

Sunday, May 17, 2026
The Seventh Sunday of Easter
10:00 AM

*For it is God who is at work in
you, enabling you both to will
and to work for his good
pleasure.*

Philippians 2:13

Welcome to Worship!
As we prepare for worship, please silence your mobile devices.
We invite you to a time of silence and focus.



WELCOME TO WORSHIP: It is our joy to welcome you to worship today, in-person and from wherever you may be viewing. We give thanks for whatever brought you, and pray that you may experience the love of God surrounding you and upholding you as we gather together to give thanks to God through Word and Sacrament.

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES are available to use in the Sanctuary for worship. They are located in the Sound Booth; ask the Sound Booth operator if you would like to use one.

WORSHIP IS LIVESTREAMED in the Faith and Family Center (located near the entrance doors to the large parking lot). Anyone is welcome to worship in that space.

HOLY COMMUNION: All are welcome at the Lord's table. Holy Communion is God's Word made visible in bread and wine. At communion distribution, the BREAD is placed in the hands. Red wine and White grape juice are offered by individual cups. Gluten free options are available, as well.

WE WELCOME CHILDREN IN WORSHIP! Like Jesus who welcomed children to his ministry, Saint Andrew's welcomes children to our worship services. Re-usable activity bags (for readers and non-readers) with books, stickers, crayons, paper, and a snack are available from the usher/hospitality team; please return the bags following worship.

- "Younger Disciples Tips" are in the bulletin with ideas to engage children in worship.
- "A Time for Younger Disciples" during worship invites all God's children to listen to a message.

Health Practices in place to help reduce the spread of viruses and illness:

- Mask wearing is optional. Anyone who wishes to mask is welcome to do so.
- Hand sanitizer is available throughout the building.

For other activities, events, meetings check our website: <https://SALC.church>

VIDEO AND AUDIO RECORDING IN PROGRESS

Saint Andrews livestreams and records its worship services to YouTube.

Video and Audio recording is currently in progress. It is possible that video footage and/or audio conversations of worshippers in the Saint Andrew's Sanctuary may appear on the YouTube livestream/recording.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

“Give Me Jesus”
Will Simpson, Organ

African American Spiritual
arr. Richard Billingham

WELCOME

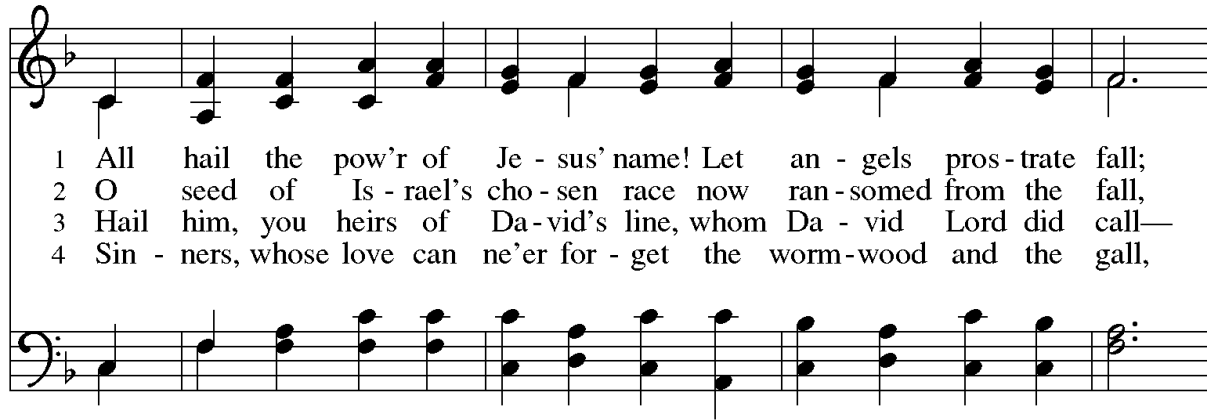
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Congregation will say/respond with bold text.

