



**ORDER OF WORSHIP  
MOTHER'S DAY/WOMEN OF  
THE CHURCH DAY  
May 13, 2018**



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

**THE COMMUNITY GATHERS TOGETHER**

**MUSIC TO REFLECT ON**

*Dr. Christopher Davis*

**MUSIC TO ENGAGE**

"Mothering God, You Gave Me Birth"

*St. Andrew's Choir;*

*Evan Schindler, directing;*

**WELCOME & NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY**

*Dr. Brett Becker, pastor*

**GREETING**

**PASTOR:** This is the day that God has made!

**PEOPLE:** We will rejoice and be glad in it!

**THE COMMUNITY WORSHIPS GOD TOGETHER**

**WE CALL THE COMMUNITY TO WORSHIP**

*Anita Becker*

**\* WE SING TOGETHER**

"Spirit Song"

*Renew! Songbook, #248*

**\* WE GREET ONE ANOTHER**

**ONE:** The peace of Christ be with you!

**OTHER:** And also with you!

**WE PRAY TOGETHER**

**WE CONFESS TOGETHER** *unison*

In Jesus of Nazareth, true humanity was realized once for all. Jesus, a Palestinian Jew, lived among his own people and shared their needs, temptations, joys, and sorrows. He expressed the love of God in word and deed and became a brother to all kinds of sinful people. But his complete obedience led him into conflict with others. His life and teaching judged their goodness, religious aspirations, and national hopes. Our Creator, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

**WE PROCLAIM GOD'S GRACE** *unison*

*A Brief Statement of Faith; 10.3.47*

Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant. Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.

**\* WE SING TOGETHER**

"God is Here"

*Hymnal, #461*

*Glory to God, #409*

## THE COMMUNITY LISTENS AND DISCERNs TOGETHER

MOMENT FOR MISSION	Pentecost Offering	<i>Elder Scott Eschbach</i>
THE EPISTLE READING (part one)	Philippians 4: 4-7	
TIME WITH THE CHILDREN OF GOD		<i>Julie Sommers, director of Christian education</i>
THE EPISTLE READING (part two)	Philippians 4: 8-9	
ANTHEM	"Think on These Things"	<i>St. Andrew's Choir; Evan Schindler, directing</i>
MESSAGE	<b><u>MESSAGE OF JOY: PHILIPPIANS</u></b> "Rejoicing = Thinking and Doing"	<i>Dr. Brett Becker</i>

## THE COMMUNITY GIVES TOGETHER

* WE OFFER OUR VOICES	"When I Look into Your Holiness"	<i>Renew! Songbook, #41</i>
WE PRESENT OUR MONETARY GIFTS		
WE PRAY TOGETHER		
* WE INVITE TO FELLOWSHIP		
* WE BLESS ONE ANOTHER	"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"	
* MUSIC TO INSPIRE		<i>Dr. Christopher Davis</i>

## THE COMMUNITY GOES OUT AND SERVES

### SERVING THE CONGREGATION THIS MORNING:

Greeters: *Nina & Nevin Chamberlain*

Worship Assistant: *Anita Becker*

Children's Sermon: *Julie Sommers, director of Christian education*

## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

13	14	15	16	17	18	19
<b>9:30am</b> Worship / Mother's Day / Women of the Church Day  <b>2pm</b> Llamada Final Practice	<b>1pm</b> SAIL Team Lib  <b>3pm</b> Cerebral Palsy  <b>8pm</b> AA Grateful	<b>7am</b> Men's Fellowship Group  <b>1pm</b> Parkinson's  <b>6pm</b> Session & dinner  <b>6:30pm</b> Master Chorale	<b>1:30pm</b> Music Mends Minds  <b>6:30pm</b> Ministerios Llamada Final  <b>7pm</b> Choir rehearsal  <b>8pm</b> AA Success	<b>1pm</b> Parkinson's	<b>6:30pm</b> Ministerios Llamada Final	<b>9am - 12pm</b> Russian School <b>9:30am</b> Presbytery mtg in Carp  <b>1-3pm</b> Watercolor class  <b>6:30pm</b> Ministerios Llamada Final

### 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. For prayer requests to the Prayer Chain, fill out a slip from the pew and place it in a box at the rear of the sanctuary, or email to Lydia Swanson, [lydiaswanson@hotmail.com](mailto:lydiaswanson@hotmail.com).

**ADULT ED will continue on May 27** with our Series titled **THE CHALLENGE OF PAUL**. The Challenge of Paul: Volume 1's title is "Paul & Jesus" and contains the Prologue plus 4 lectures: 1) In Search of the Historical Paul; 2) How to Read a Pauline Letter; 3) The Romanization of a Radical; 4) Jewish Covenant vs Roman Empire. Remaining classes will be: May 27, June 3, 10. *All classes are in the Window Room of Morgan Hall at 11:00am.*

**PRESBYTERY MEETING AT CARPINTERIA COMMUNITY CHURCH.** Saturday, May 19, 9:30am.

**PENTECOST SUNDAY May 20th.** 9:30am - Worship service (**wear red**). 10:30am - Congregational Meeting to elect church officers. 11:00am - "Stone Soup" All Church Lunch with presentation on CENTS-ABILITY, a Presbyterian Hunger Program (hosted by CMT and youth).

**PENTECOST OFFERING.** Next Sunday, May 20, we will receive the offering envelopes. The Pentecost Special Offering will be received on May 20. This special offering is used in support of youth and young adults both nationally and internationally. This year a local portion will go to support the Santa Barbara Council on Alcohol and Drug abuse program for teens and young adults in our community.

**NOTICE OF CONGREGATIONAL MEETING.** Sunday, May 20, 10:30am. Purpose: To elect church officers for 2018-19.

**GRADUATION SUNDAY** is on June 10. If you have a high school or college graduate in your family this year, please let us know! We want to honor them in worship. We urge parents to send a photo or two (jpg or pdf) to [reneemcpherson44@gmail.com](mailto:reneemcpherson44@gmail.com) or Nancy at [office@standrewspcusa.com](mailto:office@standrewspcusa.com) along with some information about the student's school from which they are graduating, what they plan for the immediate future after graduation, and/or a long-term goal.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP WITH AUDIO AND VISUALS.** We are in need of volunteers to run the audio and visuals at the 9:30am Sunday service at St. Andrew's. Training will be provided. If you can help, please contact (for audio): Dave Sommers at [sommers@silcom.com](mailto:sommers@silcom.com) or 805-708-7108 or Michael Padden-Rubin at [michaelpadden@hotmail.com](mailto:michaelpadden@hotmail.com) or 805-682-7891, or (for visuals): Sandy Thoits at [sthoits@gmail.com](mailto:sthoits@gmail.com). Thank you.