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WORSHIP NOTES PAGE

Old Testament - Isaiah 49:1-7 - NRSV

49 Listen to me, O coastlands, pay attention, you peoples from far away! The Lord called me before I was born, while I was in my mother's womb, he named me. ²He made my mouth like a sharp sword, in the shadow of his hand he hid me; he made me a polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me away. ³And he said to me, "You are my servant, Israel, in whom I will be glorified." ⁴But I said, "I have labored in vain; I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity; yet surely my cause is with the Lord, and my reward with my God." ⁵And now the Lord says, who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, and that Israel might be gathered to him, for I am honored in the sight of the Lord, and my God has become my strength— ⁶he says, "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the survivors of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth." ⁷Thus says the Lord, the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One, to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nations, the slave of rulers, "Kings shall see and stand up, princes, and they shall prostrate themselves, because of the Lord, who is faithful, the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

New Testament Reading - John 1:24-51 - NRSV

²⁴ Now they had been sent from the Pharisees. ²⁵ They asked him, "Why then are you baptizing if you are neither the Messiah, nor Elijah, nor the prophet?" ²⁶ John answered them, "I baptize with water. Among you stands one whom you do not know, ²⁷ the one who is coming after me; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandal."²⁸ This took place in Bethany across the Jordan where John was baptizing.²⁹ The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!³⁰ This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.'³¹ I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel."³² And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. ³³ I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' ³⁴ And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God." ³⁵ The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, "Look, here is the Lamb of God!" ³⁷ The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸ When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" (which translated means Teacher), "where are you staying?" ³⁹ He said to them, "Come and see." They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon. 40 One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹He first found his brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated Anointed).⁴² He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, "You are Simon's son of John. You are to be called Cephas" (which is translated Peter).⁴³The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me."⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter.⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus' son of Joseph from Nazareth." ⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." 47 When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" ⁴⁸ Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." ⁴⁹Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." ⁵¹ And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

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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.

Shout for joy to God, all the earth! Sing the glory of his name; make his praise glorious. Psalm 66:1-2

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.

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.

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

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.

Text: John 1:45-46 - NRSV

Theme: Our task today is to tell the Christian story and reorient ourselves to a worldview which places Jesus Christ at its center.

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 Praise the Lord. How good it is to sing praises to our God, how pleasant and fitting to praise him! Psalm 147:1

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

11:00 A.M.

GATHERING

Silent Prayer in Preparation for Worship

Lord, help me to be kind. Help me to be tender-hearted and compassionate. Show me how to love one another and be sympathetic and like-minded in thought and deed. Help me to be forgiving and humble. We can't do any of this without you, Lord. Amen.

Prelude in G Minor - Bottigliero **Chiming of the Hour**

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Responsive Call to Worship

- Leader: Come and see what God has done.
- People: Here is the Lamb of God.
- Leader: Who takes away the sin of the world. Come and see what God has done.
- **People:** We have found the Messiah, the anointed one of God.
- Leader: Let the people of God stand and worship

*Gathering Hymn

O Word of God Incarnate #251

Gathering Prayer

Call to Confession

Mark Hunter

Mark Hunter

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

Carol White

Carol White

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

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 Forgiveness Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild GOD'S WORD **Prayer for Illumination** Carol White Old Testament Reading - Isaiah 49:1-7 - NRSV Carol White **Special Music** Holy Manna Chancel Choir New Testament Reading - John 1:24-51 - NRSV Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild Sermon Title: Come and See John 1:45-46 - NRSV Text: Our task today is to tell the Christian story and reorient ourselves to a Theme: worldview which places Jesus Christ at its center. This is the answer to the problem of division in our society. *Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

*Congregational Affirmation Response - Gloria Patri #546 Glory be 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.

Carol White

Mark Hunter

Carol White

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

Mark Hunter

*Please stand as you are able

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

*Congregational Hymn "Now Thank We All Our God" #9

OUR RESPONSE

Call for Offering

Organ Offertory

Hymn to Joy - Goode

*Congregational Offering Response - Doxology - #544

"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations" #504

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.

SENDING

*Prayer of Dedication

Blessing & Charge

*Sending Hymn

Postlude

Munich

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild

SUNDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	MISSION	
Nursery/Preschool 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	Dunedin Cares is our monthly food drive. Throughout the month we collect items and donate them to Dunedin	
Elementary Age Children K – 5th Grade Location: Room 10 9:30am – 10:30 am	The Current K − 5 th Grade 6:30pm − 8:00pm Location: Room 10	Cares, the community Food Pantry. Suggested items for January are <i>Breakfast</i> <i>Items.</i>	
<u>Middle and High School</u> <u>Youth</u> 9:30am – 10:30am Worship in sanctuary	Overflow Youth 6 th – 12 th Grade 6:30 – 8:00 pm Location: Room 12	Next Van Pick Up: 1/22/23	

Life Groups Meeting Throughout the Week

NOTICE: All groups are always open to newcomers - no reservation necessary, just show up. Feel free to reach out to the group leaders below for more information.

<u>SUNDAY</u>

9:30 am Davidson Group – As we study the Bible. All you need is a Bible, and if you forget yours, we'll loan you one. Contact Ron Roberson: **operations@sapcd.org**

6:30 pm Impact Group – The group meets on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Contact Barb Hogsett <u>(bshogsett@gmail.com)</u> or Trish Pierson (<u>trishpierson@hotmail.com</u>).

MONDAY

6:00 pm – Living Out Loud. Meeting in Room 12. Contact Amanda Bowman (<u>amanda@sapcd.org</u>).

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

<u>TUESDAY</u>

WEDNESDAY

6:00 pm – Presbyterian Beliefs. Meeting in Pastor's Office. Contact Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Guild (**pastorjeff@sapcd.org**).

FRIDAY

6:30 pm - Friday Night Light – 1st & 3rd Fridays on ZOOM. Studying from Right-Now Media videos. Contact Carol White (<u>cwsunny@verizon.net</u>).

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Those With Special Needs

Charlotte Quick Eunice Beebe Dan and Sue Latsha Barry Dowdy Deborah Bertetti Dianna Carty Cindy Withrow Janet Calve Jean Lennon Sue Koutsourais Patty Ingman **Trish Pierson** Elaine Campoli Dr. Joyce Dain-Porteous **Bob & Kay Hirst** Rita Mason **Bill Douglas Kelley Wiseman** Jack Beebe Jeannine Beebe Vickie Taylor

Those Serving in the Military

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

Those Who Grieve

The family of Carol Krueck in the passing of her niece Pam The family of John Corl The family of Debi Fiegle in the loss of her nephew

Those in the Hospital

Those Who Are in Homes, Assisted Living, Nursing Homes and Rehab Centers Jack Beebe, Arden Courts, Palm Harbor Rita Mason, Manor Care, Dunedin 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

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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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As the Pastor Nominating Comittee works in the process of searching for a permanent pastor for St Andrews we are asking that you continue to cover the process in prayer.

Below you will find a list of their names and you are asked to pray for each one diligently.

> Dave Eggers Debi Fiegle Paige Byers Dave Hicks Carol Walker John Miller Judy Hallford Ken Carson



Because of generous donors like St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, in 2022 Dunedin Cares was able to serve 8,086 households, representing over 20,000 individuals, and distributed 382,500 pounds of food to those in need. Your support of Dunedin Cares makes all of this possible and we are so grateful for everything you do to support our food pantry.

Our Next New Members Class

FEBRUARY 12 @ 12:30PM





Love God. Love People. Push Back Darkness. 705 Michigan Boulevard, Dunedin, FL 34698 727.734.5493 (Phone) www.sapcd.org