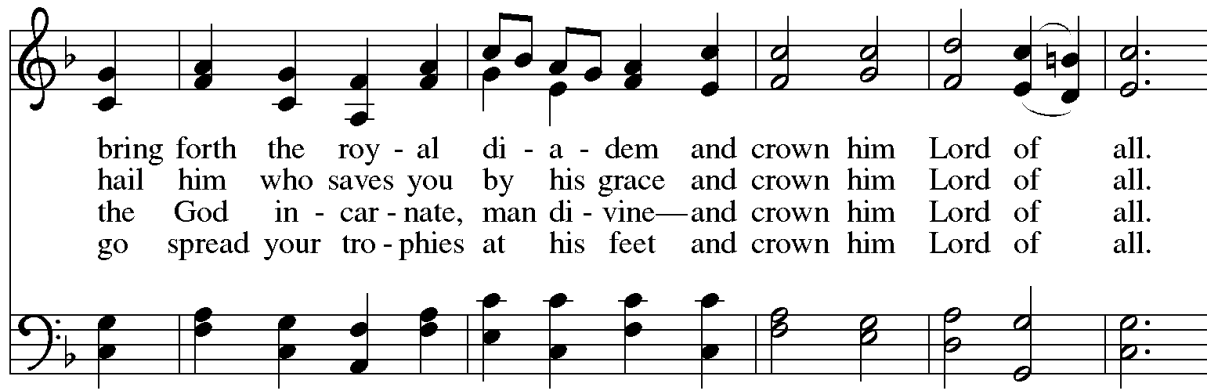
Please stand as you are able.

HYMN

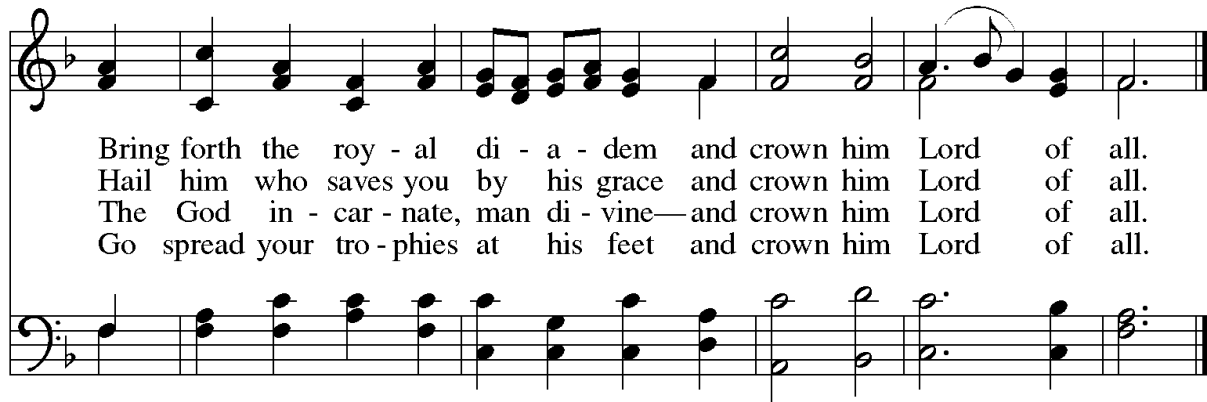
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!



1 All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;
2 O seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race now ran - somed from the fall,
3 Hail him, you heirs of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did call—
4 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the gall,



bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him Lord of all.
hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all.
the God in - car - nate, man di - vine—and crown him Lord of all.
go spread your tro - phies at his feet and crown him Lord of all.



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5 Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe
on this terrestrial ball
to him all majesty ascribe
and crown him Lord of all.

6 Oh, that with yonder sacred throng
we at his feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song
and crown him Lord of all.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the Holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sins, whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Seeking reconciliation with God and neighbor, let us remember the gift of baptism and confess our sins.

Silence for reflection.

To you, O God,

all hearts are open and all desires are known. We come to you, confessing our sins. Forgive us in your mercy, and remember us in your love. Show us your ways; teach us your paths; and lead us in justice and truth, for the sake of your goodness in Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

By water and the Holy Spirit God gives you a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, † God forgives you all your sins. The God of mercy and might strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

GREETING

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Refrain
Assembly



This is the feast of



vic - t'ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.



Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.



Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and join in the hymn of



all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing and hon - or,



glo - ry and might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together. God of love,
giver of life, you know our frailties and failings. Give us your grace to overcome them, keep us from those things that harm us, and guide us in the way of salvation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Please be seated.

