SAINT ANDREW'S CHAPEL

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 20th, 2026 5:00 p.m.

PRELUDE

Vater Unser im Himmelreich — J.S. Bach

Drew Pace, organ

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO SOLEMN ASSEMBLY — Psalm 100:1–3

Minister: *Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.*

✣PROCESSIONAL HYMN — Nº 75

O Father, You Are Sovereign — ST. THEODULPH

✣PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✣ Those who are able, please stand.
Scripture reading may be found on page 656 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 #37–38

Minister: *What do you understand by the word "suffered?"*
People: That during His whole life on earth, but especially at the end, Christ sustained in body and soul the anger of God against the sin of the whole human race. This He did in order that, by His suffering as the only atoning sacrifice, He might set us free, body and soul, from eternal condemnation, and gain for us God's grace, righteousness, and eternal life.

Minister: *Why did He suffer "under Pontius Pilate" as judge?*
People: So that He, though innocent, might be condemned by a civil judge, and so free us from the severe judgment of God that was to fall on us.

READING OF THE LAW

The Fifth Commandment — Exodus 20:12

Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

CONFESSION OF SIN — Daniel 9:18b–19

Unison: For we do not present our pleas before you because of our righteousness, but because of your great mercy.
O Lord, hear; O Lord, forgive. O Lord, pay attention and act.
Delay not, for your own sake, O my God, because your city and your people are called by your name.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON — Isaiah 1:18

Minister: *"Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool."*

OFFERINGS & OFFERTORY

Communion in e — A. Guilmant

Drew Pace, organ

*READING OF SCRIPTURE — Don Bailey

SERMON — Jeremiah 29:1–14

"I Know the Plans"

‡CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

COMMUNION HYMNS

Jesus, Lover of My Soul — Nº 509
Beneath the Cross of Jesus — Nº 251

*RECESSIONAL HYMN — Nº 598

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah — CWM RHONDDA

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Four Variations on Down Ampney: II. Allegro Op. 47 no. 2 — J. Bender

Drew Pace, organ

‡ During the celebration of the Lord's Supper, the elders will serve bread and then wine to those seated in the pews. Please partake of each element after receiving it.

We use wine in the celebration of the Lord's Supper. However the outer ring of the tray contains grape juice for those who prefer it.

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