

# LITURGY

### SAINT ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022

Love God. Make Disciples. Serve Yakima.

## WELCOME

Welcome to Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church. We are a new church in Yakima and we are glad you found us. Our hope here at Saint Andrew's is that you meet Jesus. Meeting Jesus has changed our lives, and we believe it will change yours too. Whether the idea of church is strangely foreign or old-hat familiar to you, feel free to pull up a chair and learn what it means to live life in community with Jesus.

## WHAT TO EXPECT?

This bulletin will be your guide through our worship service.

*Children:* We don't have a separate program for children during our worship services. However, we love children and understand that they aren't always able to sit quietly throughout a service, this is OK! We understand and do not mind their noises because we see our children as part of our church. We do have some clipboard and crayons available at the welcome desk that they are welcome to use if you would like. *Mothers:* We have a nursing mom's room to side of the foyer for those who need it.

## GIVE US SEVEN

Being new to a church is never easy. Aside from not knowing people, there are songs and customs that seem foreign. C.S. Lewis calls a church's liturgy a dance. Whenever you are learning a new dance it takes time to learn it before it becomes natural. We feel the same and ask that you would give us 7 worship services to let our liturgy and way of approaching God grow on you. We would love to meet you, please stick around and say hello!



#### EASTERTIDE

White is the color displayed during Eastertide. This color signifies purity, light, glory and joy. During this season we turn our attention primarily to the resurrection of Christ and his triumph over death and the powers of evil. Additionally, we remember that in Christ we have also received his resurrection life.



# CREATION

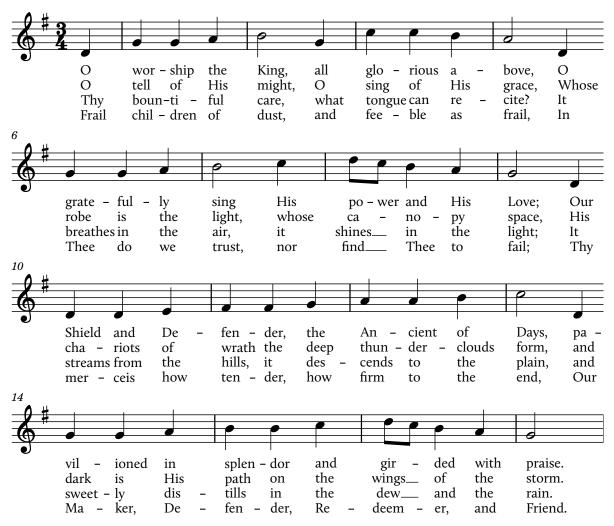
## CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: <b>All:</b>	Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
	Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
Leader:	For the Lord is a great God,
	and a great King above all gods.
	In his hand are the depths of the earth;
	the heights of the mountains are his also.
All:	Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
	let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!
	Psalm 95:1-4, 6

## PRAYER OF INVOCATION

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers, and because, through the weakness of our mortal nature, we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace to keep your commandments, that we may please you in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

## O WORSHIP THE KING



Words: Robert Grant, 1833; Music: Johann Michael Haydn, 1737-1806



FALL

## CORPORATE CONFESSION

All: Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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Silent confession



REDEMPTION

## **COMFORTABLE WORDS**

I There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. 2 For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. 3 For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh, 4 in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. *Romans 8:1-4* 

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

- L: The peace of Christ be with you
- A: And also with you!



Words: William Cowper, 1771; Music: Lowell Mason, 1830

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

21 "Fear not, O land;
be glad and rejoice,
for the Lord has done great things!
22 Fear not, you beasts of the field,
for the pastures of the wilderness are green;
the tree bears its fruit;
the fig tree and vine give their full yield.

23 "Be glad, O children of Zion, and rejoice in the Lord your God, for he has given the early rain for your vindication; he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the latter rain, as before.

24 "The threshing floors shall be full of grain; the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.25 I will restore to you the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter,

my great army, which I sent among you.

26 "You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you.

