

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
MAY 11, 2025  
10:00 AM

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Lay Leader - Sue Staudt

Prelude

Welcome

~ GATHERED IN CHRIST ~

Call to Worship

Lay Leader

Leader: Everyone who serves God come and offer thanks.

**People: Thank you God for your love to me.**

Leader: Everyone who has gathered in this place, lift your hands and praise God.

**People: Thank you God for your love in this place.**

Leader: Shout praises to God for you are God's servants, so shout praises.

**People: Thank you God for your love to others.**

Leader: All who serve in this place, who serve our God, come and shout praises.

**People: Thank you God for your love that we can share.**

Leader: Praise the name of our God who is kind and good.

**People: Thank you God for your love endures forever.**

\*Praise Songs

Opening Prayer

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

**O Gracious God, we are grateful that you show us how to live and be Christ Like with your word. Yet we know we do not always follow your word as we should. We ignore it, bend it and used it to benefit what we want. Forgive us for failing to follow your word as we should. Help us to listen and hear the word as we should. Guide us Lord to rejoice in the great news of your word and to follow in your footsteps of true and selfless love. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri

\*Passing of the Peace

**~ FED BY CHRIST ~**

First Scripture Reading: Psalm 113

Anthem

Second Scripture Reading: Proverbs 31:10-31

Sermon

Cliff Wood

\*Affirmation of Faith - The Apostles Creed

\*Hymn - GTG #201 - A Prophet-Woman Broke a Jar

Our Offering

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

~ SENT BY CHRIST ~

\*Song of Sending - GTG #299 - You Servants of God, Your Master  
Proclaim

\*Charge and Blessing

\*Sung Response

\*Those who are able may stand



## PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN

### JOYS

- Cindy Stonebraker is home and feeling better.
- Happy Mother's Day!
- Happy Birthday: Roger Wagner (14th)
- Happy Anniversary: John & Ranelle Groth (17th)

### CONCERNS

- Prayers for Craig Linton recently diagnosed with lung cancer.
- Amy Klair continues to struggle with health concerns; please continue to pray for her.
- Please pray for Cindy Stonebraker and her husband. He is struggling with dementia and Cindy is caring for him.
- Cindy Stonebraker, Amy's Aunt, is hospitalized and needs prayers for healing and comfort.

### CONTINUED PRAYER CONCERNS

Kylar Kelly, Sal Favazza, Peter McCormick, Carol Wilson, Lynn Hughey, Klair Family, Patrick Lewis, Larry Parker, Cindy Reph, Sparks Family, Kristine, Cross Family, Nancy Mitchell, Jeffrey Annand

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### NEW

- The deacons are collecting funds for Laundry for the Lord in May. This worthwhile program, spearheaded by Kingswood Methodist Church, offers an opportunity for a homeless individual to receive a voucher to wash and dry a load of laundry at Brookside Laundromat. It includes the detergent and a dryer sheet too. The vouchers are distributed to those in need by Newark Empowerment Center. We all recognize the importance of clean clothing. It increases job opportunities and

improves self confidence. The vouchers are \$6.75. We will happily accept any donations you are able to share each Sunday in May at coffee hour. Thank you for your support.

## CONTINUED

- St. Andrew's is updating our website! Visit us at [www.standrewsnewark.org](http://www.standrewsnewark.org) for the latest on worship, special events, Bible Study, and more! As part of rebooting our web presence, we are collecting more recent pictures of life in the congregation to share with our online audience. WE WANT TO RESPECT YOUR PRIVACY. If you would rather NOT have your picture (or pictures of your family) posted on our website, please contact the office at [officemanagerstandrews@gmail.com](mailto:officemanagerstandrews@gmail.com).
- Six busy bags are available in the narthex for your little ones.

## CALENDAR

11	Sunday	Worship Service <i>(Mother's Day!)</i>	10:00am
		Laikos International (3.5hrs)	12:30pm
14	Wednesday	Bible Study	7:00pm
		Laikos International (2hrs)	7:00pm
15	Thursday	Praise Band	6:00pm
		Choir	7:00pm
		Emergency Medicine Support Group	7:30pm
17	Saturday	Laikos International (3hrs)	10:00am
18	Sunday	Worship Service	10:00am
		Laikos International (3.5hrs)	12:30pm

## **STAFF**

Temp. Supply Pastor: Rev. Matt Waters

Office Manager: Courtney Lyons

Co-Treasurers: Darrell DiStefano, Julie Guns, & Winnie Wagner

Organist: Carol Stiltz

Choir Director: Gene Stiltz

### **SESSION MEMBERS**

2025 - (Ends 12/31/25)

Darrell DiStefano (term 1)

Cliff Wood (term 1)

2026 - (Ends 12/31/26)

Myron Hardesty (term 1)

Winnie Wagner (term 2)

2027 - (Ends 12/31/27)

Heather Favazza (term 2)

Dave Trevino (term 2)

### **BOARD OF DEACONS**

2025 - (Ends 12/31/25)

Kay DiStefano (term 2)

Matt Kupelian (term 2)

Brenda Saulsbury (term 2)

2026 - (Ends 12/31/26)

Diane Bart (term 1)

Sue Staudt (term 1)

Danielle Wood (term 1)

2027 - (Ends 12/31/27)

Julie Guns (term 2)

Linda DiMartine (term 1)

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, a congregation of believers in Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, pledges to share the love of GOD within our church family, the local community, and the world. To this end, we shall...

- Worship GOD through preaching of the Word, celebration of the Sacraments, prayer, and music.
- Project our Christian love by nurturing one another.
- Witness the love of Christ to all the world.

### **VISION STATEMENT**

To be a church that boldly proclaims the Good News of Jesus Christ; depends on the Holy Spirit, reflects the composition of the community, and reaches out in partnership through ministries of love, caring, music and teaching to make and prepare disciples to love and serve the Lord.

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