A TIME FOR YOUNGER DISCIPLES

Pastor Lara

WORD

FIRST READING: *Philippians 2:1-13*

If, then, there is any comfort in Christ, any consolation from love, any partnership in the Spirit, any tender affection and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or empty conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. Let each of you look not to your own interests but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

who, though he existed in the form of God,

did not regard equality with God

as something to be grasped,

but emptied himself,

taking the form of a slave,

assuming human likeness.

And being found in appearance as a human,

he humbled himself

and became obedient to the point of death—

even death on a cross.

Therefore God exalted him even more highly
 and gave him the name
 that is above every other name,
 so that at the name given to Jesus
 every knee should bend,
 in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
 and every tongue should confess
 that Jesus Christ is Lord,
 to the glory of God the Father.

Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence but much more now in my absence, work on your own salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Assembly

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Lord, to whom shall we go?___ You have the words of e -

ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: Luke 6:41-45

[Jesus said] “Why do you see the speck in your neighbor’s eye but do not notice the log in your own eye? Or how can you say to your neighbor, ‘Friend, let me take out the speck in your eye,’ when you yourself do not see the log in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbor’s eye.

“No good tree bears bad fruit, nor again does a bad tree bear good fruit; for each tree is known by its own fruit. For people do not gather figs from thorns, nor do they pick grapes from a bramble bush. The good person out of the good treasure of the heart produces good, and the evil person out of evil treasure produces evil, for it is out of the abundance of the heart that the mouth speaks.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

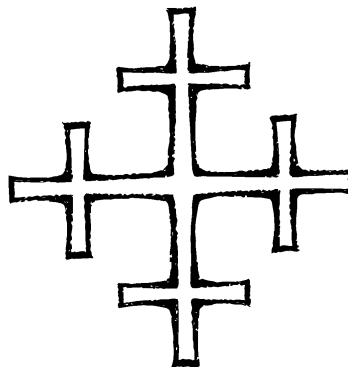
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

Pastor Lara Forbes

Please stand as you are able.



HYMN

At the Name of Jesus



1 At the name of Je - sus ev - 'ry knee shall bow,
2 At his voice cre - a - tion sprang at once to sight,
3 Hum - bled for a sea - son, to re - ceive a name
4 In your hearts en - throne him; there let him sub - due
5 Chris - tians, this Lord Je - sus shall re - turn a - gain



ev - 'ry tongue con - fess him king of glo - ry now.
all the an - gel fac - es, all the hosts of light,
from the lips of sin - ners un - to whom he came,
all that is not ho - ly, all that is not true.
on the clouds of glo - ry, with his an - gel train;



It is God's good plea - sure we should call him Lord,
thrones and dom - i - na - tions, stars up - on their way,
faith - ful - ly he bore it spot - less to the last;
Crown him as your cap - tain in temp - ta - tion's hour;
for all wreaths of em - pire meet up - on his brow,



who from the be - gin - ning was the might - y Word.
all the heav'n - ly or - ders in their great ar - ray.
brought it back vic - to - rious when from death he passed.
let his will en - fold you in its light and pow'r.
and our hearts con - fess him king of glo - ry now.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

Trusting in God's baptismal promises, we affirm our faith using the words of the Apostles' Creed.

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy *catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

** here, "catholic" means the wholeness of the church in all times and places.*

Younger Disciples Tip ~ Prayers/Offering: Invite children to write down who they want to pray for this week and one way they can serve their family/community.

THE PRAYERS

After each petition, the leader will say, “God of grace”.
Your response is, **hear our prayer.**

THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

Please greet people around you as you are comfortable.

Please be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING Our ushers will be passing offering plates. We welcome your gifts to support the mission and ministry of Saint Andrew’s Lutheran Church. There are envelopes in the pews, or you can give online using the QR code.

Pastor Lara



OFFERTORY MUSIC

“Amazing Grace”
The Chancel Choir

Arlen Clarke

*Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,
that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;
was blind, but now I see.*

*The Lord has promised good to me;
his word my hope secures;
he will my shield and portion be
as long as life endures.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed!*

*Through many dangers, toils, and snares
I have already come;
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.*

Please stand as you are able.

