



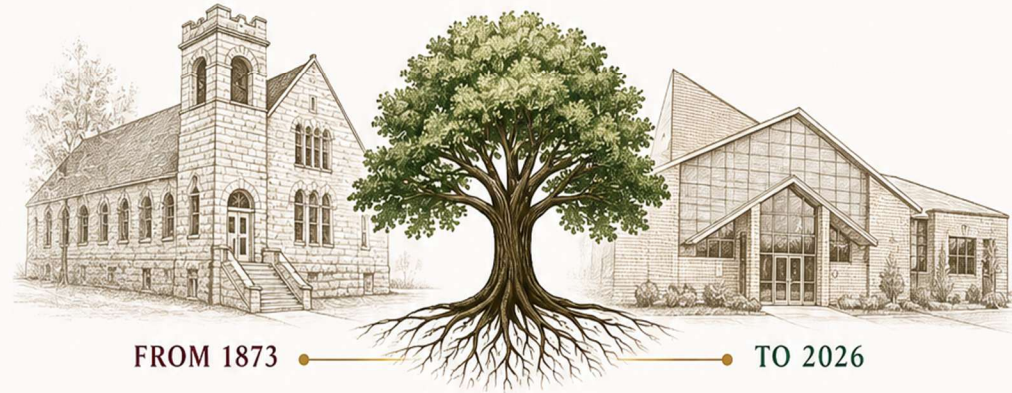
Second Baptist Church
Connecting People to Jesus

919 6th Avenue, Rock Island, IL 61201

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2026

153RD Church ANNIVERSARY

ROOTED IN THE PAST,
Growing in the Future



FROM 1873 • TO 2026

One generation will commend your works to another;
they will tell of your mighty acts.

– PSALM 145:4

CHURCH INFORMATION

Pastor: Rev. Joseph D. Williamson, III
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Church Office Business Hours: Monday –Thursday 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Friday 8 a.m.-Noon

Deacon on Call – August 23 – 26 – Stevan Lomas

Deaconess for August – Linda Scales & Cathy Lomas

Mistress of Ceremony

Rasheda Jamison

Praise and Worship.....

Devotion & Prayer.....Deacon Ramar Scales

Call to Worship

Michelle Rose

Leader: For 153 years, God's love has sustained this house. For 153 years, His mercy has greeted each new morning.

Congregation: We enter these doors with thanksgiving in our hearts. We look back with gratitude and praise the Lord for His faithfulness.

Leader: We have prayed in this place, sung of His grace, and shared His light.

Congregation: We honor the faithful who walked before us and built upon the Rock. Their legacy is our heritage, and God's truth remains our guide.

All: Today ,we celebrate the milestone of 153 years as the body of Christ. With joyful shouts and glad hearts, we praise His holy name! Let everything that has breath worship the Lord.

Offering Litany

Pati Finch

Leader: Give and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together,

Congregation: and running over, shall men give into your bosom.

All: For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.

(Offering)

Special Presentation

Informal Moments/Operation Andrew

Rev. Carmen Ausborn

Altar Call..... Rasheda Jamison

Introduction of the Speaker

Musical Selection

Speaker of the Hour

Rev. John Horton, Macedonia Baptist Church

East St. Louis, IL

Invitation to Discipleship / Doors of the Church

Final Comments

Benediction.....