



# SAIN<sup>T</sup> ANDREW

Presbyterian Church

Following Christ – Serving in Love  
Engaging the World

## Morning Worship February 19, 2017

Sunday School 9:30 am  
Sunday Morning Fellowship 10:15 am  
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 am  
Sunday Evening Worship 6 pm\*  
\*Every Third Sunday  
Wednesday Brown Bag Bible Study 12:15 pm  
Wednesday Evening Bible Study 6 pm

Rev. Edward C. Rees IV, Pastor  
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Jose Ruiz  
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Keil Alderson  
Charlotte Kitchen  
Frank Carstarphen  
Angie Rees  
Joe McKeown  
Mark Sollie  
Tony Harkins  
Lee Kitchen

Jennie Wall, Moderator Presbyterian Women

### 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.

### Catechism Question of the Week

**Q 8 What is the law of God stated in the Ten Commandments?**

You shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below—you shall not bow down to them or worship them. You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God. Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy. Honor your father and your mother. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not give false testimony. You shall not covet.

(Adapted by Timothy Keller and Sam Shammas from the Reformation catechisms.  
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“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*

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.)**

## **GATHERING OF GOD’S PEOPLE**

**PRELUDE**

**\*HYMN**

**Worship Christ the Risen King**

**Rise O Church and lift your voices  
Christ has conquered death and hell  
Sing as all the earth rejoices  
Resurrection anthems swell  
Come and worship come and worship  
Worship Christ the Risen King**

**See the tomb where death had laid Him  
Empty now its mouth declares  
Death and I could not contain Him  
For the throne of life He shares  
Come and worship come and worship  
Worship Christ the Risen King**

**Hear the earth protest and tremble  
See the stone removed with pow'r  
All hell's minions may assemble  
But cannot withstand His hour  
He has conquered He has conquered  
Christ the Lord the Risen King**

**Doubt may lift its head to murmur  
Scoffers mock and sinners jeer  
But the truth proclaims a wonder  
Thoughtful hearts receive with cheer  
He is risen He is risen  
Now receive the Risen King**

**We acclaim Your life O Jesus  
Now we sing Your victory  
Sin or hell may seek to seize us  
But Your conquest keeps us free  
Stand in triumph stand in triumph  
Worship Christ the Risen King**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

from Psalm 136

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,

*For his steadfast love endures forever.*

It is he who remembered us in our weakness,

*And rescued us from all our foes.*

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

Elder Jose Ruiz

**\*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.**

(Children may be excused at this time for children's church)

**OPENING OUR HEARTS TO GOD**

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

Hear these words from the prophet Joel: "Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love."

Trusting in the goodness of God, let us make confession.

**MOMENT FOR PERSONAL CONFESSION**

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*O Lord our God, we confess that even on our best days we still fall far short of your glory and your purpose for us. We claim to be your children, but disobey your commands. We pray selfishly, forgive reluctantly, and share grudgingly. We fear the world too much, while trusting you too little. Renew our hearts by your Holy Spirit, Father, and revive us again. Let your word be planted in our hearts, that your light may shine through our lives, and that the love of Christ our Savior might be poured out as a blessing wherever you send us. Amen.*

## ASSURANCE of FORGIVENESS

Hear the Good News! God, being rich in mercy, has made us – who were dead in our sinfulness – alive together with Christ, for it is by grace that we are saved through faith in him. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you and I are forgiven.

