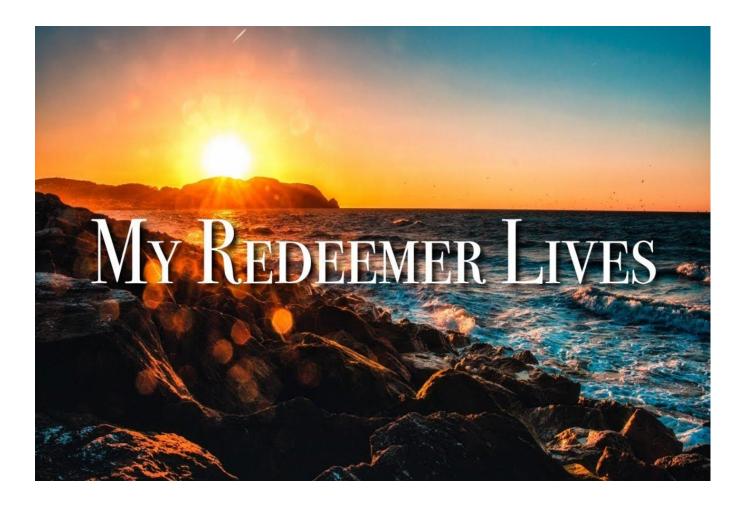
## St. Andrews Presbyterian Church



November 9, 2025

### 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

November 9, 2025 10:30 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### THE GATHERING

PRELUDE "Andante sostenuto" Widor

"Be still and know that I am God."

Psalm 46:10

(Please use this time to prepare for worship in silence.)

#### WORDS OF WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

Benzie Senior Resources- Senior Christmas Baskets

PASSING THE PEACE "...I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Matthew 25:35b

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

(The people may greet each other in the spirit of Christ.)

CHORAL INTROIT "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!

We will break forth into joyous song, and sing praises.

Sing praises to the Lord;

Make a joyful noise with trumpet and the sound of the horn.

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it, the world and those who live in it.

The floods clap their hands and the hills sing out together;

Let us join in the joyful song of creation.

#### OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN 686 "God, of Our Life, Through All the Circling Years" SANDON

(Jane Lean's favorite hymn.)

#### \*CONFESSION AND PARDON

Though we are prone to wander, the spirit of God abides with us. Trusting in God's persistent love and mercy, let us confess our sin. Let us pray:

Loving and holy God, we confess that we hold tightly to our pride and resist your transforming grace. You offer us freedom and a welcome place in the body of Christ, yet we struggle, trying to earn what you have already given. We cling to our old ways of doing and thinking. You call us your beloved children. Help us hear and claim our new identity. Free us from the bonds of limited imagination and empower us to thrive in your life of faith and grace. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent Confession

\*KYRIE – Hymn 437 (Sung once.)

You are the Lord, giver of mercy. You are the Christ, giver of mercy, You are the Lord, giver of mercy.

Stand firm in the gospel. Stand firm in the goodness and mercy of our God. Stand firm and be refreshed by God's refreshing love. This is good news! **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Amen.** 

\*RESPONSE – Hymn 750

"Goodness Is Stronger Than Evil" (Sung twice through.)

GOODNESS IS STRONGER

Goodness is stronger than evil; love is stronger than hate; Light is stronger than darkness; life is stronger than death. Victory is ours; victory is ours through God who loves us. Victory is ours; victory is ours through God who loves us.

#### THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)

(Page 35, Glory to God Hymnal)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE HEBREW TESTAMENT READING: Job 19:23-27a

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

CHORAL ANTHEM

"Christ, Walk With Me As I Go"

THE GOSPEL READING: Luke 20:27-38

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

"I Know"

#### THE RESPONSE

\*HYMN 840

"It Is Well with My Soul" (Verses 1, 3, and 4)

VILLE DU HAVRE

(In the top three most favorite hymns of the congregation.)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison)

(Adapted from Confession of 1967, 9.32-33)

The life, death, resurrection, and promised coming of Jesus Christ has set the pattern for the church's mission. His human life involves the church in the common life of all people. His service to men and women commits the church to work for every form of human well-being. His suffering makes the church sensitive to all human suffering so that it sees the face of Christ in the faces of persons in every kind of need. His crucifixion discloses to the church God's judgment on the inhumanity that marks human relations, and the awful consequences of the church's own complicity in injustice. In the power of the risen Christ and the hope of his coming, the church sees the promise of God's renewal of human life in society and of God's victory over all wrong. The church follows this pattern in the form of its life and in the method of its action. So to live and serve is to confess Christ as Lord.

