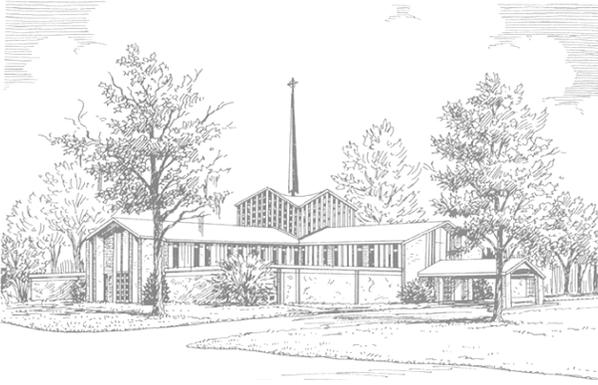


# ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



January 16, 2022

10:30AM

**WELCOME!** What a delight that you are here! We hope you will experience the love of Jesus and the joy of community in this time of worship. If we can be of help to you, please let us know. We would love to assist you in finding ways to get involved and grow in your faith.

## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Please note all text in **bold** is spoken in unison.

† Worshipers are asked to stand in body or spirit.

**PRAYER OF PREPARATION** (You are invited to pray this prayer in silence.)

Jesus, may Your living water flow through our worship and nourish us. Draw us ever closer to You, that our empty vessels may be filled, and that our dry souls may be transformed into fountains of love, life, and joy. Amen.

### PRELUDE

#### LIFE AT ST. ANDREW'S

#### † CALL TO WORSHIP

One: There is joy in this place!

**Many: God's steadfast love extends to everyone.**

One: God reaches out to us all in forgiveness and compassion.

**Many: Thanks be to God for all the wonderful blessings we have received.**

**All: Come, let us celebrate God's joyful love for us!**

#### † HYMN INSERT

*May the Peoples Praise You*

You have called us out of darkest night into Your glorious light  
That we may sing the wonders of the risen Christ.

May our every breath retell the grace that broke into our strife  
With boundless love and deepest joy with endless life.

#### Chorus

May the peoples praise You, Let the nations be glad.  
All Your blessing comes that we may praise, May praise the name of Jesus.

All the earth is Yours and all within, each harvest is Your own.  
And from Your hand we give to You to make Christ known.

May the seeds of mercy grow in us for those who have not heard,  
May songs of praise build lives of grace to spread Your Word. [Chorus]

This our holy priv'lege to declare Your praises and Your name,  
To every nation tribe and tongue Your church proclaim [Chorus]

#### Bridge

Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty, worthy, worthy is the Lamb who was slain.  
Holy, holy is the Lord Almighty, all creation praise Your glorious name.

Chorus x2

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† INVITATION TO CONFESSION

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Heavenly Father, we pray for forgiveness for the times when we have used the gifts of Your Spirit to enhance our own glory rather than using them to serve others; for the times when our use of Your gifts has led to division and discord rather than increasing understanding and unity. Merciful God, forgive any lack of commitment by us to love as Jesus loved and to serve as He served. Fill us anew with the Holy Spirit and as You once transformed water into wine, transform our hearts that we may use our varied gifts to show forth the light of Your love.

† ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!  
**All praise be to God!**

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you all!  
**And also with you.**

TIME FOR CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM READING

Psalm 36:5-10

Pew Bible OT Pg. 510

This is the Word of God for the people of God!  
**Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM

*Here I Am Lord*

LEAVITT

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here am I, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard You calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if You lead me. I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, Give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my words to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will send the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide, 'Til their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 2:1-11

Pew Bible NT Pg. 93

SERMON

Provisions

† HYMN 437

*Our Cities Cry to You, O God*

SALVATION

Our cities cry to You, O God, from out their pain and strife;  
You made us for Yourself alone, but we choose alien life.  
Our goals are pleasure, gold and power; injustice stalks our earth;  
In vain we seek for rest, for joy, for sense of human worth.

Yet still You walk our streets, O Christ! We know Your presence here  
Where humble Christians love and serve in godly grace and fear.  
O Word made flesh, be seen in us! May all we say and do  
Affirm You God Incarnate still and turn sad hearts to You!

Your people are Your hands and feet to serve Your world today,  
Our lives the book our cities read to help them find Your way.  
O pour Your sovereign Spirit out on heart and will and brain:  
Inspire Your church with love and power to ease our cities' pain!

O healing Savior, Prince of Peace, salvation's source and sum,  
For You our broken cities cry: O come, Lord Jesus, come!  
With truth Your royal diadem, with righteousness Your rod,  
O come, Lord Jesus, bring to earth the city of our God!

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, forever. Amen.

### INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

#### [GIVE ONLINE](#)

#### † HYMN 592

#### *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.

#### † PRAYER OF DEDICATION

#### † HYMN 376

#### *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

HYFRYDOL

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven, to earth come down,  
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling, all Thy faithful mercies crown!  
Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love Thou art.  
Visit us with Thy salvation, enter every trembling heart.  
  
Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast!  
Let us all in Thee inherit, let us find the promised rest;  
Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be;  
End of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.  
  
Come, Almighty to deliver, let us all Thy life receive;  
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore Thy temples leave.  
Thee we would be always blessing, serve Thee as Thy hosts above;  
Pray, and praise Thee without ceasing, glory in Thy perfect love.  
  
