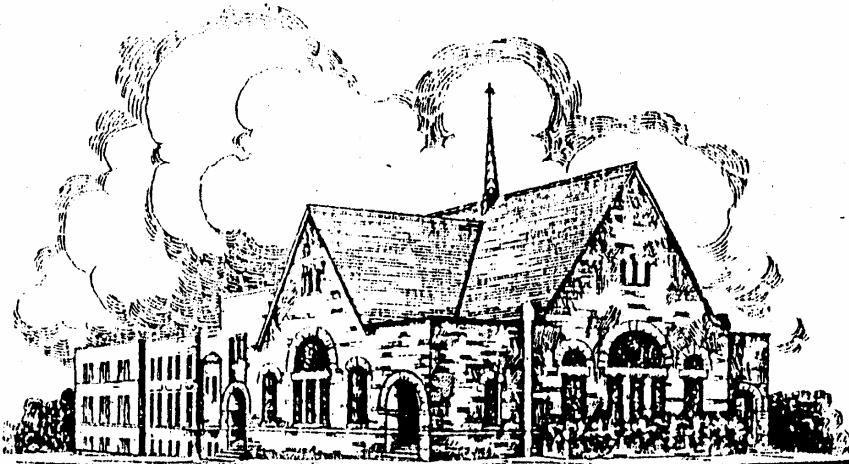


**Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church**  
**October 16, 2011 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** **10:30 AM**

~Welcome to Saint Andrews~

The Church Nursery is available for children through kindergarten age



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Stephanie Slezak  
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**The Church in Preparation**

**The Prelude**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Exchange of Greetings**

**The Introit**

“Surely the Lord Is In This Place”

Chancel Choir

**The Call to Worship**

Carol Landis

Leader: God is great and greatly to be praised.  
People: **We praise the great and awesome name of God.**  
Leader: Our God is a lover of justice,  
who executes justice and righteousness.  
People: **Holy is our God!**

**The Opening Prayer** *(In Unison)*

Gracious God, like a loving parent, you nurture and encourage and challenge us to grow in grace. Awaken us to your presence here among us this morning. Open our eyes to your possibilities. Open our hearts to your voice. Deepen our commitment so that we may be more faithful servants of your will and agents of your love. Amen.

**\*The Opening Hymn #69**

“Great Is the Lord”

Smith

(Ushers will collect prayer requests. Please pass them to the center aisle.)

**The Prayer of Confession** *(In Unison)*

Holy God, you have called us to be your people but like our ancestors, we have gone astray. We dedicate our lives to the false gods of security, prosperity, and reputation; we worship idols of our own creation. Forgive us, Lord. Help us to respond to you with trust, love, and service. Help us to live faithfully as your chosen people, through the grace of Christ. Amen.

**A Time of Silent Confession**

**The Assurance of Pardon**

\*The people will rise in body or spirit

**The Congregation Sings in Response** "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.

**The Church in Proclamation**

**Scripture Readings** Portions of Exodus 32 O.T. p. 78  
Leader: The word of the Lord  
**People: Thanks be to God**

**Anthem** "Rain Down" Chancel Choir

**The Message to Young Christians** Janice King

**The Congregation Sings in Response #2161** "To Know You More"  
To know you in all of your glory,  
To love with all that I am.  
With all of my heart, Lord, this is my prayer.  
To know you more. To know you more.

**The Sermon** "Holy Cow!" Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

**\*The Hymn #447** "O for a Faith That Will Not Shrink" Azmon

**The Church Responds**

**\*The Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed (In Unison)**  
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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**The Prayers of the People and 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**The Offertory Invitation**  
Christ calls us to paths of generosity, compassion, and mercy. Through our offerings, we seek to bring Christ's healing to those who hurt, hope to those who despair, and help to those in need. Let us bring before the Lord our tithes and offerings.

As the offering plates are being passed, please sign and pass the Friendship Registers located at the end of your pews.  
Thank you!

**The Offertory** Special Music  
Betty Judson and Bud Weckerly

**\*The Congregation Sings in Response #6** "Praise God,..."  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**\*The Prayer of Dedication (In Unison)**  
Gracious God, we give our best to you, not out of guilt or fear, but with gratitude and faith. You are our support in times of need. You are the fount of all goodness, the source of life itself. With praise and thanksgiving for your many blessings, we dedicate these offerings and our lives to your service. Amen.

