

# St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

April 22, 2018

Pastor, Rev. Dr. Darryl Goldman

Elder Dan Watt, Liturgist

Mavis Stephens, Choir Director

Dr. Jeff Gilbreath, Pianist/Organist

Prelude "By the Still Waters" Dr. Gilbreath

Pastor's Welcome

Call to Worship (Psalm 23)

Leader: Come, walk in green pastures.

**People: We follow the Shepherd.**

Leader: Come, lie down in green pastures.

**People: We trust the Shepherd.**

Leader: Come, dine at the table of abundance.

**People: We are fed by the Shepherd.**

Leader: Come, dwell in God's house.

**People: We live in the Shepherd's care.**

Prayer of Adoration

\*Hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #263  
*Please pass your prayer cards to the aisle for pickup.*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (Psalm 23; 1 John)

**Good Shepherd, we take your care for granted. In the midst of your many blessings we complain of not having enough. In the presence of danger, we fail to trust your abiding love. When you set a table before us, we turn aside from you. Call us back into your care and help us trust your caring presence, that our actions may proclaim your truth. Amen. (We confess our sins in silence . . .)**

Hymn "Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine" V. 1 #839

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**People: Thanks be to God.**

The Peace

Leader: Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**People: And also with you. (Please share the peace of Christ with those near you.)**

\*Gloria Patri #581

Anthem "The Lord Will Be My Shepherd" Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Acts 4:5-12 Elder Watt

Youth Message Elder Ed Wyle

Scripture Reading John 10:11-18 Rev. Goldman

Message "The Easter Sheep" Rev. Goldman

\*Hymn "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll not Want" #801

\*Let us declare our faith in the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ through the Apostle's 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.***

Prayers of the People/the Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

Offertory "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Dr. Gilbreath  
\*Doxology #606

\*Prayer

\*Hymn "Come, Christians, Join to Sing!" #267

\*Charge & Benediction

Nourished by the Shepherd's abundant love, go forth to walk in the paths of righteousness. Love one another in truth and action. May God's abundant blessings abide in you forever.

**Amen**

Postlude "He Leadeth Me" Dr. Gilbreath

\*All that are able are invited to stand.

***Bold italic type indicates our shared response.***  
All hymns are from the Glory to God (purple) hymnal.

**To Our Visitors & Guests:**

**Welcome!** It is a blessing to have you in worship with us today! We invite you to consider membership in St. Andrew Presbyterian Church. The pastor and elders will be available following the service to answer any questions you may have. If you are a first-time visitor, we would like to take you to lunch, so don't run out on us. **There is a place for you here. We are delighted to have you with us today!**

**St. Andrew Elders & Ministry Teams 2018**

**Chairperson**

Clerk of Session .....	Stu Strong
Worship .....	Linda Webster & Linda Grissom
Member Care .....	B. J. Breeding
Education & Spiritual Formation.....	John Jordan & Teresa Culbert
Mission .....	Greg Vogel
Communications & Outreach .....	Harold Culbert & Ceil Hydrick

**Committees & Subcommittees**

Administration, Finance & Property .....	Stu Strong, Turner Matthews & Ed Wyle
Personnel & Planning.....	Ed Wyle
Building/Grounds.....	Stu Strong
Finance & Stewardship .....	Turner Matthews & Tommy Gates
Nominating .....	Dan Watt & Jim Boyd
Head Usher .....	Donald Foster

**Class of 2018**

Stu Strong  
Harold Culbert  
Linda Webster

**Class of 2019**

Ceil Hydrick  
Greg Vogel  
Turner Matthews

**Class of 2020**

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# Welcome to



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**Scripture Reading, Dan Watt: Acts 4:5-12**

The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

**Scripture Reading, Rev. Goldman: John 10:11-18**

"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away-- and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So, there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason, the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."