



SAINT ANDREW

Presbyterian Church

Following Christ – Serving in Love
Engaging the World

Morning Worship
March 1, 2020



WELCOME VISITORS

If you are seeking a Church home, we are always delighted to welcome new members into the Saint Andrew fellowship. If you desire more information about Saint Andrew, please indicate on the friendship pad or speak to the minister after the service

“Accept one another just as Christ accepted you.” (Romans 15:7)
*Please enter the Sanctuary quietly to prepare for worship. Today’s
 Scripture readings and hymns are recommended for your silent
 meditation and prayer.*

Soli Deo Gloria

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register. If you are the last person on your row, please tear out the sheet after everyone has signed and place the sheet in the offering plate.)

Silent Prayer before Worship

PRELUDE

*HYMN #6 This is My Father's World

*Invitation to Worship from Psalm 9

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart; I will recount all your wonderful deeds.

I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.

The Lord is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.
*And those who know your name put their trust in you, for you, O Lord,
have not forsaken those who seek you.*

*OPENING PRAYER

Elder Anne Iverson

*GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen. Amen.**

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

CALL TO CONFESSION

If we say we're not sinners, we are fooling no one but ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive us our sins, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Let us make confession

Moment for Personal Confession

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed: by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with all our heart and mind and strength, and have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, transform what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE of FORGIVENESS

Hear the Good News! The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting, and as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you and I are forgiven.

*HYMN #77

Be Still My Soul

MOMENT for SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS of THE PEOPLE with the LORD'S PRAYER (Spoken)

ANTHEM

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Lay Reader: Cindy Lesniewski

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalms 103: 13-14 (p. 502)

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Matthew 6: 9-13 (p. 811)

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON Daddy Issues

RESPONDING TO GOD

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

(We share at the Lord's Table by intinction – dipping the bread in the cup. Please come forward to participate. If you wish to be served where you are seated, please inform one of the Elders. Gluten-free bread is arranged in the center of the plate. All baptized persons who seek to be faithful followers of Jesus Christ are welcome to partake.)

GATHERING THE PEOPLES' OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*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**

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Question 1 from the Heidelberg Catechism**

Q: What is your only comfort, in life and in death?

A: That I belong, body and soul, in life and in death, not to myself but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of His own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

GOING WITH GOD INTO THE WORLD

***THE CHARGE**

from Micah 6

He has showed you what is good, and what does the Lord require of you?

To do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God.

***HYMN #67**

Blessed Assurance

***BENEDICTION**

* All who are able, please stand

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Our Homebound Members: Evelyn Scudder, June Johnson, Ann Heaney, Bob Wilson, Joyce Howe, Alice Redmon, Al L'Heureux, John Stillwell, Martha Deason, Duane Seaborn, George Dunaway, Barbara Rinker

Members and Friends: Louise Taylor, Marva Ellison, Bobbie Auld, Tracy and Brian Leopard, Glynn Moore, Dorothy and Frank Heckendorn, Renewal in the Church, Liddy Lofton, Becky Ryals, Charlie Wier, Jr., Marilyn Gasque, Brian Hatcher, Mary Chamberlain, Deborah Howell, Carolyn Jones, Midge Davis, Connie Hevner, Scott Redmon, Judy Shurtleff, Sue Bradley Moss, Kelly Shay, Tabitha Dixon, Mike Hall, Alan Hodges, Mellie Gilbert, Cathy Bohannon, family of Marian McKeown, Lee Hammett and Family, Carolyn Lee, Charles Riska, Jete McCutcheon, Helen Shiver, Marie Edwards, Tommy Ackermann, Michelle Hetherington and Family, victims of violence, those who have lost loved ones to suicide, the Persecuted Church, those serving in our armed forces, and those who do not yet know Jesus

Catechism Question of the Week

Q 14 Did God create us unable to keep his law?

No, but because of the disobedience of our first parents, Adam and Eve, all of creation is fallen; we are all born in sin and guilt, corrupt in our nature and unable to keep God's law.

(Adapted by Timothy Keller and Sam Shammas from the Reformation catechisms. Copyright © 2012 by Redeemer Presbyterian Church)

THIS WEEK AT SAINT ANDREW
March 1- March7

Today 9:15 am Sunday School
 10:15 am Coffee & Fellowship
 10:45 am Morning Worship with Communion

Monday 11:30 am Chapel (Thrive of Augusta)

Tuesday 11:30 am Chapel Study (Harrington Park)
 2:00 pm Knitting Circle

Wednesday 11:30 am Prayer Gathering in the Sanctuary
 12:00 pm Brown Bag Bible Study
 6:00 pm Brown Bag Bible Study
 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday 11:00 am Memorial Service for Louis Cook
 7:00 pm Prayer Group (Kershner home)

Lay Readers this month: Cindy Lesniewski

Offering Collectors this month: Mary Dickens

James Bulmer

Greeter this month: Pete and Michelle Hetherington

Door Keeper this month: Keil Alderson

Attendance Last Week: 66

GAP ITEMS OF THE MONTH
INSTANT COFFEE AND TEA

Please place items in the decorated container in the parlor, remembering that if you forget to bring an item, you are welcome to contribute cash or checks (made payable to GAP Ministries).

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Sunday School 9:15 am

Sunday Morning Fellowship 10:15 am

Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 am

Wednesday Evening Bible Study 6 pm