

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
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*I am the*  
**GOOD**  
**SHEPHERD.**  
*The good shepherd*  
**LAYS DOWN**  
*his* **LIFE**  
**FOR** *the* **SHEEP** John  
10:  
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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
APRIL 22, 2018

Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.  
We are glad that you have joined us for worship this morning!  
It is our prayer that here you will find refreshment for your spirit  
and new friends for your faith journey.

## **GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

### **PRELUDE**

Merle D. Lobban

*"How great the Wisdom and the Love" – Roy M. Darley*  
*"With Joy Unending" – Edward Broughton*

### **WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Please sign the Friendship Booklet and pass it along.)

## **RECONCILING WITH GOD**

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor: All praise to God, the great shepherd of the sheep, who gather us  
as lambs to his bosom and hugs us with his loving arms.

**People: God refreshes us like a free-flowing stream of living waters and  
nourishes us like a host whose table is filled with good-tasting  
food and drink.**

Pastor: Glory and adoration be to God, our guardian and hope! Come, let us  
worship God.

### **\*HYMN #648**

*"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"*

*(Lighting of the Trinitarian Candles)*

### **\*CALL TO CONFESSION (I John 1:8-9)**

Pastor: If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth  
is not in us.

**People: If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us  
our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.**

Pastor: Let us pray ...

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)**

**Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful God, for his sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

*(Here is a time for individual silent prayers of confession.)*

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Pastor: Once we were strangers and aliens.

**People: Now we are citizens with the saints and members of the household of God.**

Pastor: People of God, hear the good news: In the name of Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

**\*RESPONSE HYMN No.107**     *“Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”*

**PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER**

*(The Lord’s Prayer may be found on the blue card in the pew)*

**MORNING OFFERING**     *“Lamb of God” -arr. by Russell Mauldin*

**\*RESPONSE HYMN No.68**

*“We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer Creator” (verse 1)*

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

## PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

### CHILDREN'S TIME

Debbie Koski

**"Seasons"**

### MUSIC MINISTRY

St. Andy's Ringers

*"Children of the Heavenly Father"*

**\*HYMN No. #688**      *"Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us"*

*(Children are dismissed to children's church)*

### SCRIPTURE

Cathy Briggs

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 23 (pg.862)

New Testament Reading: John 10:11-18 (pg.1666)

Reader: This is the WORD of the LORD for His people.

**People: Thanks be to GOD!**

### MESSAGE

Pastor Dave Weber

***"The Sound of His Voice"***

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** The Apostles' Creed

*(The creed may be found on the blue card in the pew.)*

**\*HYMN #694**      *"The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want"*

*(Candles extinguished, Christ's Light taken into the world.)*

### \*BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE