

January 14, 2024ST.ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DUNEDIN, FLORIDA

LORD, I love the house where you live, the place where your glory dwells. Psalm 26:8

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE 9:30 A.M.

Welcome & Announcements

Elder Brad Byers

Worship Songs

Your Grace Is Enough * Doxology * Goodness Of God

Offering

Prayer of Dedication & Lord's Prayer

Children's Message

Shannon Harmon-Greene

Sermon

Rev. Dr. David Hunsicker, Jr.

Title: The Empire Strikes Back **Text:** *Matthew 2:13-18 - NIV*

Theme: The murder of the innocents; God is in control and evil will not win

ultimately.

Sending Song

Breathe

Charge & Blessing

Children

Preschool and Elementary age children are invited to Kid's Worship where they will hear a lesson based on a Bible passage and have fun with group activities that help the lesson stick. Parents, please sign your children in before 9:30am each Sunday morning. Sign them out when you pick them up at the end of worship.

Ages 18 months - 5 years in Room #11 Kindergarten - 5th Grades in Room #10

Rev. Dr. David Hunsicker, Jr.
Brad Byers, Announcements
Derrick Williams & The Contemporary Praise Band
Sophia Harmon-Greene, Media Specialist

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Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. Psalm 29:2

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY 11:00 A.M.

WE GATHER

Silent Prayer

Everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being: You have made us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Give us purity of heart and strength of purpose, that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, no weakness keep us from doing it; that in your light we may see light clearly, and in your service find perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Prelude Prelude on Lasst Uns Erfreuen - Krapf

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

*Responsive Call to Worship

Leader: Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy. People: For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.

Leader: God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet. **People: Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.**

*Gathering Hymn Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise #12

Gathering Prayer

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of the ages, we do not always wait with patience. We do not always sing your praises. We do not always recognize your work in our lives. We would rather take the credit for ourselves. We would rather take the easy way out. We would rather step on others if it means more for ourselves. Forgive us for all the ways we forget you. Help us to delight to do your will. Help us to trust in you and return us to the path of righteousness. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: The Lamb of God takes away the sins of the world. The Lamb of God takes away the sins of each and every one of us.

People: Christ has mercy on us, forgiving our sins. Alleluia!

GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Psalm Reading *Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14* – NIV

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Special Music Lead Me, Lord

Chancel Choir

Amanda Bowman, soprano

Scripture Reading *Matthew 2:13-18 - NIV*

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*Sermon Hymn Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah #65

OUR RESPONSE

*Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed/Gloria Patri

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

Call for the Offering

Organ Offertory Trio on Lasst Uns Erfreuen – Krapf

*Doxology/Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Sending Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name #263

Blessing & Charge Rev. Dr. David Hunsicker, Jr.

Postlude CWM Rhondda Mark Hunter

Please remain seated until after the Postlude



Rev. Dr. David Hunsicker, Jr.
Elder Brad Byers, Announcements
Elder Dave Eggers, Liturgist
Janice Wisinski, Choir Director
Mark Hunter, Organist
Sophia Harmon-Greene, Media Specialist

^{*}Please stand as you are able

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Those Serving in the Military

Trevor Grantham (Marines)

Sergio Adam Castillejo (Coast Guard)

Jeremy Roberson (Navy)

Cody Noble (Marines)

Jacob Miller (Navy)

Those With Special Needs

Rita Mason Judy Hallford Jean Lennon Bill Douglas

Jack Beebe Jeannine Beebe

Cindy Withrow Janet Calve
Patty Ingman Joanne Pribble
Bob & Kay Hirst Vickie & Don Taylor

Manny & Sue Koutsourais

Craig DeMass

Those Who Grieve

Jim Perry

The family of Charlotte Quick

Those in the Hospital

Those Who Are in Homes, Assisted Living, Nursing Homes and Rehab Centers

Eunice Beebe, *Sodalis,* Largo **Jack Beebe,** *Arden Courts,* Palm Harbor

Dee Nickels, St. Marks Memory Care, Palm Harbor

Louise Smith, Coral Oaks Assisted Living, Palm Harbor

Nancy Sullivan, Grand Villa, Clearwater

Out of the Area

Marjorie Krueger, Clare Bridge of Jacksonville, 1005 Old St. Augustine Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32257

Pat Quinlan, Woodbury Senior Living, 7012 Lake Rd, Woodbury, MN 55125 Dr. Joyce Dain-Porteous, (c/o Chere Marlo), 305 Alexander Creek Court

Raymore, MO 64683

Nancy Thomas, 5700 Williamsburg Landing Drive Apt. #316, Williamsburg, VA 23185

In addition, please pray for our church, the church universal, our community, our nation and our world, those in distressing circumstances, and those in authority.

WHO'S WHO IN THE CHURCH

SESSION MEMBERS Brad Byers, Outreach/Property, Class of 2025,
THE STAFF Rev. Dr. David Hunsicker, Jr., Pastor
CARE GIVING CONCERN CONTACTS Christine Schlerf, Prayer Chainprayerchain@sapcd.org

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If you want to request a prayer or communicate with any of the staff members of the church, please use a Connection Card. You can find them located on the counter of the Welcome Center in the church Narthex/ Lobby area.









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