SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER JUNE 2, 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

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Johann C. Kittel

†CALL TO WORSHIP

We come to this place of prayer,

for here we can bring our hopes and dreams, our hidden fears and the doubts we dare wear on our sleeves.

We come to this place of grace,

for here we learn compassion and joy, and discover how deeply we are loved.

We come with these people called the church,

to be blessed by the variety of gifts, to live as one for our God.

†HYMN 49

The God of Abraham Praise

LEONI

CONFESSING OUR SIN

Enslaved to sin, we cannot see the lives we lead, God of Glory. Each day, and every day, there are those times when we ignore you and your dreams for us. Each week, and every week, we find the time to ridicule others, when we could have affirmed them. Each moment, and every moment, though we do not want to admit it, we seek our own way rather than skipping down your path of joy and obedience.

We come asking forgiveness for our foolish lives, Eternal Blessing. Deliver us, and break the chains of sin and death which hold us captive. Open us to that grace you offer, and give us the gift of the Spirit so we may live as people of the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ.

Silence is kept for personal prayers of confession.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

†JOYFUL RESPONSE Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!

DARWALL'S 148TH

Come sing, O church, in Joy! Come join, O church, in song!

For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long!

In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

†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."

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 Reference Hymn #275

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.

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Tom Evans

PSALM READING Psalm 97 Pew Bible, page 521(OT)

MUSICAL OFFERING We Are One in Christ James Chepponis

CHILDREN'S LESSON

GOSPEL READING John 17:20-26 Pew Bible, page 105(NT)

SERMON A Prayer for Us Rev. Camille LeBron Powell

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

†HYMN 450 Be Thou My Vision SLANE

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

MINUTE FOR MINISTRY

Pentecost Offering

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Liturgical Prelude No. 2 George Oldroyd

†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.

Breaking of the Bread and Pouring of the Cup

Communion of the People

Prayer after Communion

SCRIPTURE RESPONSE

After each scripture reading the reader will say, "The Word of the Lord." All are invited to respond, "Thanks be to God."

MUSICAL OFFERING

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

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.

All are invited to the Lord's Table to receive Communion, which is served by intinction today. Congregants proceed via the center aisle to receive the bread (both gluten-free and regular bread are available at the center station), which they then dip into the chalice of nonalcoholic grape juice. Worshipers return to their pews by the side aisles.

GOING TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

†HYMN 361 O Christ, the Great Foundation

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†INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

†BENEDICTION IN WORDS

BENEDICTION IN MUSIC Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation Anna Laura Page

CHURCH STAFF

The Rev. Camille LeBron Powell, Pastor
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June 21-27 Calvin Center

Join us as we work and play in the woods



CALENDAR

Sunday, June 2nd

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:00 AM Worship

11:15 AM Education Ministry11:15 AM OACM Advisory Meeting

Monday, June 3rd

12:00 PM 39ers 5:00 PM Little Light 8:00 PM AA/ALAnon

Tuesday, June 4th

Wednesday, June 5th

Thursday, June 6th

Friday, June 7th

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

Saturday, June 8th

Sunday, June 9th

10:00 AM Worship

11:15 AM Diaconate Meeting11:00 AM Little Light Luncheon2:00 PM Depart for Coleen Cook's

Ordination

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.

Christine Kauffman, on the death of her father.

Jeff Pattillo

Congratulations to Colleen Cook on her graduation.

Congratulations to Charlie & Deb Chambers on their marriage on 5/26/19.

The family of Dorothy Collins.

The family of Anne Howland.

Our H.S. Youth and leaders as they head to Montreat this week.

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 by Deb and Charlie Chambers in grateful appreciation to our church staff.

Welcome We welcome Anna Price as guest organist morning. Please greet her following this morning's worship with thanks for sharing her talents to God's glory.

<u>Change for Children</u> We will take our monthly offering for change for children today.

Pentecost Offering On June 9, St. Andrews will participate in the Pentecost Special Offering, joining with other Presbyterian (PC USA) congregations in a church-wide effort to support young people in Christ and inspire them to share their faith, ideas, and unique gifts with the church and the world. The portion of the funds we keep will help fund the Youth's participation in the June 2019 inter-generational mission trip at the Calvin Center.

Mission Trip Fundraiser Thank you to everyone who has donated to our mission trip fundraiser. We are half way to our goal! Today is the last day to donate. In the narthex, you will find a wall filled with envelopes numbered 1-100. You are invited to take one or more envelopes and place the amount of money the corresponds with the number on the outside of the envelope. Please fill out the enclosed giving card so that we can record your donation. Your donations will be used to provide scholarships for our mission trip to the Calvin Center this summer.

<u>39ers</u> The 39ers is a group of folks who like to meet and fellowship together. They will meet on Monday, June 3rd at Noon at Always Fresh in Lilburn, and everyone is welcome to join them. (5394 Five Forks Trickum Rd, 30047)

<u>OACM Advisory Group</u> The Older Adult and Caregiver Ministries advisory group will be meeting today at 11:15 AM in the Middle School Room. Anyone interested in this ministry is welcomed to attend. This group meets to give feedback on the ministry and be a sounding board for Pat as she works to meet the needs of older adults and caregivers in our congregation.

<u>Ordination Service</u> Colleen Cook, former seminary intern and an active part of St. Andrews for four years, invites you to her service of ordination. Sunday, June 9 at 4:00 PM at Covenant Pres. (Athens, GA 1065 Gaines School Rd.) Contact the church office for information about riding the church bus to the service.

<u>Little Light Luncheon June 9</u> After Little Light of Mine leads us in worship, we will have a luncheon in Heffner Hall. Dessert, hot dogs and hamburgers and all of the fixings will be provided. Please bring a side dish to share.

OACM Day Trip All aboard! Join us on June 17 for a day trip to the railway museum in Kennesaw. We'll meet at 9:00 AM at SAPC and take the church buses up to the museum. Admission is \$8 for over 65 and \$10 for adults. Lunch is on your own at the Trackside Grill. RSVP to Pat Baker by June 5th; contact Pat with any questions 770-938-2833, ext. 111. There are flyers available in the narthex with more information.

Memorial Service A Memorial service for Orin Mattheis is planned for Friday, June 28 at 2:00 PM. There will be a reception following in Heffner Hall.

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. 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. The last day to sign up is June 20th. Please contact Josh Price for more information, 770-921-1231.