



**He said to them, “Where is your faith?” And they were afraid, and they marveled, saying to one another, “Who then is this, that he commands even winds and water, and they obey him?” Luke 8:25**

The miracles Jesus performs are a display of his divine power and intended to force people to consider his claims as Messiah. They are reminders to us of his unlimited, sovereign power for our lives so that we can obey his commands to us.

**Miracles in the Bible lead not simply to cognitive belief, but to worship, to awe and wonder. Jesus’ miracles in particular were never magic tricks, designed only to impress and coerce. . . . Instead, he used miraculous power to heal the sick, feed the hungry, and raise the dead. Why? We modern people think of miracles as the suspension of the natural order, but Jesus meant them to be the restoration of the natural order. (Tim Keller)**

Bill Douglas, Pastor

### **WELCOME VISITORS**

We are glad to have you as our guest!

As we seek to bring glory to our Father together, we welcome you to join any or all of the events and ministry activities at St. Andrews.

- ⇒ We invite you to worship God with us, to find us as a place for encouragement and fellowship, and to become a part of this church.
- ⇒ We invite you to tell us who you are and let us get to know you, as you get to know and become more familiar with us.



The back of the program has the office phone number and email addresses for the staff.

God has moved you to come to worship him.

We are honored that you are here.

June 10, 2018

*Preaching:* Jacob Zoller

*Leading in Worship:* Billy Whitley & Duncan Cantrell

## **Songs of Ascent**

### **Come Thou Fount**

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing  
Thy grace; Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come;  
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;  
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood;

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let Thy grace now, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

Oh that day when, freed from sinning, I shall see Thy lovely face;  
Clothèd then in blood-washed linen how I'll sing Thy sovereign grace.  
Come my Lord, no longer tarry; take my ransomed soul away,  
Send Thine angels now to carry me to realms of endless day!

### **Praise to the Lord the Almighty**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of Creation!  
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near, praise Him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee!  
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, if with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him.  
Let the Amen sound from His people again; gladly for aye we adore Him.

### Abide With Me

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;  
The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide.  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head in early youth didst smile;  
And, though rebellious and perverse meanwhile,  
Thou hast not left me, oft as I left Thee,  
On to the close, Lord, abide with me.

I need Thy presence every passing hour.  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;  
Ills have no weight, tears lose their bitterness.  
Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory?  
I triumph still, abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes;  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee;  
In life, in death, Lord, abide with me.

### Call to Worship *(from Revelation 7)*

After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands. And they cried out in a loud voice: "Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb." All the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They fell down on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying:

"Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!"

## **In Christ Alone**

In Christ alone my hope is found; He is my light, my strength, my song;  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in All—here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe!  
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.  
Till on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied;  
For every sin on Him was laid—here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory, Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am His and He is mine—bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death—this is the power of Christ in me;  
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand;  
Till He returns or calls me home—here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

The Lord be with you  
**And also with you.**

## **Prayers of Invocation**

Heavenly Father, gracious and compassionate, abounding in covenant love and mercy, remember your ancient promises and come among your people as we gather to praise you. We enter with thanksgiving for your many graces to us. You have given us your word which is truth itself. You have completely done all that is necessary for the salvation of your people. You have set your Spirit in our hearts so that we are equipped for every good work. You are a sun and shield, you daily give grace and glory to all who call on your name. For each of these and for every good and perfect gift from your hands we offer thanks to you today. We worship you as your exiles in joyful anticipation of your return and we give ourselves to you for the glory of your name. We pray in that Name above all names. Amen

### **Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder**

Let us love and sing and wonder Let us praise the Savior's name  
He has hushed the law's loud thunder He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame  
He has washed us with His blood He has washed us with His blood  
He has washed us with His blood He has brought us nigh to God

Let us love the Lord Who bought us Pitied us when enemies  
Called us by His grace and taught us Gave us ears and gave us eyes  
He has washed us with His blood He has washed us with His blood  
He has washed us with His blood He presents our souls to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation Threatens hard to bear us down  
For the Lord, our strong salvation, Holds in view the conqu'ror's crown  
He, Who washed us with His blood, He, Who washed us with His blood,  
He, Who washed us with His blood, Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder grace and justice Join and point to mercy's store  
When through grace in Christ our trust is Justice smiles and asks no more  
He Who washed us with His blood He Who washed us with His blood  
He Who washed us with His blood Has secured our way to God

### **Prayers of Confession**

#### **Promise of Pardoning Grace (*from Hebrews 2*)**

9 But we see him who for a little while was made lower than the angels, namely Jesus, crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone.

10 For it was fitting that he, for whom and by whom all things exist, in bringing many sons to glory, should make the founder of their salvation perfect through suffering.

### **How Deep The Father's Love for Us**

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure, That He should 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.

Behold the Man upon the cross, my sin upon His shoulders. Ashamed I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers. It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished. His dying breath has brought me life; I know that it is finished.

I will not boast in anything—no gifts, no power, 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!

### **Offering**

*(At this time, the Pre K4 and Kindergarten children are invited to meet their leaders at the back of the sanctuary for Children's Church.)*

## Scripture Lesson *1 Peter 5:5-11*

5 Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.” 6 Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, 7 casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you. 8 Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. 9 Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. 10 And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. 11 To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

## Sermon

## Benediction

## Nunc Dimittis

*Hymn #733*

### **Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below:  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

# 1 Peter 5:5-11

## Outline:

1) The Enemy - \_\_\_\_\_

2) The Weapon - \_\_\_\_\_

3) The Outcome - \_\_\_\_\_

# A N N O U N C E M E N T S

Assistance is needed from the Congregation on Sunday June 17 following the worship service moving chairs to the sides of the Sanctuary and furnishings on the stage. Please plan to stay and help a few minutes after the service ends as we begin set up for VBS.