**The Church Goes Forth to Serve**

**\*The Hymn #96** "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" CWM Rhondda

**\*The Benediction**

**The Benediction Response** "Amen" Chancel Choir

**\*The Postlude** ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

## This Week at Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

**Sunday, October 16, 2011**

9:15 AM – Sunday School  
10:30 AM – Worship  
11:45 AM – Nurture Team  
6:00 PM – Youth Group  
7:30 PM – Hymn Fest @ First United Methodist

**Monday, October 17, 2011**

**Tuesday, October 18, 2011**

**Wednesday, October 19, 2011**

5:00 PM – Community Dinner – Meridian UPC  
5:00 PM – KICK  
8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

**Thursday, October 20, 2011**

6:15 PM – Canticleer Ringers  
6:45 PM – Canticleer Ringers II  
7:30 PM – Chancel Choir

**Friday, October 21, 2011**

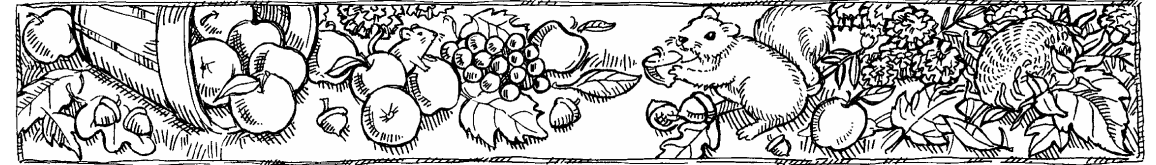
**Saturday, October 22, 2011**

**Next Sunday, October 23, 2011**

9:15 AM – Sunday School  
10:30 AM – Worship, Welcome Rev. Phil Jamison  
12:00 PM – Youth Sunday Lunches  
4:00 PM – “Music in Great Spaces” at Shadyside Presbyterian Church  
6:00 PM – Youth Group

## Reports for Sunday, October 9, 2011

2011 Budgeted Operating Income to Date (Envelopes): \$ 126,153.85  
Operating Income (Envelope Giving) to Date: \$ 133,617.34  
Ahead of Budget: \$ 7,463.49  
Special Giving to Date: \$ 44,982.63  
Worship Attendance for October 9, 2011: Not Available



## Worship Leadership

**Ushers:** MaryAnn Hazlett      Scott Hazlett      Carol Landis      Dave Landis  
**Liturgist:** Carol Landis      **Next Week:** Jon McKay  
**Children's Sermon:** Janice King      **Next Week:** Dawn Grossman  
**Children's Church:** Elizabeth & Abigail Haughey      **Next Week:** Dawn Grossman  
**Flower Delivery:** Barb Hutchison      **Next Week:** Chuck King  
**Open the Church:** Jon McKay      **Next Week:** Susan Moon  
**Close the Church:** Scott Hazlett      **Next Week:** Travis Grossman

**The Flowers** today are given by Anzie and Rick Kelley in honor of Brea and Delaney.

**Prayer Requests** can be made by using the purple prayer request cards found in the pew racks. Please pass your requests to the center aisle during the Opening Hymn. They will be shared during the Prayers of the People and distributed to our Prayer Team to be included in this week's prayers.

**Restrooms:** Please use the left front entrance to the sanctuary and follow the hallway to the right. From the rear of the sanctuary, turn left and go downstairs. The restrooms are at the end of the hallway.

**Child Care:** The Church Nursery is available for children through pre-Kindergarten age. To find the nursery, please go to the left front entrance of the sanctuary and follow the hallway to the right. The nursery is on the left. If your child would like to be rocked during worship, a rocking chair is available on the left side of the sanctuary.



Pastor Merry will be out of town for Continuing Education from Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, through Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>. While she is away, Rev. Jim Swanson will be available in case of emergencies. If you have a pastoral care need or concern, please call Stephanie at our church office or Rev. Swanson at Covenant (724-712-1407). Rev. Phil Jamison will be leading us in worship on October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please welcome him!



**"The Bread of Life"**  
A Hymn and Choral Festival



Saint Andrews choir will be participating in "The Bread of Life" Hymn and Choral Festival today, October 16, at 7:30 pm at the First United Methodist Church.

