### ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MARCH 23, 2025 10:00 AM

Prelude

Welcome

# ~ GATHERED IN CHRIST ~

Call to Worship (Adapted from Psalm 63) Lay Leader So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory. Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you. So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name. Let us worship God together.

\*Praise Songs

**Opening Prayer** 

Invitation to Confession

### Prayer of Confession

Loving and merciful Father, you meet us at the point of confessing our sinfulness and you promise to forgive. We are quick to judge others, yet we fail to see our own faults. We are impatient with those around us, yet we wholly depend on your patience toward us. We fail to reach out to others in need, not willing to give our time and talents, yet we can do nothing without you. Cleanse us, we pray. Renew our hearts and change our attitudes. Give us joy to serve those around us. Shine through us so that all may see Jesus' love in us. In Jesus' blessed name we pray. Amen. Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri

\*Passing of the Peace

## ~ FED BY CHRIST ~

Prayer for Illumination

From rough words, God, make something useful. To stubborn ears, bring truth. To tired eyes, bring light. Reveal yourself to your seeking people. We ask in Jesus' name. Amen.

First Scripture Reading: Isaiah 55:1-9

Anthem

Second Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-13

Sermon

Pastor Deb Trevino

\*Affirmation of Faith - The Apostles Creed

\*Hymn - GTG #735 - I Need Thee Every Hour

Our Offering \*Doxology \*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

~ SENT BY CHRIST ~

\*Song of Sending - GTG #418 - Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Sung Response

\*Those who are able may stand

## PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN

# <u>JOYS</u>

• Happy Spring!

# **CONCERNS**

- Please continue to pray for Sal Favazza as he continues to struggle with his declining health from stage 4 brain cancer.
- Continued prayers for Kylar Kelly who was diagnosed with stage 4 inoperable, incurable EHE at just 21 years old.

## CONTINUED PRAYER CONCERNS

Carol Wilson, Lynn Hughey, Klair Family, Patrick Lewis, Larry Parker, Cindy Reph, Sparks Family, Kristine, Cross Family, Robert Umholtz, Nancy Mitchell, Jeffrey Annand

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## <u>NEW</u>

• The deacons need your help replenishing the food pantry. We were able to help 17 families with Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets but it left us pretty wiped out. Each week we will focus on different items needed to build our stock back up in time to fill those baskets for Easter dinners. This week we are asking for: canned or boxed potatoes, gravy, canned yams, and canned chicken. Please place your donations

in the designated basket in the Narthex. Thank you for your continued support!

The Deacons are still collecting "Care Wear" for the Sunday Breakfast Mission. There are only two weeks left for this amazing campaign.
Please take this opportunity to bless someone less fortunate with new underwear, T-shirts, bras and/or shower shoes. Shower shoes, as well as a few of the other items, can be purchased at the dollar store. We are NOT collecting socks as there is an abundance of them. Please place your donations in the designated basket in the Narthex. Thank you for your continued support!

# **CONTINUED**

During our worship services busy bags offer youngsters a variety of puzzles, Bible-based coloring books and digital drawing pads. Six busy bags will be available in the narthex prior to every service. Pick one up for your little one, and return it to the narthex after the service. Give your kids a chance for quiet creative play while you focus on the Lord.

23	Sunday	Worship Service	10:00am
26	Wednesday	Bible Study	7:00pm
27	Thursday	Praise Band	6:30pm
		Choir	7:00pm
30	Sunday	Worship Service	10:00am
31	Monday	Hope Dining Room	

# <u>CALENDAR</u>

### <u>STAFF</u>

Temp. Supply Pastor: Rev. Matt WatersOrOffice Manager: Courtney LyonsClCo-Treasurers: Darrell DiStefano, Julie Guns, & Winnie Wagner

Organist: Carol Stiltz Choir Director: Gene Stiltz

#### 2025 - (Ends 12/31/25) Darrell DiStefano (term 1) Cliff Wood (term 1)

#### SESSION MEMBERS

2026 - (Ends 12/31/26) Myron Hardesty (term 1) Winnie Wagner (term 2) <u>2027 - (Ends 12/31/27)</u> Heather Favazza (term 2) Dave Trevino (term 2)

2025 - (Ends 12/31/25) Kay DiStefano (term 2) Matt Kupelian (term 2) Brenda Saulsbury (term 2)

#### BOARD OF DEACONS

2026 - (Ends 12/31/26) Diane Bart (term 1) Sue Staudt (term 1) Danielle Wood (term 1) 2027 - (Ends 12/31/27) Julie Guns (term 2) Linda DiMartine (term 1)

#### MISSION STATEMENT

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, a congregation of believers in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, pledges to share the love of GOD within our church family, the local community, and the world. To this end, we shall...

- Worship GOD through preaching of the Word, celebration of the Sacraments, prayer, and music.
- Project our Christian love by nurturing one another.
- Witness the love of Christ to all the world.

#### VISION STATEMENT

To be a church that boldly proclaims the Good News of Jesus Christ; depends on the Holy Spirit, reflects the composition of the community, and reaches out in partnership through ministries of love, caring, music and teaching to make and prepare disciples to love and serve the Lord.

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