



# SAINT ANDREW

Presbyterian Church

Following Christ – Serving in Love  
Engaging the World

**Morning Worship**  
**August 9, 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 contact us at [office@standrewpc.com](mailto:office@standrewpc.com)

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

*Soli Deo Gloria*

## PRELUDE

Allein Gott in der Hoh’ sei Ehr’ (All Glory Be to God on High):

Theme and Variation

James Coe (b. 1953)

## Welcome and Announcements

### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 115

**Not to us, O Lord, not to us, but to your name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and faithfulness!**

**We will bless the Lord from this time forth and forevermore.**

**Praise the Lord!**

### OPENING PRAYER

## HYMN

Holy! Holy! Holy!

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,  
Who wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see;  
Only Thou art holy, there is none beside Thee,  
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

## Prayer of Confession

**O Lord our God, you show us the path, but we stubbornly walk our own way. You reveal to us your law, but we amend it to suit our desires. You offer us divine love and grace, but we prefer the affection and approval of fallen human beings. Forgive us, O God, and melt our cold hearts. Let the fire of the Holy Spirit burn in us again, that we may set the world aflame with the love of Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

## Assurance of Forgiveness

Hear the Good News! *“This is real love – not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.”* (1 John 4:10, NLT) Because of that great love, we know that God’s grace is for real; I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, you and I are forgiven.

Concerns of the Church  
Moment for Silent Prayer

\*Prayers of the People, with 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.**

Anthem                      How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place

Meditation on a Theme from A German Requiem, Op. 45 by Johannes Brahms,  
arr. Marilyn Ham

How lovely is thy dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts! For my soul, it longeth, yea fainteth, for the courts of the Lord: my soul and body crieth out, yea for the living God. Blest are they, that dwell within Thy house: they praise Thy name evermore.  
– Psalm 84, verses 1, 2, 4

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

1 Chronicles 29: 10-11

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Revelations 4:11

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

Message

The Kingdom, The Power, and The Glory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH –

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord,  
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin, Mary,  
Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell;  
The third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
And is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
From there he shall come to judge the living and the dead;  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church;  
The communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;  
The resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide –  
The darkness deepens, Lord with me abide;  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;  
Change and decay in all around I see;  
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need Thy presence every passing hour,  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless,  
Ills have no weight and tears no bitterness;  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes,  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies;  
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee,  
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

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 your God.**

## BENEDICTION

And now may the Lord bless you and keep you; may the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; may the Lord lift his countenance upon you and give you peace, this day, now and forever.

Amen

Postlude

God Be with You Till We Meet Again  
(William B. Tomer)

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Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 am  
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