

**BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

\*HYMN 411

*Arise, Your Light Is Come*

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

*Choral Improvisation, Opus 65 No. 59*

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***St. Andrews Presbyterian Church***

***November 18, 2018 ♦ 11:00 a.m.***

***Thank Offering Sunday***

*St. Andrews Presbyterian Church is a gathering of God's people following the call of Jesus Christ and moved by the Holy Spirit to praise God and grow in faith, welcoming and serving the greater community in God's love for the salvation of all people.*

*~ Our Mission Statement*

**GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

PRELUDE

*We Gather Together*

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PW Thank Offering

Karen Regester

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

In deep gratitude we come to worship God.

**God is the source of all goodness.**

All good gifts come to us from the Lord.

**Love, peace, joy, patience, kindness and gentleness are all of God.**

We come with grateful hearts, for who God is, and for the ways God blesses us.

**We raise our voices in song and prayer to tell God of our gratitude.**

Let us worship God.

\*HYMN 487

*When Morning Gilds the Skies*

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.**

Silent Prayers

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

COMING TO CHRIST AS A CHILD

Rob Cochran

\*HYMN 522

*Give Thanks, O Christian People*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Liturgist: Bill Mulligan

**God of wisdom, we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from your mouth. Make us hungry for this heavenly food; feed us today and nourish in the ways of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, the bread of heaven. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT

1 Samuel 1:1-2, 6-20

Pew Bible O.T. page 244

OLD TESTAMENT

1 Samuel 2:1-10

Pew Bible N.T. page 245

This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM

*In Moments of Quiet*  
Chancel Choir

Victor Johnson

NEW TESTAMENT

Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25

Pew Bible N.T. page 224

SERMON

*“A Community of Love”*

Elder Rosamond Presby

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

\*HYMN 343

*Called as Partners in Christ’s Service*

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles’ Creed

**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 the 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.**

\*SUNG RESPONSE

*Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines On Me*

***Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.  
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be. Amen.***

PRESENTING OUR OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**Gracious God, your gifts to us are too many to count. With grateful hearts, we return to you not only our financial resources, but ourselves as well. We pray that you will use both our money and the talents you have blessed us with to bring your light and Word to those who need it most. Amen.**

OFFERTORY

*Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.**