waters above the heavens! Let them praise the name of the LORD, For He commanded and they were created. He also established them forever and ever; He made a decree which shall not pass away. Praise the LORD from the earth, You great sea creatures and all the depths.

People: Fire and hail, snow and clouds; Stormy wind, fulfilling His word; Mountains and all hills; Fruitful trees and all cedars; Beasts and all cattle; Creeping things and flying fowl; Kings of the earth and all peoples; Princes and all judges of the earth; Both young men and maidens; Old men and children. Let them praise the name of the LORD, For His name alone is exalted; His glory *is* above the earth and heaven. And He has exalted the horn of His people, The praise of all His saints—Of the children of Israel, A people near to Him.

***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

Mr. Maurice Bridges

WORSHIP IN MEDITATION

The Morning Prayer

Rev. Keith Jackson

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Offertory Sentence and Prayer Rev. Keith Jackson - Music “We’ve Come This Far by This Faith”

***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

“Flow To You”

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Sermon

“Whose Side Are You On?”

Rev. Angela Jackson

The Text: “And if it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.” Joshua 24: 15

The Invitation to Discipleship

“Foot of the Cross”

The Voices of Second Baptist Church

The Benediction

Rev. Keith Jackson

The Postlude

“To God be the Glory” arr. Gene Roberson

Mrs. La Faye Duren, Organist

*** Please Stand**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYMPATHY TO: Mr. Richard Bell, Mr. Darell Bell, and Mr. Jordan Bell in the loss of their brother and uncle **Mr. Preston Bell**. The service for Mr. Bell will be held **Thursday, June 26, 2025 at 11:00 A.M., Agape Church, 14303 Judson Rd, San Antonio, TX 78233.**

THANK YOU: The Family of Mrs. Joyce Shields-Standford sends: “To Second Baptist Church, thank you all for the prayers, kindness, and support you have shown us in many ways. Your expression of love gave us the greatest comfort in the midst of sorrow.”

Mrs. Connie Jackson sends: “The family of the late Mrs. Juanita Frazier and Mrs. Ernestine Washington extend our thanks to my Pastor Rev. Dr. Robert L. Jemerson and Second Baptist Church for the expression of love, the beautiful resolution, floral arrangements, cards, prayer, and support in the passing of my sisters.”

WE ARE PRAYING FOR YOUR HEALING

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO MEMBERS CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

June 22 Mrs. Mattie Shields, Mrs. Perdithia Pearre, Ronald Washington, III **June 24** Mrs. Helen Embry, Miss D'Onna Matthews, Mr. Devrin Thompson, Miss Naisha Jefferson, Rev. Keith Jackson, Amani Williams **June 25** Mrs. Rita Hemphill **June 26** Miss June Locke **June 28** Miss Rhonda Roebuck

DEACON OF THE WEEK June 22-28, 2025

The Deacon of the Week is **Deacon James Shelton**. Members may call the Deacon of the Week or the Pastor at (210) 227-2605 to express concerns or encouragement. **Deacon Shelton** can be reached at **(210) 499-0402**.

MIDWEEK WORSHIP SERVICE

Wednesday, June 25, 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 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 _____



HEAT RESOURCE FAIR

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2025 | 4:00PM - 7:00PM

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH COMMUNITY CENTER - 3310 E. COMMERCE



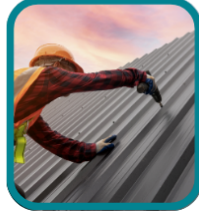
COOL NEIGHBORHOODS

PROGRAM

Heat is on the rise, and San Antonio is only getting hotter. A research study by the University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA) found that three parts of the city (Districts 2, 3, and 5) are some of the hottest districts in our City. **The Cool Neighborhoods Program** is taking action to fight the heat in four neighborhoods, with projects like cool roofs, cool pavement, more shade and trees to make these neighborhoods cooler.



Weatherization



Cool Roofs



Trees



Shade Structures



Cool Pavement

Take ACTION NOW!

We are seeking households who are interested in participating in the **Cool Neighborhoods Program**.

Learn more about the **Cool Neighborhoods Program** and services from the City of San Antonio.

See if your home is eligible for these City programs and services!

*2025 Programs are subject to availability and capacity.



SCAN THE QR CODE TO GET STARTED TODAY!



Follow our progress!



Learn more about Urban Heat Island and our other climate planning initiatives: SaClimateReady.org



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