

Sunday April 28, 2019



Statue of Jesus in Sri Lankan Church, splattered with blood

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

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Gathering to serve God & neighbour
in this community since 1817

We acknowledge that we meet on the traditional lands
of the Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee peoples.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Preludes Gloria Patri in the third tone Palestrina
The strife is o'er G.T. Miles

Entry of the Bible

Call to Worship

Hymn The day of Resurrection #249

Prayer of Approach & Lord's Prayer

Introit I am risen and am still with thee H. Willan

Greetings & Announcements

Responsive Psalm 62:5-8, 11-12a

Hymn Lord of the dance #250

Time with Children

Scripture Readings Christina M.

John 20:19-22

Romans 12:9-13, 17-18, 21

Anthem The strife is o'er Henry Ley

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession

Hymn Now the green blade rises #256

Sermon "As the father has sent me, so I send you"

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory O sons and daughters, let us sing Dandrieu

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn Christ is alive #251

Benediction

Postlude Offertoire Jean-François Dandrieu

If you wish to leave during the Postlude, please do so quietly.

The 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.

Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil,

for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen.

The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

Praise God, all creatures here below:

Praise God above ye heavenly hosts,

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Scripture Readings

Responsive Psalm 62:5-8, 11-12a

For God alone my soul waits in silence,

for my hope is from God,

who alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress;

I shall not be shaken.

On God rests my deliverance and my honour;

my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

Trust in God at all times, O people;

pour out your heart before God, who is a refuge for us.

Once God has spoken;

twice have I heard this:

that power belongs to God;

and that to you, O God, belongs steadfast love.

John 20:19-22

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said,

‘Peace be with you.’ After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.

Jesus said to them again, ‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent

me, so I send you.’ When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit.

Romans 12:9-13, 17-18, 21

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

NOTES FROM DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

We are beginning the season of Easter and so for the **Offertory**, we have a piece based on the old French Easter carol *O filii et Filiae* (see hymn #261) by the French Baroque composer Jean-François D’Andrieu (1682-1738). The service concludes with a **Postlude** by the same composer. Our **third Hymn** (#256) uses a tune from another old French carol, “Noël Nouvelet” which was originally a Christmas carol (*Sing We Now of Christmas* is the common translation). It was changed into an Easter carol with the words by J.M.C. Crum (1872-1958).

It is interesting to note that not all Easter music is in a happy major key. *O Filii et Filiae* is in a minor key, which is usually reserved for more sombre occasions. *Noël Nouvelet* is in an often sad and mysterious Dorian mode, an old scale used in some church chants and folk music. The **Introit** uses the Aeolian mode and the Phrygian mode with words from Psalm 139.

The **Anthem** is based on the great Easter hymn, “The Strife is O’er”, which was arranged by the noted English organist and scholar Henry G. Ley (1887-1962). The tune was composed by Melchior Vulpus (1570-1615) and named after him. The text goes back to a 17th century Latin text which was later translated by Francis Pott (1832-1909). This hymn is often sung to the tune “Victory” which is the one supplied in our Book of Praise (#257). This alternate tune comes from a work by the great Italian composer Giovanni Pierluigi Sante, and is played as

the **first Prelude**. The composer was born in Palestrina in 1525. Eventually he became known by the name of his birthplace. Little is known about his early background but he was a chorister in his early years and in time fully dedicated himself to church music, winning the favour of the pope because he stayed away from the use of secular tunes and texts. It was about 300 years later that British editor and arranger William Henry Monk created a hymn tune from this tune of Palestrina. The tune “Victory” is also the basis for a contemporary piece by Englishman George Theophilus Miles, heard as our **second Prelude**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome

A warm welcome to all this morning in the name of Jesus Christ. During this service, there is a nursery offered for infants, hosted by certified care Tran Thao Dinh, and a program for children led by Laura Tyner-Clement—please speak to an usher for information if interested.

Prayer Partnership

If you would like to have a time of personal prayer after the service, you are invited to meet a member of the prayer team at the pillar just to the right of the pulpit. Please pass prayer requests to be shared to Dorothy M. or Barb Z.

