

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Eternal and merciful God,
you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding,
and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name’s sake.
Yet we have strayed from your way;
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
through what we have done and what we have left undone.**

**Lord Jesus Christ,
In your loving mercy, welcome us back.
Bring us into your kingdom again.**

Silent Prayers

*ASSURANCE

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

LISTENING TO GOD

COMING TO CHRIST AS A CHILD

Rob Cochran

*SONG

Lord You Have My Heart

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Liturgist: Lew Sauerwein

**Prepare our hearts, O God, to hear your Word and obey your will. Through
Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT

2 Samuel 9:1-7

Pew Bible O.T. page 283

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

SPECIAL MUSIC

Safe Within Your Arms
Robin Gries, Soloist

arr. Hayes

NEW TESTAMENT

Philemon

Pew Bible N.T. page 215

SERMON

“The One Who is Loved”

Rev. Morgan

ART AND ARTIST STATEMENT

“My Very Heart”

By Sarah Are

*SONG OF RESPONSE *Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Brief Statement of Faith part II

**We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba Father.
In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in
God's image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community.**

**But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's command-
ments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as
truth, exploit neighbor and nature, and threaten death to the planet entrusted
to our care. We deserve God's condemnation.**

**Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation. In everlasting love,
the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of
the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house
of bondage. Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant.
Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to
welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.**

*SUNG RESPONSE

What Wondrous Love is This

Hymn 85 vs. 1

***What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss
To bear the heavy cross for my soul, for my soul,
To bear the heavy cross for my soul!***

PRESENTING OUR OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**Merciful Father, we offer
with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our
time, and our possessions—signs of your gracious love. Receive them for
the sake of him who offered himself for us—Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

OFFERTORY

King of My Heart
Kent Pierce and Praise Team

SEALING THE WORD

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

INVITATION

PRAYERS AROUND THE TABLE

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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

*All Christians are invited to participate in the Sacrament fully.
It is our custom to commune at the time we are served the bread and the cup.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

GOING WITH GOD

*HYMN 514 *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Go Out With Joy!*

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church SUMMER WORSHIP *September 1, 2019 10:00 a.m. 12th Sunday after Pentecost*

*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*

COMING TO GOD

GATHERING MUSIC *King of My Heart*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*MORNING PRAYER

Show us the way to fullness of life, Lord Jesus;
that our hearts might be filled with joy, hope, and peace, we pray;
that we might be strengthened to face challenges, we pray;
that we might become the persons we are called to be, we pray;
that we might see the needs of others and give help, we pray;
that we might learn to respect our sisters and brothers, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN 527 *Near to the Heart of God*