



St. Andrews-Covenant Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Welcome to Worship! | June 30th, 2024 | 6th Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

Prelude *Air*

Giuseppi Tartini

Welcome

*Call to Worship

The steadfast love of God never ceases.

God's mercies never come to an end;

they are new every morning.

Great is your faithfulness, O God.

Weeping may linger for the night,

but joy comes with the morning, for you hear us when we cry.

So we will praise you and will not be silent.

Sing praises, O you faithful ones, and give thanks to God's holy name.

*Hymn 307 *God of Grace and God of Glory*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Everlasting and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. As we remember the lavish gift of your grace, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Sung Response 582 *Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me*

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

WORD

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson Lamentations 3:22-33

Second Lesson | John 5: 1-4

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

Sermon *Overcoming the World*

Gary Smith

***Hymn 438** *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*

***Affirmation of Faith** Apostles' Creed (hymnal, p. 35)

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

THANKSGIVING

Offering and Passing of Friendship Pads

Offertory *Eternal Father, Strong to Save*

arr. David Schwoebel

***Doxology 606**

***Prayer of Dedication**

SENDING

***Hymn 720** *Jesus Calls Us*

***Charge and Benediction**

***Dismissal** *We stand while the bell is rung three times, remembering that God, Creator, Redeemer and Renewer of Life goes with us.*

Postlude *Trumpet Tune*

Henry Purcell

Worship Leaders

Senior Pastor, Rev. Katherine B. Harrington
Parish Associate, Rev. Dr. Gary Smith
Organist/Pianist, Sara Bryant

Pianist, Steve Lowry
Production Coordinator, Jim Fox
Lay Reader, Scott Murray

The Flowers in the Sanctuary

Are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of our grandparents: Mrs. Kathleen Elisabeth Shanahan, Mr. Billy Graham Noble, Mrs. Sudie Benton Williamson, and Mr. Billy Lee Williamson by Maddy and O'Brian Noble.

The Flowers in the Chapel

Are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Marilyn Mitchell by her family.

Our Mission

Inspiring one another to love Jesus by staying faithfully present in our community.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 2024

Church Office Closed Monday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day. Wishing everyone a safe and happy July 4th week!

Saints Alive Weekly Newsletter Update Saints Alive will resume publication beginning July 9th after a short hiatus this week.

Sunday School Summer Updates All children, youth, and several adult Sunday School classes will take a break in July and August. Adults looking to learn and fellowship can see Saints Alive for class options. All classes will resume in September!

Family Pool Party July 31st, 6:00 pm, The Thompson House Open to the families of our Children and Youth. Don't let the kids have all the fun, come fellowship with other SACPC families! Snacks will be provided. See Saints Alive for more details.

Banned Book Club for All August 7th, 7:00 pm, The Hub Amy Stuart will lead our discussion on *Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You; A Remix of the National Book Award-winning Stamped from the Beginning* (AGES 12 & UP). Open to all! Parents are encouraged to read along with their students.

Where in The World is Matthew? Summer Vacation Matthew, our contemporary worship leader, is on an extended vacation home to Australia. He will return to lead us in worship on July 28th. Please send his family travel mercies as they reunite with loved ones.

Earth Care Corner Farmers' Market Enjoy fresher, tastier produce while reducing greenhouse emissions and plastic waste by frequenting your local farmers' market. See Saints Alive for more information.

Financial & Session Reports May Updates May Session Report and Financial Highlights are now available. See Saints Alive for details.

Malawi Partnership Team Fall Updates We are excited to announce an upcoming visit from our great friends, and African partners, this September! See Saints Alive for more information on how to worship, fellowship, and connect with these special visitors.

Officer Nominations Elders & Deacons Please submit names for elders and deacons for the class of 2027 before August 1st. Scan the QR on the back of the announcement sheet or see Saints Alive for submission details.

July Donation Drive School Supply Drive Go & Serve is partnering with DVSS, WRAAP, & Family Promise by collecting school supplies for children in need. See extensive list of items on the 15th St. bulletin board and Saints Alive for details.

Grades K - 5th July Updates Family Pool Party, 7/31, 6:00 pm, The Thompson House. See Lynn Warner for details.

Grades 6th - 12th July Updates Massanetta Springs, 7/11-7/14; Youth \$5 Putt Putt, 7/17, 6:30 pm, The Golf Barn; Local Mission Trip, 7/21-7/25 (4 spots left); Family Pool Party, 7/31, 6:00 pm, The Thompson House. See Jen Phelps for details.

HOLY HAPPENINGS @ SACPC

Upcoming:

Sunday Mornings

9:00 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship

Weekly Events

Mondays:

6:30 pm AA Meeting

Tuesdays:

10:00 am More than a Story Bible Study

Wednesdays:

7:00 am Joe Mitchell Men's Bible Study (via Zoom)
(1st Wednesday in the dining room, all others via zoom)
6:30 pm AA Meeting

Fridays:

12:00 pm Al-Anon

July Special Dates

11th: Massanetta Springs MS Conference
17th: Youth Putt Putt
21st: Youth Local Mission Trip
31st: Family Pool Party



Children, Youth, and some Adult Sunday School classes are on summer break until September.



YOUTH \$5 PUTT PUTT!
The Golf Barn in Leland
registration required!
WEDNESDAY 7/17
6:30 pm meet @ The HUB to carpool or 7:00 pm meet at The Golf Barn



FAMILY POOL PARTY
WEDNESDAY JULY 31
don't drop off **DROP IN!**
6 - 8pm @ The Thompsons
why should the kids have all the fun?



FILL THE BACKPACKS
Donations Due July 31
SEE SAINTS ALIVE FOR DETAILS



Elder & Deacon Nominating Form
CLASS OF 2027
SCAN TO SEND US YOUR NOMINATIONS



Earth Care Corner
Shopping **local** farmers' markets are more **eco-friendly** and often provide more **nutrient-rich** produce.



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