The evening will include congregational singing and anthems prepared by area church choirs. A freewill offering will be collected to benefit Meals on Wheels. Join us for this uplifting event!



**"The Messiah"**  
**Road Trip to Heinz Hall**



"The Messiah" as you've never seen it. Forty members of the MCP, six soloists, and the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra will present a STAGED production of "The Messiah". The costumes, set and lighting will essentially transform this classic choral work into an opera. Performances will be December 2 and 3 at 8:00 pm and December 4 at 2:30 pm at Heinz Hall. Saint Andrews is organizing a group trip to see the December 4 performance. We will have a brown bag lunch in the Memorial Room after worship and then leave the church at 1:00 pm. Anyone interested in attending should contact Deanna Golden at (724) 586-2899 by **today, October 16**, to purchase tickets.



**"Music in Great Spaces"**  
**October 23, 2011 4:00 pm**  
**at Shadyside Presbyterian Church**

This concert will feature two organs and double choirs in a beautiful setting. Please see Deanna for details.

**All In The Family**



The sympathy and resurrection faith of the congregation go out to Emma Margaret Williams' loved ones. Peggy died on Wednesday, October 12, 2011.



October 18 Corkey Mowery  
October 21 Gregory Zdilla



**Scottish Sunday**  
**October 30, 2011**



Join us as we celebrate our Scottish Presbyterian Heritage during our 45<sup>th</sup> annual Scottish Sunday on October 30, 2011.

A Luncheon will follow worship in the Memorial Room and will include Bill Douthett's fabulous Cock-a-leekie soup, breads and spreads, and various Scottish pastries. Please join us!



**Bakers Needed**



Saint Andrews is looking for volunteers to bake traditional Scottish pastries for the luncheon after worship on Scottish Sunday. Recipes are available in the Narthex. (Look for the lavender paper.) Please bring the baked goods on Sunday, October 30 before worship. THANK YOU ☺



## U-Name-It Auction Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>

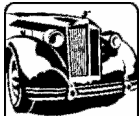
*The Mission Team is seeking donations from the congregation for our annual U-Name-It Auction. Proceeds will benefit missions here at home and around the world.*

### What are we looking for? U Guessed it.....U Name it.

The donations can be (almost) anything.....Sure, we're looking for regular items and gift certificates, but we're also interested in more unique gifts of your time and talents that could be auctioned off...

#### Some Ideas:

- Perhaps you have a classic car and would be willing to give someone a driving tour of Butler
- You're a closet gourmet chef and would be willing to cook a candlelight dinner for two
- You're willing to provide babysitting for an evening or supply lawn maintenance/ labor for a day or a few hours
- A basket of goodies for a family movie night
- Handmade quilts or afghans
- So you sing, dance, ride, cook, sew, knit, crochet, scrapbook? How about giving a few lessons?



These are just a few ideas. As you can see it can be ANYTHING (Well almost anything)--

**U-NAME-IT!!**



All items to be auctioned will be listed in the program. The deadline for donations is Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. You can leave items in the church office or contact Jeanne Wilson at 724-282-6095. Please let Jeanne know what you will be bringing so your items can be included in the program. It really helps the auction run more smoothly. Items that are added after the program is printed will be sold on a separate silent auction table that night. Thanks for helping to make this event such a success. See you there!

## JOBSEEKER WORKSHOPS

The Center for Individual and Organizational Effectiveness is offering a **free** two-part workshop for jobseekers in October. This event is for anyone who is interested in learning or improving job search skills. Learn about:

Resume Writing  
 Cover Letters  
 Interviewing  
 Finding a Job, Networking  
 Surviving in this Economy  
 Recruiters & Temp Agencies  
 Personal Marketing Strategy  
 Negotiation, and more!

**October 24 (part 1) & October 25 (part 2)**

**1:30 – 5:45 pm**

**St Wendelin's Church Hall**

**211 St. Wendelin Rd, Butler, PA 16002**

**October 27 (part 1) & October 28 (part 2)**

**8:30 am – 12:45 pm**

**St Paul's Glenn Hall**

**128 N. McKean St, Butler, PA 16001**

Registration not required. The program is free.

A facilitator will be on hand to review your resume after the workshops. Please contact Deb at (412) 861-0013 or [info@c4ioe.com](mailto:info@c4ioe.com) with any questions.