OFFERTORY VERSE

Refrain
Assembly

Now we of - fer you, our
Fa - ther, with the bread and with the wine all our
joys and all our sor - rows, all our strug - gles_ and our
time. 1 As the fields of wheat now grow - ing will be -
2 We sing glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to
come a ho - ly sign_ so shall we re - veal you,
Christ who lives a - bove,_ and we praise the Ho - ly
Refrain
Je - sus, that in us you now may shine._
Spir - it for the gift to us of love._ Now we

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God,
ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.


It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life.

And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

Assembly



Ho - ly, ho - ly,

ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might, —

heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in — the

high - est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the

Lord. — Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

On the night that Jesus was betrayed, he took bread, blessed and broke it and shared it with his friends, saying, “Take and eat, this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After they had eaten, Jesus took the cup, blessed it, and shared it with his friends, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood which is shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

We pray together the prayer Jesus taught us:

THE LORD’S PRAYER

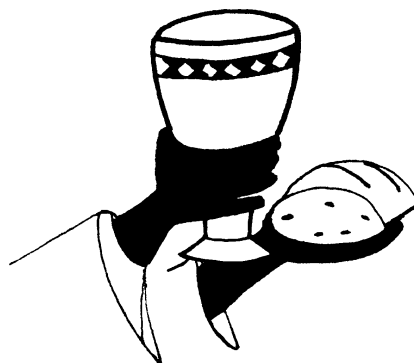
**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to the table of new life.
Receive the risen Lord.

Please be seated.

*We wait silently as the participants who are worshipping online are communed.
All are invited and welcome at the Lord’s table.*



LAMB OF GOD

Assembly

Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; _____ have mer - cy on us.
Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; _____ have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; _____ grant us _____ peace. _____

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Communion is received around the altar rail. You are invited to kneel or stand as you feel comfortable. Please follow the directions of the ushers and use the hand sanitizer provided.

Bread is placed in the hands. Red wine and White grape juice are offered by individual cup. Please ask if you would like a gluten-free option.

If you wish to be communed in your seat, please let one of the ushers/hospitality team know.

COMMUNION HYMN

Bread of Life from Heaven

Refrain

Bread of life from heav-en, your blood and bod - y giv - en,

we eat this bread and drink this cup un - til you come a - gain.

- 1 Break now the bread of Christ's sac - ri - fice; giv - ing
- 2 Seek not the food that will pass a - way; set your
- 3 Love as the one who, in love for you, gave him -
- 4 Dwell in the one who now dwells in you; make your
- 5 Drink of this cup and de - clare his death; eat this

thanks, hun - gry ones, gath - er round. Eat, all of you, and be
 hearts on the food that en - dures. Come, learn the true and the
 self for the life of the world. Come to the one who is
 home in the life - giv - ing Word. Know on - ly Christ, Ho - ly
 bread and be - lieve Eas - ter morn; trust his re - turn and, with

sat - is - fied; in Christ's pres - ence the loaves will a - bound.
 liv - ing way, that the full - ness of life may be yours.
 food for you, that your hun - ger and thirst be no more.
 One of God, and be - lieve in the truth you have heard.
 ev - 'ry breath, praise the one in whom you are re - born.

Refrain

Please stand as you are able

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us prayer together. Holy One,
through this meal you have made your home among us and are making all things new. Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts, to love our enemies, and to bring your healing to the nations. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

SENDING

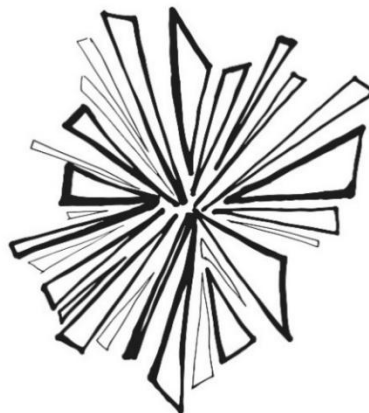
Younger Disciples Tip ~ Blessing: Mark the sign of the cross on your child's forehead as a reminder of this sending blessing

