

Worship Participants

Pastors: Rev. Bob W. David + Rev. Kyle R. Otterbein

Lay leaders: Lora Morgan Dunham (11:00)

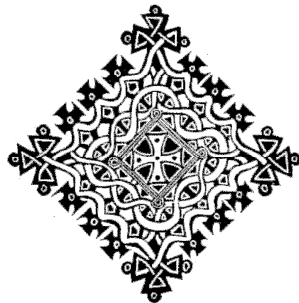
Organist: Erin Moore

Music Participants: Wes Habley, clarinet

Ushers + Greeters: Deacons

Announcements

- Children are welcome and encouraged to participate in our worship services.
- Children's bulletins and worship bags are available in the Narthex as you enter the Sanctuary.
- Nursery care is provided for 2-year-olds and younger during both worship services.
- Children's Time is for ages 3 years through Kindergarten and meets in the Castle Room in the East Wing. This is a time of unstructured play, special activities, and continuing worship.
- Seating, sound, and worship hymnals are available in the Narthex.
- Large print hymnals and Bibles are available from the ushers.
- Flowers are given by Dwight and Kelly Look in celebration of 25 years of marriage and the blessing of a love that continues to grow.
- Interested in the ministry opportunities of St. Andrew?
Our weekly *Mini-Messenger* and monthly *Messenger* newsletters are available online at: www.saintandrew-ic.org (under the "News" heading) or in paper version in the rack near the Welcome Table and on the table outside the main office.



This cross is based on an Ethiopian design pattern. The rhythmic interlocking movements of the lines symbolize our unity in Christ in his death and resurrection. The Greek cross in the middle has arms of equal length to remind us that Christ's sacrifice reaches to the four corners of the earth. The empty cross and the design's entwined lines depict the breadth, length, height and depth of our life in Christ.

-artwork by Elizabeth Steele Halstead

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breadth l e n g t h **HEIGHT** depth

Dimensions of Life in Christ

JUNE 13, 2010 ♦ 8:30 + 11:00 AM

Hymns and songs may be found in The Presbyterian Hymnal (blue) or Sing! A New Creation (green).

◆ Gathering

Welcome + Announcements

Prelude

Jesus Loves Me *settings by Mark Albrecht*

Wes Habley, clarinet

Our music is offered to the glory of God; if you wish to express a response, a spoken "Amen" or "Praise God" is welcomed.

*Call to Worship

God of Christ Jesus, bless our gathering today and help us to know that we are not strangers but members of your family.

In your presence let us be like travellers arriving home, like enemies who have found peace, like a single brick that knows its unique importance in the household of God.

May our joy exceed our knowledge.

And through Christ Jesus our salvation, may our love be stretched to the utmost limit.

Let us worship God.

*Opening Hymn

To God Be the Glory *blue, #485*

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

We have sinned by building walls that divide the Body of Christ, that divide our communities and our world.

Forgive us, O God.

We have sinned by claiming our differences as more important than our unity.

Forgive us, O God.

We have sinned by not honoring each others' humanity, each others' gifts.

Forgive us, O God.

We have not shown our love for you, O God, with the brothers and sisters you have given us.

Forgive us, O God.

Let us now have a moment of silence to offer our own personal confessions.

time of reflection for personal prayers of confession

Bold print - speak or sing together in unison

**please stand as you are able*

*Words of Assurance

Hear the good news! Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone, a new life has begun.

The love of Christ has removed the dividing walls for us. We are forgiven.

We are welcomed at the holy table of God's love. Let us be at peace.

Hallelujah and Amen!

*The Peace/Time of Greeting

The grace, love, and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

*Sung Response

Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine! *blue*, #341

◆ Word of God _____

Prayer of Illumination

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5:21-24

NT Bible, pg. 4

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Congregational Hymn

Just As I Am *blue*, #370

Parents who would like to have their children participate in Children's Time in the Castle Room are welcome to accompany their children to the East Wing during the singing of the Congregational Song.

New Testament Reading

Ephesians 2:11-22

NT Bible, pg. 192

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Message

The Restoration Power of the Cross *Rev. Bob David*

◆ Offering Ourselves for God's Purpose _____

Worship in Tithes and Offerings

If you have a prayer request, please fill out a prayer card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

Offertory

Lord, We Hear Your Word with Gladness *setting by Mark Albrecht*

Wes Habley, clarinet

see text at green, #89

Prayer of Dedication

Lord Jesus, I give you my hands to do your work.

I give you my feet to go your way.

I give you my eyes to see as you see.

I give you my tongue to speak your words.

I give you my mind to think as you think.

I give you my gifts to be generous as you are generous.

May it be you, Lord Jesus,

who lives in me, and works through me, all my days. Amen.

Prayers of the People + The Lord's Prayer *blue*, pg. 16 - traditional

◆ Sending _____

*Closing Hymn

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less *blue*, #379

*Charge + Blessing

Postlude

Prelude in F Major *by J.S. Bach*

You are invited to be seated for the postlude. Soli Deo Gloria! Glory to God Alone!

Today:

Congregational Meeting + Potluck Breakfast

9:30 am breakfast

Bring a breakfast dish, enough for a family, to share.

10:00 am congregational meeting
to elect officers and elders.