And my people shall never again be put to shame. 27 You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I am the Lord your God and there is none else. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Joel 2:21-27

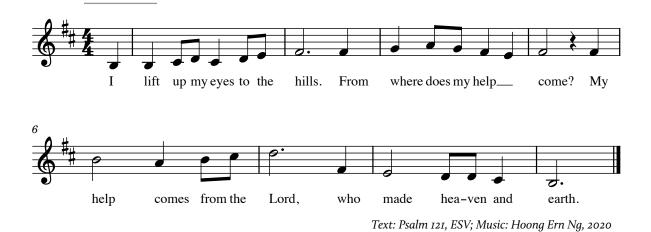
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- A: Thanks be to God.

## NEW TESTAMENT READING

22 And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. 23 And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb. 24 By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it, 25 and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there. 26 They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. 27 But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life. *Revelation 21:22-27* 

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**PSALM 121** 



## SERMON

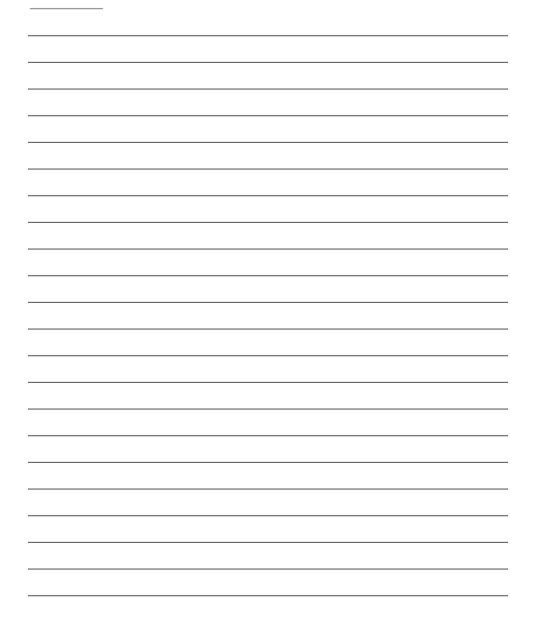
### Pastor Craig Harris

18 And Sadducees came to him, who say that there is no resurrection. And they asked him a question, saying, 19 "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies and leaves a wife, but leaves no child, the man must take the widow and raise up offspring for his brother. 20 There were seven brothers; the first took a wife, and when he died left no offspring. 21 And the second took her, and died, leaving no offspring. And the third likewise. 22 And the seven left no offspring. Last of all the woman also died. 23 In the resurrection, when they rise again, whose wife will she be? For the seven had her as wife."

24 Jesus said to them, "Is this not the reason you are wrong, because you know neither the Scriptures nor the power of God? 25 For when they rise from the dead, they neither marry nor are given in marriage, but are like angels in heaven. 26 And as for the dead being raised, have you not read in the book of Moses, in the passage about the bush, how God spoke to him, saying, 'I am the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob'? 27 He is not God of the dead, but of the living. You are quite wrong." Mark 12:18-27

- L: The grass withers and the flowers fade
- A: But the Word of our God will stand forever.

## NOTES



## APOSTLES CREED

A: 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into the grave; The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

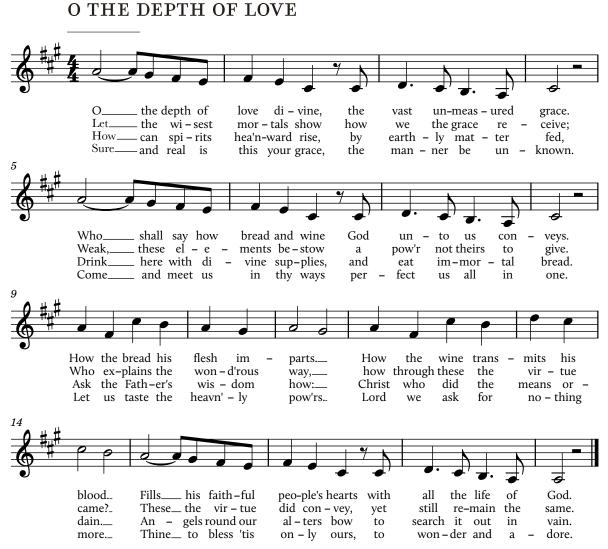
> I believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy catholic church, The communion of saints, The forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body And the life everlasting. Amen.

