

"May the God of hope fill you with joy and peace."

-Romans 15:13



Hope Is Here is a series about how the God of hope intervenes in moments of weariness, brokenness, hardship, and doubt to change our lives and circumstances. Our hope in God gives us the spiritual resources to face and overcome the difficulties of life and move toward the future with faith.

September 26, 2021

ST.ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DUNEDIN, FLORIDA

WORSHIP NOTES PAGE

Matthew 28:16-17 (NLT)

16 Then the eleven disciples left for Galilee, going to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. 17 When they saw him, they worshiped him—but some of them doubted!

Why maintain hope in the midst of spiritual doubt?

- I. God doesn't condemn us for our doubts.
- II. God uses our doubts to build up our faith.
- III. God is with us in the midst of our doubts.

A WORD TO OUR GUESTS

Welcome!

We're glad you are here. We know you have many choices of what to do with your time. We are happy that you chose to spend it with us this morning. We want you to know that in order to make this the best possible experience for you...

We will go out of our way to:

- Be clear about Jesus. Present as clear a picture as we can of the positive, hopeful, life-changing message of Jesus Christ.
- Make sure you feel welcome. Our commitment is to make sure you feel accepted, valued and never judged.
- Make what you wear a non-issue. You are dressed perfectly. Jesus cares about you, not your clothes. We feel the same way.
- Let you be anonymous. We won't single you out or make you feel awkward. We'll introduce ourselves, but not be pushy.
- Talk in words that make sense, and if we use special words, we'll carefully explain them.
- Not pressure you to give. No guilt. Believe it or not, we don't care whether you give money. You are our welcome guest today.
- Take care of your children. We are as nuts about the safety and care of your children as we are about Jesus.
- Love you. Even if we don't know you yet, we know God loves you and, therefore, so do we.

Be sure to stop by the Welcome Center.
We have a gift and a warm welcome for you.

Sing joyfully to the Lord, you righteous;
it is fitting for the upright to praise him.

Psalm 33:1

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE 9:30 A.M.

MUSIC

Drums and stringed instruments are mentioned in the Bible, and we use them freely in this service. The emphasis is on celebration and great joy.

MESSAGE

God is at work in this world and speaks to us through his Word written and spoken. Through the Scriptures, the Spirit of God works to convict and convert hearts and build up the faith of believers.

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.

SERMON TITLE: Hope for the Doubter

Rev. Dr. Pablo R. Diaz

KEY SCRIPTURE: Matthew 28:16-17 (NLT)

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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

*Sing for joy to God our strength; shout aloud to the God of Jacob!
Begin the music, strike the timbrel, play the melodious harp and lyre.
Sound the ram's horn at the New Moon, and when the moon is full, on the day
of our festival; this is a decree for Israel, an ordinance of the God of Jacob.*
Psalm 81:1-4

TRADITIONAL SERVICE 11:00 A.M.

Gather in God's Name

Silent Prayer in Preparation for Worship

O Christ, the risen One, ascended into heaven, yet closer than our own breath, draw us into your presence. Be near to us -- near to our praises, our prayers, our words, our songs; near to our wonderings, our tentative answers, our hidden doubts, our deepest affirmations. Be near to us, risen Lord. Amen.

Prelude

Mark Hunter

Voluntary in C – Purcell

Chiming of the Hour

Mark Hunter

Welcome & Video Announcements

Rev. Dr. Pablo R. Diaz

Responsive Call to Worship

Carol White

Leader: On this new morning and in every moment of our lives, gracious God, we seek to honor You.

People: **From generation to generation, we praise Your holy name.**

Leader: Like our ancestors before us, we proclaim Your greatness to our children.

People: **For we have seen Your deeds of power and witnessed Your goodness in our lives.**

Leader: As You have opened Your hand to all, satisfying the desire of every living thing,

People: **Open our hearts so that we might share the gifts we have received from You.**

Leader: Let the people of God stand and worship!

***Congregational Singing**

"Praise the Lord: Ye Heavens, Adore Him" #3

***Affirmation of Faith**

Carol White

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic* Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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***Congregational Response**

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Unison Prayer of Confession

Carol White

God, in the light of Your goodness, we see that we have not been grateful people. We often harbor jealousy and covet what our neighbors possess. We look at what we don't have rather than at our abundance. We are slow to offer You our thanks. Heal us of bitterness or resentment, bathe us in Your mercy, and feed us with Your grace, so that we may follow Your way and live the good news of the gospel. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Carol White

***Congregational Response #535**

***"Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord,
incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace."***

Prayers of the People

Carol White

Here, we offer God prayers for people, the church, the community, the nation, and the world as well as personal prayers of confession. We conclude with the following words of 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.

Giving of God's Tithes & Offerings

Carol White

Offertory

Sing for Joy arranged by Hal. H. Hopson
Chancel Choir

***Doxology**

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

***Offertory and Proclamation Prayer**

Carol White

The Word of God Proclaimed

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Going Out in God's Name

***Congregational Singing**

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" #304

Charge and Benediction

Rev. Dr. Pablo R. Diaz

Congregational Benediction Response #78

***"God be with you till we meet again; by His counsels guide, uphold you,
with His sheep securely fold you: God be with you till we meet again."***

Postlude

Mark Hunter

Faben

(Please remain seated until the Postlude finishes.)

