



St. Andrews United Methodist Church
 Second Sunday after the Epiphany
 January 19, 2025
 10 a.m.

*Please stand as you are able

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude *"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"*
 Sarah Grace Alley

Bringing in the Light of Christ

*Call to Worship *Psalm 145:8-13 (NRSV)*

Leader: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

People: The Lord is good to all, and his compassion is over all that he has made.

Leader: All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your faithful shall bless you.

People: They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power, to make known to all people your mighty deeds and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

Leader: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

People: The Lord is faithful in all his words and gracious in all his deeds.

*Opening Hymn *"Sweet Hour of Prayer"* #496

*Opening Prayer *"For Direction"* #705

Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings, with your most gracious favor, and further us with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally, by your mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Gloria Patri *"Glory Be to the Father"* #70

Special Giving Opportunity: Human Relations Day

Children's Time

Please join in singing "Jesus Loves Me" as the children come forward

*Hymn of Preparation *"Kum Ba Yah" v. 1 & 2* #494

Scripture Lesson *Jonah 1 & 2*

Sermon *"Running Away from God"* Pastor Mamie

*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* #881

*Passing the Peace

Offering Our Gifts and Tithes to God

Offertory: "Higher Ground" Chancel Choir

*Doxology *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"* #95

Joys, Concerns & Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer #895

*Closing Hymn *"Trust and Obey"* #467

*Blessing & Benediction Pastor Mamie

*Sending Forth *"God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again"* #672

*Postlude Sarah Grace Alley



Restrooms are located in the Gathering Place hallway with Changing Tables available in both bathrooms.

Nursery is available for infants & preschoolers during worship.

Visitor Card: Please fill out a pew Visitor Card and drop it in the offering plate so we can connect with you!

Online Giving is available through PushPay...just scan the QR code on our Giving Cards in the pews or go to our website.

Worship Bags are available in the Narthex for children 2nd grade and under with coloring pages, books, and other items to be used as needed. Please take any used coloring pages with you and return the worship bag to the Narthex after worship.

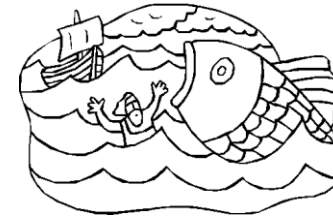
E-Updates are sent by email each week with upcoming events, reminders & more! Contact Pastor Mamie to sign up.



*Do all the good you can, by all the means you can,
In all the ways you can, in all the places you can,
At all the times you can, to all the people you can,
As long as ever you can.
--John Wesley*



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“Running Away from God”
Jonah Chapters 1 & 2

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