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### **The Lord's Day August 19, 2018**

*"If anyone serves Me, he must follow Me; and where I am, there will My servant be also.  
If anyone serves Me, the Father will honor him." —John 12:26, ESV*

## Welcome to Saint Andrews Presbyterian Church

We are glad to have you worship with us today. If something you encounter while you are here moves you to want to know more, there are always leaders up front near the platform at the end of the service to talk to you, pray with you, and help you in any way they can. Pastor Welden will also be greeting at the front door. Let us know if this is your first visit, and if you would like more information about SAPC.

**All Those in Attendance Today** are asked to complete the tear-off card on the back of this worship guide. The cards may be placed in the offering basket or handed to an usher after the service.

**Available for Your Children** A fully-staffed nursery for children younger than K4 is available on the first floor; if you need assistance, please ask an usher. Children in K4 & K5 will be invited to children's worship at an appropriate point in the service (indicated in the order of worship). Children going to children's worship at that time will use the exit to the front right of the sanctuary. Also, age-appropriate children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

**For Your Comfort: Elevators** are located outside the double doors on both sides of the front of the sanctuary. To help all participate fully in the service, **amplification devices** are available by request from an usher. **Restrooms** may be found at the back of the sanctuary or out the double doors at the front right of the sanctuary.

**Digital Devices** If you have brought a digital device into today's service, please take a moment to make sure you have turned it off, or to vibrate, so that we may all worship without interruption.

**Sermons:** If you'd like to listen to the sermon again or listen to one you've missed, you may sign up for our podcast, listen online (sapc.net) or request a CD by contacting Jomona Williamson in the Worship & Arts Ministry office (music@sapc.net, 888-1716).

**Prayer Updates** are sent out on *The City*. To inquire by phone, call our offices (732-2273) during business hours. (The SAPC offices open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 5:00 p.m., except for Friday, when offices close at 2:00 p.m.)

**For Emergency Pastoral Care** during non-office hours, call 318-6136.

## ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

### Sunday, August 19

8:45 AM Kingdom-Focused Prayer Time, Conf Room  
 9:30 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary  
 5:00 PM Corporate Prayer Event, Great Hall

### Monday, August 20: Ecclesiastes 6 & Galatians 6

10:30 AM Sarah Fellowship Group, #208  
 6:00 PM Deacons' Meeting, #303  
 6:30 PM Hannah Fellowship Group, Great Hall

### Tuesday, August 21: Ecclesiastes 7 & Ephesians 1

6:30 AM Men's Study Group: *Daniel*, Conf Room  
 9:00 AM Staff Meeting, Great Hall  
 5:30 PM Handbell Choir 2, Handbell Room  
 6:00 PM Fellowship Team, #204  
 6:00 PM Missions Team, Conference Room  
 6:30 PM Youth Praise Team, Youth Worship Room  
 6:45 PM Men's Softball, Seven Oaks Park #6

### Wednesday, August 22: Ecclesiastes 8 & Ephesians 2

8:30 AM School Time Bible, Youth Area  
 6:30 PM Chancel Choir, Choir Room  
 6:30 PM Youth Activity, Youth Area

### Thursday, August 23: Ecclesiastes 9 & Ephesians 3

1:30 PM Knit, Crochet, & Pray Ministry  
 5:45 PM LAMP Class, Conference Room  
 6:00 PM Praise Ensemble Rehearsal and Dinner

### Friday, August 24: Ecclesiastes 10 & Ephesians 4

### Saturday, August 25: Ecclesiastes 11 & Ephesians 5

8:00 AM Men's Study, Conference Room  
 1:30 PM Goodwin Girls' Going Away Children's Ministry Event, Marble Slab Creamery, 1230 Bower Pkwy

### Sunday, August 26—Promotion Sunday

8:45 AM Kingdom-Focused Prayer Time, Conf Room  
 9:30 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship Service, Sanctuary  
 12:00 PM Teacher & Volunteer Training Lunch, Great Hall  
 1:30 PM Session, Conference Room  
 3:00 PM Dessert Theater Auditions, Conference Rm  
 5:00 PM Youth Fellowship & Praise Team Rehearsal  
 6:00 PM Youth Group

## Response Card

August 19, 2018

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_



### COMMUNITY GROUPS

- I'd like to sign up for a group for the first time.
- I plan to continue with my group from last year, which was led by (name): \_\_\_\_\_

- I'm interested in hosting a group at my home.

Please print your name above and best phone & email below:



### INQUIRERS' CLASS

- I/we would like to attend the next Inquirers' Class on September 16, 23, & 30.

Please print your name above and best phone & email below:

## MINISTRY NEWS

### **A CHURCHWIDE, CORPORATE PRAYER**

**TIME** will be held *this evening* at 5:00 p.m. in the Great Hall. Childcare will be provided. Let us call upon the name of our Lord together as we begin our fall ministry!

