

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY  
JANUARY 19, 2020  
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      *Trumpet Tune in C*      Noel Rawsthorne

†CALL TO WORSHIP

From God comes my salvation.  
**For God alone my soul waits in silence.**  
God alone is my rock and my salvation.  
**God is my fortress; I shall never be shaken.**

†HYMN 399      *God Welcomes All*      THEMBA AMEN

CONFESSING OUR SIN

**God, you show no partiality, yet we are not always as tolerant and accepting. Forgive our intolerance, and help us to see as you see, that we may be found acceptable in your sight through Jesus our Christ.**  
*Silence is kept for personal prayers of confession.*

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

†JOYFUL RESPONSE 439    *O My Soul, Bless Your Redeemer*      STUTTGART  
**O my soul, bless your redeemer; all within me bless God's name;  
Bless the Savior, and forget not all God's mercies to proclaim.**

†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 all.  
**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      Judy Cook

GOSPEL READING      Matthew 6:25-34      Pew Bible, page 6(NT)

MUSICAL OFFERING      *Come Follow Me!*      Setting by Paul Manz  
Text by Mary Kay Bell

SCRIPTURE READING      Acts 10:34-43      Pew Bible, page 121(NT)

CHILDREN'S LESSON

SERMON      *Neighborhood Church:*    Rev. Camille LeBron Powell  
*Communal Conversation*

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.

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."

MUSICAL OFFERING

Based of the hymn tune AR HYD Y NOS.

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

†HYMN 175

*Seek Ye First*

LAFFERTY

### †AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

At St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, we believe in:

The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

Being Christ-centered

The Bible's being the core of our belief

Doing justice, loving mercy, and walking humbly with our God

Being an open and safe place for confession and forgiveness

Being involved in the community, locally and beyond

Being welcoming and inclusive

Caring for creation

We believe that the church is the people.

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

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

#### OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

**Offertory**

*Dearest Jesus, at Your Word*

Setting by Paul Manz

#### †Offertory Response

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise God all creatures here below;**

**Praise God above ye heavenly host;**

**Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.**

#### †Prayer of Dedication

### GOING TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

†HYMN 766

*The Church of Christ Cannot Be Bound*

MC KEE

#### †INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

#### †BENEDICTION IN WORDS

**BENEDICTION IN MUSIC**

*Voluntary #10*

Maurice Green

*As one part of the church of Jesus Christ, we are inspired and guided by Christ's vision of God's realm – one that includes all who seek to love God and neighbor.*

*St. Andrews Presbyterian Church welcomes all people, regardless of age, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic situation, family status, mental or physical abilities to become part of the membership and ministry of the church. We welcome all of each of you.*

#### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

In May 2018, our intergenerational Sunday school class studied Presbyterian creeds and confessions. They explored what the authors were addressing and struggled with what to agree on and how to say it. The members of the class wrote this affirmation of faith for St. Andrews based on scripture, our Reformed heritage, and our congregation.

#### THE CHURCH OF CHRIST CANNOT BE BOUND

Adam Tice was inspired to write this hymn by the words of Menno Simons, founder of the Mennonite movement: "True evangelical faith cannot lie dormant. It clothes the naked, it feeds the hungry, it comforts the sorrowful, it shelters the destitute and it serves those who harm it. It binds up that which is wounded. It has become all things to all people."

# Annual Congregational Meeting

Join us after worship on 1/26

We will:

Receive new deacons and elders

Approve Pastoral Terms of Call

Receive the 2019 Annual Report

## 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  
Gretchen Perkins, Office Manager  
Debbie Hutto, Financial Administrator  
Kristen Sommerfeld, Seminary Intern

## Join Us!



## CALENDAR

### **Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Worship  
4:00 PM Chancel Bells

### **Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM Service Day @ Memorial Drive Ministries  
6:30 PM re:loom - Library  
8:00 PM AA/ALAnon

### **Tuesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>**

10:00 AM Presbyterian Women

### **Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

10:00 AM Knit N Love  
5:00 PM Light of Grace  
7:30 PM Chancel Choir

### **Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>**

### **Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup>**

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

### **Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**

### **Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Worship  
11:00 AM Congregational Meeting  
4:00 PM Chancel Bells

## 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.

**Melissa Browning**

**Emily Russ**

**The Fuller family on the death of Linda's brother**

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

**Sharon Shenkman**-North Decatur HRC, **Evelyn Wallace**-at home  
**Clyde Wentz**-The Phoenix at Tucker  
**Sue Puckett**-Camellia Place **Barbara Mattheis**-Regency House **Ron and Betty Weber** at home

## 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.

Our youngest worshipers are invited to our Prayground, a worship area in the front of the sanctuary where they are able to engage in quiet activities while learning the rituals of worship. On Sundays with communion, the children will return to their families after the sermon.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Congregational Meeting** The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on January 26, 2020 after worship for the purposes of electing Deacons and Elders; approving Pastoral Terms of Call; and receiving the 2019 SAPC Annual Report. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. Nursery Provided.

**Flowers Today** are given by Margaret & Paul Ellingson to the glory of God and in honor of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s advocacy of civil rights, justice, and freedom for ALL people.

**Work Day at Memorial Drive Ministries** On the MLK holiday, tomorrow, Monday, January 20, we will participate in a work day at Memorial Drive Ministries from 10-2. All ages and skill levels are welcome; children under middle school age must be accompanied by a parent. Snacks, drinks, tools and supplies will be provided. We will be washing windows, working at the snack stand, and removing wooden book cases, etc. All participants must sign a waiver, copies are in the narthex. Contact Mike Bearden with questions, 404-660-8234.

**re:loom** will meet Monday, January 20 at 6:30 PM in the church library. Contact Jill Jarvis with any questions, 770-923-3370.

**Presbyterian Women** The PW will meet on Tuesday, January 21 at 10:00 AM in the Meeting Room for Bible study, fellowship, and refreshments. All of the women of St. Andrews are welcome to attend. Please contact Jackie Harper with any questions, 770-934-3463.

**Knit N Love** will meet Wednesday, January 22 at 10:00 AM in the Church Library. If you enjoy knitting (or crocheting) and fellowship, please join us.

**Rise Against Hunger** On February 9, 2020, as part of our worship service, and with the support of Rise Against Hunger, our congregation will prepare 10,000 meals in Heffner Hall to help fight world hunger. If you would like to donate, to fund the cost of ingredients of the meals, please put "Rise against Hunger" in the Memo line of your check, or use the link on the mission page of our website. If you plan to attend, there is a waiver to be signed in the narthex. See Mike Bearden or Josh Price with any questions.

**Sunday School Classes** St. Andrews offers Sunday School for all ages at 9:00 AM Sunday mornings. Sunday school is a great way to get to know your church family and may even learn something new. Descriptions of each class can be found on our website.

### **Adults:**

Potpourri - Room 116  
Light of Grace - Room 113/115  
Kairos - Middle School Room  
Fidelis - Library

### **Children and Youth:**

## CONNECT AT ST. ANDREWS

**Facebook-** facebook.com/sapctucker/ *Like and follow us – for photos and announcements.*

**Website-** sapctucker.org *Church Calendar, Sunday School Page, Youth News, Sermon Archive*

**Instagram-** st.andrewspresbyteriantucker *Follow us- pictures and updates*

**Weekly Email and Monthly Newsletter-** office@sapctucker.org *to be added to our list,*

**Contact Us-** Office Hours are M-F from 9:00AM-1:00PM, 770-938-2833, office@sapctucker.org