

# SAINT ANDREW'S CHAPEL

Second Sunday in Lent March 46th, 2025 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

The prelude is a sacred curtain dropped between the world and the sanctuary. The dimming of the lights is the signal for the congregation to observe silence. During this time, be prayerful and reverent in preparation for the worship of our holy God in His sanctuary. (Please silence all phones and non-medical electronic devices.)



But for me it is good to be near God; I have made the Lord GOD my refuge, that I may tell of all your works.

Psalm 73:28

## PRELUDE

Ouverture from Suite in e

G.P. Telemann

Sinfonia

### STRIKING OF THE HOUR

#### INTROIT

Abide, O Dearest Savior

Text: J. Stegmann

Music: J.S. Bach

Abide, O dearest Savior; Let not Your mercy cease: From Satan's might defend us, And give our hearts Your peace.

**Reformation Chorale** 

# CALL TO SOLEMN ASSEMBLY

Minister: Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

+ Those who are able, please stand.

# \*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Nº 172

F. Schubert

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

ALL SAINTS OLD/desc. A Alexander

## \*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

\*Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full, full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

### READING OF THE LAW

The Westminster Shorter Catechism #49-52

The Second Commandment

Exodus 20:4-6

Minister: Which is the second commandment?

People: The second commandment is, "You shall not make for yourself any carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate Me, and showing mercy to thousands of them that love Me, and keep My commandments."

Minister: What is required in the second commandment?

People: The second commandment requires the receiving, observing, and keeping pure and entire, all such religious worship and ordinances as God has appointed in His Word.

Minister: What is forbidden in the second commandment?

People: The second commandment forbids the worshiping of God by images, or any other way not appointed in His Word.

Minister: What are the reasons added to the second commandment? People: The reasons added to the second commandment are, God's sovereignty over us, His propriety in us, and the zeal He has

to His own worship.

## CONFESSION OF SIN

Psalm 41:4

Unison: O LORD, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned

against vou!

# ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 5:8

Minister: But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE

\*HYMN

See Insert

The Secret Place

R.C. Sproul/J. Lippencott

### \*OFFERINGS & OFFERTORY

Jesus Paid It All

Text: E. Hall Music: J. Grape/arr. R. Sterling

I hear the Savior say, "Thy strength indeed is small!

Child of weakness, watch and pray. Find in Me thine all in all."

Refrain:

Jesus paid it all. All to Him I owe.

Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow.

For nothing good have I whereby Thy grace to claim.

I'll wash my garments white in the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb. Refrain

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete,

"Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat. Refrain

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#### \*DOXOLOGY (OLD HUNDREDTH)

Nº 731

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.

#### \*OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*READING OF SCRIPTURE

Philippians 3:12–16

Stephen Adams **SERMON** 

"The Christian's Anchor and Goal"

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN

Nº 699

Like a River Glorious WYE VALLEY

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

Hornpipe from Water Music

G.F. Handel

Sinfonia

Following the benediction, let us greet and welcome one another as Christ has welcomed us, for the glory of God (Romans 15:7), remembering what our Lord teaches us in the Scriptures: "Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing" (1 Thessalonians 5:11).

We are pleased to have the Reformation Chorale participating in worship this morning. The Reformation Chorale is the vocal ensemble of Reformation Bible College, purposed to train its members in the art of academic choral singing for the glory of God. Their director, Drew Pace, has been leading the choir since 2021.

> Evening Worship Service | 5:00 pm | Don Bailey Psalm 126 | "The Joy of Restoration" Celebration of the Lord's Supper









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