

### ORDER OF LIVE/ONLINE WORSHIP

### **PRELUDE**

"The Heavens Are Telling" (Benedetto Marcello)

**Brass Ensemble** 

### WELCOME

Stand

### **CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God. Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.** 

### Gracious God,

have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of  $\pm$  Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen.

### **HYMN**

"Jesus, Come! For We Invite You"

ELW # 312

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Loving God,

You bless your creation with a multitude of blessings and you call your church to find our joy in serving you and others. Give us new eyes to see each day as a joyful celebration of life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### **SERVICE OF HOLY BAPTISM**

Henry Liam Fringer

### **READING**

John 2:1–11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

### **SERMON**

"The Life of the Party"

### **OFFERING**

### **OFFERING OF MUSIC**

"Singing in My Soul" (Thomas A. Dorsey)

**Elliana Meier, Tim Graf** 

### **OFFERING PRAYER**

O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

### **BEFORE YOU GO**

Stand

### **BENEDICTION**

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and  $\oplus$  give you peace. **Amen.** 

### **HYMN**

"Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ"

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### **SENDING**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Thanks be to God!

### **POSTLUDE**

### THE PASTORS OF ST. ANDREW:

Pastor David Lillejord	Senior Pastor
Pastor Sarah Fike	Pastor of Children, Youth, & Family
Pastor Matthew Ian Fleming	g Pastor of Teaching & Young Adults
Pastor Peter Johnson	Pastor of Service & Small Groups
Pastor Roger Schindel	Visitation Pastor

### THE MUSICIANS FOR TODAY'S WORSHIP:

Tim Graf	Music & Worship Director
Barb Carroll	Organist
Elliana Meier	_
Prace Encomble: Chris Sacily Is	undon Moquist Anna Woods

Brass Ensemble: Chris Sasik, Lyndon Moquist, Anna Woods, David Allen, Bram Fitzsimonds, Jeremy Koenen, Ken Ross



As a community of faith we are connected through joy, sorrow, worship, and prayer. Please pray for the people listed below. Your prayers are greatly appreciated!

### We ask for God's loving embrace to hold all those who mourn, especially:

- » Thelma Fricke and family on the death of her husband, Kenneth
- Harry, Charlie, Cole, and Abby Lawrence on the death of their wife and mother
- · Richard Bouta on the death of his father
- Mary Salyards and family on the death of her mother
- Jody Collis and family, on the death of their father John
- Julio and Sarah Rodriguez and family on the death of Julio's mother, Delcy Rodriguez

### **Prayers of Mourning:**

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord; O Lord, hear my voice. Psalm 130:1–2

For I am convinced that neither death nor life... nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans **8:38–39** 

Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die'. **John 11:25–26** 

## As we are praying for all members of the St. Andrew community, this week we pray especially for God's comfort, healing, protection, and strength to be present with:

- » Odell Bratland
- » Patricia McMullen
- Julane Anderson
- Sarah Gilbertson's mother
- Nancy and Wayne Dale's daughter, Rachelle
- Vaughn Schweitzer
- Kathy & Roger Schindel's brother-in-law, Nolen Turnage
- Tammi Ziesemann as she continues her cancer treatment

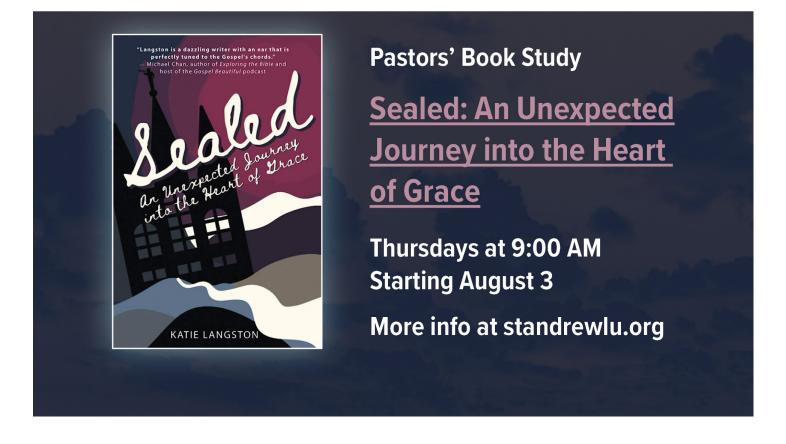
### **Long Term Prayers:**

- Gordon Gilbert
- Kathy Hoagland
- Dave & Sherri Anderson's daughter, Sarah Anderson-Jacobson
- Ron Wolfbauer
- · Dick Smith
- Paul & Marjean Skoog's sister-in-law, Lois
- Seeds of Support Mission in Haiti requests your ongoing prayers for our friends in Haiti. Haiti is experiencing a political and economic crisis that is producing widespread frustration among the population. Fuel shortages, food shortages, and general hopelessness are common. Please pray for Redemption Lutheran Church of Jacmel and all our friends there. Our mission will continue in evolving and vital ways to support their ministry.
- All those in the military serving our country

### **General Prayers:**

Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you. **Psalm 55:22a**Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. **Matthew 11:28** 







# Wednesday Night Youth Group at LAKE RILEY Wednesday, Aug. 16, 7:00 PM Summer isn't over yet! Join us at Lake Riley Park Pavilion in Eden Prairie for treats and games to play. Come have some fun by the water!















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**Contact:** Pastor Sarah Fike at pastorsarah@standrewlu.org









### **NOW HIRING**

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