## HYMN #254

Near the Cross

**Jesus, keep me near the cross—  
There a precious fountain,  
Free to all, a healing stream,  
Flows from Calvary's mountain.**

### *Refrain:*

*In the cross, in the cross,  
Be my glory ever,  
'Til my raptured soul shall find  
Rest beyond the river.*

**At the cross I stood one day.  
Love and Mercy found me;  
There the bright and morning star  
Shed its beams around me.**

*Refrain*

**Near the cross! O Lamb of God,  
Bring its scenes before me;  
Help me walk from day to day,  
With its shadow o'er me.**

*Refrain*

**Near the cross I'll watch and wait,  
Hoping, trusting ever,  
'Til I reach the golden strand  
Just beyond the river.**

*Refrain*

MINUTE FOR MISSION

MOMENT for SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS of THE PEOPLE with the LORD'S PRAYER (Hymn #440)

ANTHEM I Worship You Words and Music By Cindy Berry

**HEARING GOD'S WORD**

Lay Reader: Rev. Melvin & Faye Lowry

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 16:8-11 (p.454)

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Mark 16:1-8 (p.853)

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

On the Third Day He Rose from the Dead

I. On the Third Day

Psalm 16:8-11

1 Peter 3:18-20

Luke 23:39-43

II. He Rose from the Dead

Mark 16:1-8

1 Corinthians 15:1-8;12-22;48-58

## **RESPONDING TO GOD**

**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 – 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.**

**GOING WITH GOD INTO THE WORLD**

**\*THE CHARGE**

**\*HYMN#299**

**He Lives**

**I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;  
I know that He is living, whatever men may say;  
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,  
And just the time I need him, He's always near.**

**(Refrain) *He lives! He lives! Christ Jesus lives today!***

***He walks with me, and talks with me,***

***Along life's narrow way.***

***He lives! He lives! Salvation to impart!***

***You ask me how I know He lives:***

***He lives within my heart.***

**In all the world around me I see His loving care,  
And though my heart grows weary, I never will despair;  
I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast,  
The day of His appearing will come at last. (*refrain*)  
Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing  
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!  
The hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find,  
None other is so loving, so good and kind. (*refrain*)**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\* All who are able, please stand.**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR...**

**Our Homebound Members: Mary Bentley, Louis Cook, Chuck Cornelius, Evelyn Scudder, Eileen Hoehle, Jean Johnson, Nancy Johnson, Ann Heaney, Ed Macuch, Barbara Rinker, Al L'Heureux**

**Members & Friends: Pat and Duane Seaborn, Louise Taylor, Mary Elrod, Jete McCutcheon, Joyce Howe, Bobbie Auld, John Stillwell, Eddie Rees, Marva Ellison, Ivett Andrews and family, Rodney Ivey and Family, Rev. Jerod Lowry and his wife Molly, and their children, Rev. Robert Hunt; Tracy and Brian Leopard, Harold Gibbs, Bonnie Annis' daughter, Melissa, Betty Zimmerman, Margie Bailey, Kathryn Yates, Stephanie Hartley Samples, Karen Hickman, Homer Scott, Anita Wylds, Sheila Tucker, Becky Moore, Anne Iverson's mother, Shirley Macuch, and Kim Gracey; the Persecuted Church, those serving in our armed forces, and those who do not yet know Jesus**

**THIS WEEK AT SAINT ANDREW**  
**February 19- February 25**

<b>Today</b>	9:30 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Coffee & Fellowship
	10:45 am	Morning Worship
	4:00- 5:00 pm	Christ the King
	6:00 pm	Service for Wholeness with Communion
<b>Monday</b>		<b>Presidents Day- Office Closed</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	9:30 am	Presbyterian Women
	10:30am	Chapel (Harrington Park)
<b>Wednesday</b>	12:15 pm	Brown Bag Bible Study (Augusta Mall Food Court)
	6:00 pm	Brown Bag Fellowship
	6:30 pm	Prayer, Share & Study
	7:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal
<b>Thursday</b>	6:30 pm	Prayer Group (Kershner home)
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00- 12:00	Fellowship Hall in Use
	1:00- 3:00	Fellowship Hall in Use

Lay Readers this month: Rev. Melvin and Faye Lowry  
Offering Collectors this month: Ralph and Monique Cauble  
Greeter this month: Sheila Tucker  
Attendance Last Week: 82

**GAP ITEMS OF THE MONTH**  
**TOILET PAPER**

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).