

St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

June 10, 2018

Pastor, Rev. Dr. Darryl Goldman

Elder B.J. Breeding, Liturgist

Mavis Stephens, Choir Director

Dr. Jeff Gilbreath, Pianist

Prelude "New Every Morning Medley" Dr. Gilbreath

Pastor's Welcome

Minute for Mission – Disaster Relief John Jordan

Call to Worship

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made!

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Leader: This is a day of new beginnings!

People: This is a time for growing into new disciples for Jesus.

Leader: Come, let us prepare ourselves for worship

People: Let us be prepared for service to God. AMEN.

Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn "O Splendor of God's Glory Bright" #666
Please pass your prayer cards to the aisle for pickup.

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Patient Lord, you know how we are. We let the frustrations and worries of our lives overcome us. Our hearts seem to buckle under the weight of anger and confusion. And we turn away from you, sure that you can do nothing to alleviate our strife. How foolish we can be! How faithless we can be! Please forgive us. Help us to learn that you are actively involved in our lives, seeking healing and hope not only for each of us, but for the whole world. Make us into disciples of peace and compassion; for we ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN. *(We confess our sins in silence...)*

Hymn "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" #834

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 "In a Valley Flows a River" Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Elder Breeding

Youth Message Mr. J. K. Huggs

Scripture Reading Mark 3:20-35 Rev. Goldman

Message "Is There an Unpardonable Sin?" Rev. Goldman

*Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" #829

*Let us declare our faith with 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 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 "He Hideth My Soul" Dr. Gilbreath

*Doxology #606

*Prayer

*Hymn "Lord of All Hopefulness" words of #683
(to the tune of "Be Thou My Vision" Page 450)

*Charge

*Benediction "Go to the World!" Vs. 4 #295

Postlude "When We All Get to Heaven" 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

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| 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

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| 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 |

Class of 2018

Stu Strong
Harold Culbert
Linda Webster

Class of 2019

Ceil Hydrick
Greg Vogel
Turner Matthews

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Welcome to



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Scripture Reading: Elder Breeding, 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture--“I believed, and so I spoke”--we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. So, we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Scripture Reading: Rev. Goldman, Mark 3:20-35

And the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, “He has gone out of his mind.” And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, “He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.” And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder

his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. “Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”-- for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.” Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”