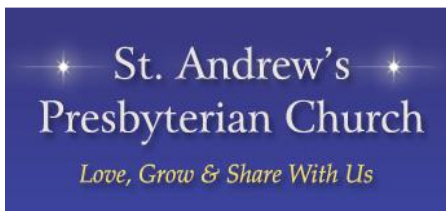


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ORDER OF WORSHIP
March 2, 2014



**indicates a time to stand if you are able*

PRELUDE

Rebekah Scogin

GREETING

Dr. Brett Becker

PASTOR: Come worship the Lord with me.

PEOPLE: And let us exalt God's name together!

*** PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE**

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you!

MANY: And also with you!

*** SONG OF GATHERING** "Morning Has Broken"

Hymnal, #469

*** CALL TO WORSHIP** *responsive*

ONE: What does the Lord require of us?

MANY: To do justice.

ONE: To love mercy.

MANY: And to walk humbly with our God.

ONE: On this day of worship, let us love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind and strength.

MANY: And let us love our neighbors as ourselves.

*** HYMN OF PRAISE** "I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

Hymnal, #288

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *unison*

Lisa DeBoer

God of mercy and grace, you know our sin before we confess it. Still, we need to confess it to you and own it in your presence. We confess to you now the wrongdoing that no one knows but you, as well as the wrong actions that everybody around us knows. We confess the sins that are a weight around our necks, as well as the sins that no longer bother us because we have grown used to them. We confess our attitude of pride: we have been sure of our own goodness and importance and have looked down on our sisters and brothers. God, we ask for your forgiveness. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open us up to a future in which we can be changed; and grant us the strength and courage to begin anew and to live differently than we have been, for it is in the healing name of our Lord Jesus Christ that we pray. Amen.

SILENT AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

SUNG PRAYER OF INTROSPECTION "Search Me, O God"

on screens

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS *responsive*

ONE: Friends, hear and believe the good news of the gospel.

MANY: Because of the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and set free to start again.

ONE: Thanks be to God!

ALL: Hallelujah! Amen.

* **HYMN OF CONFIDENCE** “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” Hymnal, #260

THE EPISTLE READING Ephesians 6: 10–18

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM “Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”

*St. Andrew’s Choir,
Cindy Bowers, directing*

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Julie Sommers

THE GOSPEL READING Matthew 6: 9–13

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

AN INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD **THE LORD’S PRAYER** *Dr. Brett Becker*

“Lead Us Not into Temptation, but Deliver Us from Evil”

* **HYMN OF RESPONSE** “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” (vv. 1–3) Hymnal, #383

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

This is an intentional time of expressing our gratitude to God. Whether you have an offering this Sunday or not, take the plate, feel its touch in your hands, give thanks to God and bless all that is given this day.

* **DOXOLOGY** Hymnal, #592

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING**

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

LITANY OF COMMUNION *responsive*

ONE: In life and in death we belong to God.

MANY: In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve others in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives.

ONE: We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God.

MANY: Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed, blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

ONE: We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father.

MANY: In sovereign love, God created the world good and made everyone equal in God’s image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community.

ONE: We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life.

MANY: The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith, sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor, and binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church.

ONE: At this table there are no perfect followers of Christ – there is simply us, wanting our hearts and lives to be made new once again, that we might be faithful recipients of the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

MANY: So we gather here as one community, as followers of our common Savior: here at this table, may all find mercy, may all find peace, for this table is a banquet of God’s grace to us, a feast spread for all of us who do not – and cannot – deserve it.

ONE: But thanks be to God in Jesus Christ, for with his life he brought healing, with his death he brought reconciliation.

ALL: And with his resurrection he brought hope to all!

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP BY INTINCTION

- * **HYMN OF COMMITMENT** “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending” Hymnal, #422
- * **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**
- * **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** “God Be With You Till We Meet Again”
- * **POSTLUDE** *Rebekah Scogin*

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE: Greeter: Mona Wise; Liturgist: Lisa DeBoer; Children's Sermon: Julie Sommers; Communion Celebrant: Dr. Rachel Tobler; Communion Servers: Sandy Thoits and Dana Monk



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

This week I will pray for:

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

<p>2 9:30a Worship/ Communion 10:30a Mardi Gras Pancake Breakfast</p>	<p>3 12:30p Spirits in Action Bible Study 7p AA Grateful Group</p>	<p>4 6:45a Men's Study Fellowship Group 7p SBMC</p>	<p>5 10:30a HOME Team 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final 7p Ash Wednesday Worship Service at Goleta 7p AA Success</p>	<p>6 6p Centering Prayer 7p Youth Ministry Team 7p Mission Team</p>	<p>7 7p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p>8 10a Novel Book Group 11a HO Team 1p Watercolor Painting 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GLUTEN FREE BREAD for communion is available in the narthex.

