



**READ TO ACHIEVE @ SAUMC**

We are looking for volunteers to read with first graders and listen to them read.

**WEDNESDAYS AND THURSDAYS 3:30 PM-4:30 PM**  
**STARTING SEPTEMBER 5-NOVEMBER 15.**

There will be a volunteer meeting on Wednesday, August 29, 2018 at 5:30 pm.

**PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD.**

Don't forget to renew your patron membership for Music @ St. Andrew. Patron tickets (good for 2) will remain \$50 for the entire season. Tickets per concert are \$5.00 per person and students are free. Checks should be made out to SAUMC with the memo notation: Music @ St. Andrew.

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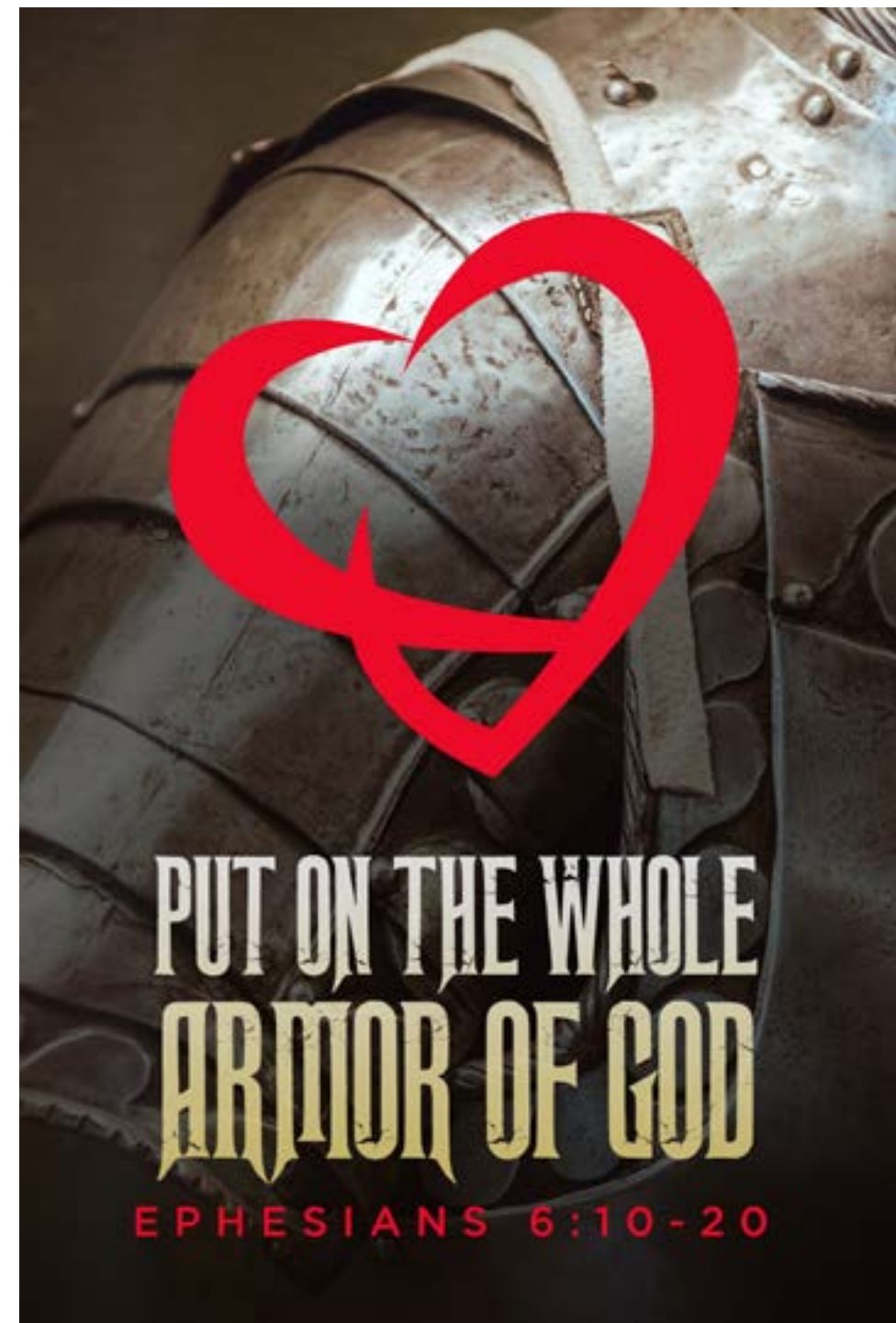
**ST. ANDREW**  
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
 PANAMA CITY, FLORIDA

PRESENTS:

**WONDER**  
 THE MOVIE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2018  
 AT 6:15PM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

EVERYONE WELCOME!  
 #CHOOSEKIND



**JESUS IN THE GOSPELS**

We will begin "Jesus In The Gospels" study on Wednesday, September 5th at 10:00 am. Pastor John and Pam Hunt will lead this study. If you are interested please sign up on bulletin board.

**FELLOWSHIP DINNERS**

Wednesday Night Dinners resume on **September 5** at 5 pm.

**FALL CALLING PACKETS**

Fall Calling Packets are due by Tuesday, September 4th.



