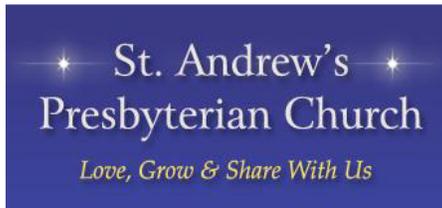


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ORDER OF WORSHIP
June 21, 2015



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

PRELUDE

Dr. Christopher Davis

GREETING

Rev. Suzanne Malloy

PASTOR: This is the day that the Lord has made!

PEOPLE: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

*** PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE**

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you.

OTHER: And also with you.

*** SONG OF GATHERING** "As We Gather"

Renew!, #6

*** CALL TO WORSHIP** *responsive* Paraphrase of Psalm 103

Elder Linda Sizer

ONE: Come, bless the Lord with me!

MANY: For the Lord is like a father to his children: compassionate and merciful, filled with endless love.

ONE: God forgives our sins, and heals the discomfort inside us;

MANY: God surrounds us with love and mercy and fills our lives with goodness!

ALL: Let us worship God together!

*** SONG OF PRAISE** "I Love to Tell the Story"

on screens

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION *unison*

Creator God, in humility you call us your children. You are greater than we can ever begin to imagine, and yet you invite us to call you "Our Father". Forgive us that we call you "Our Father" but fail to live as your children. We do not trust you as we should, preferring instead to follow our own inclinations. We are reluctant to accept your will, repeatedly disobeying your instructions. We are slow to ask your guidance, but swift to forget you. We all too rarely thank you for what we have, and all too often complain when we do not receive what we request. Forgive our feeble response, and accept our thanks for your refusal to give up on us, working instead to draw us closer. You are always there for us, waiting to welcome us back and set us on our feet again. Accept our gratitude, and our praise. Amen.

SILENT AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

SUNG PRAYER OF INTROSPECTION "Search Me, O God"

on screens

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS *responsive*

ONE: Who is in a position to condemn?

MANY: Only Jesus Christ. Yet Christ died for us.

ONE: Christ rose for us.

MANY: Christ reigns in power for us.

ONE: Christ prays for us. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel!

MANY: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

ONE: Give praise to God!

ALL: Hallelujah!

SONG OF RESPONSE "Now Thank We All Our God" (vs. 1) Hymnal, #555

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Job 38: 1-41

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Julie Sommers

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING 2 Corinthians 6: 1-13

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

AN INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD We Love to Tell the Story *Rev. Suzanne Malloy*

"A Father's Story"

A FATHERS' DAY LITANY *responsive* Adapted by Robb McCoy from the Book of Worship

ONE: For fathers everywhere, who have given us life and love, that we may show them respect and love.

ALL: Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers.

ONE: For fathers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope, and their family and friends support and console them

ALL: Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers that mourn.

ONE: For men who may or may not have children of their own, but act like a father to someone in need of advice, support, nurturing, and love.

ALL: Holy God, hear this prayer for our father figures.

ONE: For step-fathers who have assumed that role with love and joy, who have loved the children of another as their own, and created a new family.

ALL: Holy God, hear this prayer for step-fathers.

ONE: For adoptive fathers, who have heard the call of God to lovingly step forward for those that need their care.

ALL: Holy God, hear this prayer for adoptive fathers.

ONE: For fathers who have been unable to be a source of strength, who have not responded to the needs of their children, and have not sustained their families.

ALL: Holy God, have mercy on absentee fathers.

ONE: For fathers who struggle with temptation, violence, or addiction. For those who do harm, and for those whom they have harmed.

ALL: Holy God, have mercy on fathers that struggle.

ONE: For new fathers, full of hope. For long-time fathers, full of wisdom. For the fathers yet to be, and fathers soon to be.

ALL: Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of your Church.

ONE: For those that have shaped our lives without claim of family or kinship. For those who have taught us, guided us, shaped us and molded us into servants of Christ our Lord.

