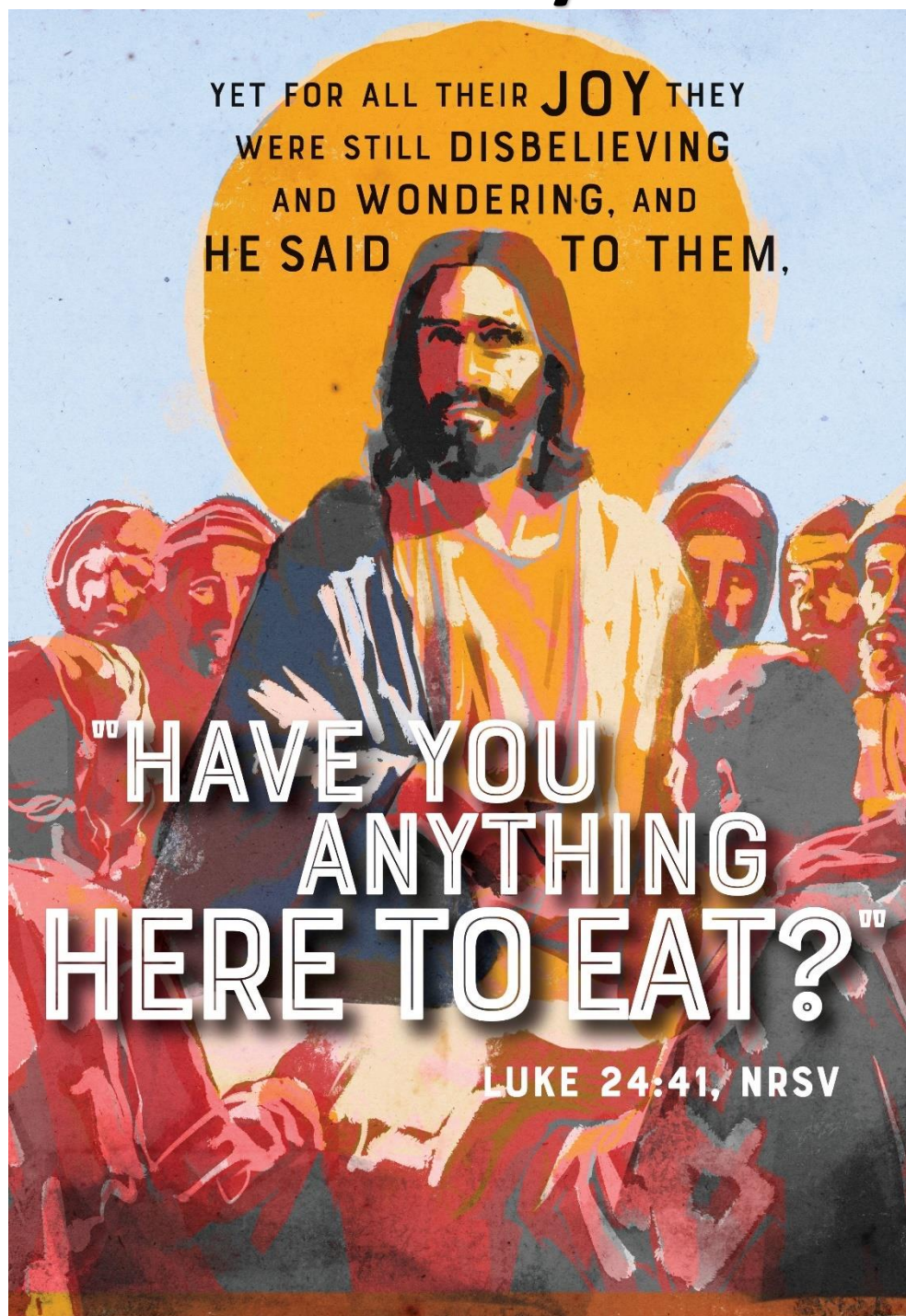


Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church



April 14, 2024

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SUNDAY SHEPHERD

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GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

St. Andrew's Legacy Carillion

PRAISE TO GOD

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP Luke 24:36

Pastor: The bread of life opens our eyes.

People: The word of life opens our ears.

