



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 23, 2018



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

### THE COMMUNITY GATHERS TOGETHER

MUSIC TO REFLECT ON

*Dr. Christopher Davis, pianist*

MUSIC TO ENGAGE

"O For a World"

*St. Andrew's Choir;*

*Evan Schindler, directing*

*Elder Scott Eschbach*

WELCOME & NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY

\* WE GREET ONE ANOTHER

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you.

OTHER: And also with you.

### THE COMMUNITY WORSHIPS GOD TOGETHER

WE CALL THE COMMUNITY TO WORSHIP

*Elder Porter Spencer*

WE DECLARE GOD'S PRESENCE *(from Psalm 29)*

LEADER: The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is majestic.

PEOPLE: The Lord gives strength to his people; the Lord blesses his people with peace.

ALL: And in his temple all cry, "Glory!"

\* WE SING TOGETHER

"O Day of Peace"

Hymnal, #450

WE CONFESS TOGETHER *unison*

God of grace and goodness, how difficult it has been for us to be humble and caring. We so easily forget your teachings of the just and right relationships that we are to have with each other, as brothers and sisters, in this land. We so easily forget that our responsibility is for all those who are hurt and oppressed and denied their place in the circle of life – those who need justice and peace. May we find peace so that we might share peace that is genuine and real. Help us to walk the road of integrity, where we will work for a world in which swords are beaten into ploughshares, and spears into pruning hooks and where peace may flourish.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S GRACE *responsive*

LEADER: Brothers and sisters, God fills us with new life. Our shortcomings need not remain with us. Through God's grace we can bring peace to all. Proclaim the Good News.

PEOPLE: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

WE SING TOGETHER

"Our Great Savior"

Renew, #194

THE COMMUNITY LISTENS AND DISCERNS TOGETHER

A READING FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT	Leviticus 26: 3-6	
ANTHEM	"The Peace of God"	<i>St. Andrew's Choir; Evan Schindler, directing</i>
MOMENT FOR MISSION	"Peace & Global Witness"	<i>Scott Eschbach</i>
RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS		<i>Rev. Judith Muller</i>
A READING FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT	2 Thessalonians 3:16	<i>Scott Eschbach</i>
MESSAGE	"Peace at All Times"	

THE COMMUNITY GIVES TOGETHER

* WE OFFER OUR VOICES	"We Shall Overcome"	Glory to God, #379
WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS and THE LORD'S PRAYER		
WE OFFER OUR MONETARY GIFTS		
OFFERING RESPONSE	"We Give Thee But Thine Own" (Verse 1)	Hymnal, #428
* WE ARE BLESSED		
* WE BLESS ONE ANOTHER	"God Be With You Til We Meet Again"	
* MUSIC TO INSPIRE		<i>Dr. Christopher Davis</i>

**NEW MEMBERS:** Nita Fages, Iryna Isaieva, Dottie Nelson, Jeff Nelson, Freddie Villa

**SERVING THE CONGREGATION THIS MORNING:**

Greeters: *Karen Noffz*

Worship Assistant: *Elder Porter Spencer*

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## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

23	24	25	26	27	28	29
9:30am Worship 11am Adult Ed 2-4pm Llamada Final practice	3pm Cerebral Palsy 8pm AA Grateful	7am Men's Fellowship 1pm Parkinson's 7pm Master Chorale	6:30pm Llamada Final 7pm Choir rehearsal 8pm AA Success	1pm Parkinson's	6:30pm Llamada Final	9am - 12pm Russian School 1pm Watercolor class 6:30pm 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 at 11:00am today.** The Challenge of Paul, Theme III, Session 2 is titled "War and Slavery." All classes held in the Window Room of Morgan Hall.

**LUNCH WITH YOUR DEACON.** Sunday, October 7, 11:00am. Come and get to know your Deacons and flock-mates.

**PASTORAL COVERAGE AND OFFICE HOURS.** Session approved a plan for pastoral leadership and care until an Interim Pastor is retained. Parish Associate Rev. Suzanne Malloy will lead for worship, staff coordination and communication. Parish Associate Rev. Judith Muller will lead for Pastoral Care and moderate the Session meetings. Suzanne's weekly office hours at the church beginning September 11: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00am - 12:00pm. Except for scheduled community meetings on Thursdays. Judith is available for pastoral visits in homes, hospitals, care facilities and phone calls. Judith is available to meet at the church by appointment Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Please call the church office or call Judith directly to make an appointment or set up times for a meeting. Email and cell phone numbers to contact: Suzanne at [semalloy@verizon.net](mailto:semalloy@verizon.net) or 805-451-3372; Judith at [judithmullersb@gmail.com](mailto:judithmullersb@gmail.com) or 805-453-0703.

**STEWARDSHIP SEASON.** "Pick a Percentage" is this year's theme. Please consider increasing your giving and pledging a % more for 2019. Stewardship Sunday is October 28. Stewardship letters are available in the narthex. Please fill out the bottom of the letter, tear it off and place it in the offering plate within the next few weeks.

**PLEASE TRY TO KEEP YOUR 2018 PLEDGE GIVING CURRENT.** At the end of August, we are \$5500 behind expected receipts. Thank you.

**PEACE AND GLOBAL WITNESS.** This special offering will be received on October 7<sup>th</sup>. An envelope is available in the pew racks.

**SAVE THE DATE.** Potluck with Llamada Final, Sunday, September 30, 5:00pm. Bring your favorite dish to share. Come for delicious food and fellowship with our Llamada Final friends. Sign up at coffee hour or contact Linda Sorensen if you have questions. All are welcome.

**CHURCH WOMEN UNITED** will celebrate World Community Day on October 5<sup>th</sup> at First Presbyterian Church. The theme for this year is *Reaching for Wholeness in Harmony with God's People*. Our speaker will be Ken Ralph, the new director of Showers of Blessings shower program. The service begins at 10:30am in the Chapel, and will be followed by lunch (bring your own lunch) in the Garden Room. Dessert and drinks will be provided. Women and men are invited to attend.

**PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE** for the people affected by Hurricane/Tropical Storm Florence. Financial support can be made online at the PDA website, by phone at (800)872-3283, or by check mailed to Presbyterian Church (U.S.A), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700. Reference fund DR000169.

**END OF MONTH MUSICIANS NEEDED.** The Worship Team is seeking special music for the last Sunday of each month throughout the year. If you would like to share your gift of music with the congregation, please contact Christopher Davis at 619-405-3218 or [chrisdavis.music@gmail.com](mailto:chrisdavis.music@gmail.com)