

# Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church

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#### 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. We don't currently 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.

#### Give us 7

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!

#### Confession

A: Gracious God,
our sins are too heavy to carry,
too real to hide,
and too deep to undo.
Forgive what our lips tremble to name,
what our hearts can no longer bear,
and what has become for us
a consuming fire of judgment.
Set us free from a past that we cannot change;
open to us a future in which we can be changed;
and grant us grace
to grow more and more in your likeness and image;
through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

#### Pardon Psalm 62:6-8

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.
On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him;
God is a refuge for us.

# Passing the Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

A: And Also with you!

#### How Firm A Foundation

- 1. How firm a foundation, you saints of the Lord, Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word! What more can He say than to you He has said, To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?
- 2. "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dismayed, For I am your God and will still give you aid; I'll strengthen and help you, and cause you to stand The flame shall not hurt you; I only design Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.
- 3. "When through the deep waters I call you to go, The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow; For I will be with you, your troubles to bless, And sanctify to you your deepest distress.

- 4. "The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose, I will not, I will not desert to its foes; That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake, I'll never, no never, no never forsake.
- 5. "When through fiery trials your pathways shall lie, My grace, all sufficient, shall be your supply; Your dross to consume, and your gold to refine.

Amos 7:10-17

Luke 1:1-25

# Old Testament Reading

L: This is the Word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God

# New Testament Reading

L: This is the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

A: Praise be to You, O Christ

#### Bless The Lord

Bless the Lord, my soul And bless God's holy name Bless the Lord, my soul Who leads me into life

### Call to Worship

Psalm 121

L: I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?

A: My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

### The Lord Is King

1. The Lord is King! lift up your voice, O earth and all ye heav'ns rejoice! From world to world the joy shall ring, "The Lord omnipotent is King!"

#### Chorus

Sing His praise, sing his praise, Lord of lords, ancient of days Sing His praise, sing his praise, All your days, all your days

- 2. The Lord is King! Who then shall dare resist his will, distrust his care Or mur-mur at his wise decrees Or doubt his royal promises?
- 3. The Lord is King! Bow down you must; The Judge of all the earth is just; Holy and true are all his ways; Let every creature sing his Praise.

Sermon Psalm 121

L: The grass withers and the flower fades

A: But the word of our God will stand forever.

# **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 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

# Offering

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

### 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.

# Communion Song My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less

1. My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness I dare not trust the sweetest frame, But wholly lean on Jesus' name

#### Chorus

On Christ, the solid rock, I stand All other ground is sinking sand, All other ground is sinking sand.

- 2. When darkness seems to hide His face, I rest on His unchanging grace In every high and stormy gale, My anchor holds within the veil
- 3. His oath, His covenant, His blood Support me in the whelming flood; When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.
- 4. When He shall come with trumpet sound, Oh may I then in Him be found Dressed in His righteousness alone Faultless to stand before the throne.

#### Communion

Leader: The Lord be with you and also with you.
Leader: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord. Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord

our God.

All: It is right to give thanks and

praise.

Leader: As often as we eat this bread

and drink this cup we proclaim the Lord's death until he

comes.

**All:** Amen. Come, Lord Jesus. Leader: Great is the mystery of faith:

All: 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