

St. Andrew Lutheran Church

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Worship Service 9:30 am

We're glad you joined us this morning.

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE!

At St. Andrew Lutheran Church, we strive to be a loving and welcoming community of faith. We are centered in the Good News of Jesus Christ, who calls us to reconciliation and wholeness in a world of alienation and brokenness.

All are welcome, without exception, regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental ability, education, income, or family status.

All are welcome here to worship God, receive the sacraments, and share in fellowship, leadership, and service. We commit to treasuring one another's similarities and differences as one body in Christ.

We are called to provide a safe space in the community as we break down the barriers of isolation. We will continue to discover what it means to be "Reconciling in Christ."

*"Welcome one another therefore,
just as Christ has welcomed you,
for the glory of God."
Romans 15:7*

Masks are not required in our building; however, if you wish to wear one, you are more than welcome to do so. If you do not have a mask, complimentary ones are available in the narthex.

Restrooms are on either side of the elevator, which is left of the coffee bar. A gender-neutral, ADA-compliant restroom is adjacent to the kitchen entrance opposite the elevator.

Green-topped Welcome Cards are found in the pew rack in front of you if you wish to fill one out. Place it on the offering plate or hand it to an usher after the service.

Children are welcome in worship! God put the wiggle in children, so don't feel you have to shush or suppress those wiggles in God's house. All are welcome here! Consider sitting toward the front where it is easier for them to see and hear what is happening. If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. There are worship activity bags available for children just outside the sanctuary.

Everything for Worship is contained within this service folder. Congregational responses are printed in **bold**. Instructions for the assembly are in *Italic print*. *Information for the assembly is found in the boxed text.*

Holy Communion is included in this service. All who desire to receive communion may do so. We believe our Lord Jesus is truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine. All of the bread used in communion is both gluten-free and lactose-free. Alcohol-free grape juice is also offered in the second (celadon) chalice.

GATHERING

THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD.

Now is the acceptable time; now is the day of salvation! Now we are in the storm, the boat almost swamped; but Jesus is here now, and when we call him, he will calm the storm. Even the wind and waves listen to him as they would to their creator. We also listen to him and are called to believe in the power of God’s word in him, a power greater than all that we fear.

The prelude prepares our hearts and minds for worship. Please remain quietly seated for the duration.

PRELUDE

Jesus Savior, Pilot Me
Susan Werner Reiser, piano

Judith L. Maggs

*The hymns for today’s worship are found in hymnals in the pew racks.
Those hymns prefaced with ELW will be found in
Evangelical Lutheran Worship (the cranberry-colored hymnal).
Those hymns prefaced with ACS are found in All Creation Sings (the indigo-colored hymnal).*

*Access to the worship folder and hymn list on your smartphone or tablet is available at the following link:
<https://standrewlutheran.com/worship/worship-bulletins/>*

WELCOME

The congregation may stand.

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

Praise the Lord! O Heavens

ELW 823

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray. O God of creation, eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: **Amen**

The congregation is seated.

WORD

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN SCRIPTURE READING, PREACHING, AND SONG.

READING

Job 38:1-11

L: A reading from Job:

¹The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:
²“Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?
³Gird up your loins like a man,
 I will question you, and you shall declare to me.
⁴“Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?
 Tell me, if you have understanding.
⁵Who determined its measurements – surely you know!
 Or who stretched the line upon it?
⁶On what were its bases sunk,
 or who laid its cornerstone
⁷when the morning stars sang together
 and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?
⁸“Or who shut in the sea with doors
 when it burst out from the womb? –
⁹when I made the clouds its garment,
 and thick darkness its swaddling band,
¹⁰and prescribed bounds for it,
 and set bars and doors,
¹¹and said, ‘Thus far shall you come, and no farther,
 and here shall your proud waves be stopped’?”

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

READING

Psalms 107

The psalm begins by the cantor singing the refrain; the congregation joins to sing the refrain a second time. The psalm verses in plain text are sung by the cantor.

The congregation joins on the words in bold text and the refrain where indicated by the **R**.



You stilled the storm and si - lenced the waves of the sea.

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for the | LORD is good, for
God's mercy en- | dures forever.
- 2 **Let the redeemed of the | LORD proclaim that God
redeemed them from the hand | of the foe,**
- 3 gathering them in | from the lands; from the east and from
the west, from the north and | from the south.
- 23 **Some went down to the | sea in ships, plying their
trade | in deep waters. R**
- 24 They beheld the works | of the LORD, God's wonderful
works | in the deep.
- 25 **Then God spoke, and a stormy | wind arose, which tossed
high the waves | of the sea.**
- 26 They mounted up to the heavens and descended | to the
depths; their souls melted away | in their peril.
- 27 **They staggered and | reeled like drunkards, and all their skill
was of | no avail.**
- 28 Then in their trouble they cried | to the LORD, and you
delivered them from | their distress.
- 29 **You stilled the storm | to a whisper and silenced the
waves | of the sea. R**
- 30 Then were they glad when | it grew calm, when you guided
them to the harbor | they desired.
- 31 **Let them give thanks to you, LORD, for your | steadfast
love and your wonderful works | for all people.**
- 32 Let them exalt you in the assembly | of the people; in the council
of the elders, let them sing | hallelujah! R

Psalm Tone



The congregation may stand.

