

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

October 12, 2025 18th Sunday After Pentecost

Christ First Inviting Joyful Open-Minded

Inspired by the love of Christ, we are building a community that invites our neighbors into a relationship with God and each other.

Welcome to St. Andrews. It is a joy to worship together!

Please sign the friendship register on the center aisle.

If you have a prayer request or a joy to lift up, find a yellow prayer card in the pews.

An usher will come by to collect them.

Nursery care is available during worship for younger children. As children grow, they grow into our worship together. Children of all ages are welcome in worship. We have 'Church in a Bag' in the narthex to engage younger worshippers.

Children's
Bulletin
Pictures

Gathering Around the WORD

Prelude

Jubilation

by Jason Payne



Welcome and Announcements

MFM

Stewardship

Lynn Phillips

Morning Prayer

**O God, you pour out the Spirit of grace and love.
Deliver us from cold hearts and wandering thoughts,
that with steady minds and full hearts
we may worship you in spirit and truth. Amen.**

*Song

House of the Lord



*Prayer of Confession

**Holy and merciful God,
in your presence we confess
our sinfulness, our shortcomings,
and our offenses.
You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from your ways,
in wasting your gifts,
in forgetting your love.**



Silent Prayers

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Proclaiming the WORD

Coming to Christ as a Child

Rob Cochran

Prayer for Illumination

Lorna Everhart



**Lord Jesus Christ,
as we hear your Word, fill us with your Spirit.
Soften our hearts that we may delight in your presence.
Sharpen our minds that we may discern your truth.
Shape our wills that we may desire your ways. Amen.**

Luke 14:7-11 ESV



*Hymn 482

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty



Luke 14:12-24 ESV



Meditation

Showing Up Matters

Pr. Robin Morgan



Responding to the WORD

*Song

Come To The Table



*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Lorna Everhart

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead,
and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he
ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

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

*Hymn 555 vs. 1-2

Now Thank We All Our God



Presenting Our Offerings

Lorna Everhart

Prayer of Dedication



**Ever-present God, with this offering we present also ourselves,
all that we have been, all that we are, and all that we shall become.
Accept us and our offering, we pray. Amen.**



Bearing the WORD into the World

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, 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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.



*Hymn 485

To God Be the Glory



*Charge & Benediction

*Postlude

Ways to support the ministries of the church:

1. Mail a check. If you have offering envelopes, they're self-addressed & just need a stamp.
2. Online giving. <https://onrealm.org/standrewslebanon/-/give/now>
3. Text a gift: *SAPC* \$_____ to 73256

All services are in the sanctuary and streamed @ www.standrewslebanon.org/watchlive

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THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREWS

- Sun. Oct 12** 9-9:45AM Sunday School for All / 9-11AM Nursery Available
10AM Worship / 11AM Coffee Hour / 11:15AM Psalms Class
3:30PM Youth Ring & Sing / 4-6PM Youth Group Mtgs.
- Mon. Oct 13** 7PM Committee Mtgs: Worship, Christian Ed
- Tue. Oct 14** 9AM Sew & Sew
1:30PM Band Together / Staff Mtg.
6PM Knitting Guild
6:30PM Budget Mtg (Stew/Fin.)
- Wed. Oct 15** 6:00-6:45PM Praise Team Rehearsal
6:30PM WEBS (Wed. Evening Bible Study)
6:45PM Handbell Rehearsal / 7:30PM Choir Rehearsal
- Thu. Oct 16** 2PM Follow-Ship Group
- Fri. Oct 17** 8:30AM Fellowship Walking Group @ S. Hills Park
- Sun. Oct 19** *Stewardship Sunday*
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Chancel Flowers by Ken & Robin Gries in honor of their 23rd wedding anniversary.

Oct 19 – Stewardship Sunday – bring in your Estimate of Giving Cards

Oct 25 - Seyfert's Corn Maze/Pumpkin Picking; **Oct 26** - Pumpkin Carving

Oct 26 – St. Andrews Sunday - 9:30am: Congregational Meeting before worship.
(slate of officers to be voted on will be available at the Usher's table!)

Celebrate 50-yr Members & Baked Potato Luncheon—bring a topping—Sign up in the Gathering Area—and we'll supply the spuds! Bagpiper in worship!

Trunk or Treat – Oct 31st 6-8PM – Sign up in the Gathering Area!

Mission Spotlight Oct: Toilet Paper. Paper towels & Facial Tissue

Thanksgiving Dinner If you do not have the opportunity to share Thanksgiving dinner with family this year, there is an alternative! This year the Beattys will host one at the church from **Noon-2 pm**. We'll provide turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, and gravy. You can bring a side and/or dessert. Sign up in Gathering Area or email Maggie at: memab3@comcast.net.