

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

October 18, 2026

~ Our Values ~ Christ First – Inviting – Joyful – Open-Minded

~ Our Mission Statement ~ 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—we’re glad to have you worship with us.

Visitors, please fill out a blue “Welcome” card – we’d love to get to know you!

You will find yellow prayer cards in the pews if you have a request or a celebration you would like to share...an usher will come by to collect them.

Please sign the friendship register (on the center aisle) to record your attendance with us.

Children’s
Bulletin
Pictures

Gathering Around the WORD

Prelude

The Lord Is My Light

Mary McDonald

Welcome and Announcements

Morning Prayer

Lord Jesus, you know where we are, and you know what is held in our hearts. Shift us, body and soul, towards you as we worship, and through the whole of our lives. Amen.



*Hymn 391

Take My Life



*Prayer of Confession

O Almighty God,

**I humbly ask you to make me like a tree planted by the waterside,
that I may bring forth fruits of good living in due season.**

**Forgive my past offenses, sanctify me now,
and direct all that I should be in the future, in Christ I pray.**

Silent Prayers



*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

May the Peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Proclaiming the WORD

Coming to Christ as a Child

Kids in Pre K-5th Grade are invited to go to “Interactive Church for Kids”

Prayer for Illumination

Robin Gries

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that we may hear your Word with joy. Amen.**



Luke 7:1-10



*Song

Goodness of God



2 Samuel 9:1-7



Meditation

Generous Lives

Pastor Robin



Responding to the WORD

*Hymn 332

Live Into Hope



Presenting Our Offerings and Our Commitments

Robin Gries

*During the anthem, you are invited to come forward and place your estimate of giving
card, in the little church and today's offering in the plates.*

If you are worshiping online, you are invited to mail your card/offering to the church.

Prayer of Dedication

Dear God, receive our offering.

**Guide those who use it, that it may help to bring fullness of life
to those who live in need and long for our care. Amen.**



Anthem

Great is Thy Faithfulness

arr. Jack Schrader

*Doxology (Hymn 592)

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***



*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Robin Gries

**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.**

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.



*Song

House of the Lord



Bearing the WORD into the World

*Charge and Benediction

*Sending Song



*You are invited to pause and reflect. To sit with the music
and consider what you will take with you, as you go out into the world.*

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 18** 8:45-11AM Nursery Available
9AM Sunday School for all
10AM Worship - **Stewardship Sunday** / 11:15 Psalms Class
4-6PM EPYC (6th -12th Gr.)/Trailblazers (1st – 5th Gr.)
- Mon. Oct 19** 7PM Property Committee Mtg / Follow-Ship Group
- Tue. Oct 20** 9-10AM Sew & Sew
1:30PM Band Together / Staff Mtg.
6PM Safety Task Force
7PM Mission Committee Meeting
- Wed. Oct 21** 5:45PM Praise Team Rehearsal
6:30PM WEBS / Handbell Rehearsal
7:30PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- Sat. Oct 24** 8AM-7PM Knitting Guild
- Sun. Oct 25** 8:45-11AM Nursery Available
9AM Sunday School for all
10AM Worship – **St Andrews Sunday** / 11AM **Congreg. Mtg**
11:30AM **Baked Potato Luncheon & Goals Conversation**
4-6PM EPYC (6th -12th Gr.)/Trailblazers (1st – 5th Gr.)

Chancel Flowers by Dave & Betsy Sensenig

Mission Spotlight for Oct: Pasta & Sauce (no glass containers)

Oct 25th - St. Andrews Day! Congregational Meeting After Worship (voting on Pastor's Terms of Call & Election of Officers – *Bios in Narthex*); 50-yr members, Bagpipes, Baked Potato Luncheon (*Sign Up in Gathering Area to bring toppings!*) with a Conversation of Our Goals & Dreams!

Trunk-R-Treat Thu Oct 29 - We would love to have donations of candy! Also, there's a sign up in the Gathering Area for Trunks– it would be great to have 20 Trunks sign up!

Estimate of Giving Cards were mailed –Extra cards are in the Narthex.

New Era Event: Nov. 12th Cornwall Iron Furnace Outing: *Sign up in the Gathering Area*

Slate of Officer Bios for Oct 25th meeting/vote are available in the Narthex!