



August 23, 2020

SAINT ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Rev. Dr. Stacey Shaffer Jones, Pastor

**August 23
2020**

**St. Andrews
Presbyterian Church**

11:00 AM

“Loving People to New Life in Christ”

With God's grace, St. Andrews strives to be a growing inclusive community of faith, working together, sharing Jesus' love, and using our gifts to build and nurture a spiritual community.

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

PRAYER OF PREPARATION ~ for your personal reflection before worship.

Loving God, call us together as your people; transform us with your love. Transform our hearts, that we may love generously. Transform our eyes, that we may see your grace. Transform our hands, that we may serve others. Transform our spirits, that we may be the body of Christ, gathered to worship and sent out to serve. Amen.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

ENTRANCE OF THE PASTOR

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 12:1-8 (NT) p. 148

SERMON Rev. Dr. Stacey Shaffer Jones

*HYMN OF RESPONSE We Lift Our Voices (not sung) No. 710

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*CALL FOR THE OFFERING

*OFFERING (Please remember to leave your offering in the plate at the back of the sanctuary)

* DOXOLOGY Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
No. 606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION - unison

Generous God, you have given us many gifts and drawn us together into Christ's body the church. You have blessed us with generous and cheerful spirits. May the gifts of our money, time, and talents support the ministry of your church. Amen.

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE

*HYMN I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me (Not sung) No. 700

*CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

Extinguishing the candles of worship and taking the light of Christ into the world.

POSTLUDE Little Prelude in G Minor JS Bach

When you see an * please stand as you are able.

Today's Servants

Pastor	Reverend Dr. Stacey Shaffer Jones
Organist	Francene Beall
Music Director:	Stephanie Reynolds

PRAYER CONCERNS

Keep these folks in your prayers this week:

Pastor Stacey (determining cause for back and leg pain), Mary Jane and Junior Elder, Rita Kelly, Cheryl Kelly, Kathy Fuller (health concerns for her dog Abby), Karl and Dolores Wilmers (difficult time-deteriorating health issues), Myron Wilson, Rod Elder (effort to sell house in Manhattan), Richmond McDaniels (radiation done, see oncologist in Sept.), Ezra Krumalis, Doug Ottiwell (Mary's son, continued recovering from heart surgery), Jerry Barton (Kathy Fuller's brother, treatment for peritonitis), Megan Reynolds (new job and relocation to Lenexa), Bill Reeder and son (friend of Martin, have the Covid-19 virus), Martin's sister (serving in CoVid hotspots), Richard Beaty (pain issues), Marlene Watson (Francene's

sister, hip surgery, blocked artery), Ken Kiselka (toe amputation), Michelle Podusky (back issues)

Remember all those who serve -our active duty and veteran personnel, firefighters, EMTs, police officers, and those on the front lines of service during this pandemic, our nation as we struggle with the effects of the coronavirus. Prayers for those struggling with different aspects of the coronavirus.

Keep our nation in prayers for peace for the violence in the cities throughout our country. Pray for the ongoing conflicts and violence in our own community. Pray for cooperation and respect among our government officials on all levels. Remember those who have lost jobs, the hungry and the homeless.

Birthdays

Jan Rice, August 30th

Anniversaries

None shown for this week

Calendar

Today, August 23- 11:00 Worship

Sunday, August 30 - 11:00 Worship