Manse Partnership

May 1st we welcome a new group of seven students as residents in the manse, committed to living in Christian community and witness. There are still two rooms available, so spread the word! Speak to Peter T. or the Minister.

Congregational Potluck

Join us after the service today. A great opportunity to grow in community and enjoy some good food! All invited – there always seems to be enough food for everyone. Our minister is planning to show a few slides of his time away between courses!

THIS WEEK

Imageo Dei

Thursday May 2, 4:30 p.m. Join fellow members in an informal time of biblical reflection and prayer. We gather in a member's home. Speak to Dorothy M. for information.

The King's Daughters

Friday May 3, 7 p.m. This is a trio that specializes in singing contemporary gospel. All proceeds will go towards supporting the renovation of the Gill Hall Kitchen for use by Special Meals, The Mess and the Kingston Street Mission. \$25 in advance, \$30 at door. Here at St. Andrew's! Preview at www.daughtersofthekingmusic.com

Spring Clean Up

Saturday May 4, 9-2 p.m. Bring your gloves and tools to help either with the grounds or the kitchen!

Hymn Festival

Saturday May 4, 2:30 p.m. at St. George's Cathedral. A selection of traditional and new hymns will be introduced by Eric Friesen and the Rev. Andrew Johnston, and accompanied by members The Royal Canadian College of Organists, a massed choir, and a brass quintet. All are welcome to attend – and sing along! For information, including about participating in the massed choir, call 613-548-4617x23 or visit rcco-kingston.ca

ADVANCE NOTICE

The Royale/Rideaucrest

Sunday May 12, 2 p.m. Tuesday May 14, 11 a.m. Join the Minister and others from the congregation as we bring some of the worship of St. Andrew's to members of these two residences. Speak to Andrew.

Special Meals

Sunday May 12. The St. Andrew's Team #1, prepares the community meal served at 5:15 this evening. If you would be able to assist, please speak to Larry M. (Team #2 will be serving June 16)

Sunday Perspectives

Sunday May 12, 7 p.m. This month, an opportunity to see 'Amazing Grace', featuring newly released footage of a concert by Aretha Franklin. Buy your own ticket at the Screening Room, and join with others from St. Mark's Lutheran and Chalmers United at the Screening Room for a brief discussion afterward in the cinema.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Syrian Hope Concert

Saturday May 4, 7:30 p.m. A benefit concert to support a family's re-settlement in Kingston. Music will be provided by Melodia Monday, a local choral group and Syrian Hope, a group featuring traditional Syrian folk music. \$20, Crossroads United.

Housing Action Forum Wednesday

May 15, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Learn about the affordable housing crisis in Kingston, and explore proposals of response. St. Luke's Anglican Church. Registration spckingston00@gmail.com

Reconciliation in the Watershed

Saturday May 18, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A programme of KAIROS with Grandmother Dorothy from the Curve Lake Reserve. Frontenac Village Common Room, 1 Armes Square. For information, Mary Farrar, inverarymary@yahoo.com

The flowers this morning are placed in thanksgiving to God, for the life of Stewart Fyfe. A service of witness to the resurrection was held in this sanctuary yesterday.

Offering Update		
Weekly Giving's	Budgeted	Received
April 14 2019	\$1,277.01	\$3,452.40
Year to Date	\$60,442.74	\$66,369.46

Ushers

This morning

Myrna A. Ada M. John S.
Joan B.

May 5

Elders

Presbyterian World Service & Development



Rebuilding businesses and dreams
In Malawi, Lucia and her husband care for their six orphaned grandchildren. It's a lot of work to meet the needs of a large family,

but Lucia was earning a good income running a grocery store—a dream she'd always had. When her husband fell ill, Lucia used all her earnings to pay hospital bills and could no longer afford her grandchildren's school fees. When her husband was discharged, Lucia had no money left to rebuild the business she loved. An answer to her prayers, Lucia received a loan to get her store running again through a Presbyterian World Service & Development-supported self-help group. "I was worried about how I would pay school fees and provide for my grandchildren's basic needs," Lucia said. "Self-help groups have really helped."

This year, through offerings designated "Mission," members of St. Andrew's Kingston have a goal of contributing \$3,700 to the work of Christ through PWS&D.

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