

WELCOME!

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE.

New here? Learn about Third on our website at thirdrva.org and sign up for our ministry emails at thirdrva.org/signup. Looking to get plugged in and find community? Find a parish group meeting near you at thirdrva.org/parish-life.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP | FROM PSALM 145

- › Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise;
his greatness no one can fathom.
- » **One generation commends your work to another;
they tell of your mighty acts.**
- › They speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty—
and I will meditate on your wonderful works.
- » **They celebrate your abundant goodness
and joyfully sing of your righteousness.**
- › The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love.
- » **Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever.**

PRAYER OF ADORATION

"ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME" 601

"ALL WHO ARE THIRSTY"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION | ISAIAH 55

- › Seek the LORD while he may be found;
call upon him while he is near;
let the wicked forsake their way,
and the unrighteous man their thoughts;
let them return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on them,
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

SILENT CONFESSION

WORDS OF COMFORT AND ASSURANCE

- › God the Creator brings you new life, forgives and redeems you.
Take hold of this forgiveness,
and live your life in the Spirit of Jesus.
- » **Amen.**

GREETING OF PEACE

OUR OFFERINGS | FROM 1 CHRONICLES 29:14

- › Lord, who are we that we are able to give so generously?
- » **For all things come from you and what we now offer is already yours.**

INTERVIEW WITH MISSION PARTNER JOSEPH KISHORE

“MY SHEPHERD WILL SUPPLY MY NEED” (WILBERG)

My Shepherd will supply my need; Jehovah is his name.
In pastures fresh he makes me feed beside the living stream.
He brings my wandering spirit back when I forsake his ways,
And leads me for his mercy's sake in paths of truth and grace.

When I walk through the shades of death, thy presence is my stay;
One word of thy supporting breath drives all my fears away.
Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my table spread;
My cup with blessings overflows, thine oil anoints my head.

The sure provisions of my God attend me all my days;
O may thy house be mine abode and all my work be praise!
There would I find a settled rest while others go and come.
No more a stranger, nor a guest, but like a child at home.

DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE READING | ISAIAH 25:6-9; 55:1-3

SERMON | “TASTE & SEE: GOD’S GENEROSITY” (RICK HUTTON)

Our lead pastor Corey Widmer is currently on an extended summer break for rest and study. We are excited to hear from many different preachers this summer until Corey's return on August 9.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

After each prayer, we'll respond together.

- › Lord, hear our prayer.
- » **You make all things new.**
- » **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 for ever. Amen.**

"FATHER, LET YOUR KINGDOM COME"

COMMISSION AND BENEDICTION | FROM EPHESIANS 2:8-10

- › For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast.
- » **For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.**

POSTLUDE

THE TEN O’CLOCK HOUR

Visit the **Prayer Room (200)** or **Quiet Room (226)** upstairs, visit our Sunday school class in the Fellowship Hall, or come to our Welcome Coffee in the Parlor.

Discover & Trust: Intergenerational Sunday School Class

This summer, we’re offering a unique intergenerational Sunday school class exploring God’s word for our daily lives. All ages are welcome as we engage in group reading and reflection.

FELLOWSHIP HALL

Welcome Coffee

If you're new to Third, this is the best way to meet a few people, learn about Third and what we believe, and find next steps on how to get involved.

PARLOR

FOR THE KIDS

Each Sunday we offer childcare during our worship services for infants through Kindergarten. During this summer’s Discover & Trust class, all children first grade and up are invited to attend Sunday school with their parents in the Fellowship Hall, while 3-year-olds – Kindergarten will have a special class in Room 223.

Infants (up to 12 months or steady walkers)	102
Toddlers	107
2-year-olds (as of 9/30/2021)	103
3-year-olds (as of 9/30/2021) – Kindergarten.	223

PRAYER NEEDS

FOR OUR MISSION PARTNERS

Please be praying for Joseph Kishore working in India as he plants churches, ministers through a mission hospital, and proclaims the gospel through television programming and in-person evangelism.

FOR OUR CITY

Please be praying for the governments and governing bodies of metropolitan Richmond: for the supervisors of Chesterfield County, the county administrators, and all county employees.