### **DESSERT THEATER AUDITIONS**

will be held *next Sunday*, August 26, at 3:00 p.m. and Wednesday, August 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room. This year's production is an adaptation of "It's a Wonderful Life," and will be staged on November 15, 16, & 17, with rehearsals beginning October 22. (Tickets will go on sale in October.)

### **PROMOTION SUNDAY**

Next week children will move up to their new Sunday School classes.

### **CHURCHWIDE WEDNESDAY NIGHT**

**KICKOFF** Join us on August 29 for food, fun, and fellowship! Dinner begins at 5:30 p.m. in the Great Hall!

**COMMUNITY GROUPS** will begin meeting again on Sunday, September 16. We hope you will be part of a group this year, either continuing on or joining one. Plan to continue to participate in your group from last year? Want to join or find about a new group? Interested in hosting a group at your home this year? *Please complete the response card on page 11.* Questions or need help? Contact Bob Bryant (bob@sapc.net, 732-2273).

**INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP?** The next Inquirers' Class will be held during the Sunday School hour on September 16, 23, & 30. Identical classes will be offered on the Wednesday following each class. Anyone interested in learning more about SAPC or interested in becoming a member is encouraged to attend. Attendance does not commit you, but we do ask that those wanting to join the church attend. Please indicate your interest in attending on the response card on page 11.

**USING YOUR GIFTS** Check out the *Serving Display Board* for opportunities to get plugged in and serve in the Children's Ministry. Immediate needs include: K4-

K5 SS Teacher, 3rd & 4th Grade Wednesday night leaders, and nursery volunteers. Contact Jeanette (jeanette@sapc.net) with any questions.

**BENEVOLENCE AT SAPC** It is the policy and custom at SAPC to collect a Benevolence offering once a month following our communion service. As is the case with many churches, we receive many requests for help on a daily basis in the church office. The Deacons' Mercy Ministry does an outstanding job of vetting these requests and managing the benevolence funds. There is a thorough process in place which has as its goal to provide for those who are truly in need and to not facilitate the cycle of poverty unnecessarily. Recently, members have been approached by those in need in the parking lot. Please know you can have full confidence in the process that has been put in place, and that it is appropriate for you to direct any requests to the church office during business hours.

**SAVE THE DATE** Our Anniversary Sunday celebration, including a church-wide picnic at Saluda Shoals Park, will be on September 9!

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS—** Don't forget about the Training next Sunday at 12:00 p.m. in the Great Hall!

**TODAY'S FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God by John & Ruth Klunder in celebration of their 52<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary today, August 19.

### **SCHEDULED IN THE NURSERY**

Today: J&S Moore, M. Moore, K. Lang, E. Nunn (Y), R&E Ruckzo

*Children's Church:* K. Robertson

Next week: M. Poston, C. Stevens, S. Downs, J. Layman, Jenni Lomas (Y), Justin Lomas (Y), S. Groome, C. Elkins, K. Deter, S. Hood, MC Whisnant, R. King, E. Layman (Y)

*Children's Church:* L. DuBose

We are grateful for each person who serves in our nursery. If you are unable to serve, please check the nursery schedule on *The City* and swap dates with someone. Please contact Jeanette (jeanette@sapc.net) with any changes.

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

The Lord's Day, Sunday, August 19, 2018, 10:30 a.m.

## **PREPARATION**

### **PRELUDE**

*A Time for Reflection and Confession*  
**Worship in Song**

### **WELCOME & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

Rev. Rattray

## **PRAISE**

### **\*\* CALL TO WORSHIP**

**John 3:14-17**

**Leader:** *As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in Him may have eternal life.*

**People:** **For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.**

**Leader:** *For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world,*

**People:** **But in order that the world might be saved through Him.**

### **LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Rev. Marc Rattray, Director of Ministries and Worship & Arts  
Rev. Dr. Jason Hunt, Assistant Pastor  
Rev. Dr. Dale B. Welden, Senior Pastor

Sharon Rattray, Organ  
Allison Hilbish, Piano  
Chancel Choir

**\*\* Those who are able, please stand.**

**\*\* HYMN OF WORSHIP #263**  
*Lift High the Cross*

**\*\* INVOCATION & PRAYER OF ADORATION**

**\*\* CONFESSION OF FAITH**

**Colossians 1:15-20; 3:1-4**

**Jesus Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.**

**For by Him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through Him and for Him.**

**And He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together.**

**And He is the Head of the Body, the Church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything He might be preeminent.**

**For in Him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of His cross.**

**If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.**

**Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.**

**For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.**

**When Christ Who is your life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory.**

Rev. Hunt

**This Week's Mission Focus:  
Across the Street, Across the Country, Across the World**

**Meditations on Prayer and Missions from Mission To The World (MTW)**

***Prayer is our first work*** in the harvest. And the reason is not hard to find. It is this: the harvest has a Lord. He oversees the harvest. Someone supplies the workers. Someone controls the progress. And that someone is God. Our first business is not to look at the size of the harvest. Our first business is to pray to our God. —Tom Wells

