



# SAINT ANDREW'S CHAPEL

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany February 23rd, 2025 5:00 p.m.



## **PRELUDE**

Adagio Cantabile from String Quartet Op. 76 F.J. Haydn/arr. R. Sieving Youth String Ensemble

#### STRIKING OF THE HOUR

## CALL TO SOLEMN ASSEMBLY

Psalm 149:1-2

Minister: Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly! Let Israel be glad in his Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King!

## \*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Nº 345

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

AUSTRIAN HYMN

## \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

♣ Those who are able, please stand. Scripture reading may be found on page 1006 of the pew Bible.

# \*GLORIA PATRI (MEINEKE)

Nº 734

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.

## AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism #79

Minister: Why then does Christ call the bread His body and the cup His blood, or the new covenant in His blood? (Paul uses the words, a participation in Christ's body and blood.)

People: Christ has good reason for these words. He wants to teach us that as bread and wine nourish our temporal life, so too His crucified body and poured-out blood truly nourish our souls for eternal life. But more important, He wants to assure us, by this visible sign and pledge, that we, through the Holy Spirit's work, share in His true body and blood as surely as our mouths receive these holy signs in His remembrance, and that all of His suffering and obedience are as definitely ours as if we personally had suffered and paid for our sins.

#### READING OF THE LAW

The Ninth Commandment

Exodus 20:16

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

#### CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 119:28-29

Unison: My soul melts away for sorrow; strengthen me according to your word! Put false ways far from me and graciously teach me vour law!

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Isaiah 53:6

Minister: *All we like sheep have gone astray*; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

#### **OFFERINGS & OFFERTORY**

Largo from Symphony No. 9

A. Dvorak/arr. S. Dackow

Youth String Ensemble







 $^{\circ}$ HYMN N° 55 To God Be the Glory To god be the glory

\*READING OF SCRIPTURE Hebrews 9:15–28

SERMON Dr. Burk Parsons

"The Necessity of the Shedding of Blood"

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN N° 520

Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness GERMANY

\*BENEDICTION

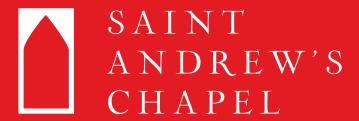
\*POSTLUDE Lord God, Now Be Glorified

Now Be Glorified J.S. Bach

Drew Pace, organ

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