# 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time



9:30 a.m. | June 11, 2023 St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

## Questions about Worship @ St. Andrew?

- **Welcome!** We are happy to have you join us today. If you would like more information about St. Andrew, please email **office@saintandrew-ic.org** or visit **https://bit.ly/sapc-connection**.
- Our worship services begin **in-person and online at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday mornings**, followed by Sunday School and Adult Christian Education offerings from September to April and a variety of After Worship activities from May to August. The service usually begins with Welcome & Announcements a few minutes before 9:30 a.m.
- All ages are welcome in our worship services. Worship materials for all ages are available in The Maker's Toolbox outside the north entrance to the Sanctuary.
- Nursery care (up to age 2) is provided in the Lower Level throughout the morning. Programming for children (through Kindergarten age) begins in the Lower Level after the Time for Young Disciples on most Sundays and after the Sharing of Christ's Peace and Compassion on Communion Sundays.
- Large print hymnals, bibles, and bulletins also are available outside the Sanctuary doors.
- A T-Coil hearing assist loop is also available for those with this feature on their hearing aids.
- Prayer Requests may be written on a blue Prayer Request Card and placed in the offering plates as they are passed.
- Unless otherwise designated, gifts given to the weekly offering—either in the offering plates or through our
  website—support the annual church budget, including staff salaries, utilities, mission outreach, and all aspects of
  ministry at St. Andrew.
- You can find a copy of this bulletin on our church website and app: https://bit.ly/sapc-bulletins.

Hymns + Songs | Pages are listed for the printed bulletin

Numbers (#) are listed for music in the Lift Up Your Hearts (red) hymnal

Bold Print | Speak or sing together in unison.

♣ Please rise in body or in spirit.

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#### St. Andrew Presbyterian Church | Iowa City, Iowa

#### Welcome + Announcements

Prelude | Domine Deus, arr. Waren Erickson

■ Call to Gather | based on Psalm 33:1-5

Rejoice in the Lord, O you God's beloved;
Sing to God a new song!
For the word of the Lord is upright,
And all God's work is done in faithfulness.
Our God loves righteousness and justice;
The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.

- 母 Gathering Hymn | "Morning Has Broken," pg. 6
- ₱ Prayer of Confession and Promise of Ever-Present Grace | adapted from a liturgy by Ginna Bairby

God promises to love us and forgive us, not because we are righteous or law-abiding, but simply because we are.

Trusting in God's steadfast love, let us confess our sin together.

Merciful God, you are always drawing the circle of your love wider, but often we resist.

You tell us that all people are your beloved, and we ask, "Why?" "Why them?" "Even them?!"

We are quick to judge others rather than being grateful that we, too, are included in the fold.

We prioritize the privileged, the powerful and the people who look and act right,

but you extend grace first to the sinner, the outcast and the marginalized.

Forgive us, O God.

Transform us, that we may show mercy as you show mercy.

Time for Silent Confession

When the woman touched Jesus' cloak, he told her, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." Indeed, we are made well and whole, not because of ourselves, but through the grace of God!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

Musical Response | "Lift Every Voice and Sing," pg. 9

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us, sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us; facing the rising sun of our new day begun, let us march on till victory is won.

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And now, as a visible sign of what it means to live together in the care and context of Christ's community, let us extend Christ's peace and compassion to those around us!

The peace of Christ be with you all! And also with you!

First Reading | Romans 4:13-25 (Bible, pg. 916)

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

Time for Young Disciples | Thomas Hartley, director of children's and family ministries ∜

**Second Reading** | Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26 (*Bible*, pg. 790)

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

The Message | Life Breath | Rev. Kyle Otterbein

₩ **Hymn** | "Blessed Assurance," pg. 7 (hymnal, #363)

Worship in Tithes and Offerings |

Offertory | Sonata, arr. Joe Blahnik



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<sup>☆</sup> Following the Time for Young Disciples, Kindergartners and younger children are welcome to join activities in the Lower Level Children's Area.

