



# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## February 12, 2017



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

### PRELUDE

*Dr. Christopher Davis*

### GREETING

*Dr. Brett Becker*

PASTOR: The heavens declare the glory of God!

PEOPLE: **And the earth proclaims God's handiwork!**

### \* PASSING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you!

OTHER: **And also with you!**

### \* SONG OF GATHERING "For the Beauty of the Earth"

*Hymnal, #473*

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP *responsive* Psalm 103

*Anita Becker*

ONE: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me!

MANY: **Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all God's benefits!**

ONE: God forgives our wrongdoing.

MANY: **God heals our diseases.**

ONE: The Lord redeems our life.

MANY: **The Lord crowns us with steadfast love and mercy.**

ONE: God satisfies us with good for as long as we live.

MANY: **So that our youth is renewed like the eagle's.**

ALL: **In all that we say and do today, we will worship God!**

### \* SONG OF PRAISE "We Bow Down"

*Renew!, #38*

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION *from Psalms 32 and 139*

Merciful One, we acknowledge our wrongdoing to you; we do not conceal our faults. Like a traveler lost in the desert, we wander from you. We flee to the ends of the earth and wrap ourselves in fear and self-pity. Our faith fails and our hope grows dim. We refuse the light and presence of your Spirit, and yet we think that we can go it alone, divided from our sisters and brothers. Forgive us, O God, and set us straight. Grant us understanding toward others and infinite patience with ourselves. Enable us to always look to you and cause us to be grateful in all of our circumstances. Amen.

### SILENT AND PERSONAL PRAYERS

### SUNG PRAYER OF RELIANCE "You are My Hiding Place"

*Renew!, #107*

### ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE *responsive*

ONE: Who, by his life, his allowed to judge?

MANY: **Only Jesus Christ. Yet Christ rose for us!**

ONE: Jesus gave an example to us.

MANY: **By the Holy Spirit, he lives in our hearts!**

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

MANY: **In Jesus Christ, we are made whole!**

ONE: Give praise to God.

ALL: Hallelujah!

**A READING FROM THE PROPHETS** Isaiah 61: 1-3b

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

**ANTHEM** "Love One Another"

St. Andrew's Choir;  
*Evan Schindler*, directing  
*Julie Sommers*

**TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**

**SENDING SONG** "Jesus Loves Me"

**THE GOSPEL READING** Luke 10: 25-37

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

**AN INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD** PARABLES OF JESUS

*Dr. Brett Becker*

"Binding Up the Broken"

\* **HYMN OF RESPONSE** "Arise, Your Light is Come!"

Hymnal, #411

**MOMENT FOR MISSION**

*Sunny Kennedy*

**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**

\* **HYMN OF GUIDANCE** "Be Thou My Vision"

Hymnal, #339

\* **CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

\* **BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

\* **POSTLUDE**

*Dr. Christopher Davis*

**PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE:** Greeters: Doris Caswell; Liturgist: Anita Becker; Children's Sermon: Julie Sommers



**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*This week I will pray for:*

*Prayer requests for the Prayer Chain please email:  
Lydia Swanson: [lydiaswanson@hotmail.com](mailto:lydiaswanson@hotmail.com)*

**THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S**

<p><b>12</b></p> <p>9:30am Worship 10:30am Coffee Fellowship 11am Children's Ministry Mtg 11am Sail Team Neighborhood Canvassing 6pm PYF at church</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>3pm Cerebral Palsy 7pm AA Grateful Group</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>7am Men's Fellowship Group 1pm Parkinson's</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>6:30pm Ministerios Llamada Final 7pm AA Success 7pm Choir</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>1pm Parkinson's</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>6:00pm Serve dinner at Transition House 6:30pm Ministerios Llamada Final</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>8:30am - 12:30pm Russian Language 9:30 Tabitha Circle Library 1pm-3pm Watercolor painting class 6:30pm 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.

**NEW PHOTO DIRECTORY**, available today. One per family. See Bev Ford at coffee hour.

**PYF DINNER TONIGHT**, at church, from 6-8pm. We will make Valentine's care packages. No PYF on Sunday, 2/19, due to President's Day.

**RUSSIAN LANGUAGE SCHOOL.** This Saturday, February 18<sup>th</sup>. Some dates for Chaperones are still open. Please sign up after service or contact Linda Sorensen.

**SAIL TEAM "LOVE OUR NEIGHBORS" CANVASSING** w/ pizza lunch today at 11:00am in the library.

**SERVE DINNER AT TRANSITION HOUSE** on Friday, 2/17, at 6pm.

**PER CAPITA APPORTIONMENT.** For 2017, per capita is **\$10.35** per member to support the efforts of the PC(USA) and the Synod of Southern California and Hawaii. Payment of the per capita by church members helps St. Andrew's keep the Church Operating Budget down. You may use your blue "Per Capita" pledge envelope. Please make your check payable to St. Andrew's and mark it "per capita." Checks and envelopes may be placed in the offering plate or sent to the church office.

**ADULT ED CLASS.** The Next Adult Ed class is "*Living the Questions 2.0*", and starts Sunday, Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>, at 11:00am, continuing weekly until April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**CHURCH WOMEN UNITED CELEBRATION** on Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30am, at St. Mark United Methodist Church. Lunch follows for \$8.

**NEW MEMBER CLASS.** Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00am to 2:00pm. Return the yellow card or call the church office to sign up.

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE** at Trinity Episcopal at 6:00pm on Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>. Carpool from St. Andrew's at 5:15pm.