



ORDER OF WORSHIP

St. Andrew's Day of Caring

April 24, 2016



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

PRELUDE

Dr. Christopher Davis

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Brett Becker

GREETING *responsive*

PASTOR: For even the Son of Man did not come to be served

PEOPLE: **But to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many!**

* PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you!

OTHER: **And also with you!**

* SONG OF GATHERING "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" verse 1 Hymnal, #150

* CALL TO WORSHIP *responsive*

ONE: Come worship the Lord with me!

MANY: **And let us exalt God's name together!**

ONE: Come let us worship and bow down.

MANY: **Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker.**

ONE: Today we will worship the Lord with gladness.

ALL: **We will come into God's presence with singing!**

* MORNING HYMN OF PRAISE "Morning Has Broken" Hymnal, #469

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *unison*

O God, illumine our hearts today with the light of Christ's presence, that our lives may show forth your love in this world of need. Help us today to befriend the lost, serve the poor, forgive our trespassers, and remember the outcast. Forgive us our sins so that we may know oneness of relationship with you. Free us from selfishness, that we might know the joy of your presence. Make us faithful in service and diligent in deeds of love, that Christ's liberation might be known in our world. Amen.

SILENT AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

SUNG PRAYER OF INTROSPECTION "Search Me, O God" *on screens*

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS *responsive*

ONE: If anyone is in Christ

MANY: **He or she is a new creation.**

ONE: The old things have passed away.

MANY: **Behold, all things have become new!**

ONE: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel!

MANY: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

ONE: Give thanks, for the Lord is good.

ALL: God's love is everlasting.

MOMENT FOR MISSION HEAL

Linda McDaid

ANTHEM "Christ Has Broken Down the Wall"

St. Andrew's Choir

THE SCRIPTURE READING Amos 5:23-24

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

HOMILY "On a Roll!"

Dr. Brett Becker

* **HYMN OF RESPONSE** "The Servant Song" vss. 1, 2, 4, 6 Sing the Faith, #2222

* **LITANY OF SERVICE**

PASTOR: Prepare us, Lord, to serve our sisters and brothers in the community.

PEOPLE: Through our hands, give them this day their daily bread.

PASTOR: By our love and understanding, grant them grace and joy.

PEOPLE: God, carve a channel of peace, that where there is hatred

PASTOR: I may bring love; where there is wrong

PEOPLE: I may bring a spirit of forgiveness; where there is doubt

PASTOR: I may bring faith; where there is discord

PEOPLE: I may bring harmony; where there is despair

PASTOR: I may bring hope; where there are shadows

PEOPLE: I may bring light.

PASTOR: Help us to seek to comfort today, rather than to be comforted

PEOPLE: To understand today, rather than to be understood

PASTOR: For it is in forgetting self that one finds God

ALL: It is by dying to self that one awakens to eternal life. Amen.

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**

* **HYMN OF SERVANTHOOD** "Lord, You Give the Great Commission" vss. 1,2,5 Hymnal, #429

* **THE SENDING FORTH**

Dr. Brett Becker

* **POSTLUDE**

Dr. Christopher Davis

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE: Greeters: Shelley and Larry Coldren



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

This week I will pray for:

Prayer requests for the Prayer Chain please email
Lydia Swanson at lydiaswanson@hotmail.com

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

<p>24 9:30a Worship 9:45a Church School 10:30a Showers of Blessings, Care Bags 3p Sing at Wood Glenn Hall</p> <p>2p Ministerios Llamada Final</p> <p>6p PYF</p>	<p>25</p> <p>3p Cerebral Palsy</p> <p>7p AA</p>	<p>26 7a Men's Fellowship Group</p> <p>1p Parkinson's</p> <p>7p Deacons 7p SBMC</p>	<p>27</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p> <p>7p Choir 7p AA</p>	<p>28 9a Lydia Circle</p> <p>1p Parkinson's</p> <p>3:30p Nominating Team</p>	<p>29</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p>30</p> <p>1p Watercolor Painting</p> <p>6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GUESTS Please stop by our Welcome Table this morning for 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.*

NO COFFEE HOUR TODAY

WEEKEND OF CARING TODAY 10:30a.m. Showers of Blessing (mobile shower) presentation; 11a.m. Care Bag Assembly; 12noon - 1p.m. serve brunch at Café Picasso, Isla Vista; 3-4p.m. Sing-A-Long at Wood Glenn Hall Retirement Community (meet at the church 2p.m. for rehearsal and to carpool to Wood Glenn Hall).

PYF TONIGHT 6-8p.m. at the church. PYF Sunday, May 1, 3-6p.m. Road Rally Adventure.

THE DEADLINE FOR THE MAY NEWSLETTER IS TODAY.

PIANIST CHRISTOPHER DAVIS will be giving a concert at St. Andrew's on Sunday, May 1, 4p.m. in the Sanctuary. "The Art of Longing" is a recital of German and French music with tenor Bryan Lane and pianist Christopher Davis. A free will offering will be taken. Reception in Morgan Hall. If you would like to bring food items for the reception please bring them to Morgan Hall before the concert, or when you come to church Sunday morning.

75TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF CHURCH WOMEN UNITED Friday, May 6, 10:30a.m. First Presbyterian Church, SB. Salad lunch \$8. R.S.V.P. to Michelle @ 687-0754 by Tuesday, May 3.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN SPRING GATHERING 2016, Saturday, May 14, 9:30a-2:30p.m. at the Nipomo Community Presbyterian Church. "Living Word: Doing God's Work in our Presbytery." Morning worship will be led by Rev. Judith Muller and the speaker will be Rev. Eugenia Gamble, pastor of the Nipomo church. Register by April 30 by emailing: klmienhouse@yahoo.com Registration fee is \$15. Brochures are available in the narthex.

THE 13TH MONTH CAMPAIGN from Session requests that you add an extra payment to your monthly 2016 pledge (or regular giving) to help erase the 2016 deficit budget. Please prayerfully consider and faithfully write out a "13th month" check to St. Andrew's for the amount you pledge/give per month. Return your check to the church in the Sunday worship offering, or by mail to the church office.

MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION Sunday, May 22, 10:30a.m. to elect church officers.

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Dr. Brett A. Becker, Pastor

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.

For prayer requests for the Prayer Chain please email Lydia Swanson at lydiaswanson@hotmail.com

Concerns

From

For

Concern

Joys

From

For

Joy

Ongoing Prayer Requests

Those who have been ill or injured:

Bob Allbright, David Benson, Miller Breese, Ernie & Betty Brooks, Brad Naegle, Carole Wallace

Please let us know of changes we should make in the Prayer List.

Those in convalescent care:

St. John's Hospital, Camarillo: Liz McNeil

Valle Verde Health Center: Bob McWilliams

Vista Del Monte Health Center: Joan Cyr