ALL: Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of our faith.

ONE: God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, spouses and mothers, brothers and sisters, honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

* **HYMN OF IDENTITY** "Mother Us Gently" *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, #592

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING**

* **SONG OF CONVICTION** "Guide My Feet" Hymnal, #354

* **BENEDICTION**

* **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "God Be with You Till We Meet Again" *on screens*

* **POSTLUDE** *Dr. Christopher Davis*

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE: Greeter: Martha Hitchens;
 Liturgist: Linda Sizer; Children's Sermon: Julie Sommers



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

This week I will pray for:

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

21 9:30a Worship 9:45a Church School 11a Coffee Fellowship 2p Ministerios Llamada Final	22 7p AA Grateful Group	23 6:45a Men's Fellowship Group 1p Parkinson's 7p SBMC	24 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final 7p AA Success	25 1p Parkinson's	26 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final	27 9:30a Tabitha Circle 9:30a Liturgical Reading Workshop 1p Watercolor Painting 6:30p Ministerios Llamada Final
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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 PYF TODAY - Father's Day. PYF Sunday, June 28, at the church 6-8p.m.

LITURGICAL READING WORKSHOP ON JUNE 27, from 9:30-11:30a.m. Would you like to improve your liturgical reading skills? Do you simply want to learn how to speak into a microphone? Do you want to see what you look and sound like from the church pulpit? Laugh and learn as former theater arts teacher Linda Sizer and Rev. Suzanne Malloy work with us to give voice to the Word of God!

TERMITE TENTING WILL TAKE PLACE MONDAY, JUNE 29-WEDNESDAY, JULY 1 for all three buildings. All food items need to be removed by Sunday, June 28. **Questions? Call the church office.**

FAMILY FUN FAIRE SUNDAY, JULY 5TH 10:30AM – 12NOON on the church lawn. Cake and pie baking contest, games, and music. Lunch is \$5 per person. Sign up during coffee fellowship time.

SUMMER MUSIC The Worship Team is seeking special music for the summer Sundays when our choir is taking a break. The summer choir will sing on July 5 and August 2. If you would like to share your gift of music with the congregation on any other Sunday morning contact Christopher Davis @ 619-405-3218 or chrisdavis.music@gmail.com

THE INTERFAITH INITIATIVE OF SANTA BARBARA COUNTY warmly invites you to a special dinner presentation and conversation about Islam in America. **ISLAM IN AMERICA: "TALKING THRU WALLS"** Sunday, June 28, 6:30 pm, Film: "Talking Through Walls" **Place:** Trinity Episcopal Church, 1500 State Street, Santa Barbara, CA **Date:** Sunday, June 28 **Time:** 6:30 PM **Cost:** \$25 includes a Persian Dinner (halal) following the film (\$15 for Students)

SUMMER WEEKEND OF CARING. July 11 – 12. Sat. July 11, 2 – 4PM: Neighborhood Disaster Preparedness Fair at St. Andrew's. Presentations and displays by Red Cross, CERT trailer, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA), Equine Assistance & Evacuation, disaster kits, kids activates and more. Sunday, July 12, 2 – 4PM: Interfaith Pride Celebration at the Sunken Gardens, SB County Courthouse. Come serve our neighbors and community. See the sign up list with ways to serve during coffee hour.

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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>
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Joys

<u>From</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Joy</u>
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Ongoing Prayer Requests

Those who have been ill or injured:

David Benson, Miller Breese, Ernie & Betty Brooks, Patricia Collins, Nettie Graham, Brad Naegle, Carole Wallace

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

Those in convalescent care:

Goleta Cottage Hospital: Liz McNeil

Valle Verde Health Center: Bob McWilliams

Vista Del Monte Health Center: Joan Cyr and Barbara Hagen

Presbytery Prayer Concern:

Minister members Zefjan Nikolla and Altin Hysi, pastors of the Emanuel Reformed Church of Tirana, Albania