#### ■ Response to Our Offerings | "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

#### Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Sending Hymn** | "For the Fruit of All Creation," pg. 8 (hymnal, #396)

The Congregational Meeting will begin shortly after worship (pgs. 11-12)

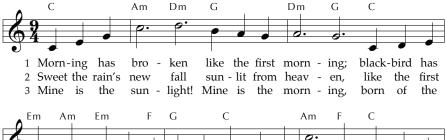
## Today's Worship Participants

Rev. W. Robert Martin, III, and Rev. Kyle Otterbein, pastors Becka Simpson, worship leader Trombone ensemble | Lee Rabe, assistant director of instrumental ministries Vocalists | Emily Busche, organist

**The Flowers on the Chancel** are given by Paula McCue to celebrate the start of summer and the time we can spend with family and friends.

## Morning Has Broken







like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the spo - ken dew - fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweet-ness of the wet Praise with e - la - tion; praise ev - ery one light E - den saw play!



morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word! sprung in com - plete - ness where God's feet pass. gar - den, morn - ing, God's re-cre-a-tion of the new day!

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### 363 Blessed Assurance: Jesus Is Mine



<sup>\*</sup>Used here in the sense of glory, ecstatic joy

Words: Fanny Crosby, 1873, P.D.

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#### For the Fruit of All Creation



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## **Congregational Meeting Agenda**

10:30 a.m. | Sunday June 11, 2023 Hybrid | In-Person & Zoom | Zoom Link: https://bit.ly/sapc-meeting-061123

Opening Prayer | Pastor Rob Martin

Call to Order | Pastor Rob Martin

Confirmation of Quorum | Pastor Rob Martin and Clerk of Session Patti Benson

Blessing of the Children & Leaders Going to Stronghold | Pastor Rob Martin

Election of Officers | Becka Simpson, on behalf of the Nominating Team

Slate of Candidates (see pg. 12)

Updating the By-Laws | Pastor Rob Martin

Proposed By-Law Changes

Finance Team | John Benson

Personnel Team | Rebecca Schuchert

Western Home Communities | Kris Hansen

Adjournment & Closing Prayer | Pastor Rob Martin

## Upcoming in Worship @ St. Andrew

#### June 18, 2023 | 9:30 a.m.

• **Prompting:** Pastor Rob Martin

Music: Summer Choir

• After Worship: Coffee with Leaders

#### June 25, 2023 | 9:30 a.m.

- Theme: All Abilities Celebration Sunday
- **Prompting:** Pastor Mark Wilson Martin
- After Worship: Access & Inclusion Fair

#### July 2, 2023 | 9:30 a.m.

- Sermon: Pastor Kyle Otterbein
- After Worship: Coffee & Conversation (4th of July activities later in the week)

#### July 9

- Prompting: Pastor Rob Martin
- After Worship: Picnic on the Patio
   & Tours of the LFO Garden

#### **July 16:**

- Prompting: Pastor Rob Martin
- After Worship: Coffee with Leaders

#### **July 23:**

- Sermon: Pastor Kyle Otterbein
- Music: Jazz Sunday
- After Worship: To Be Determined

## **Slate for Elected Church Officers**

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- Class of 2024: Cade Benson
- Class of 2026: Mary Hausler, Virginia Ibrahim-Olin, Josh Schilling, Gregs Thomopulos, and VACANCY
- Outgoing Elders: Tim Benson, Susie Engelhardt, Kaitlyn Schmidt-Rundell, and Becka Simpson

	Nominations from the Floor:	
Dea • •	Class of 2024: Elizabeth Young Class of 2026: Daniel Chappo, Jim Halverson, Scott Hoffman, Jamie Tanas, and Mettie Thomopulos Outgoing Deacons: Julia Druckmiller, Kaylee Gibson, Ken Gibson, LeAnn Otterbein, and Betty Maassen	
	Nominations from the Floor:	
•	asurers (Class of 2024) Jason Schuchert, treasurer Michelle DeGroot, assistant treasurer	
	Nominations from the Floor:	
Personnel Team (at large)  Twila Finkelstein, Class of 2026  Outgoing Personnel (at large): Myrna Farraj		
	Nominations from the Floor:	
Nominating Team (at large) Class of 2024: Kyle Bernard, Nichole Hoffman, Lori Hudson, and Emily Neddermeyer		
	Nominations from the Floor:	