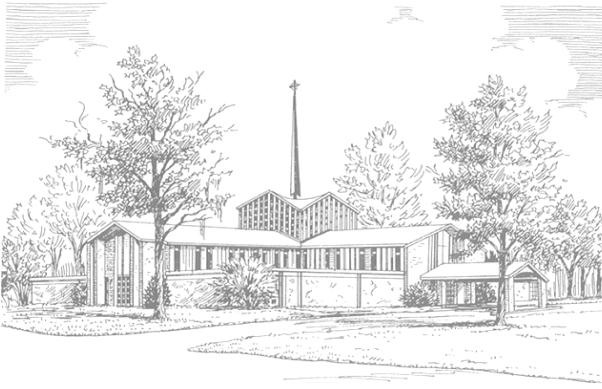


# ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



July 25, 2021

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, if able.

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

Almighty and Loving God, we come to worship today to hear Your good news, to hear of faith, hope, and love ringing out from Your kingdom. Shape us into faithful, hopeful people. Fill us with Your love we pray in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

### PRELUDE

### LIFE AT ST. ANDREW'S

#### †CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Rejoice! For Christ dwells in our hearts!

**Many: We're rooted and grounded in love,**

One: And we're strengthened with power in God's Spirit.

**Many: So we open our hearts to be filled with the fullness of God.**

One: Let's give glory to God here and now.

**Many: Glory be to the One who fills our hearts!**

#### †HYMN 456

*Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun*

MORNING HYMN

Awake, my soul, and with the sun Your daily stage of duty run;  
Shake off dull sloth, and joyful rise To pay Your morning sacrifice.

Lord, I my vows to You renew. Disperse my sins as morning dew;  
Guard my first springs of thought and will, And with Yourself my spirit fill.

Direct, control, suggest, this day, All I design or do or say;  
That all my powers, with all their might, In Your sole glory may unite.

†INVITATION TO CONFESSION

†PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of unity and love, place within each of us a spirit of hope and community. Have mercy upon us when we speak without love or act without humility. Cleanse us with the living water of Your grace. Create in us willing hearts to live in patience and gentleness. Raise us up to be Your children, growing toward maturity in faith and love. Strengthen this church, that we may be a model of ministry and unity for all the world to see. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.**

†ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!  
**Glory 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 145:8-14 Pew Bible NT Pg. 581

SCRIPTURE LESSON Ephesians 3:14-21 Pew Bible NT Pg. 193

SERMON *Go Big!*

†HYMN STF 2223 *They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love* ST. BRENDAN'S

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,  
we are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,  
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand  
We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand  
And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land:  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will work with each other, we will work side by side,  
we will work with each other, we will work side by side,  
and we'll guard human dignity and save human pride:  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God's only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one:  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

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 435

*We All Are One in Mission*

WALDVOGELEIN

We all are one in mission, We all are one in call,  
Our varied gifts united By Christ, the Lord of all.  
A single, great commission Compels us from above  
To plan and work together That all may know Christ's love.

We all are called for service To witness in God's name;  
Our ministries are different, Our purpose is the same:  
To touch the lives of others By God's surprising grace  
So every folk and nation May feel God's warm embrace.

Now let us be united And let our song be heard.  
Now let us be a vessel For God's redeeming word.  
We all are one in mission, We all are one in call,  
Our varied gifts united By Christ, the Lord of all.

#### †BENEDICTION

#### †SENDING SONG

*My Country, 'Tis of Thee*

Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty, To Thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright With freedom's holy light;  
Protect us by Thy might, Great God, our King.

#### †POSTLUDE

The Session voted to observe the following safety guidelines at this time. **THANKS** to each of you for your cooperation.

- During the Passing of the Peace, remain in place and greet those around you.
- 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. No buffet. 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.

**FACEMASKS OPTIONAL!** We have been monitoring the daily decline of new cases and the availability of vaccinations. The Session believes a gradual relaxing of our COVID restrictions is the best approach to assuring everyone's continued well-being. Face masks are now optional, but all other COVID protocols remain in effect.

**CHILDREN'S BULLETINS** are available at the sanctuary entrance tables.

**CHOIR REHEARSALS** will resume after the service on Sunday, August 1.



**ALL VOLUNTEERS** working with our children and youth are invited for lunch on Sunday, August 8 following worship to complete the required safe church training. During this training we will review best practices for ensuring the safety of our young people and update required background checks. We will also introduce you to the new curriculum being used in our children and youth programs. Please RSVP to the church office by August 2.



**KICK-OFF SUNDAY** is on Sunday, August 15! We will kick-off the new program year with a pancake breakfast at 9am & the Blessing of the Backpacks in the worship service at 10:30am.

**SOME SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES** are meeting again.

**The Bible Discovery Class** is studying *Being a Presbyterian in the Bible Belt*. This class meets upstairs in the library every Sunday morning and is open to men & women of all ages.

**Pew Sisters**, a women's study group, is diving into *Cast of Characters* from the writings of bestselling author Max Lucado. They meet upstairs above the offices.

**MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** is back. Join us tomorrow at 10am in the Parlor as we go through the study *Psalms: Prayers of the Heart*.



**Members:** Family of Nancy Landolt, Family of Pat Richard (loss of her sister, Doris Byerly), Bobby Thompson, Murray Anderson, Tammy Markum, Kay Sutton, Dalton Abel, Bill McIlrath, Bob Fisher, Rev. Wayne Rhodes, Mackia & Katrina, Mary Collier, Dean Lovejoy, Thomas Fisher and Bryan Rao.

**Friends and Family:** Wanda Hogge, Oli Smith, Frank Adams, Karen Butler, Cheryl Bryan, Malim Sue Spivey, Gary Dry, George Brown, Buzz Bailey, Glenn Helterbran, Shauntaryle & Zach, Erin Lenhart, Mary Kennedy, Billie & Brett Taylor, Jean & Ron Williamson, Courtney Glover, Weston Sitton, Janie Verderame, Rachel Lawrence, Evan Johnson, Jill Botkin, Phil Storms, Shawn Kennedy & Lorry, Bill McKeon, Cheryl Bryan, Jennifer Patton, Cindy Woodland, Bob Janecek and Canyon Cassidy.

## St. Andrew's Calendar

### Sunday, July 25, 2021

10:30AM Worship

### Monday, July 26, 2021

10:00AM Monday Morning  
Bible Study

6:30PM There's A Solution/AA

6:30PM La Hacienda Alumni

### Tuesday, July 27, 2021

10:00AM PW Bible Study

### Thursday, July 29, 2021

8:30AM MOW Cooks

10:00AM MOW Delivers

10:00AM Prayer Team

### Friday, July 30, 2021

~ OFFICE CLOSED ~

6:30PM There's A Solution/AA

### Sunday, Aug 1, 2021

10:30AM Worship

12:00PM Choir Rehearsal

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**Director of Music Ministry**.....Thomas Furlow

**Accompanist/Pianist**.....Rachel Clark

8:30AM to 4:30PM