Overflow Student Ministries & Mission

SUNDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	MISSION
<u>Nursery/Preschool</u> 18 months - age 5 9:30am – 10:30am Location: Room 11	<u>Nursery/Preschool</u> 18 months - age 5 6:30pm – 8:00pm Location: Room 11	<u>Dunedin Cares</u> is our monthly food drive. Throughout the month we collect items and donate them to Dunedin Cares, the community Food Pantry. Suggested items for October are <i>Jello, pudding, cookies, chips, fruit snacks, cheese slices, pancake mix and syrup, ground coffee, tea bags, fruit snacks, canned soups, canned beans, etc.</i>
<u>Elementary Age Children</u> K – 5th Grade Location: Room 10 9:30am – 10:30 am	<u>The Current</u> K – 5 th Grade 6:30pm – 8:00pm Location: Room 10	
<u>Middle and High School Youth</u> 9:30am – 10:30am Worship in sanctuary	<u>Overflow Youth</u> 6 th – 12 th Grade 6:30 – 8:00 pm Location: Room 12	
		Today: 10/24/21

Life Groups Meeting Throughout the Week

NOTICE: *All groups are always open to newcomers - no reservation necessary, just show up. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, many groups are meeting on ZOOM. Contact the Leader of the group you would like to attend to access the meeting on ZOOM.*

SUNDAY

9:30 am Davidson Group – Working on a 10 to 12 weeks study of the Miracles of Jesus.
Contact Ron Roberson: operations@sapcd.org

6:00 pm Impact – meets 1st and 3rd Sundays on ZOOM.
Contact Barb Hogsett (the4hogs@gmail.com) or Trish Pierson (trishpierson@hotmail.com).

MONDAY

6:00 pm – Bowman Group. Meeting in Room 12.
Contact Amanda Bowman (amanda@sapcd.org).

7:00 pm - Love Does is a hybrid meeting on Zoom and at the Fiegle home.
Contact Debi Fiegle (dajfig@msn.com).

TUESDAY

2:00 pm – Presbyterian Women Circles meet on ZOOM the 2nd Tuesday of each month.
Contact Dr. Janice Raymond for link (jransmar@gmail.com).

2:00 pm – Dr. Janice Raymond - Bible Study - Revelations on ZOOM.
Contact Dr. Janice Raymond for link (jransmar@gmail.com).

FRIDAY

6:30 pm - Friday Night Light – 1st & 3rd Fridays on ZOOM. Studying from Right-Now Media videos.
Contact Andy Foster (andyfosterharley@gmail.com).

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Those With Special Needs

Charlotte Quick Jeannine Beebe
Dan and Sue Latsha John Corl
Dianna Carty Martha Brown
Cindy Withrow Janet Calve
Jean Lennon Jack Beebe
Patty Ingman Barry Dowdy
Eleanor Conklin Betty DeBauche
Maria Diaz (Pastor Pablo's Mom)

Those Serving in the Military

Jeremy Roberson (Navy)
Chris Bogart (Air Force)
Sergio Adam Castillejo (Coast Guard)
Trevor Grantham (Marines)
Cody Noble (Marines)
Jacob Miller (Navy)

Those Who Grieve

The family of Doris Pennypacker
The family of Danielle Jolly in the passing of her father Joseph Carty
The family of Carol H. Jennings
The family of Nancy Davis Nichols

Those in the Hospital

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

Eleanor Conklin, *St. Mark Village Long Term Health Care Center, Palm Harbor*
Myra Exler, *Mease Manor Assisted Living, Dunedin*
Bill Hupp, *Consulate Health Care, Safety Harbor*
Dee Nickels, *St. Marks Memory Care, Palm Harbor*
Opal Roth, *Arden Courts, Palm Harbor*
Louise Smith, *Coral Oaks Assisted Living, Palm Harbor*
Nancy Sullivan, *Grand Villa, Clearwater*
Carole Wilson, *Manor Care, Palm Harbor*

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*

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.

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Heifer International

*"Our children have breakfast in the morning
and milk to drink, thanks to you."*

September Mission is
Heifer International, helping those
in poverty become self-sustainable.

Make checks out
to Presbyterian Women of St. Andrews
with Heifer International in the memo line.



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HELLO PUMPKIN !

PUMPKINS ARRIVE WEDNESDAY 9/29
HELP UNLOAD THE TRUCK @ 5:30PM

MOVIE IN THE PATCH:

OCT 9TH, 7:30 PM

TRUNK OR TREAT:

OCT 23RD, 6:30 - 8:00 PM

SIGN UP TO DECORATE YOUR TRUNK

WE'RE PARTICIPATING IN THE TEAL
PUMPKIN PROJECT AGAIN THIS YEAR



St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

New Members Class

Sunday, September 26 @ 3pm



Sign-up Sheet Available at the Welcome Center

MASKS
Strongly
RECOMMENDED



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