FOR HEALTH

Cat Ramsey, Betty Fisher, Elizabeth Flanary, Joe Slay, Stan Smith, Mary Ann Hancock, Gretchen Gravely, Al Foster, Jerry Dearmon, Beatrice White, Evi Burgin, Linda Ludlow, Susan Higgins, Elaine Turner, Stephanie Brooks, Christie Geraty

FOR THOSE GRIEVING LOSS

Ron Klipp (brother, 6/27); George Adams (father, 5/22); Patrick Wallace (brother, 5/21); Sarah Dugal (father, 4/13); Judy Boland (sister, 4/6); Amy Ziegler (mother, Loma Shafer, 3/14); Kathy White (sister, 3/14); Lynne Hildebrand (mother, 3/5); Kevin and Christie Geraty (son, Liam, 2/24); Bob McCray (sister, 2/15); Alex Bruce (father, 2/14); Melanie Frazier (husband, Taylor, 2/13); Cathy Tullidge (father, 2/5); Stephanie and Linda Buttner (father and husband, Garry, 2/3)

BIRTHS & ADOPTIONS

Noah Bocchietti Muangala 5/31
Uriah Sadakan 5/17
Stella Berkley Seibert 5/13
William Reed Mullins 4/30
Cecilia Diane Morrissett 4/16
Harrison Maxwell Stehle 3/4
Niko Vinson 2/16

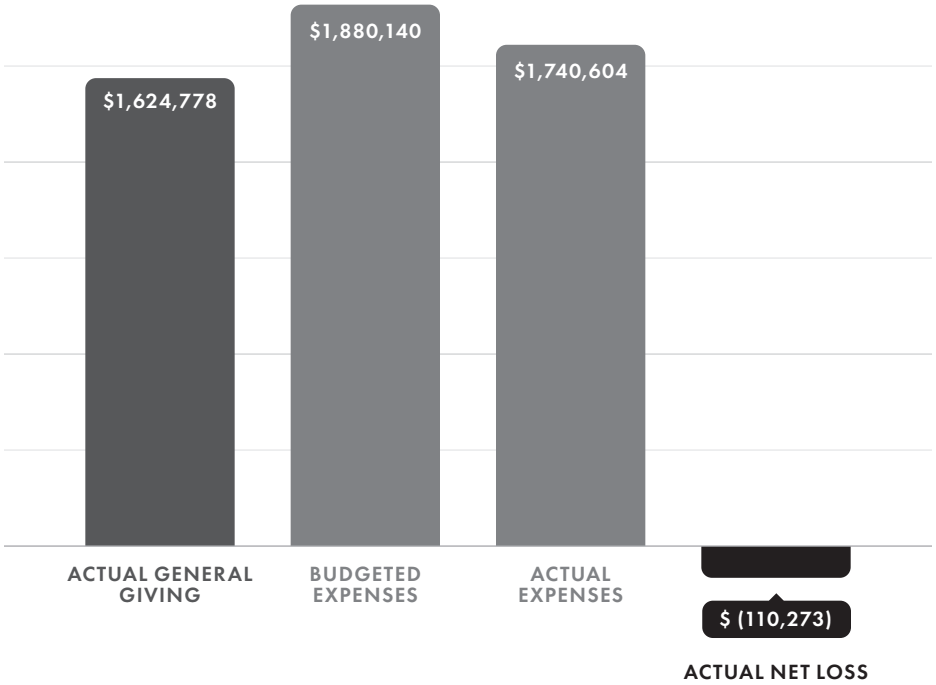
DEATHS

Betty Thomas 4/5
Loma Shafer 3/14
Liam Geraty 2/24
Taylor Frazier 2/13
Garry Buttner 2/3
Jinny Bartlett 1/8

BUDGET UPDATE

We will regularly share in our bulletin a look at our year-to-date budget and giving. We strive to be transparent with you, our congregation, in our finances and want to keep you fully informed on how the year is going.

THIRD CHURCH 2022 YEAR-TO-DATE FINANCIALS



Just a reminder that our budget this year is an **expense budget**, and it is higher than the amount of total giving that came in last year. Therefore, we are trusting God and encourage you to continue to give generously and sacrificially!

NOTES