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**14th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Sunday, August 26, 2018**  
**10:30 AM**  
**Reverend John O. Blount, Pastor**



# THE MORNING ORDER OF WORSHIP

## 14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

### AUGUST 26, 2018

#### GREETING

**PRELUDE** *How Firm A Foundation* Pianist  
*Early USA Melody, arr. C Berry*

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN** *God Is Here* 660

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 84:1-4, 9-12  
 Pulpit side: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts!  
**Lectern side: My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the Lord, my heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.**  
 Pulpit side: Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.  
**Lectern side: Happy are those who live in your house, ever singing your praise.**  
 Pulpit side: Behold our shield, O God; look on the face of your anointed!  
**Lectern side: For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.**  
 Pulpit side: I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than live in the tents of wickedness.  
**Lectern side: For the Lord God is a sun and shield; he bestows favor and honor.**  
 Pulpit side: No good thing does the Lord withhold from those who walk uprightly.  
**Lectern side: O Lord of hosts, blessed are those who trust in you.**

**\*OPENING PRAYER**  
 God our strength, you have brought us into your holy place through Jesus, who has the words of eternal life. As you made us alive by his flesh and blood, cause us to boldly witness to the gospel, welcome the stranger, and pursue peace, standing through the struggles of our times. Amen.

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles Creed* 881  
 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*GLORIA PATRI** *Glory be to The Father* 70  
*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.*

**ACT OF PRAISE** *Be Strong* Choir  
*arr. David Das*

#### CONCERNS OF A CARING CONGREGATION

**CALL TO PRAYER** *Have Thine Own Way Lord* Choir

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Ontonio Christie  
 Minister of Nurture and Outreach

#### LORD'S PRAYER

**OFFERTORY** *In Times Like These* Organist  
*Ruth Jones*

**\*PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**  
 DOXOLOGY No. 95  
*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;*  
*Praise Him, all creatures here below;*  
*Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts*  
*Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

#### CHILDREN'S MINUTE

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** 1 Kings 8:1,6,10-11,22-26

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** *Be Thou My Vision* 451

**EPISTLE LESSON** Ephesians 6:10-20

**SERMON** *Put on the Whole Armor of God* Rev. John O. Blount

#### INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

*For those wishing to become members in this congregation of St. Andrew United Methodist Church, either by profession of faith or transfer of church membership, please come forward indicating your desire during the first stanza of our hymn of invitation.*

**\*HYMN OF INVITATION** *Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above* 96

**\*BENEDICTION** Zuri Christie

**\*POSTLUDE** *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* Pianist  
*George Atkins, William Moore, arr. M. Bober*

THANK YOU FOR SILENCING ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES  
 \*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

#### ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers are given by Daphne Clark Watkins in celebration of the life of Rev. Dr. Morris William Watkins with loving memories and a song in my heart.

#### PERSONS HELPING US EXPERIENCE CHURCH TODAY:

**Ushers:** David Riley, Nancy Bishop,  
 Drew Nelson, Lila Locke  
**Greeters:** Cynthia Biegler  
**Organist/Pianist:** Thera Harris/Dr. Carolyn Joy Wilson  
**Music Director:** Letitia Bell  
**Nursery Workers:** Hilary Rubin

#### PRAYER REQUEST

Alyssa Hamman	Luke	Peggy Walker
Nan Locher	Judy Rolan	
Sadie Williams	Tommy Lou Richardson	<b>MILITARY MEMBERS</b>
Sue Gagnon	Susan Wright	Tristan Goodlake
Jeanette Ingram Family	Harrison & Savanna	Travis Cox
Jo McQuagge	Phil Pearce	Blake Creel
Dena Dunnington	Jerry Syfrett	David McClain
Ricky Atkins	Sam Burkett	Christine Miller
Fred Zediker family	Glenn Crutchfield	Destiny Beamer
Julie Burke	Dr. Sams Combs	Chad Bruckschen
Rich Wright	Sharon Linton	Sam Trueman

#### UMW PRAYER REQUEST



The United Methodist Women request your prayers for the following: Missionaries, Deaconesses, Board of Missions Staff Persons; and Missionary Sites: Global: Improving people's livelihoods and nutrition by providing livestock and training.

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Austin Allen	08/28	Phillip Seymour	09/04
Camille McClain	08/28	Kathy Hanson	09/07
Mary Grace Thomas	08/29	Drew Nelson	09/07
John Whatley	08/29	Savanna McElheney	09/08
Jean Barnes	08/30	Skip Warell	09/09
Thomas Rohrer	08/30	Elizabeth Rogers	09/09
Kelli Walsingham	08/30	Ashlyn McLain	09/09
George Gay	09/01	Frances Prevost	09/12
John Fuller	09/02	Pat Tancredi	09/15
Jim Prater	09/03	Lonnie Melvin	09/15

#### HAPPENING THIS WEEK

**Sunday, Aug 26**  
 6:00 Jump Start (4th - 5th)  
 9:00 Donuts  
 6:00 Youth Ministry (6th - 12th)  
 9:15 Sunday School  
 6:00 Chancel Choir  
 10:30 Worship Service

**Monday, Aug 27**  
 1:00 Visitation & Welcome Meet

**Thursday, Aug 30**  
 11:00 Line Dancing

**Sunday, Sept 2**  
 9:00 Donuts  
 5:30 Read to Achieve Training  
 9:15 Sunday School  
 6:00 Children's Ministry (K - 3rd)  
 10:30 Worship Service

#### STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

**Attendance Aug 19: 140**  
**Church Operating Donations Aug 19: \$5,741.94**  
**Total Church Operating Donations for Aug: \$24,626.13**