BLESSING

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

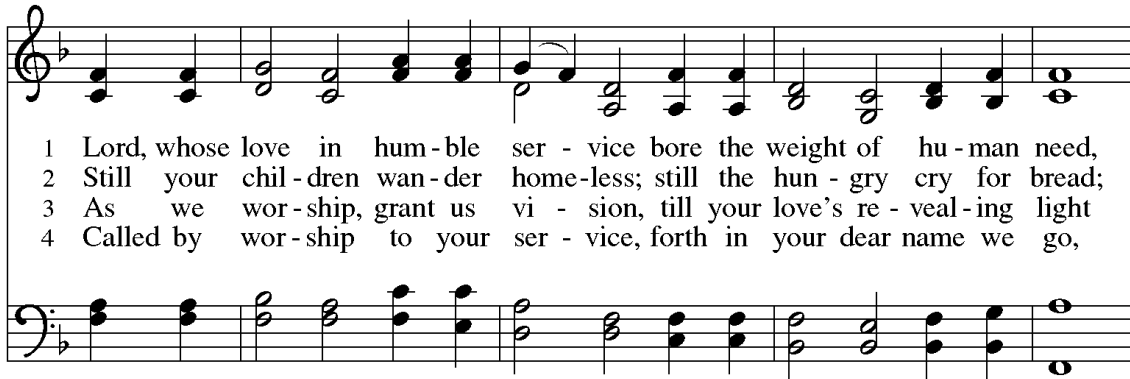
Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end, Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead, and the Holy Spirit, our advocate and peace, ✠ bless you now and forever.
Amen.

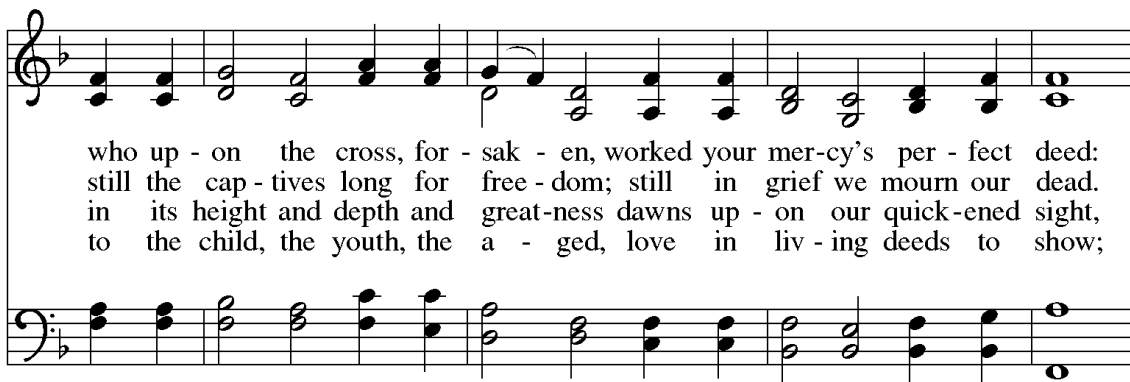


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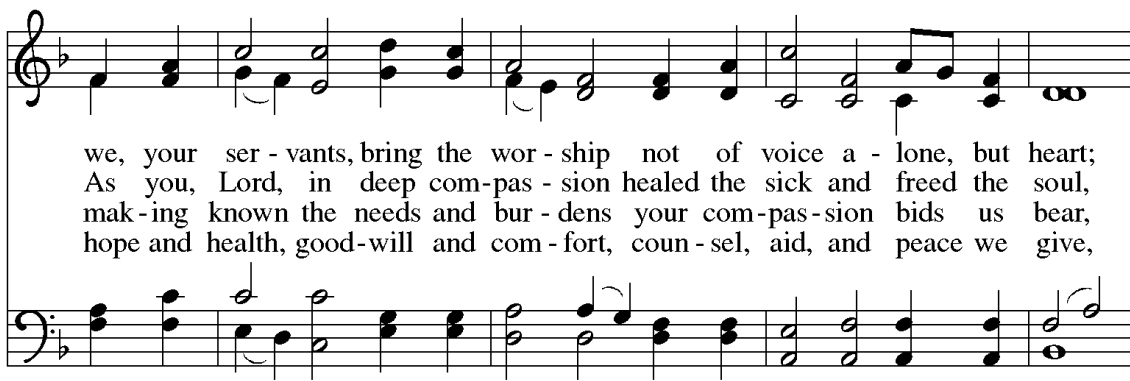
Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service



