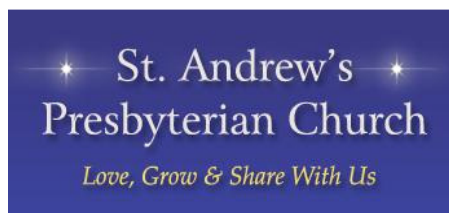


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**ORDER OF WORSHIP
SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 20, 2012**



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

- PRELUDE** *Konrad Kono*
- GREETING** *responsive* *Dr. Brett Becker*
- * PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE**
- * SONG OF GATHERING** "Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks" *Hymnal, #106*
- * CALL TO WORSHIP** *responsive* From Micah 6 *Meredith Crisalli*
- * HYMN OF HOPE** "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" *Hymnal, #260*
- PRAYER OF CONFESSION** *unison*
- Lord God, we praise you for your compassion, for your generosity, and for offering us all that we need. We confess that we build up walls that prevent us from recognizing grace in uncomfortable places; that restrict us from following you freely and with glad hearts; that act as a cage in which love, hope, joy, peace, patience and kindness wither and bear no fruit within us. Knock down our walls of control and pride, of fear and anger, that we may follow your path unrestricted and unshackled this day. Amen.
- SILENT AND PERSONAL CONFESSION**
- SUNG PRAYER OF INTENTION** "Change My Heart"
- ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS** *responsive*
- * HYMN OF ADORATION** "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" *Hymnal, #288*
- FIRST SCRIPTURE READING** Judges 16: 1-14
- ANTHEM** "Total Praise" *St. Andrew's Choir*
- TIME WITH THE CHILDREN** *Julie Sommers*
- SECOND SCRIPTURE READING** Judges 16: 15-31
- AN INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD** **SAINTS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT** *Dr. Brett Becker*
"Samson: Victory from Defeat"
- * SONG OF RESPONSE** "I Will Call upon the Lord" *on screens*
- 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, #591*
- * PRAYER OF DEDICATION and THANKSGIVING**
- * HYMN OF COMMITMENT** "God of Our Life" *Hymnal, #275*
- * BENEDICTION**
- * BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "God Be With You Till We Meet Again"
- * POSTLUDE** *Konrad Kono*

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE: Greeter: Margaret Blake;
 Liturgist: Meredith Crisalli; Children's Sermon: Julie Sommers



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

This week I will pray for:

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

<p>20 830a Faithful Followers Fete 9:30a Worship 9:45a Church School 10:30a Coffee Fellowship 11a Chinle Planning Meeting 6p PYF</p>	<p>21 1p Bible Study 1p Writing Group 6:30p Centering Prayer 7p AA Grateful Group</p>	<p>22 7p Deacons</p>	<p>23 6:45a Men's Bible Study- Cody's 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final 7p AA Success 7p Choir</p>	<p>24 9:30a Lydia Circle - at Cody's 6:30p Eve Circle Potluck - home of Sara Vickers</p>	<p>25 7p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p>26 9:30a Tabitha Circle 1p Watercolor Painting 7p Ministerios Llamada Final</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 at the church 6-8p.m.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE FOR THE JUNE LIGHTHOUSE IS TODAY

LUAU AND POOL PARTY AT GIORGI PARK, Sunday, May 27th, 1-4p.m. \$5 for the meal/\$15 per family (dinner served at 3:15p.m.). Sign up following worship.

THE PENTECOST OFFERING will be received Sunday, May 27.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3 - HONORING GRADUATES. If you have a family member graduating this year please let the church office know from what school graduating and plans for next year. We would also like 6 photos (growing up, family, graduation, etc.) and email them to Sandy Thoits @ sthoits@verizon.net by May 25th.

MISSION TRIP TO CHINLE, ARIZONA St. Andrew's is planning a mission trip to Trinity Presbyterian Church June 9-15. Cost of the trip is approximately \$350. Solar lights can be purchased as a fundraiser during coffee fellowship time (lights cost \$20 each. Planning meeting today 11a.m. in the Crawford Library

SIGN UP NOW for Vacation Bible School, July 23-27, with performance of the musical "What's Up Zak?" on Sunday, July 29. Registration forms are available on St. Andrew's web page or in the Narthex.

THE REPORT ON PLEDGE INCOME to the church as of April 30, 2012:

\$93,982.00 Budgeted Contributions

\$92,695.19 Contributions Received

ST. ANDREW'S PRESCHOOL There are a few openings remaining for fall, 2012, in St. Andrew's Preschool. This is a wonderful opportunity to experience Christian nurture for children and families alike. Please contact Cindy Oliver, Director at 964-6114.

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 7:00 pm 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>
Twyla Grier	Kirk	Hip surgery May 22
Cheri & Chris Hoeckley	Kirsten & family Chris's sister-in-law	Death of husband, Alex Diagnosed with breast cancer
Lisa Zamora	Mother	Ill
Ann Padden-Rubin	Noni Patchell All mothers & mothers to be	Diagnosed with breast cancer That all may receive quality maternal health care

Joys

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Joy</u>
Louise Carey	Grandchildren	Twins (boy & girl) born May 14

Ongoing Prayer Requests

Those who have been ill or injured:

Willy Hughes, Bob Meisbauer, and Gordon Specht

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

Those in convalescent care:

Goleta Cottage: Liz McNeil; Mission Terrace: Eleanor Vos;

Samarkand Health Center: Jane Hewitt; Vista Del Monte Health Center: Margaret Blake

Presbytery Prayer Concern:

Presbytery of Santa Barbara staff: Executive Presbyter Jan Armstrong, Stated Clerk Michelle Holmes, and retired Executive Presbyter Ken Working