

The mission of St. Andrews is to proclaim and live the good news of Jesus Christ, for the rescue and transformation of God's People, so that the city of Columbus might glorify and enjoy God, in all of life.

Worshiping God Together

Jan 11, 2026

— Gathering in God's Presence —

Prelude

(Please take a moment and quietly prepare your heart for worship.)

To all who are weary and need rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort, to all who fail and desire strength, to all who sin and need a Savior: this church opens wide her doors with a welcome from Jesus, the friend of sinners.

Call to Worship: Psalm 108:3-5

I will praise you, Lord, among the nations;
I will sing of you among the peoples.

For great is your love, higher than the heavens;
your faithfulness reaches to the skies.

**Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;
let your glory be over all the earth.**

— Offering God Our Praises —

Songs of Ascent

I Will Glory In My Redeemer

I will glory in my Redeemer,
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me.
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails,
And hung Him on that judgment tree.
I will glory in my Redeemer,
Who crushed the power of sin and death.
My only Savior before the holy Judge:
The Lamb who is my righteousness,
The Lamb who is my righteousness.

I will glory in my Redeemer.
My life He bought, my love He owns.
I have no longings for another,
I'm satisfied in Him alone.
I will glory in my Redeemer,
His faithfulness my standing place.
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me,
My feet are firm, held by His grace,
My feet are firm, held by His grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer,
Who carries me on eagles' wings.
He crowns my life with lovingkindness,
His triumph song I'll ever sing.
I will glory in my Redeemer,
Who waits for me at gates of gold.
And when He calls me, it will be paradise,
His face forever to behold,
His face forever to behold.

Help My Unbelief

I know the Lord is nigh, and would but cannot pray,
For Satan meets me when I try, and frights my soul away,
And frights my soul away.

I would but can't repent, though I endeavor oft;
This stony heart can ne'er relent 'till Jesus makes it soft,
'till Jesus makes it soft.

Chorus:

Help my unbelief, Help my unbelief.

Help my unbelief, My help must come from Thee.

I would but cannot love, though wooed by love divine;
No arguments have power to move a soul as base as mine.
A soul so base as mine.

I would but cannot rest, in God's most holy will;
I know what He appoints is best, and murmur at it still,
I murmur at it still.

(Chorus)

All I Have is Christ

I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way,
The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will,
And if You had not loved me first, I would refuse You still.

Chorus:

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life!

But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost,
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross.
And I beheld God's love displayed, You suffered in my place.
You bore the wrath reserved for me; now all I know is grace.

(Chorus)

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone and live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands could never come from me.
O Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose,
And let my song forever be my only boast is You.

(Chorus)

Greeting

Grace and Peace to you from God Our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ!
According to His great mercy, He has made us alive, to a living hope,
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Prayer of Invocation

O Lord, draw near to us and raise us to newness of life. We ask that You would be pleased to dwell in our praises, this morning. We ask that the Holy Spirit would come upon us to show us the beauty and worthiness of Jesus, who was crucified for sinners. Hear our prayers, because we do not pray in our own name, but in the name of the Lamb of God, Jesus, who takes away the sin of the world. Amen.

Old Testament and New Testament Readings

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 9:1-17

New Testament Reading: Matthew 3:13-17

Song of Praise

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been, Thou forever will be.

Chorus:

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see.
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

(Chorus)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

(Chorus)

Confession of Faith - taken from The New City Catechism

Matthew 6:9 Pray then like this: "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. . ."

Question 41: What is the Lord's Prayer?

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Corporate Prayers of Confession: Taken from Psalm 57

Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me,
for in you my soul takes refuge;

In the shadow of your wings I will take refuge

Father, hear us now as we offer to you our silent, individual prayers of confession.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace: Taken from I Peter 2

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Song of Assurance

Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of his Spirit washed in his blood.

Chorus:

*This is my story, this is my song,
praising my savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior, all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above,
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

(Chorus)

Offering, Prayer for Illumination (for the preaching and hearing of God's Word), and Special Music"

(At this time, the school aged K4 and Kindergarten children are invited to meet their leaders at the back of the sanctuary for Children's Church. If it is your child's first time, please accompany him/her to class)

—— Hearing and Responding to God's Word ——

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:27-30

Sermon — Wes Simmons, Senior Pastor

Notes:

—— Being Sent Out into God's World ——

Song of Dismissal

Blessed Assurance

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in his love.

Chorus:

*This is my story, this is my song,
praising my savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior, all the day long.*

Benediction: Adapted from Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you;
the Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you and give you his
peace. Both now, this week, and forevermore.

Amen. Thanks be to God!

Go in His Peace!