*In this supernatural cause (world missions), which rests on a supernatural charter and is led by an omnipotent leader with all His power pledged to support it, a neglect of prayer is actually a denial that God is leading.* —Robert Speer

***Devote yourselves to prayer***, being watchful and thankful. And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should. — Colossians 4:2-4, NIV

Finally, brothers, ***pray for us*** that the message of the Lord may spread rapidly and be honored, just as it was with you. And ***pray that we may be delivered*** from wicked and evil men, for not everyone has faith. —2 Thessalonians 3:1-2 NIV

***What does Jesus call us to pray?*** "Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven." This vision is bigger than MTW, bigger than the PCA; it is a vision to see God's glory fill the earth. Our vision is to see people transformed by the gospel, to see families reconciled, communities reflecting the ethics of the kingdom of God, and the nations worshiping our Lord and Savior. That's how the Lord is moving us forward, with a vision bigger than ourselves. —Lloyd Kim

**BELIEVE! #34**  
**Show Me Jesus, Part 1**  
John 12:20-34 (pew Bible page 899)

Introduction:

Proposition: Jesus' glorification is unlike what anyone would expect.

I. v. 24: His D\_\_\_\_\_

II. v. 27: Following Hard After the Father

A. He is troubled. v. 27

B. He knew His calling. v. 27b

C. He responded in faith. v. 28

III. v. 28-30: The Father communed with Him.

IV. v. 31: The Results of Jesus' W\_\_\_\_\_

V. v. 32-33: The Cr\_\_\_\_\_

Application: v. 34b: Who is this Son of Man?

**RENEWAL**

**CHORAL CONFESSION & ASSURANCE**

***This I Know!***

Who can comprehend the mind of God? Who can understand His ways?  
Nothing in life seems certain on the journey through earthly days.  
I have questions that go unanswered; there are things I do not understand.  
But my Father knows what is best for me, according to His plan.

This I know, I have a Savior, Jesus Christ, who died for me.  
This I know, He died at Calvary to pay sin's debt that I might be free.  
Then He arose in glorious splendor to take His rightful place.  
And someday soon I'll see His face, this I know!

This I know, that in my Savior I have an anchor firm and sure.  
This I know, His love and mercy will forevermore endure.  
Soon I'll enter heaven's glory and walk on streets of purest gold.  
And on that day I will behold Him, this I know!

So I will trust in the Lord, I will not be shaken; He will fight the battle for me.  
His is the glory and the power forever; His is the victory.

This I know, I have a Savior, Jesus Christ, who died for me.  
This I know, He died at Calvary to pay sin's debt that I might be free.  
Then He arose in glorious splendor to take His rightful place.  
And someday soon I'll see His face, for He saved me by His grace.  
Yes, the Father loves me so, this I know!

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**RECEIVING OF NEW MEMBERS**

***Sarah Katherine Goodwin***  
***Sophia Gray Goodwin***

Rev. Welden

**\*\* HYMN OF CONFESSION #246**

***Man of Sorrows! What a Name***

**COMMITMENT**

**\*\* RESPONSE**

***Gloria Patri***

*(Children in K4 & K5 may now be excused for Children's Church)*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly  
Ghost; as it was in the be-gin-ning is now, and ever shall be,  
world with-out end. A - men, a - men.

**\*\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**OFFERTORY**

*Worship In Song*

**HYMN OF PREPARATION**

*I Will Glory In My Redeemer*

1. I will glory in my Re-deemer, Whose priceless blood has ran-somed  
2. I will glory in my Re-deemer. My life, He bought, my love He  
3. I will glory in my Re-deemer, Who car-ries me on ea - gle's  
me. Mine was the sin that drove the bit-ter nails and  
owns. I have no long - ings for an - oth - er. I'm  
wings. He crowns my life with lov - ing - kind - ness. His  
hung Him on that judg - ment tree. I will glo-ry in my Re-  
sat - is - fied in Him a - lone. I will glo-ry in my Re-  
tri - umph song I'll ev - er sing. I will glo-ry in my Re-  
deemer, Who crushed the pow'r of sin and death. My on - ly  
deemer. His faith - ful - ness, my stand - ing place. Though foes are  
deemer, Who waits for me at gates of gold. And when He  
Sav - ior, be - fore the ho - ly Judge, the Lamb Who is my righteous-  
might-y and rush up - on me, my feet are firmheld by His  
calls me it will be par - a - dise, His face for - ev - er to be -  
ness. the Lamb Who is my right - eous - ness.  
grace. My feet are firm held by his grace.  
hold, His face for - ev - er to be - hold.

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**SCRIPTURE READING**

*John 12:20-34* (pew Bible page 899)

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

***BELIEVE! #34***  
***Show Me Jesus, Part 1***  
*(outline may be found on page 8)*

Rev. Welden

**\*\* HYMN OF RESPONSE #654**

***O Jesus, I Have Promised***

**\*\* BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**