

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church



August 11, 2024



Silent Confession

\*KYRIE

**Lord, have mercy,  
Christ, have mercy,  
Lord, have mercy upon us.**

When we trust God's Word, we will be led back to the songs God wants us to sing. God is eager to show us the path home. Accept the new song and the forgiveness we have been given through Jesus Christ. **Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Amen.**

### ***THE WORD***

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional) (Page 35, *Glory to God Hymnal*)  
SINGING WITH THE CHILDREN: "Jesus Loves Me" (Hymn 188)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE GOSPEL READING: John 6:35, 41-51  
The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHORAL ANTHEM "For the Beauty of the Earth" Rutter

THE EPISTLE READING: Colossians 3:12-17  
The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

SERMON "And With Gratitude, Sing!"

### ***THE RESPONSE***

\*HYMN 641 "When in Our Music God Is Glorified" ENGELBERG

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison)

**We believe our talents are a gift from God, and we are to use them to fulfill God's purpose in our lives and in God's world. We humbly and respectfully acknowledge and accept our gifts as we seek to receive God's vision for how we are to use them. We ask the Holy Spirit to free us from self-doubt and to be our guide. We affirm that our creative work has the potential to bring us closer to God and to one another. As we respond to God's love for us, we seek to bring our gifts and talents into God's light and to trust in the ever-creating, ever-loving Divine Creator. We affirm our faith through Christ, the model of how to use all God's gifts. Amen.**

\*GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 581)

CHORAL ANTHEM "We are Standing on Holy Ground" Hafso & Hafso

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "Grave" Fasch

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

\*PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

## ***THE SENDING***

\*HYMN 749

"Come! Live in the Light!"

WE ARE CALLED

\*BENEDICTION (Unison)

(Revelation 7:12)

**Blessing and glory and wisdom  
and thanksgiving and honor  
and power and might  
be to our God forever and ever!  
Amen.**

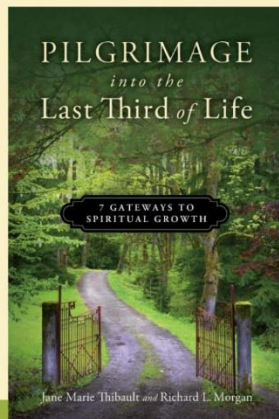
POSTLUDE

"Allegro"

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### PARTICIPANTS IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Anne Hébert, Pastor  
Sharron Smith, Liturgist  
Scrib and Pat Sheafor, Ushers  
John and Barb Lund, March Dye, Judy Harnish, Greeters  
Michael Beery, Music Director  
Tim Quist, Organist  
Carolyn Edwards, Violin  
Carole Scott, Flute  
Ruth Griffioen, Recorder  
Doug Scott, Keyboard



We invite you to join us in our summer series

## **AGING FAITHFULLY**

**MONDAYS AT 12PM**

**JUL 8, 15, 22, 29**

**AUG 5, 12, 19**

(bring a sack lunch, if you wish!)

Join us at church or on Zoom for a weekly discussion of short daily readings. Pilgrimage into the Last Third of Life will lead us on a journey full of opportunities for spiritual growth as we age. Books available in the church office for \$10 (Adult Ed MT will pay remaining cost). It is not necessary to attend all 7 sessions, so join when you can!

*The **Finance Ministry Team** could use the assistance of those with bookkeeping or accounting experience. If you could help out, please contact Cathy Stephenson at 619-228-4048 for more information. Thank you.*