

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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All Saints Day

November 01, 2015

Welcome to St. Andrew's Church! We are glad you are here with us. May God bless you in his grace and mercy as we take time to give our love and attention to the One who has embraced us in Jesus Christ. If you are visiting with us, please take time to sign our guest book and to let us know how we can become better acquainted.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP, 11:00 A.M.

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude

Entry of the Bible

(Congregation Standing)

Choral Introit: "Here I am, Lord" Schutte

Greeting

Responsive Call to Worship

L: God whispers to each of us:
you are my beloved, created in love for love.

A: My spirit answers. Here I am, Lord. Speak to me.

L: God breathes on us the Holy Spirit,
knitting many members into one body, the body of Christ.

A: Together we answer. Here we are Lord. Come, Holy Spirit.

L: God has yet more work for the people.
Who will bring holy healing into our hurting world?

A: Here we are Lord. Empower us for your work.

L: God calls the small, and helps them do great things.

A: God calls the weak, and reveals their hidden gifts.

L: God calls the rejected, and opens their eyes to their worth.

A: Here we are Lord, humble and waiting.

Hymn of Approach: Blessed Assurance

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Prayers of Adoration & Confession

The Lord's Prayer: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom, and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen.

Children's Hymn: Jesus loves me this I know

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Children's Story and Prayer

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament: 1 Samuel 3:1-10

Christina Templeton

(p 247)

Responsive Psalm: 139

(p 577)

New Testament: John 1:43-51

Jonathan Marshall

(p 092)

Choral Anthem: "Rest In the Bow With Me" Standish

Sermon: "*Are you listening?*"

Hymn: Will you come and follow me

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RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Announcements

Offering and Offertory

Doxology (822, vs. 4) and Offertory Prayer

Confession of Faith: Living Faith 4.2 - 4.2.2

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The Holy Spirit Enables people to believe

Commissioning Hymn: I, the Lord of sea and sky

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Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude

NURSERY ATTENDANT: Agathe Ratsimandresy *For those who wish, a nursery is available in the church hall next door.*

Congratulations to David and Sarah Halliday who were married at the Kirk on October 24, 2015.

If Pastoral Care is required, please contact Rev. Derek Krunys at the church office (726-5385) or cell (687-7742).

BENEVOLENT FUND: Your contributions to the St. Andrew's Benevolent Fund help support special need situations. Contributions can be made individually or through your regular offering envelope by marking "Benevolent" in "Other".

Would you like to join me (Kim Marshall) to form an informal choral group? We would like to join together to conclude each service with an upbeat tune, camp song or ancient chorus (Kumbaya for example). Come find me during coffee hour today and we can chat!

St. Andrew's is proud to reintroduce PYPS (Presbyterian Young PeopleS). We are currently in the process of creating this new group and ask for all youth in Grades 9-12, that may be interested, to email Aidan at aidan@nl.rogers.com or text 709-763-6261. We want this group to be what you, our youth want it to be. We look forward to fellowship with you.

Sunday School has begun for children and youth. Please come and join us as we start another exciting year. If you have any questions about the Sunday School program or would like to volunteer, please contact Jenny Pallard at 697-6183 or jennpallard@gmail.com

WREATHS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE: Three fresh wreaths will be used in the Remembrance Day Service to be held on **Nov 8th**. Members of the congregation are invited to make a donation to help cover the cost of the wreaths in memory of a loved one who was lost during a war or participated and has since passed away. If you or a family member would like to lay a wreath during the service, please advise the Church office of your intention by **Nov 4th**.

The Service on **November 29** will be at **10:00 AM**. We will be celebrating St. Andrew's Day with a Scout Parade and members of the Masonic fraternity of Lodge St. Andrew and members of St. Andrew's Society.

BRIDGES TO HOPE

There is always a need for food. Please consider bringing items to church on Sunday. The items requested include: tin milk, Kraft Dinner, tin beans, soups, tin vegetables and other tinned items you wish to donate. Please support this call for assistance. Donations can be made by marking "Bridges to Hope" in "Other" on your envelope.

The Basilica Music Ministry presents our 19th Annual Celebration! This year we again are inviting priests/ministers from various other Christian traditions to take part in our annual **ADVENT FESTIVAL OF CAROLS AND SCRIPTURE**. It's happening on the **FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - NOVEMBER 29, 2015, at 7:30 pm** in the Basilica.

Syrian refugee crisis: Efforts are underway to work through PWS&D to sponsor a Syrian family. A committee has been formed; please contact the office if you would like to join. There will also be plenty of opportunity for people to help with specific tasks as we move forward. In the meantime, would you like to name the committee? We want a snazzy sort of name, possibly an acronym, using words like refugees, helping, displaced persons, community, St. Andrews. Send your suggestions to the office or post them on the church Facebook page.

NOTE: _____ MORNING COFFEE ... has been postponed to next Sunday, November 8th. Please join us after the Remembrance Day Service for a cup of tea, coffee or juice and a cookie before heading home. Everyone is welcome.

Nineteen years ago, our music ministry started this celebration. The aim was to try and help our parish and guests step away from the consumer driven frenzy of the pre-Christmas season...and really try and bring Advent back into our consciousness. Our first year we had about 30 in the choir and 50 in the pews...and last year - our 18th Festival - we had over 60 Music Ministers, and over 1000 in the church!

Enough about 1997. It's now 2015. Pope Francis has taken up the love affair with our nature brothers and sisters, and our "beautiful mother who opens her arms to embrace us" - so well initiated by his namesake, St. Francis of Assisi. We are made of our environment, and we are its stewards. Both Saint Francis and Pope Francis express our connectedness with all creation. And now the Music Ministers at the Basilica do, too. Like Pope Francis we invite you to do the same.

Choristers from St. Thomas' Anglican and St. Andrew's Presbyterian will join us for several of the carols.

At the end of the Festival, we treat everyone in the church to wine or soft drinks, Christmas cake and cookies, and gluten free crackers and cheese.

***** Nov 01 - Nov 07 *****

Sun	11:00am	Worship
		Sunday School
Tues	7:30	Venturers

***** Upcoming *****

Nov 8	Remembrance Day Service
	Coffee Hour
Nov 10	Board of Managers Meeting
Nov 19	Session Meeting
Nov 29	St. Andrew's Day Parade
	10am service