Pastor: The risen one show us God's own brokenness,

People: And by those wounds we are healed.

Pastor: Peace be with you.

People: And also with you.

***HYMN # 16**

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" v. 1 – 4

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' Name!

Let angels prostrate fall,

Let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem,

Refrain: And crown Him, crown Him, crown Him, crown Him,

And crown Him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,

Ye ransomed from the fall,

Ye ransomed from the fall;

Hail Him Who saves you by His grace, [Refrain]

Let every kindred, every tribe

On this terrestrial ball,

On this terrestrial ball;

To Him all majesty ascribe, [Refrain]

O that with yonder sacred throng

We at His feet may fall,

We at His feet may fall!

We'll join the everlasting song, [Refrain]

STUMP THE PASTOR OR THE CHILDREN

DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH *"Jesus Loves Me"*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In-Unison)

Good and gracious God, we are creatures of dust, ignorant of your revelation, misunderstanding your life, death, and resurrection among us, needing forgiveness. We repent of our failure to give as you have given to us. We beg your mercy for our fallen world. We seek your Word, that we may live with the faith of Jesus. Be our solace in this life and always. We ask this as your children, holy and incomplete. Forgive us and lead us. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE: HYMN # 812

"Glory be to the Father"

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.

PASSING OF THE PEACE:

Elder: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

(Greet each other with the sign of peace)

HYMN # 563

"Open My Eyes, That I May See" v. 1 – 3

Open my eyes that I may see Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
Place in my hands the wonderful key That shall unclasp and set me free.
Silently now I wait for Thee, Ready, my God, Thy will to see;
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine.

Open my ears that I may hear Voices of truth Thou sendest clear;
And while the wave-notes fall on my ear, Everything false will disappear.
Silently now I wait for Thee, Ready, my God, Thy will to see;
Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine.

Open my mouth and let me bear Gladly the warm truth everywhere;
Open my heart and let me prepare Love with Thy children, thus to share.
Silently now I wait for Thee, Ready, my God, Thy will to see;
Open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine.

PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Bob Nicholas

Holy God, by your Spirit reveal your radical, surprising love; come to us through your holy word and let us hear what you are saying. Amen.

SCRIPTURES

Bob Nicholas

Acts Reading: Acts 3:12-19

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:36b-48

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

PEOPLE: Thanks be to GOD!

MESSAGE

"Is Food the Answer?"

Pastor Linda Graham

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again, He ascended into heaven. He is seated at the right hand of the Father, and He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

*RESPONSE HYMN # 815

"Doxology"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (In-Unison)

Lord God, we offer to you only a portion of what you have given us. All that we have is from your creative hand. All that we can give away we do through Jesus' love. All our renewal comes from the Holy Spirit's wisdom. Deal graciously with these gifts so that others may have joy, in Jesus' name. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN # 648

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” v. 1 – 4

Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heav'n to earth come down,
fix in us Thy humble dwelling;
all Thy faithful mercies crown!
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love Thou art;
visit us with Thy salvation;
enter every trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit
into every troubled breast!
Let us all in Thee inherit,
let us find the promised rest.
Take away our love of sinning;
Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.

Come, Almighty to deliver;
let us all Thy life receive;
suddenly return and never,
nevermore Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
serve Thee as Thy hosts above;
pray, and praise Thee without ceasing,
glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then, Thy new creation;
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see Thy great salvation
perfectly restored in Thee.
Changed from glory into glory,
till in heav'n we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before Thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

CHARGE & BLESSING

POSTLUDE

St. Andrew's Legacy Carillion

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April Lectionary

Third Sunday of Easter April 14	<u>Psalm 4</u>	<u>Acts 3: 12-19</u>	<u>1 John 3: 1-7</u> and <u>Luke 24:36b-48</u>
Fourth Sunday of Easter April 21	<u>Psalm 23</u>	<u>Acts 4: 5-12</u>	<u>1 John 3:16-24</u> and <u>John 10: 11-18</u>
Fifth Sunday of Easter April 28	<u>Psalm 22:25-31</u>	<u>Acts 8: 26-40</u>	<u>1 John 4:7-21</u> and <u>John 15: 1-8</u>