SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ OLDER ADULT SUNDAY

MAY 5, 2019

10:00 AM



GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

OPENING VOLUNTARY The King of Love My Shepherd Is Setting by Dale Wood

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us sing praises to God, the faithful one.

Let us give thanks to God's holy name.

God's anger is for a moment, God's favor for a lifetime.

Weeping may linger for a night but joy comes with the morning. O Lord our God we give thanks to you forever. Let us worship God.

†Hymn 265

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

DUKE STREET

CONFESSING OUR SIN

As we gather to worship you, O Lord, we remember that we do not al ways appreciate your good gifts. We sometime fail to heed your call. We get too busy following our rules and agendas to stop to hear your voice or see you in the people around us or the world you created. Forgive us, God. Help us turn toward you and away from our own thoughts and directions. Fill us with your spirit. Renew us as your disciples.

Silence is kept for personal prayers of confession.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

†JOYFUL RESPONSE Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks

ALLELUIA NO. 1

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord. Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.

Spread the good news o'er all the earth: Jesus has died and has risen. Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.

†SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Grounded in grace, let us share the peace we have received from Christ with one another and with the world. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

You are invited to greet one another with a sign of peace, saying "The peace of Christ be with you."

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Carol Gordon

PSALM READING Psalm 30 Pew Bible, page 478(OT)

the reader

WELCOME

The service begins with the first note of the Opening Voluntary.

Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.

† When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit, as able.

OPENING VOLUNTARY Today's Opening Voluntary is based on the Irish hymn tune, ST. COLUMBO.

SILENCE

The time of silence allows you to speak or listen to God as you best need this morning.

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Because we have been forgiven in Christ, we can forgive one another. We demonstrate this by sharing Christ's peace with one another.

SCRIPTURE RESPONSE

After each scripture reading the reader will say, "The Word of the Lord." All are invited to respond, "Thanks be to God." **REFLECTIONS** Rev. Camille LeBron Powell

MUSICAL OFFERING

How Great Thou Art

Chancel Choir

Arranged by Craig Courtney

CHILDREN'S LESSON

GOSPEL READING John 21:1-19 Pew Bible, page 109(NT)

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RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

†HYMN 803 My Shepherd Will Supply My Need RESIGNATION

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe that God is present in the darkness before dawn; in the waiting and uncertainty where fear and courage join hands, conflict and caring link arms and the sun rises over barbed wire. We believe in a with-us God who sits down in our midst to share our humanity. We affirm a faith that takes us beyond the safe place: into action, into vulnerability, and into the streets. We commit ourselves to work for change and put ourselves on the line; to bear responsibility, take risks, live powerfully and face humiliation; to stand with those on the edge; choose life, and be used by the Spirit for God's new community of hope.

SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS OF GOD'S CHURCH, COMMUNITY & WORLD

MINUTE FOR MINISTRY

Older Adult and Caregiver Ministry

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Pastorale on "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

†Offertory Response Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow LAST UNS ERFREUEN
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

†Prayer of Dedication

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Prayer of Great Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We give thanks to you, O God...

...We pray all this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray together, saying:

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.

MUSICAL OFFERING

The text from today's musical offering is from Psalm 25:4-8.

M Y SHEPHERD WILL SUPPLY MY NEED

The effectiveness of this beloved paraphrase of Psalm 23 owes much to the flowing shape note melody that serves as a "living stream" to carry the text, which in turn has been given a remarkable clarity and lightness through Isaac Watts' poetic and masterful use of single-syllable words.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

This affirmation comes from *The Iona Abbey Worship Book*, from the Iona Community in Scotland. It was composed by two community members in 2001, following a protest in Faslane.

OFFERTORY

The offertory today is based on the tune BRADBURY by William Bradbury (1816-1868.)

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

In the act of remembering that is the Lord's Supper, we receive and trust the love of Christ present to us and to the world. Through it, we are renewed and empowered to be the church, the body of Christ, in the world.

The invitation to the Lord's Supper is not just for Presbyterians or church members. All who confess Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper. Access to the Table is not a right conferred upon the worthy but a privilege given to the undeserving who come in faith, repentance, and love. Even one who doubts or whose trust is wavering may receive the bread and cup in order to be assured of God's love and grace in Jesus Christ.

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup Communion of the People Prayer after Communion

GOING TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

†HYMN 761

Called as Partners in Christ's Service

BEECHER

†Invitation to Discipleship

†BENEDICTION IN WORDS

BENEDICTION IN MUSIC *Postlude on the hymn tune* LYNGHAM Thomas Jarman Arranged by Roy Brunner

All are invited to the Lord's Table to receive Communion, which will be served in the pews. Gluten Free wafers are on the trays with the bread.

CALLED AS PARTNERS IN CHRIST'S SERVICE

Written by Jane Parker Huber, this hymn is a celebration of mutuality and diversity as well as a challenge to the Christian community to live out a ministry of reconciliation and inclusion. This 20th-century text is set to a 19th-century tune named for the noted pastor and preacher Henry Ward Beecher.

CHURCH STAFF

The Rev. Camille LeBron Powell, Pastor
John McCrosky, Director of Children and Youth Ministries
David Lukens, Director of Music
Edward Weaver, Associate Director of Music and Organist
Pat Baker, Director of Older Adult and Caregiver Ministries
Ann McKinney, Director, St. Andrews School
Gretchen Perkins, Administrative Assistant
Debbie Hutto, Financial Administrator



June 21-27 Calvin Center

Join us as we work and play in the woods



CALENDAR

Sunday, May 5th

9:00 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship 4:00 PM Chancel Bells 5:00 PM Youth Choir 6:00 PM Youth Group/Supper

Monday, May 6th

12:00 PM 39ers 8:00 PM AA/ALAnon

Tuesday, May 7th

Wednesday, May 8th

5:00 PM Little Light 5:45 PM Big Table 7:30 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, May 9th

Friday, May 10th

9:00 AM Church at Prayer 8:00 PM AA/ALAnon

Saturday, May 11th

Sunday, May 12th

9:00 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship 11:15 AM Diaconate Meeting 4:00 PM Chancel Bells 5:00 PM Youth Choir 6:00 PM Youth Group/Supper

Montreat Parent Meeting

PRAYER CONCERNS AND

CELEBRATIONS

If you have a prayer concern, please complete a Prayer Request Card, and place it in the offering plate. Please update the office about any changes in the condition of your loved ones.

Confirmation Class

Drew and Kim Tomberlin, on the death of Kim's Father

Burrelle Meeks on the death of her husband, Earl.

In the Nursing Home, Home Care, or Assisted Living:

Sharon Shenkman-North Decatur HRC, Evelyn Wallace-at home Clyde Wentz-The Phoenix at Tucker Jane Wentz- Autumn Leaves Sue & Bona Puckett-The Phoenix at Tucker Barbara Mattheis-Regency House

WELCOME

We invite you to join St Andrews, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), in ministry and in worship.

Please note your presence in the registry of friendship so that members of our church family may welcome you.

Your presence is a joy for us.

Nursery Care is available in the Education Building, Room 107.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Flowers Today</u> Are given to the glory of God and in honor of the older adults of St. Andrews by Pat Baker.

<u>Special Offering May 12</u> We will join with Presbyterian Churches in Georgia in the Mother's Day Offering for the Presbyterian Homes of GA Caring Hands Fund that provides exceptional care to more than 400 older residents (mostly widows) who have simply outlived their savings as they live their remaining years in peace and dignity.

<u>Bibles for Graduating Seniors</u> Please sign the Bibles and leave our graduating seniors a note of encouragement in the bibles we will give them for their High School Graduation. The Bibles are in the Narthex.

<u>Youth News</u> Join us this evening for Youth Choir at 5:00 and Youth Group/Supper at 6:00. This evening is our Montreat Parent Meeting and the deadline for registration fees.

<u>39ers</u> The 39ers is a group of folks who like to meet and fellowship together. They will meet on Monday, May 6th at Bambinelli's and everyone is welcome to join them. (3202 Northlake Parkway 30345)

<u>Coffee and Tea Orders</u> May 11, 2019 is World Fair Trade Day. Innovative fair trade enterprises provide alternatives with responsible and sustainable production. Join those at St. Andrews who regularly use fair trade products by purchasing coffee and tea through the Presbyterian Coffee Project. Order forms are in the narthex, or contact Mary Evans, 770-493-9489. Please order by May 12.

<u>Dementia 101 Workshop</u> Join us on May 16 in the meeting room from 10 AM-Noon for a workshop about dementia, presented by Jim Fox, Chief Enthusiasm Officer, dementiaATLANTA.

Big Table Mark your calendars and plan to join us on May 1, 8, 15 and 22. Dinner is provided by local restaurants for a cost of \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids age 5-12, and free for kids under 5. Family max for dinner is \$20. Rev. Camille will be teaching the program for adults and there will be exciting things for the kids and youth as well. Contact Merle Westbrook, 678-471-1813 with any questions.

5:45-6:20 Dinner served

6:20-7:30 Fellowship Activity Programs for all ages, childcare for infants and toddlers

Mission Trip Join us for this summer's inter-generational mission trip, June 21-27, at the Calvin Center. Participants, including children who can work under your supervision, will be working on camp repairs and clean up. There will also be time for fellowship and recreational activities. Youth in 6-12th grades may attend without a parent. The cost is \$50/day per person, for lodging and meals. If you come just for the day to work, it is \$7 if you bring your own lunch, and \$15 if you would like lunch provided by the center. Since the Calvin Center is only an hour south of Atlanta, you may choose the days you are able to attend. An online sign-up is on our website. Please contact Josh Price for more information, 770-921-1231.

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