

*St. Andrew by the Sea
A Community Church*

April 16, 2017
10:00 a.m.

Easter Sunday

Welcome!

We welcome you to worship at St. Andrew by the Sea. Your presence enriches our fellowship. Please sign the attendance registration form, and if a first time visitor, please fill out a visitor's card (located in the back of the pew) and place it in the offering plate. Thank you for being with us today.

Prelude **Easter Prelude on "Victory"** arr. D. Eliot
Easter Proclamation L. Larson
Branyon Lewis Bells

First New Testament Reading (Pew Bible, p. 33) **Matthew 28:1-10**
This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

*Hymn - 217 **Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**
Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting? 1 Cor. 15:55

Welcome

*Passing of the Peace

The Peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Holy Ground

*We are standing on holy ground,
and I know that there are angels all around.
Let us praise Jesus now.*

We are standing in his presence on holy ground.

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to
judge the quick 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**

***universal**

*Gloria Patri

*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.*

Second New Testament Reading (Pew Bible, p. 114) **John 20:1-10**
This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

An Easter Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory **O Come Sing a Song** R. P. Jones
Written for Gene & Shirley Barbour

O come sing a song, sing a song of joy. O come sing a song, sing a song unto the Lord. O come sing a song, sing a song of praise. For He was nailed to the cross then laid in the ground, laid in the cold, cold ground. But He arose from the grave to save the souls, the souls of all. O come, come sing a song of joy unto the Lord. He has risen to save, to save our souls. Our voices raise, Our song of praise, to Jesus Christ who rose this day. O come, come sing a song of joy and praise. Amen, Amen, to Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Doxology – 625 **Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow**

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.

*Hymn - 234 **Crown Him with Many Crowns** *Verses 1-3*
On His head are many crowns. Rev. 19:12

On the last verse the children are invited to follow Ms. Sara to the front of the church for Children's Moments.

Children's Moments

After the Children's Moments, those second grade and younger may go with Ms. Sara to Children's Church.

Third New Testament Reading (Pew Bible, p. 114) **John 20:11-18**
This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon **"Every Day"**
Rev. Dr. Lawrence Wood

*Hymn - 228 **Rejoice, the Lord Is King** Phil. 4:4
Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!

*Benediction

*Hymn - 37 **Hallelujah Chorus** Rev. 19:6
Hallelujah! For our Lord God Almighty reigns.



The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Following the service, weather permitting, we will serve Communion in the Memorial Garden. Please join us!

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Lawrence Wood

Associate Pastor: Rev. George R. Myers

Assistant Pastor: Sara Hunter

Lay Reader: Mike Vaughn

Acolyte: J. Boller and Fisher Bryant

Music Director: Joan Hand

Choral Director: Dr. Roger Jones

Pianist: Heidi Stanley

Administrative Assistant: Pat Strahan

The flowers on the altar are presented to the glory of God.

Ushers: John Boller, Marge Bumann, Dolly Crewes, Tim Fulmer, Chance McLemore, Betty Patton, Charles Runels, and Allen Woerner.

Wheelchairs and devices to assist the hearing-impaired are available from the ushers.

*Please stand

Child care is available throughout worship service in the Fellowship Hall for newborns to 5 years of age.

Join us for Sunday morning breakfast at 8:30 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall.

Nursery

Nursery Care for infants (newborn up to 1 year old) and toddlers (1 year up to 3 years old) is staffed from 9:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. every Sunday. Our nursery is located in the Fellowship Hall directly across from our toddlers in classroom #4.

Children's Church

Children **3 years old - 2nd grade** who are interested in attending Children's Church will be escorted to the Fellowship Hall after the Children's Blessing.

Children's Bulletins

There are children's worship bulletins available in the Narthex for ages 3 - 12.

Sunday School

Please see insert for time and details on Sunday School Classes and other weekly activities.

