

St. ANDREW'S CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2015



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*HYMN 576

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Olivet

THE PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

That Easter Day With Joy Was Bright
Puer Nobis, arr. James Biery

THE 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.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CALL TO PRAYER AND THE PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal 307

Malotte

*HYMN 108

Lift High the Cross

Crucifer

THE BENEDICTION (unison)

Let us go forth as children of God in the confidence and grace that God provides. May His strength cause us to live as proud ambassadors of the faith we have in Jesus Christ. May we love God with all our being and our neighbors as ourselves. It is in the name and the spirit of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

POSTLUDE:

The Strife is O'er, the Battle Done, Victory, Palestrina
arr. Richard Proulx

WELCOME NOTES FOR THIS THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

WAS OUR EASTER DAY CELEBRATION TWO WEEKS AGO JUST AN EVENT? NO! IT WAS AND IS AN EXPERIENCE. We are called upon to enjoy the timeless gift of new life, new hope, new possibilities made available to every one of us by the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

EVERYONE IS INVITED to join us for a light reception in the church lounge after worship. Guests and visitors are especially welcome and are invited to sign the guest book.

THE NEXT MEETING OF OUR P&R (Planning and Review) BOARD will be held on Monday, April 20, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. here at church. This is an open meeting to which everyone is invited.

THE NATIONAL ARBORETUM IN WASHINGTON. A special tour has been arranged for St. Andrew's on Monday, April 27. In addition to the extensive gardens, we will visit the Japanese Pavillion to see the wonderful collection of Bonsai. Friends are also very welcome. Sign up sheets for the bus are on the lounge piano.

AND FOR THE MERRY MONTH OF MAY:

A trip has been arranged for us to visit the new museum at Gettysburg on Tuesday, May 12. More details later.

Our St. Andrew's Book Club will meet on Thursday, May 14 at the home of Liz Stierhoff.

The Scottish Highland Games will be held on Saturday, May 16 at Fairhill. This is a wonderful and colorful day for all the family. Brochures will be found on the lounge piano.

PASTORL CARE: Please do not hesitate to call our pastor, Ernest Smart, either for yourself or someone you know. Best contact number is 410-893-9470.

Thought for the Week Ahead

Though you are one of the teeming millions in this world, and though the world would have you believe that you do not count and that you are a speck in the mass,

God says, "I know you and love you."

- Dr. Martyn Lloyd-Jones-