

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Judy Haley, Worship Leader

PRELUDE *Our Father By Whose Name* Katy Manck

\*UNITY HYMN (*\*stand as we are able*) AURELIA

**In Unity, we gather to worship and rejoice.  
From our own faith traditions, we pray with one strong voice:  
Lord, help us love each other and serve all those in need,  
and live as your disciples – in heart and word and deed.**

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

God cares for us completely and calls for our total commitment.  
Christ gave his life that we might live and calls us to give our lives to him.  
Through Christ we have died to sin;  
in Christ we are fully alive to God. Come, let us worship God.

\*HYMN – No. 298 UMH *When I Survey The Wondrous Cross* HAMBURG

\*PRAYER FOR THE DAY

God of the covenant, your compassion reaches beyond  
the mere making and keeping of promises.  
Teach us to listen to one another with your heart,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

\*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always!  
**And also with you!**  
(*Let us offer each other signs of peace and reconciliation.*)

## PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Ted Keebaugh, Reader

O God, you have the power to make a desert a place of renewal  
and a cross a sign of redemption.  
Send your Holy Spirit so that we can hear you  
and entrust ourselves completely to you,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen**

\*HYMN – No. 140 UMH *Great is Thy Faithfulness* FAITHFULNESS

\*SCRIPTURE READINGS: Psalm 86:1-10; Matthew 10:24-39

This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand,  
and by which we are saved. **Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE: The Centrality of the Cross Reverend Evan Dolive

\*APOSTLES' CREED – No. 881 UMH

\*HYMN – No. 430 UMH *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* MARYTON

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER – No. 894 UMH

OFFERTORY

In gratitude and faith, we offer our gifts. Please place tithes and offerings in  
one of the designated offering plates at the entrance to the sanctuary.

\*THE DOXOLOGY – No. 95 UMH  
*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD 100TH

## THANKSGIVING

\*HYMN – No. 312 UMH *Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise* LLANFAIR

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE *Improvisation on "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"* AUSTRIAN HYMN

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome friends!** May the welcome you feel here be worthy of the gracious God that we serve. In this service, an asterisk (\*) invites you to stand as health allows. Material printed in **bold** is for the congregation to sing or say. Let us worship God!

Today, we welcome to the pulpit, **Dr. Evan Dolive**, Executive Director, United Way. Reverend Dolive is a dynamic leader dedicated to advancing community well-being through health, education, and advocacy. With a background in theology, nonprofit leadership, and public policy, he brings a passionate, justice-driven approach to addressing critical local issues and empowering underserved populations across East Texas.

The **Wednesday Night Live** menu on May 20th features Pork Loin, a side salad, dessert, and a beverage. The cost is \$10 for adults, with reduced prices for children. Please RSVP by 11:30 a.m. on Monday by contacting the church office at 903-758-4952 or by email at [admin@standrewpres.org](mailto:admin@standrewpres.org).

**Feeding our Firefighters:** We feed all three 7-person crews at Station 6 once a month. Our July theme is Main Dishes, with deliveries on Mon. 7/27, Wed. 7/29 & Fri. 7/31 afternoons. Please contact Rose Briggs (903-238-6463 [rosebriggs07@gmail.com](mailto:rosebriggs07@gmail.com)) or Katy Manck (903-918-1154 [katyroo@gmail.com](mailto:katyroo@gmail.com)) to sign up or ask questions.

# THE LORD'S DAY

The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 2026

*Train up a child in the way he should go;  
even when he is old, he will not depart from it.  
Proverbs 22:6*



**St. Andrew**

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