Groups and Activities

<u>Tuesday:</u>	April 18 th	Prayer Group & Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
		Finance Committee	4:30 p.m.
		Bell Practice	5:00 p.m.
		Board Meeting	5:30 p.m.
<u>Wednesday:</u>	April 19 th	Knitting	1:30 p.m.
		Bell Practice	5:00 p.m.
		Dinner	5:45 p.m.
		Family Activities – Children, Youth and Adults	6:00 p.m.
		Choir Practice	6:00 p.m.
<u>Thursday:</u>	April 20 th	St Andrew Community Men's Prayer Breakfast	7:00 a.m.
<u>Sunday:</u>	April 23 rd	St. Andrew Church Barbecue	11:00 a.m.
		Acolyte appreciation lunch and a movie following worship.	

Prayer List: For your convenience we have alphabetized our prayer list. Names will remain on the list for two weeks, unless renewed. Our Women's Prayer Group meets every Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the sanctuary to pray for those on our prayer list.

In our Prayers: Leonard Atwater, Nelle Alexander, Katherine Allen, Bill Baker, Berrie Bamberg, Gene Barbour, Angie Barnes, Marlene Boeker, April Boone, Kevin Boule, Myra Branyon, Valerie Caldwell, Vicki Capehart, Skylar Carpenter, Fr. David Carucci, Harry & Ardys Dalton, Diane Davis, Ab DeWeese, Baxter Duddy, Al & Lois Erbes, Jim Fambrough, Jackson Faulkenberry, Milton Fulman, BeBe Gauntt, family of Jim Goecker, Salud Gooden, Jorg Grabert, Virginia Null Graves, Lionel Gustafson, Boo Guidry, Jennifer Guthrie, Steve Gyuricsko, Lisa Harnage, Leon Hasting, Lauren Hawkins, Joshua Healey, family of Ricky Healey, Heinz Hempelman, Jonathan & Nashisha Henderson and family, Sam Hicks, Diana Homann, Karen Jordahl, Stacie Kendrick, Ed Klincke, Gary Kreigh, Scott Langus, Morris Lawson, Leisha LaRiviere, Lindsey Manning, Skye Martin, Stephen & Mandi McNamara, Chuck & Margaret Medlin, Lukas Medlin, Chuck Nicoll, Kyle Null, Lela O'Berry, Brady O'Connell, Tom & Shirley Parker, Melissa Peace, Michael Pierce, Calvin Porter, Peggie Prish, Bart Pryor, Cathy Qualls, Judy Ramm, Debbie Riecke, Bob Roberts, Deb Roberts, Christy Ruffin, Craig Schuchardt, Margaret Shalander, Luke Shepherd, David Sprotte, Ellen Stapleton, Sarah Stoddard, Sharon Svejda, Bill Teer, Haley Thompson, Joe Thrasher, Gerry Totoritis, Cameron Verean, Bob Vosloh, Cindy Wakefield, Lois Watts, Willee Whetstone, Ginger & Natasha Williams, Frank Wright, and unmentioned requests.

Scriptures for next Sunday – John 20:19-23 & John 20:24-31

Easter Egg Hunt today following worship service.

(Baskets will be provided for those who do not have one.)

Youth and Children April 19th –Wednesday, the youth and children are cooking dinner. If you would like to help, we will begin preparing at 4.

St. Andrew Church Barbecue - Are you ready for spring and good barbecue? The Fellowship Committee's annual barbecue will be held Sunday, **April 23rd**, immediately following church services. Chicken, pulled pork and cakes will be furnished. Those attending are asked to bring a large dish of the following: deviled eggs, baked beans, potato salad, or coleslaw. Mark your calendar and we will see you in the Fellowship Hall!

Acolyte appreciation Sunday April 23rd! Thank you very much for your terrific service at Saint Andrew. Following the worship service we will join in on the church barbecue and afterwards take in a movie. More details to follow.

April is St. Andrews month to stock the pantry at the Christian Service Center to help our Pleasure Island families in need.

A list of items needed are available below if you would like to do your own shopping and bring them to the church. You may want to make a contribution by **writing a check to the Christian Service Center and putting Food Pantry from St. Andrew in the "for line" at the bottom of your check.** Drop the check in the offering plate or mail to or bring it by the Center. We can buy food for pennies on the dollar from the Bay Area Food Bank which allows the Center to stretch your donated food dollar to the maximum.

Canned meat; i.e. chicken, tuna, Ramen Noodles, Cereal, Saltine Crackers, Oatmeal (Individual Packets), Grits (Individual Packets), Boxed dinners; i.e. Hamburger Helper, Jelly - any flavor, Peanut Butter, and Mac and Cheese.

