

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

May 31, 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 96:1-6, 11-13

Oh sing to the Lord a new song;
sing to the Lord, all the earth!

**Sing to the Lord, bless his name;
tell of his salvation from day to day.**

Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the peoples!

**For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
he is to be feared above all gods.**

For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,
but the Lord made the heavens.

**Splendor and majesty are before him;
strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.**

Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice;
let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

let the field exult, and everything in it!

Then shall all the trees of the forest sing for joy
before the Lord, for he comes,
for he comes to judge the earth.

He will judge the world in righteousness,
and the peoples in his faithfulness.

— Offering God Our Praises —

Songs of Ascent

Isaiah 43

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you,
And the waves will not overcome you.
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you,
I have called you by name, You are Mine.

Chorus:

Men: *For I am the Lord your God,*

Women: *I am the Lord your God,*

Men: *I am the Lord your God*

Women: *I am*

Together: *The Holy One of Israel, Your Saviour!*

(Repeat)

Men: *I am the Lord,*

Women: *Do not fear,*

Men: *I am the Lord,*

Women: *Do not fear.*

(Repeat)

When you walk through the fire you'll not be burned,
And the flames will not consume you.
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you,
I have called you by name, You are Mine.

(Chorus)

Together, last time only: *I am the Lord.*

How Sweet the Name Of Jesus Sounds

How sweet the Name of Jesus sounds in a believer's ear!
It soothes his sorrow, heals his wounds, and drives away his fear.

It makes the wounded spirit whole, and calms the troubled breast;
'Tis manna to the hungry soul, and to the weary, rest.

Dear Name, the rock on which I build, my shield and hiding place,
My never failing treas'ry, filled with boundless stores of grace!

Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend, my Prophet, Priest, and King,
My Lord, my Life, my Way, my End, accept the praise I bring.

Weak is the effort of my heart, and cold my warmest thought;
But when I see Thee as Thou art, I'll praise Thee as I ought.

O The Deep, Deep Love Of Jesus!

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus, vast, unmeasured, boundless, free,
Rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me is the current of Your love,
Leading onward, leading homeward to Your glorious rest above.

Chorus:

*Oh the deep, deep love, all I need and trust
Is the deep, deep love of Jesus.*

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus, spread His praise from shore to shore,
How He came to pay our ransom through the saving cross He bore;
How He watches o'er His loved ones, those He died to make His own;
How for them He's interceding, pleading now before the throne.

(Chorus)

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus, far surpassing all the rest.
It's an ocean full of blessing in the midst of every test.
Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus, mighty Savior, precious Friend
You will bring us home to glory where Your love will never end.

(Chorus)

Greeting

Grace to you and peace, from God our Father, the Father of mercies and
God of all comfort.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Prayer of Invocation

O Lord, be gracious to us, and bless us, and make Your face shine upon us. Save us, and set Your name among us, that Your way may be known on earth, Your saving power among all nations. Give us hearts of praise and be pleased with the worship we bring today.

Make us glad as we come before You. Hear our songs of praise, our prayers, and our confession of Your great name. May the words from our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable to You, our Rock and our Redeemer. Hear our prayers, that we make in the name of our great Savior, Jesus. Amen.

Old Testament and New Testament Readings

Old Testament: Deuteronomy 6:1-25

New Testament: Luke 8:22-25

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God!

Song of Praise

Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to receive the food of Your Holy Word.
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today in our acts of love and our deeds
of faith.

Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, holy reverence, true humility;
Test our thoughts and our attitudes in the radiance of Your purity.
Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and
authority.

Words of pow'r that can never fail—let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your plans
for us—

Truths unchanged from the dawn of time that will echo down through
eternity.

And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, and by faith we'll walk as You walk
with us.

Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built and the earth is filled with Your glory.

— Baptism —

Charlotte Loretta Alexander

What we Believe about Baptism—Taken From the New City Catechism:

What is baptism?

Baptism is the washing with water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; it signifies and seals our adoption into Christ, our cleansing from sin, and our commitment to belong to the Lord and to his church.

Is baptism with water the washing away of sin itself?

No, only the blood of Christ and the renewal of the Holy Spirit can cleanse us from sin.

The covenant promises:

Acts 2:39: For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.

But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that, having been justified by his grace, we might become heirs having the hope of eternal life. — Titus 3:4-7

Reading from the French Reformed Baptismal Liturgy:

For you, little child, Jesus Christ has come, he has fought, he has suffered. For you he entered the shadow of Gethsemane and the horror of Calvary. For you he uttered the cry, "It is finished!" For you he rose from the dead and ascended into heaven and there he intercedes – for you, little child, even though you do not know it. But in this way the word of the Gospel becomes true. "We love him, because he first loved us."

Vows for Parents:

1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a godly example, that you will pray with and for them, that you will teach them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Congregational Vow:

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting these parents in the Christian nurture of these children?