## GIVING

You can give through our website at saintandrewsyakima.org/give, or in person with the box at our greeter table.

## PRAYER

A: 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: Charles Wesley; Music: Jered McKenna, 2011



# CONSUMMATION

## EUCHARIST

- L: The Lord be with you
- A: and also with you.
- L: Lift up your hearts.
- A: We lift them up to the Lord.
- L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- A: It is right to give thanks and praise. Sursum Corda
- L: As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
- A: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- L: Great is the mystery of Faith:
- A: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

## DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise him all creatures here below Praise him above ye heavenly hosts Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

## BENEDICTION

L: May the Lord bless you and keep you; May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; May the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

based on Numbers 6:24-25

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 5/25: Men's Bowling Night 6:30 at Nob Hill Bowling

- **5/29: Church Prayer Night:** Every 5th Sunday we gather to pray together. Please join us in the sanctuary at 6pm.
- 6/1, 6/8, 6/15: Women's Dgroup from 6:30-8 @ The Jamisons
- **6/10: Mariners' game:** Men of Saint Andrew's The Mariners are playing the Boston Red Sox on Friday, June 10th at 7:10pm. We would probably leave the church around 3pm on that Friday to make it to the game on time and drive back after the game. We will try to get tickets out in left field that cost \$28.00 per seat.He will buy the tickets and you can reimburse him after the tickets are purchased. If you are still interested in going talk to Darren today!
- 6/7, 6/21: Women & Children Summer Park Days:

9-11am meeting @ Volunteer Park in Selah

- **6/12: June Potluck and Wedding Shower:** Mark your calendar for our June potluck following worship on June 12th. We will also be having a wedding shower for Nehemiah and Emma at this time. To access their registry, visit www.zola.com/wedding/emmaandnehemiah/registry
- 6/23 3-in-I Baby Shower @ the Harris Home for Rosebud, Torie, and Stephanie Hart



#### COVER ART:

#### The Shepherd King, Pete Williamson 2021

The symbol on the cover represents Christ, our Shepherd-King, ruling and guiding all things, by the work of the cross, for our good and His glory. This symbol combines 3 traditional symbols used in Christian history. I. The orb-cross represents Christ ruling the world through the cross. 2. The staurogram, ancient shorthand for the words "cross" and "crucify" in Greek, focus our attention to the necessity of Christ's cross for our redemption. 3. The shepherd's crook reminds us that Christ is not an authoritarian ruler, but a King who lays down his own life to shepherd his people through green pastures and by still waters.

#### LITURGICAL ART:

*Creation, Fall, Redemption, Consummation; Liturgical Symbols, Ned Bustard, 2022* Our worship service follows the rhythms and narrative of Scripture, divided into 4 main sections. *I. Creation:* We recognize God as almighty, holy, and glorious, who speaks and by the power of His word creates all things good. He is far above and beyond us. Therefore we worship, praise and glorify Him. *2. Fall:* Humanity, through Adam and Eve, sinned against the holy God through their rebellious disobedience. We, being born in their likeness, confess our sins, idolatries, and forgetfulness of God in hope, knowing all is forgiven in the finished work of Christ. 3. Redemption: In the person of Jesus Christ, God who is far above all creation, becomes incarnationally bound to it. In response to our confession of sins, Christ beckons us to see that His being lifted up on the cross and rising from the grave pardons, forgives, heals, and restores all things. 4. Consummation: When we come to the eucharist table we look forward to the marriage supper of the lamb. In a very real sense heaven is most present among us as we break bread and drink wine together, anticipating the day when all things are perfected in Christ. Being reminded of this, we are sent out to introduce people to lesus and invite the world into this same rhythm of worship.