Additional items often requested: soap bars, shampoo, toothbrushes, toothpaste, feminine hygiene products, and other toiletries, clothes detergent (dry), small dish washing detergent, as well as disposable diapers and baby wipes are always needed. Adult bicycles needed. Contributions of these items would be greatly appreciated!

The Christian Service Center, PO Box 882, Gulf Shores, AL 36547

Or visit our website: www.cscgs.com

2017 Building Fund Pledge Drive
Families pledged to date – 64
Total giving households - 106
Total Building Fund Pledges to date: \$ 560,800.00
Funds Received to date: \$140,224.00

Financial Summary for April	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Loose Plate/Non Pledge</u>
April Budgeted	\$ 29,000.00	\$ 13,000.00
April Actual	\$ 11,504.00	\$ 10,138.00
Year to Date Budgeted	\$ 114,000.00	\$ 59,000.00
Year to Date Actual	\$ 89,286.00	\$ 52,561.00

Weekend Emergency Number: 968-3900. You will be forwarded to the pastor on call. Office hours: 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Mon. – Fri. - Office Phone Number - 251-968-3900

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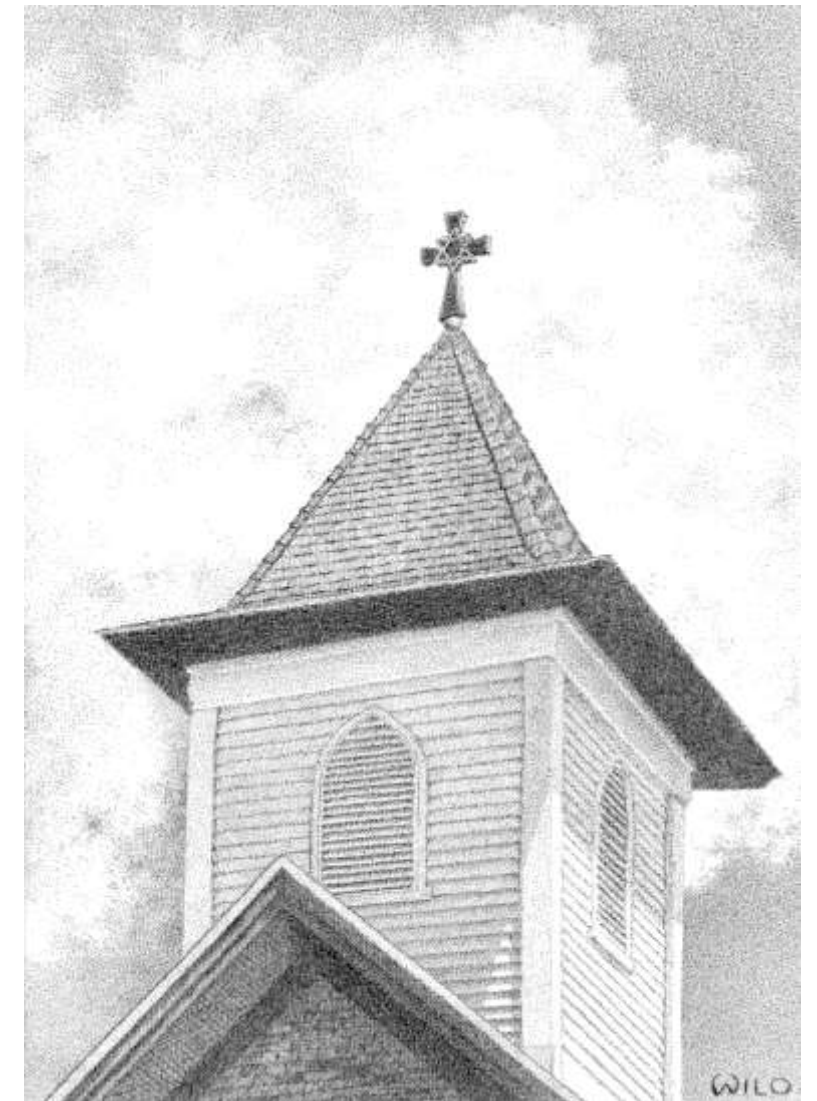
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