



18th Sunday after Pentecost
October 12th, 2025

St. Andrew's United Church

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***Those who are able, please stand as marked**

The St. Andrew's family warmly welcomes all visitors and newcomers!

If you are worshiping with us for the first time, please sign our Guest Book in the Narthex and join us for coffee and snacks after service.

Musical Prelude

Announcements

WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE

***Lighting of the Christ Candle** *Together we sing –*

Jesus Comes to Me:

Jesus comes to me as an autumn tree, and I receive him as an autumn tree. Season of ripeness, brightly ablaze like a torch in the quietness of closing days and carrying the wood of winter.

***Share the Peace of Christ**

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!

C: We will worship the Lord with gladness.

L: Make a joyful noise to God, all you peoples!

C: We will worship the Lord and come into God's presence with song.

L: Know that it is the Lord God who made us, and we are God's people.

C: We will enter God's gates with praise and thanksgiving.

L: Let us give thanks to God this day and bless God's holy name.

***Opening Hymn: Praise and Thanksgiving, Father We Offer**
(lyrics on screen)

OPENING PRAYER

(in-unison)

Gracious and Loving God we gather in this season of thanksgiving, struck by the colours of the leaves, the last warm breezes, birds flying south in formation.

As we gather, renew our sense of gratitude for every good gift you offer us. Especially we praise you for the gift of Christ Jesus; who teaches us how to walk in the world you love, who offers us grace and compassion to share with those we meet.

**Receive our love and gratitude in His name, and by your Spirit,
empower us to live gratefully each and every day.**

THE LESSONS

The Old Testament

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15

Psalm

66:1-12

The New Testament

The Gospel of St. Luke 17:11-19

These are the words of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

***Hymn: VU 516 - Come, You Thankful People, Come**

(lyrics on screen)

Sermon – Giving Thanks for Leftovers

Rev. Scott Brown

***Hymn: VU 519 – Sing to the Lord of Harvest** *(lyrics on screen)*

WE RESPOND IN LOVE

Offering

Offering Dedication – The Lord is Good to Me *(lyrics on-screen)*

Offertory Prayer *(in unison)*

**Although silent, we ask you, bless the gifts that have been
gathered especially for you, our Father , Son and Holy Spirit.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(responsively)

‘Merciful God, hear your people praying.’

COMMISSIONING *(in unison)*

As we go, we go to spread comfort and hope.

**As we go, we notice people and recognize their conditions,
know their worth, see their needs.**

**As we go, we are comforted that the Maker of heaven and earth
notices us, recognizes us, knows our conditions and worth.**

**And as we go may we hold all whom we meet in the hope and
love of God that is Jesus. Amen.**

THE BENEDICTION

May God grant you always a sunbeam to warm you, a moonbeam
to charm you. A sheltering angel so nothing can harm you.

Laughter to cheer you, faithful friends to be near you, and
whenever you pray, Heaven to hear you.

An Irish (Celtic) Blessing

***Closing Hymn: MV 42 - Praise God for This Holy Ground**

(lyrics on screen)

Musical Postlude

Have a Blessed Thanksgiving



Thank you

Worship Leaders

Rev. Scott Brown - Presider

Vince Anderson – Lead Musician

Robert Woodbury – Cantor

Technical Support

Eldon Wilson – Live streaming & Sound

Patricia Wilson – PowerPoint Operation

Patricia Wilson – Order of Service & PowerPoint Design