— Announcements —

Bible and Life

Bible and Life meets before worship at 9:30am. This semester's theme is Relational Evangelism. *The Youth will be joining us in this semester's Bible & Life.*

Women's Ministry

Early Morning Bible Study

Join us for an early morning Bible Study on Thursdays 6-7:00am! See more info on the app.

Women's Prayer Ministry

The Women's Prayer Ministry meets Mondays at 9:30am.

Women's Early Spring Bible Study

Women's Tuesday morning Bible Study will resume on **Jan 13**.

Women's Retreat 2026

Ladies, please mark your calendar for **Mar 20-22** for our retreat! This year we will be staying in the Chalets in Pine Mountain. Registration is open!

Women's New Year Kick-off Luncheon

Ladies, come have lunch after the service on **today after worship!** Enjoy time with other ladies, and learn about ministry opportunities for the New Year!

Children's Ministry

Rooted

Rooted, our children's discipleship, meets **tonight** at 5:30.

Men's Ministry

Men's Bible Study

Men's Tuesday Morning Bible Study meets Tuesdays at 8:00am.

Bible Reading Plan for 2026

For 2026 and 2027, we will be reading through the Bible as a Church Family! Look on the app for "Bible Reading Plan 2026" to see the plan.

— Announcements —

St. Andrews 101

Our next membership class will be **Feb 19** from 6:00-8:30 pm. See the App for more info and to register.

2026 Missions Conference

Our 2026 Missions Conference will be **Feb 6-8**. We are excited to have one of our own Mission Partners, Pete Mitchell (MTW-France) as our leader! Please see the App for schedule, registration, and volunteer information.

Looking for opportunities to use your gifts at St. Andrews?
Click the QR code for details

Want to Serve?



Youth Ministry

Youth Group meets weekly at the Moseley House Sundays from 5:30-7:30pm and is open to all students 6th grade to 12th grade. *Please contact Vijay Rawal at vijay@standrewscolumbus.org if you have any questions.*

Jan 11—Youth Group @ Moseley House

Jan 18—Youth Group @ Moseley House

Small Groups

Interested in joining a small group? Do you have questions about small groups? Contact Wayne Logan at (606) 521-9470 or wayne@standrewscolumbus.org.

Children's Church Volunteers

Jan 11—Sara Barkhouse, Kaity Stewart, Klein Adams, Clara Adams

Jan 18—Amy Rhodes, Kayla Barkhouse, Josie Blake, Tony Blake

Jan 25—Cam Addison, Anna Grider, Bradley Brooks, Lucy Brooks

Church Family Needs & Weekly Prayers

Expectant Mothers—Sydney Alexander, Kathleen Whitley , Kayla Barkhouse

St. Andrews Missionaries— Teen Challenge Global

St. Andrews Ministries— Men's Ministry

Please pray for service members and families from our church family who are deployed or moving to new duty stations in the coming days and weeks.

Please pray for those in our church family who are currently facing illnesses or other hardships:

Susan Clickner — Addie Jackson—Libby Dahlin

Announcements

If you would like an announcement in the bulletin of a personal nature: Expectant mother, birth of a baby, the passing of a St. Andrews family member, illness or hardship, please notify the office at office@standrewscolumbus.com. We would like to recognize all of these important events, however want to respect the privacy of our congregants as well. When you email the office you will be giving permission to put this information in the bulletin.

Prayer Requests

If you have a prayer request or would appreciate a meal, and are not in a small group, please email sapc.womensministry@gmail.com

St. Andrews Missionaries and Ministries



Nursery and Young Children Information

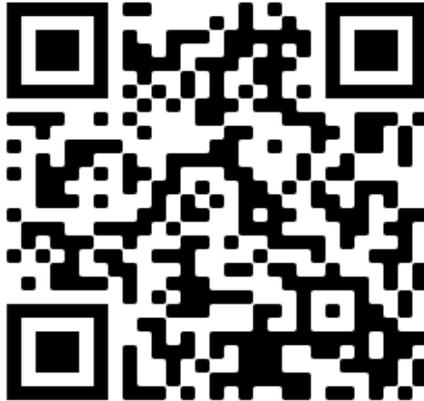


Staff and Leadership



WELCOME VISITORS

Please scan the QR code below to fill out our connect card!
Or, you can fill out the paper form below and add it to the offering plate.



We are glad that you are here with us today!

We would like to send you a welcome email or letter. Don't worry, we will not add you to our email list without your permission.

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Date that you visited: _____

Feel free to list anyone that came with you, ages or grades included.

We would enjoy the opportunity to pray with you and for you.

If you would like, please share any requests or needs you may have.

Thanks for visiting with us today.

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