Finish, then, Thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;  
Let us see Thy great salvation perfectly restored in Thee;  
Changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place,  
Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love and praise.

#### † BENEDICTION

#### † SENDING SONG

#### *Shine, Jesus, Shine*

KENDRICK

Shine, Jesus, shine, Fill this land with the Father's glory,  
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, Set our hearts on fire;  
Flow, river, flow, Flood the nations with Your grace and mercy,  
Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.

## POSTLUDE

The Session believes the best approach to assuring everyone's continued well-being is to encourage face masks on entering, exiting, and moving about. The middle transept is open seating, yet the north and south transepts are still roped to allow for physical distancing if preferred. During the Passing of the Peace, remain in place and greet those around you. **Thanks to each of you for your cooperation.**

- Kitchen: 6 to 8 people at a time. Masks and gloves to be worn. Disinfect all surfaces before leaving. Use disposable cups, plates, and utensils.
- Fellowship Hall: Maximum 12 tables with 6 chairs. Servers to wear gloves. Stage area 3 tables with 6 chairs if needed. Overflow in the breezeway areas.
- Parlor: Maximum 4 tables with 6 chairs.
- Outside food and drink: No buffet or family style. Individual servings or served by gloved volunteers.
- Overall: Hand sanitizer must be provided for all gatherings.

Please use the **CONNECT** cards in the pews to communicate with us about areas of interest, prayer requests, and volunteer opportunities. If you are a **VISITOR**, please include your address, telephone number, email and other information that will help us to get to know you better. Completed cards can be placed in the offering baskets.

We offer **SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES** at 9:15am.

**Discovery Class** for adults meets in the Library. They are studying *If You Want to Walk on Water, You've Got to Get Out of the Boat*.

**Pew Sisters** is for adult women. They meet in room 2 and are studying *How Happiness Happens*.

**Fellowship Class** is for adults. They meet in room 3 and are studying *Jesus: The God Who Knows Your Name*.

**Grace & Men's Class** is for adults. They meet in the Study and are studying *The Present Word*.

**Children's Class** is for PreK-5th grades. They meet in Journey Room 304 and are studying *Dig In: Bible in One Year*.

**MONDAY MORNING GROUP** is studying the Book of Romans. Join us tomorrow at 10am in the Parlor.

If you didn't receive a **Star Gift**, you may pick one up at one of the tables in the sanctuary or in the church office. Allow the Lord to speak to you this year through the word you receive. Feel free to grab an extra to share with a friend, neighbor, or family member.

There will be a **Congregational Meeting** on Sunday, January 23 immediately following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to hold the annual meeting and act on Pastor Tara's terms of call.

Harvest House is holding their **Annual Gala** on January 25 from 5:30 to 8:00pm at the Elegante Ballroom.

We will have a **New Member's Class** on January 30 immediately following worship. If you want to know more about St. Andrew's or are interested in joining the church, this class is for you. Attending does not obligate you to join. Please RSVP using the Connect Card.



**Members:** Pat Richard, Julie Odle, Tammy Markum, Bobbie Wied, Joyce Head, Sara Hope Burnside, Betty Haisten, Susie Champion, Susie Feagin, Esmee Foster, Ruth Jurik, Bill McIlrath, Murray Anderson, Kay Sutton, Barbara & Dalton Abel, Bob Fisher, Mackia & Katrina.

**Friends and Family:** Melvin Hoover, Paul Harborth, Gordon Pate, Mary Ellen Myers, Chris Leblanc, Jack Tarpy, Sterling Smith, Jerry Linn, Bernice Plunkett, Carol Vasil, Thomas Fisher, Melony Roffler, Darrell Lowe, Della & Mark Phillips, Karen Butler, Gary Dry, George Brown, Erin Lenhart, Mary Kennedy, Billie & Brett Taylor, Rev. Wayne Rhodes, Janie Verderame, Rachel Lawrence, Jill Botkin, Cindy Woodland.

## St. Andrew's Calendar

### **Sunday, Jan 16, 2021**

9:15AM Sunday School  
10:30AM Worship  
11:45AM Choir Rehearsal  
11:45AM Deacon's Meeting  
3:00PM Boy Scouts Troop 221  
5:00PM Youth Group

### **Monday, Jan 17, 2021**

10:00AM Monday Morning Group  
6:30PM There's A Solution/AA  
6:30PM La Hacienda Alumni

### **Tuesday, Jan 18, 2021**

5:00PM Finance Team  
5:30PM Strings After School  
6:30PM Session

### **Wednesday, Jan 19, 2021**

9:30AM Dayschool Chapel  
5:30PM Handbell Rehearsal  
5:30PM Board of Trustees

### **Thursday, Jan 20, 2021**

8:30AM MOW Cooks  
10:00AM MOW Delivers  
10:00AM Prayer Team  
6:00PM Golden Triangle Handbell Ensemble Rehearsal

### **Friday, Jan 21, 2021**

OFFICE CLOSED  
6:30PM There's A Solution/AA

### **Sunday, Jan 23, 2021**

9:15AM Sunday School  
10:30AM Worship  
11:45AM Choir Rehearsal  
3:00PM Boy Scouts Troop 221  
5:00PM Youth Group

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**Day School Director**.....Deanna Weitzel  
**Music Director**.....Thomas Furlow  
**Accompanist/Pianist**.....Rachel Clark  
8:30AM to 4:30PM