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<u><i>Class of 2026</i></u>	<u><i>Class of 2027</i></u>	<u><i>Class of 2028</i></u>
<i>Maggie Stewart</i>	<i>Ephram Curry</i>	<i>Nancy Scott</i>
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	<i>Susan Small</i>	
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	<i>Terrence Haywood</i>	
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<u><i>Class of 2026</i></u>	<u><i>Class of 2027</i></u>	<u><i>Class of 2028</i></u>
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Second Sunday

***October 12, 2025
11:00 A.M.***

*Lay Leader: John Matthews Worship Leader: Susan Small
Pianist: Paul Settles Drums: Ben Wilkinson
Percussion: Sam Jones Joe Rivers: Bass*

LET'S SING *Come on and Bless the Lord with Me*
WELCOME **Pastor**

COMMUNITY NEWS, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS **Lay Leader**

+COME & WORSHIP *Isaiah 40:25-26a, 28*

Leader: "To whom will you compare me? Or who is my equal?" Say the Holy One.

People: "Lift your eyes and look to the heavens: Who created all these?

Leader: Do you not know? Have you not heard?

People: The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth.

Leader: He will not grow tired or weary, and His understanding no one can fathom.

People: Praise the Lord!

WORSHIP IN SONG *Hymn No. 43*
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

+ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GOSPEL **Pastor**

+ LET US PRAY *(Confession) (Unison)* **Lay Leader**

Creator God, we confess that we often take for granted the provision You have made for us and the many gifts You give us. Then, when something doesn't go the way we want it to, we complain about it or worry. Forgive us, Lord, when our perspective is too small or our faith is weak. We believe that You are Lord of all, awesome in power, full of lovingkindness and thoroughly trustworthy. Help us in our unbelief and guide us in the way everlasting. *

+LISTEN TO THE BIBLE'S PROMISE **Pastor**
(Assurance of Forgiveness) **Amen**

PASSING OF THE PEACE **Pastor**

WORSHIP IN SONG
Holy, Holy, Holy
More Than Anything

PASTORAL PRAYER **Pastor**

MOMENT FOR MISSIONS **Susan Small**
Operation Christmas Child

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS **Lay Leader**

GRATEFUL GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Text and online giving available. See the website for information.

OFFERTORY **Praise Band**

OFFERTORY RESPONSE *Doxology*

+PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING **Lay Leader**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH
(Children ages 4 & 5 and grades 1st-5th are dismissed to class)

+SCRIPTURE READING
If you are able, please stand for the reading of the Word of God.

1 Samuel 22:1-4, 23:1-14

Reader: *The Word of the Lord*
Response: *Thanks be to God*

+SERMON **Pastor Cyril Jermin**
"The Paranoid Para-King"

MOMENT OF REFLECTION/CALL TO COMMITMENT

WORSHIP IN SONG *Hymn No. 313*
My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

BENEDICTION **People: Amen**

POSTLUDE

WHEN THE GATHERING ENDS, THE SERVICE BEGINS.
GO IN PEACE, TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD.
Hymn= Hymns for the Living Church.

+ No entry at this time * Prayer by Susan Small

COME ON AND BLESS THE LORD WITH ME

Verse 1

Come on and bless the Lord with me.
Come on and bless the Lord with me.
Come on and bless the Lord with me.
Come on and bless the Lord with me.

Chorus:

Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah.

Verse 2

Come on and clap your hands with me...

Chorus

Verse 3

Come on and dance before the Lord...

Chorus

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PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

Hymn No. 43

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near,
Join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth;
Shelter thee under His wings, yea so gently sustaineth!
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
If with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him.
Let the Amen sound from His people again;
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

Joachim Neander

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Holy, Holy, Holy!
Holy, Holy, Holy!
Holy is the Lord
God Almighty!
Worthy to receive glory!
Worthy to receive honor!
Worthy to receive
All our praise today! (Repeat)

Praise Him!
Praise Him and lift Him up!
Praise Him!
Exalt His name forever!

Bishop Gary Oliver

MORE THAN ANYTHING

Verse:

I lift my hands in total adoration unto you.
You reign upon the throne,
For you are God and God alone.
Because of you my cloudy days are gone,
I can sing to you this song.
I just want to say that I
Love you more than anything.

Chorus:

I love you, Jesus.
I worship and adore you.
Just want to tell you,
Lord, I love you more than anything.

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

Hymn No. 313

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain:

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
All other ground is sinking sand;
All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness veils His lovely face,
I rest on His unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil. [Refrain]

His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood;
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my hope and stay. [Refrain]

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in Him be found:
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne. [Refrain]

Edward Mote