

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!

Call to Worship

Psalm 147:1-7

- L: Praise the Lord!
- A: For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.
- L: The Lord builds up Jerusalem; he gathers the outcasts of Israel.
- A: He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.
- L: He determines the number of the stars; he gives to all of them their names.
- A: Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.
- L: The Lord lifts up the humble; he casts the wicked to the ground.
- A: Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving; make melody to our God on the lyre!

O Worship the King

- O worship the King, all glorious above
 O gratefully sing His power and His love;
 Our Shield and Defender,
 The Ancient of Days
 Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise
- O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
 Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,
 His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
 And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
- 3. Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light; It streams from the hills, It descends to the plain, And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.
- 4. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

Confession

A: Awesome and compassionate God,
you have loved us with unfailing, self-giving mercy,
but we have not loved you.
You constantly call us, but we do not listen.
You ask us to love, but we walk away from neighbors in need,
wrapped in our own concerns.
We condone evil, prejudice, warfare, and greed.
God of grace, as you come to us in mercy,
we repent in spirit and in truth,
admit our sin, and gratefully receive your forgiveness through
Jesus Christ,
our Redeemer. Amen.

Pardon

John 3:16-17

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

Passing the Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

A: And Also with you!

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

- 1. How deep the Father's love for us How vast beyond all measure That He would give His only Son To make a wretch His treasure How great the pain of searing loss The Father turns His face away As wounds which mar the chosen One Bring many sons to glory
- 2. Behold the Man upon a cross
 My guilt upon His shoulders
 Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice
 Call out among the scoffers
 It was my sin that hteld Him there
 Until it was accomplished
 His dying breath has brought me life
 I know that it is finished
- 3. I will not boast in anything
 No gifts, no powr's, no wisdom
 But I will boast in Jesus Christ
 His death and resurrection
 Why should I gain from His reward?
 I cannot give an answer
 But this I know with all my heart
 His wounds have paid my ransom

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 40:21-31

L: This is the Word of the Lord

A:Thanks be to God

New Testament Reading 1 Corinthians 9:16-23

L: This is the Word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God

We Long to See You

Almighty God, we long to see you; Open our hearts and make them pure. Spirit, we wash our hands in mercy; Come teach our souls to love your truth.

Sermon

Mark 2:23-3:6

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

Come for the Feast is Spread

- Come for the feast is spread,
 Hark to the call come all, come all
 Come to the Living bread
 Offered to all, head the call, the call
- Come where the fountain flows
 Healing for all thy woes, thy woes
 Come to the crimson tide
 Wade in the river of life, of life
- 3. Come to the throne of grace
 All who would win the race, the race
 Come and boldly draw near
 Let us now tarry here, tarry here

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