Confession of Faith - taken from The New City Catechism

And Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."
Matthew 22:37-40

Question 7: What does the law of God require?

Personal, perfect, and perpetual obedience; that we love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; and love our neighbor as ourselves. What God forbids should never be done and what God commands should always be done.

Corporate Prayers of Confession: Taken from Psalm 139

Most 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; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of Your Name. Amen.

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

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardoning Grace: From Rom. 1 and 5, and Col. 1

God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Song of Praise

How Great Thou Art

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the works thy hands hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior-God, to thee:

How great thou art! How great thou art!

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How great thou art! How great thou art!

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
that on the cross my burden gladly bearing
he bled and died to take away my sin;

(Refrain)

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
and there proclaim: "My God, how great thou art!"

(Refrain)

Prayer for Illumination (for the preaching and hearing of God's Word), Offering, 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: Exodus 20:1-3

Sermon — Wayne Logan, Assistant Pastor of Christian Formation

Notes:

—— Being Sent Out into God's World ——

Song of Dismissal

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Benediction - Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

Amen. Thanks be to God!

Go in His Peace!

— Announcements —

Bible & Life Hour

Bible & Life is on a break and will resume **Aug 9**.

Women's Ministry

Early Morning Bible Study

Join us for a morning Bible Study on Thurs 6-7:00am! More info on the app.

Women's Summer Bible Study

Join us for morning Bible Study on Tues mornings at 9:30 @ St. Andrews beginning **June 16**.

Ladies Summer Pickleball

Ladies Summer Pickleball nights will be every other week during the summer from 7-9:00 pm starting **June 18**. Equipment and drinks will be provided. See the app for additional dates.

Children's Ministry

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School (VBS) 2026 coming **June 8-12**! If interested in volunteering please see Marie Baum, Children's Director or Anna Rodeheaver, VBS Director.

The deadline to sign up for VBS is TONIGHT!

Volunteers

There will be a training for VBS volunteers after the service **today**. Please plan to attend if you are going to be volunteering in any capacity.

Additionally, we need volunteers for VBS Decorating! VBS setup will begin Sat, **June 6** from 2:00 – 5:00 PM and will finish Sun, **June 7**, from 2:00 – 5:00 PM. Volunteers are welcome either or both days!

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 —

Men's Ministry

Men's Bible Study

Men's Tuesday Morning Bible Study meets from 8-9:00am at St. Andrews.

Men's Summer Pickleball

Men's Summer Pickleball will be **June 10** from 7-9:00p.m.. Equipment & drinks will be provided. See the app for location and additional dates.

Bible Believers Breaking Bread (B4)

B4 will meet **June 3** from 6:30-8:30p.m. Join us for dinner and discussion. See the app for location and additional dates.

Financial Peace University Registration now OPEN!

As Christ-followers, we're called to trust the Lord with everything in our lives. Our marriages, our work and our money. Our church is hosting a Financial Peace University class starting **June 14** at 5:00 pm, where we'll walk through God's ways of handling money so we can become better stewards of His money for His glory. We'll meet for 9 weeks on Sunday evenings in the adult Bible & Life classroom, Rm 111-112. See the App for the full schedule of dates and registration. For more information, see Ashley or Tommy Etchechury.

St. Andrews 101

Want to learn more about our church? Our next membership class will be **July 9** from 6:00-8:30 pm. See the App for more info. Please register now!

Baby Bottle Boomerang for Sound Choices

Thank you for supporting Sound Choices Pregnancy Clinic! You can pick up your Baby Bottles in the Narthex today! Please return your Baby Bottles full of change, money or checks to the Church Office by July 5. ***Please Note: If writing checks please make them out to Sound Choices***

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.*

May 31—Youth Summer Kick off (see app for location address)

Jun 7—Youth Group @ Moseley House

Children's Church Volunteers

May 31— Kelly Phillips, Anna Rodeheaver, Bradley Brooks, Lucy Brooks

Jun 7— Anna Grider, Amy Rhodes, Finch Pope, Abigail Rodeheaver

Jun 14— Matt Maxey, Sara Barkhouse, Cal Corcoran, Rosalie Whitten

Church Family Needs & Weekly Prayers

Expectant Mothers— Kayla Barkhouse

St. Andrews Missionaries— Teen Challenge Global

St. Andrews Ministries— Youth Ministry Team

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

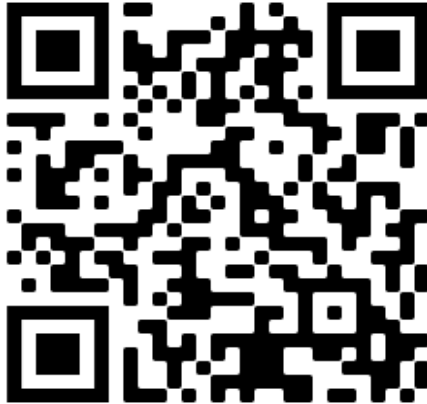


Staff and Leadership



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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