\*GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 581)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "It is Well" arr. Neld

\*DOXOLOGY/Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (606)

\*PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

#### THE SENDING

\*HYMN 821 "My Life Flows On" How Can I KEEP FROM SINGING

\*BENEDICTION

The God of Love will overcome.

By the Holy Spirit, we will overcome.

The love of Christ lives forever!

Amen.

POSTLUDE "Trumpet Tune in B-flat" Thewes

#### PARTICIPANTS IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Anne Hébert, Pastor
Beth Olin, Liturgist
Scott and Ellen Gravelie, Ushers
Margie and Larry Osborn, Carol Johnson, Greeters
Diane Pharr, Online Digital Greeter
Michael Beery, Music Director
Lawrence Smith, Organist



#### OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

Today

9:00 Adult Ed Bible Study

10:30 Worship

11:30 Harvest Potluck

4:00 A.A./Al-Anon Serenity Group

4:00 Trunk or Treat

Monday, November 10

2:00 Grief Group

4:00 Readers Theater Rehearsal

**Tuesday, November 11** 

9:30 Endowment Mtg

1:00 Membership Mtg 5:00 Building & Grounds Mtg

Wednesday, November 12

12:30 Centering Prayer Group

2:00 Arts on the Hill Mtg

4:00 Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 13

2:00 Adult Ed-"Tending the Wild

Garden"

Friday, November 14

9:00 Men's Breakfast @ Platte River Inn

Sunday, November 16

9:00 Adult Ed Bible Study

10:30 Worship

11:30 Coffee Hour

4:00 A.A./Al-Anon Serenity Group

#### PRAYER LIST

MILITARY: All of our US Military deployed and

their families.

**INTERNATIONAL PEACEMAKERS:** 

Rev. Jerome Bizimana & the people of

Rwanda

Rev. Butros Zaour & family &

Majd Lahham, Damascus, Syria

MISSION CO-WORKERS:

Mark Adams & Miriam Maldonado Escobar,

& their children: Cindy Yessenia, Anna Flor

& Nathan—Frontera de Cristo; Douglas AZ

Efi Latsoudi & Lesvos Solidarity, Greece

MEMBERS AND FRIENDS

Bob Nelson

Tim Bergstrom Britta Baarstad

Joel Hough John Warren Robey

Kristin Lehoullier

Joan Wathern Suzie Anderson

Tamara Cas Ray Nichols Paul Olin

Paul Olin Pete Brager Cathy Lane The Navin Family Tim, Sarah, Tilly and Family

Linda Koch Evelyn Sengelaub

Laura and Bryan Sheffield

Martha Campbell

Gwen Baarstad Marcia Korwin

Dottie Patterson

Hilda Quist Family of Jill Mendenhall

(Bill Anderson's Sister)



# Holy Disruption

DISCOVERING ADVENT IN THE GOSPEL

OF MARK





Watch for sign-up information!

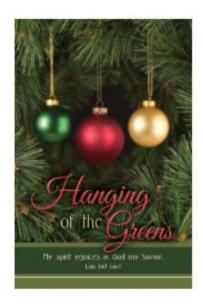
Books \$10 with Adult Ed paying remaining cost.



TRACY S. DAUB



Rehearsals on November 10 and November 17 @ 4pm Performance on December 14 @ 7pm





## Hanging of the Greens

It is time to order poinsettias for the Hanging of the Greens.

(Saturday, Dec. 6 at 10:00am.

Lunch will be served at noon).

This year we are starting a new possibility for donating to the flower fund. If you would like to donate in memory of someone or in honor of them, we will list it in the bulletin. I like to order in early November, so, please, send in your donations early.

> Thank you. Chris Jahr