## YOUTH

June 10th & June 17th there will be NO YOUTH.

Summer Kick-Off Party: THIS FRIDAY, June 15th from 11am-3pm at the Morris Family Lake-House. There will be swimming, tubing, lunch, and more!

RENEW: July 14th-21st

## VBS 2018: "Let There Be Light": June 18-22

All youth and adult volunteers and teachers are asked to stay for a brief VBS Volunteer meeting **TODAY** following the worship service in Room 108 (Nursing Mothers/Small Group Room).

The meeting is for info will be distributed about VBS and your duties for the week.

If you have any of the following items that could be loaned for use during VBS, please let Bess know **TODAY**:  
**Telescope, Sundial, Wooden canoe, Hour Glass, Astroturf**

**Sign-up lists will be out in the Narthex** if you are interested in finding out more. For parents interested in registering their *child* (or inviting a friend) *please sign-up online or take registration forms to complete.*

**Snack/Supply Help Needed!** If you are unable to volunteer during the week of Vacation Bible School there is additional help needed by providing cookies, fruit, snacks and other supplies. Please check out the **Snack and Supply Sign-Up list out in the Narthex**. If you have questions, please contact Bess at [kids.SAPC@gmail.com](mailto:kids.SAPC@gmail.com)

## Moms in Prayer

Moms in Prayer will meet the **2nd and 4th Mondays** during June and July from **9-10 AM** at St. Andrews.

There will be no prayer group the week of VBS or 4th of July.

Mark your calendars! We hope see you for the next prayer group on Monday June 11.

# Monthly Calendar at St. Andrews

## JUNE

**10, Sun—** Sunday School (9:30a)  
No Youth

**11, Mon—** Moms in Prayer (9:00a)

**15, Fri—** Youth Summer Kick-off Party (11:00a)

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**17, Sun—** Happy Father's Day  
Sunday School (9:30a)  
No Youth

**18, Mon—** VBS (9:00a)

**19, Tues—** VBS (9:00a)

**20, Wed—** VBS (9:00a)

**21, Thurs—** VBS (9:00a)

**22, Fri—** VBS (9:00a)

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**24, Sun—** Communion Sunday  
Sunday School (9:30a)  
Youth Group (5:30p)

If you have questions regarding any event,  
please contact the church office.

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# Calendar of the Month

Ushers: Brad Brooks, Sydney Brasseaux, Parker Bennett, Bill Buck  
Deacons: Morgan Kimball, DR McNew

## **Greeters:**

**June 10:** Greg & Susan Johnston  
**June 17:** Todd & Rachel Sheppard  
**June 24:** Chris & Betty Schuster

## **Children's Church:**

**June 10:** John & Jennifer Anderson  
**June 17:** Bess Kendrick-Holmes & Sydney Brasseaux & Grace Johnson  
**June 24:** Alison Ross & Blake Schoonover

## **Nursery Volunteers:**

**June 10:** Judy Dodds  
**June 17:** Ashley Foster  
**June 24:** Joy Mullins

## **COVENANT FAMILY NEEDS**

- Expectant Mothers — Sarah Steed, Jennifer Corcoran, Traci Howell
- Foster Care Families — Matt & Katherine Maxey, Andrew & Amanda Harry
- St. Andrews Missionaries — RUF
- St Andrews Ministries — Missions Ministry Team
- Please pray for those in our church family who are recovering from surgeries, accidents, cancer treatments, and other illnesses:  

*Cheryl Smith — Sam Killeffer*
- 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.

**MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES  
SUPPORTED BY ST. ANDREWS**

**Bethany Christian Services (Columbus, GA)**

**Covenant Theological Seminary (St. Louis, Missouri)**

**House of Mercy (Columbus, GA)**

**International Friendship Ministries (Columbus, GA)**

**InterVarsity Christian Fellowship — Paul and Margaret Tokunaga**

**Mission to North America (MNA) — Chaplain Ministries**

**Chaplain Dr. Mike Stewart (Medical Center, Columbus, GA)**

**Mission to the World (MTW)**

David and Erin Pervis (Ukraine)

Johan and Stephanie van der Westhuizen (Chile)

Gary and Tammy Elliott (Bulgaria)

Pete & Ruth Mitchell (France)

**Pioneers**

Tom and Iris Lowder

**Reformed University Fellowship (RUF)**

Auburn University (Wes and Nancy Simmons)

University of GA (Justin and Elizabeth Clement)

University of South Alabama (Jacob and Leigh Zoller)

**Valley Rescue Mission (Columbus, GA)**

**Young Life**

Greater Columbus, GA

Atlanta, (Slate and Lindsay Fluker)

**Elders of St. Andrews 2018**

Andy Dickens

Dimon Kendrick-Holmes

AJ Morris

**2019**

Bill Brouwer

Matt Maxey

**2020**

Chris Schuster

Greg Johnston

John Mitchell

**Deacons of St. Andrews 2018**

David Clickner

Dan Gwaltney

Dale Pope

**2019**

DR McNew

Josh Schuster

Allen Whitley

**2020**

Morgan Kimball

Bill Shirley

Ben Wallace

# **The Purpose of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church:**

We exist to glorify and enjoy God as His called-out people:

Who are called together to worship God,

To be instructed in the Scriptures,

To be conformed to God's truth,

To reach out into our world with the news of the gospel.