GOSPEL

Mark 4:35-41

L: The holy gospel according to Mark:
C: **Glory to you, O God.**

³⁵When evening had come, [Jesus said to the disciples,] “Let us go across to the other side.” ³⁶And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. ³⁷A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. ³⁸But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, “Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?” ³⁹He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Peace! Be still!” Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. ⁴⁰He said to them, “Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?” ⁴¹And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, “Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”

L: The gospel of the Lord.
C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

The congregation is seated.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Pastor Allison Bengfort

SERMON

Pastor Allison Bengfort

Silence is kept for reflection following the sermon.

The congregation may stand.

HYMN
OF THE DAY

Eternal Father, Strong to Save

ELW 756

ACT OF FAITH

P: As a community of faith, we profess our part in the tradition and history of the church, using the Apostles' Creed. The Apostles' Creed is centuries old. Though some of the language seems archaic today, it unifies us throughout generations and invites an ongoing faith that seeks understanding.

A: Let us affirm our faith using the words of the Apostles' Creed:

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.**

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

A: Merciful God,

C: **Receive our prayer.**

Last names are omitted from the Prayers of the People due to privacy and broadcast issues. For more information, check the Weekly News.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of God be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

We share a sign of God's peace with one another. Putting your hands together in a "praying" position will signal to those around you that you do not wish to physically touch others.

The congregation is seated.

OUR MINISTRY AND MISSION

*At the Offering, we return thanks for God's blessing in our lives.
 Visit <http://standrewlutheran.com/give/> for ways you can give to
 St. Andrew Lutheran Church.*

MEAL

GOD FEEDS US WITH THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST.

OFFERING

He's Got the Whole World

arr. Aaron David Miller

Allison Katsuftrakis, vocalist

He's got the whole world in his hands.
 He's got the itsy-bitsy babies in his hands.
 He's got the wind and the rain in his hands.
 He's got everybody here in his hands.

The congregation may stand.

OFFERING PRAYER

A: Jesus, Bread of life, you have set this table with your very self and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world.

C: **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of

everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -



san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

P: Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you

and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food, the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord; to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever.

C: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

P: Empowered by your promises, and embraced by the Holy Spirit, we pray to you as Jesus taught us to pray:

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

The congregation is seated.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

We receive the elements by intinction. A piece of bread (gluten and lactose free) is placed in your hand, and you may dip it in a common cup of wine (red chalice) or grape juice (celadon green chalice). If you are uncomfortable dipping in the common cup, the Church has long believed that communion "in one kind" – just the bread – counts fully as partaking in the Lord's Supper. If you do not wish to receive the elements, you may cross your arms over your chest to receive a blessing from the pastor, or simply stay in your seat.

P: Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come!

COMMUNION SONG



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
 2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
 3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
 you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
 e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN

Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me

ELW 755

The congregation may stand.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- A: Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray.
- C: **Amen.**

SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- A: Let us pray. Gracious God, loving all your family with a mother's tender care: As you sent the angel to feed Elijah with heavenly bread, assist those who set forth to share your word and sacrament with those who are unable to worship with us. In your love and care, nourish and strengthen those who will receive this sacrament, and give us all the comfort of your abiding presence through the body and blood of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C: **Amen.**

SENDING

GOD BLESSES US AND SENDS US IN MISSION TO THE WORLD.

BLESSING

P: The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, ✝ be upon you now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

Send Me, Lord

ELW 809

DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Eternal Father, Strong to Save
Susan Werner Reiser, piano

John Carter

Today's Worship Leaders

Presider: Pastor Allison Bengfort

Preacher: Pastor Allison Bengfort

Acolyte:

Altar Flowers:

Altar Guild: Noelle Mehlhorn

Assisting Minister: LuAnn Staul

Cantor: Allison Katsufrakis

Communion Assistants: Tom Mehlhorn and
Kim Taylor Blakemore

Greeters: Fran and Ted Miller

Lector: Tom Mehlhorn

Musician: Susan Werner Reiser

Nursery Assistant: Janet Vorvick

Tech Team: Paul Navarre and Chase

Isaacson

Ushers: Bill and Sandi Beavers

Worship Coordinator:

Zoom Host:

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