THE BUD VASE ON THE PULPIT is to celebrate the arrival of twin grandchildren to Barbara & Scott Eschbach.

GUESTS Please stop by our Welcome Table this morning for a free coffee mug and information about St. Andrew's mission and programs. *Please fill out the blue Welcome Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate as it comes by today.*

PYF TODAY 10:30a.m. Mardi Gras Pancake Breakfast. PYF Sunday, March 9, 2:30p.m. Sky High Sports Trampoline Place.

MARDI GRAS PANCAKE BREAKFAST THIS MORNING, 10:30a.m. in Morgan Hall. Tickets can be purchased at the door. Suggested donation \$8/person, \$25/family.

A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR MIGS BLAKE will be held this afternoon at 2:30p.m. in the Sanctuary. The reception will be at 1:00p.m. in Morgan Hall, *prior to the service.*

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE, at Goleta Presbyterian Church, Wednesday, March 5 at 7:00p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S ALL CHURCH BRUNCH, SUNDAY, MARCH 16, 10:30a.m. in Morgan Hall. The event will also include a short presentation about the recipient of this year's Birthday Offering -Blue Corn Mothers Alliance, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Brunch is \$5 per person. Sign up with Bev Ford during coffee time.

LENTEN STUDY GROUPS *Forgiveness-A Lenten Study* is the book chosen by the Adult Education Team for this year's Lenten study groups. Sign-up today with Linda Sizer, choose your preferred meeting time and order a book. Study groups will meet on Sunday, March 9, March 23, and April 6, 11a.m. in the Crawford Library and Thursdays, 3p.m. starting March 13, at the home of Harold and Enid Englund.

ST. ANDREW'S LENTEN WEEKEND OF CARING, March 14-16. Special opportunities for all ages to reach out and help those in need in our local community. See attached flyer for more information. Sign up during coffee fellowship time.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING ON PROPERTY SALE, including official congregational vote on approval of the proposed sale. Sunday, March 30, 10:30a.m. immediately following the worship service in the Sanctuary. All church members are urged to attend this important meeting. Childcare provided. Locations of proposed parcel map lines have been marked in orange on the site for viewing prior to the meeting. Maps are available in a container near the Sanctuary doors. Please contact Tom Brashears, PET chair, with any questions.

NEW MEMBER CLASS, SATURDAY APRIL 12, 9A - 2P.M. If interested in coming to this class, contact the church office. New members will join on Easter Sunday.

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OFFERINGS OF PRAYER

Joys and Concerns from last Sunday's Worship Service

Please note – On Sundays, joys and concerns may be written down on the forms provided in the sanctuary lobby. They will be displayed on the screens during the prayer time. Prayers may also be submitted by email to standrewsprayers@gmail.com by 7:00p.m. each Saturday. Please indicate in your email whether we can share your joys and concerns with the congregation by email and on the church website.

Concerns

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Concern</u>
<i>Nelsa Scofield</i>	<i>Carolyn Allbright</i>	<i>Healing, not feeling well</i>

Joys

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Joy</u>
<i>Deacons</i>	<i>Barb & Scott Eschbach</i>	<i>Arrival of twin grandchildren</i>

Ongoing Prayer Requests

Those who have been ill or injured:

David Benson, Miller Breese (Friend of Porter), Ernie & Betty Brooks, Dorothy Naegle, Carole Wallace
Please let us know of changes we should make in the Prayer List.

Those in convalescent care:

Goleta Cottage: Liz McNeil

Mission Terrace: Patricia Collins

Samarkand Health Care Center: George Hitchens

Vista Del Monte Health Center: Joan Cyr and Barbara Hagen

Presbytery Prayer Concern:

Congregation and staff at First Presbyterian Church of Lompoc, Pastor Randy Working