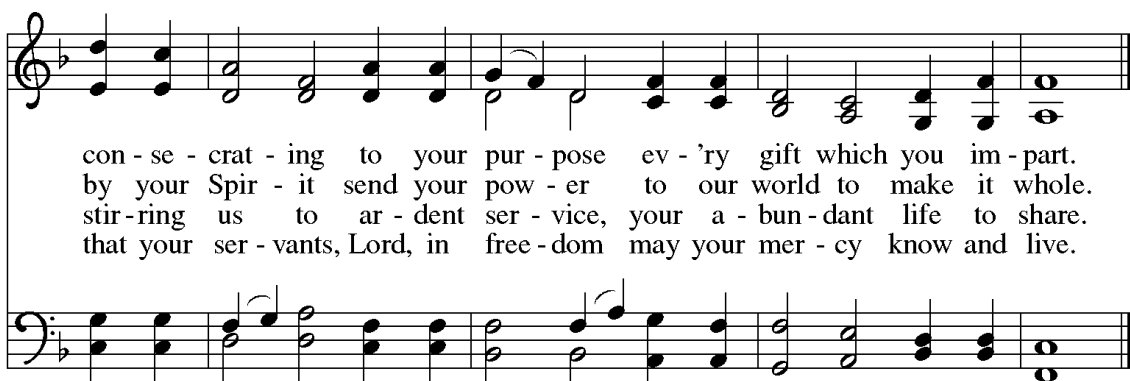
1 Lord, whose love in hum-ble ser - vice bore the weight of hu - man need,
2 Still your chil - dren wan - der home-less; still the hun - gry cry for bread;
3 As we wor - ship, grant us vi - sion, till your love's re - veal - ing light
4 Called by wor - ship to your ser - vice, forth in your dear name we go,



who up - on the cross, for - sak - en, worked your mer - cy's per - fect deed:
still the cap - tives long for free - dom; still in grief we mourn our dead.
in its height and depth and great-ness dawns up - on our quick-ened sight,
to the child, the youth, the a - ged, love in liv - ing deeds to show;



we, your ser - vants, bring the wor - ship not of voice a - lone, but heart;
As you, Lord, in deep com - pas - sion healed the sick and freed the soul,
mak - ing known the needs and bur - dens your com - pas - sion bids us bear,
hope and health, good-will and com - fort, coun - sel, aid, and peace we give,



con - se - crat - ing to your pur - pose ev - 'ry gift which you im - part.
by your Spir - it send your pow - er to our world to make it whole.
stir - ring us to ar - dent ser - vice, your a - bun - dant life to share.
that your ser - vants, Lord, in free - dom may your mer - cy know and live.

SENDING

All children and youth are invited to come forward to participate in the sending.

Go in peace. Share God's love.

Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

“Carillon”

George Bizet

Will Simpson, Organ and Vanessa Wilkie, handbells

*The flowers today are given by Carol Schnieder and Ed Coker
In loving memory of our parents and grandparents.*



Thank you to all who are assisting with worship today:

Pastor Lara Forbes, *Preaching and Presiding*

Will Simpson, *Director of Music*

Vanessa Wilkie, *Bell Choir Director*

Elaine Koga, *Accompanist*

Amy Baro, *Assisting Minister*

Jean Wahlstrom, *Lector*

Avery Laub, *Acolyte*

Tom Benson and Mark Davis, *Ushers*

Karin Eklof, *Altar Guild*

Dianne Chong, *Livestream video*

Johannes Grad, *Audio*

Hal andCarolynn Ferris, *Greeters*

Terri Anderson, *Coffee host*

**Worship Text for May 24
Pentecost
Acts 2:1-21**

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Aging in Place



O.W.L.S.

Older, Wiser Lutheran Saints

What you need to keep your life balanced as the days speed by – from staying upright to ideas on healthy aging.

Brigette Quinn, a case manager and RN in the Emergency Department at Overlake Hospital Medical Center, will bring her expertise and handouts to the OWLS (Older, Wiser Lutheran Saints) luncheon on **Tuesday, May 19.**

We gather at **11:45 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall and enjoy a potluck lunch at noon. If able, please pitch in with a dish to share. Questions? Call Fellowship Coordinator Sherry Grindeland at 425-7460-2529 or email sherry@salc.church.

GIVE BLOOD & WIN OAHU BLOOD DRIVE

ST. ANDREW'S LUTHERAN CHURCH BLOOD DRIVE
Bloodmobile

Thursday, May 28 | 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Scan the QR code to book your one hour appointment.

Appointments and photo ID required to donate.
Eat a hearty meal and drink plenty of fluids prior to your appointment.

DONATE BLOOD APRIL 1-MAY 31 AND ENTER TO WIN A 3-NIGHT TRIP FOR 2 TO OAHU!

800-398-7888 | bloodworksnw.org/win

Bloodworks Northwest

@bloodworksnw @ f in

Thursday, May 28th : Our next blood drive is on the horizon! This time the **Bloodmobile** will be our parking lot ... which means a few less spots available. Use the QR code to schedule your appointment! They are currently in critical need of O positive. **Bonus – you are entered to win a trip for two to Oahu! Come with a friend – you'll get cookies!**

Spread the word ! We have 24 spots open! Let's fill in ALL the blanks!!

Book Study with Pastor Lara:

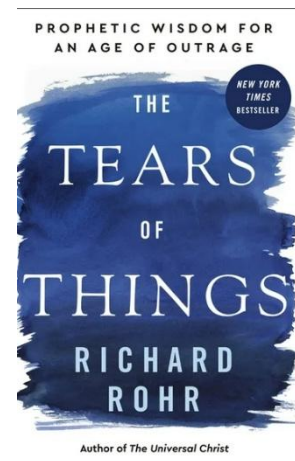
On **Tuesdays and Wednesdays in June**, we will study Father Richard Rohr's book *The Tears of Things: Prophetic Wisdom for an Age of Outrage*. In this book, Father Rohr uses the writings of the Jewish prophets to help us find a compassionate path forward in today's world. The prophets' writings span the gamut of human maturity and emotion as they critique culture and the world's suffering. Their work, and their own spiritual journey, provide reminders of our connectedness to one another and to the world as they acknowledge God's divine love.

There will be two opportunities for discussion each week. On **Tuesdays, there will be a hybrid option from 10:00am - 11:30am either in-person or via Zoom**. On **Wednesdays**, there will be an **online only option from 7:00pm - 8:30pm**.

We will follow this schedule for the discussions:

- June 2 (Tu), 3 (W) - Introduction, Chapters 1 and 2
- June 9 (Tu), 10 (W) - Chapters 3 and 4
- June 16 (Tu), 17 (W) - Chapters 5 and 6
- June 23 (Tu), 24 (W) - Chapters 7 and 8
- June 30 (Tu), July 1 (W) - Chapters 9 and 10

Please contact Pastor Lara (pastor@salc.church) if you have any questions.



There is a CALLED MEETING of the CONGREGATION set for Sunday, June 14, 2026 at 11:15 AM. Annual reports will be available, there will be a ratification vote on the Constitution updates and updates on other Saint Andrew's business. Plan to attend!

Calendar

Sunday, May 17

- 9:00 AM Adult Education
Sunday School (preschool – 5th grade)
10:00 AM Worship
11:15 AM Knit Wits
12:30 PM Acolyte Meeting

Monday, May 18

- 1:00 PM Staff
6:30 PM Worship & Music Committee
7:00 PM Discipleship Committee

Tuesday, May 19

- 8:30 AM Tuesday Morning Men
10:00 AM Pastor's Bible Study
11:45 AM O.W.L.S.
7:00 PM Outreach Committee meeting

Wednesday, May 20

- 10:00 AM Women's Book Group

Thursday, May 21

- 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Friday, May 22

Office is closed

Saturday, May 23

Sunday, May 24

- 9:00 AM Education Hour
10:00 AM Worship

Monday, May 25

Office Closed-Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 26

- 8:30 AM Tuesday Morning Men
11:00 AM Staff Meeting
2:00 PM Sophia Way Lunch Drop Off
7:00 PM Building and Property Committee

Wednesday, May 27

- 10:30 AM Sophia Way Lunch Delivery
7:00 PM Youth Gathering Interest Meeting
7:00 PM JEDI Committee Meeting

Thursday, May 28

- 9:00 AM Blood Drive/Blood Mobile
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Friday, May 29

Office Closed

Saturday, May 30

Sunday, May 31

- 10:00 AM Worship
7:00 PM Youth Gathering Interest meeting

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