

WELCOME

Welcome, we are glad you're here! Please silence all electronic devices.

Se ofrece traducción al español cada domingo durante el servicio de la 9am. Para más detalles acercarse a alguno de los ujieres.
Spanish translation is offered every Sunday during the 9am service.
For more details, approach one of the ushers.

Assisted Listening System is offered every service. Users wishing to try this option should ask a sound tech for assistance.

A simulcast of the worship service will also be available in the Main Level Adult Education Room (Room 112). You may view and hear the full service from this room with others that use this space. As you consider your family's needs during worship, please feel free to use this area to continue your worship!

Nursing Mothers Room available downstairs near the fellowship hall in room 009. You may view and hear the full service, while comfortably nursing and caring for your child.

Nursery is available downstairs for newborn to age 4. Children age 5 through 2nd grade are welcome to continue worship in Children's Church following the offertory song.

Large Print Bulletin Available. See one of the greeters for the large print bulletin.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS Registration is open till tonight! VBS postcards are available to take to friends and neighbors! Please pick some up in the lobby. VBS Volunteers are needed - adults, teens and big kids! Anyone interested in volunteering should contact Erin Furgerson, Director of Children's Ministries, at erin.furgerson@alexandriapres.org.

The next baptism is Sunday, June 16th. If you would like to have your child or children baptized, please send an email to Bailey Rolland at bailey.rolland@alexandriapres.org.

International Worship Service is Saturday, June 29th, from 5-7 pm. Come together as various nations in a united celebration of Christ! An hour will be devoted to multilingual worship, followed by an hour of fellowship and food samplings downstairs in the fellowship hall.

Congregational Meeting and Potluck is on June 30th at 5pm. APC family, we invite you to attend the upcoming Congregational Meeting where we will give updates and present the budget for the upcoming year. The meeting will be followed by a potluck in the fellowship hall. Please bring a dish to share! Volunteers are needed to set-up the Fellowship Hall after coffee on Sunday morning, to host the event, and to clean-up afterwards.

Do you know any interns on Capitol Hill this Summer? Are you an intern? Tell about or join our denomination's Ministry to State for Commons, a summer program for interns working in Washington, D.C. Tuesdays from June 4-July 30 will feature a free dinner, fellowship with other interns, and a talk from Christian leaders in government. Where: The Newman's 1825 Independence Ave SE, 20003. RSVP: <https://ministrytostate.typeform.com/commons>

GIVING AT A GLANCE

July 1 - May 31, 2024

Giving: \$2,291,256
Budget: \$2,372,000
Difference: \$80,744
Percentage: 97%



SUNDAY MORNING MINISTRY WORKERS

Hospitality
Nursery

This Week: Consuelo Rosas
This Week (9am): Kari and Elaina Adams, Brian and Sarah Field, Andrew Hobold, Elizabeth Kohlmann, Catherine Marks, Jackie McCauley, Tommy Ribaric, Susanna Root, Bryan Wittmeyer
This Week (11am): Sally and Drew Lindsay, Gina Mitchell, Allison Rivera, Staci Root, Chelsea Swink
Next Week (9am): Leslie Bridge, Flora Chipana, Juliet Edem, Nathan Leamer, Abigail and Ellie Olsen, Jo Porwoll, Juliana Richardson, Margaret Veenstra

Children's Church

Next Week (11am): Cindy Cai, Caitlin Jolly, Gina Mitchell, Tom Mood, Julie Myers, Eleanor Nagy, Andrea Romyn
9am: Daniel and Andrea Jones, Josh and Stacey Diack
11am: Ryan and Erin Furgerson

Tech Team
Greeters

Liz Crowley, Chris and Abby McGahey, Ethan Novak
9am: Matt Coombs, Lindsay Hutter, Yaovi and Patricia Kodjo, Emma and Crissy Stubbs

Ushers

11am: Maggie Cho, Chris Nelms, Emma and Crissy Stubbs
9am: Mark Adams, Femi Adeniji, Sue Edwards, Brian Field, Katty and Daniel Hoyle, Sam White, Romy Murr
11am: Christian and Connor Brittle, Rick Eppright, Vynn Huh, Jodie and Seth Kirk

KEY EQUIPPING

During our Key Equipping time on Sunday evenings from 5-7pm, ministries are designed to equip all ages, from toddlers to seniors, to be followers and worshipers of Jesus.

Covenant Kids Ministry: Children 2 years old - 5th grade, Lower Level (Nursery for 1 & under) We welcome children to learn foundational truths about God and the Gospel story. We experience what it looks like to love God and love others in community with our worship, small groups, teaching, games, fellowship, and dinner!

PROTAS Youth Ministry: Teens 6th-12th grade, Upper Level
Connect each week in community with your peers — the schedule includes games, worship, small group discussions, a short devotion at a teen level, and dinner.

Adults

Adult Key Equipping classes have finished, but the equipping will continue, including the following opportunities:

Prayer Meeting, June 9th



June 9, 2024

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Alexandria Presbyterian Church is a welcoming community of believers, rejoicing in the gospel, transformed by its power, and responding with grateful hearts in service to our God and world. We long to taste the glory of God in such an astonishing way that the city of Alexandria will be drawn to the majesty and mercy of our great God. It is our desire that our worship will serve as an authentic model to our city of the possibilities for transformation of individuals, families and a city encountering the glory and grace of God.

Holy Worship Service

GOD INVITES HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

■ prelude

■ call to worship | *Tom Holliday, Senior Pastor*

Hebrews 10:19-25

Leader: ¹⁹Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, ²¹and since we have a great priest over the house of God,

All: ²²**let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.** ²³**Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.**

Leader: ²⁴And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, ²⁵not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

GOD’S PEOPLE RESPOND

■ song of praise

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Come, Christians, join to sing— Alleluia, Amen!
loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia, Amen!
let all, with heart and voice, before His throne rejoice;
praise is His gracious choice. Alleluia, Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia, Amen!
let praises fill the sky; Alleluia, Amen!
He is our Guide and Friend; to us He’ll condescend;
His love shall never end. Alleluia, Amen!

Come, sing of wondrous grace, Alleluia, Amen!
what love that took our place; Alleluia, Amen!
Jesus the Lamb was slain, bearing our sin and shame,
yet triumphed o’er the grave! Alleluia, Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia, Amen!
life shall not end the strain; Alleluia, Amen!
on heaven’s blissful shore, His goodness we’ll adore,
singing forevermore, “Alleluia, Amen!”

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■ prayer of adoration

GOD FEEDS HIS PEOPLE THROUGH HIS WORD

■ scripture reading | *Jeremy Root (9am); Sara Eppright (11am)*

Luke 19:1-10 (pg. 825)

Jesus and Zacchaeus

¹He entered Jericho and was passing through. ²And behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a chief tax collector and was rich. ³And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature. ⁴So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was about to pass that way. ⁵And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, “Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today.” ⁶So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully. ⁷And when they saw it, they all grumbled, “He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner.” ⁸And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, “Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. And if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I restore it fourfold.” ⁹And Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. ¹⁰For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”

GOD’S PEOPLE RESPOND

■ songs of praise

Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners (#498, vv. 1-3, 5)

Jesus, what a Friend for sinners! Jesus, Lover of my soul;
friends may fail me, foes assail me; He, my Savior, makes me whole.

*Hallelujah, what a Savior! Hallelujah, what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, He is with me to the end.*

Jesus, what a Strength in weakness! Let me hide myself in Him,
tempted, tried, and sometimes failing; He, my Strength, my vict’ry wins.

Jesus, what a Help in sorrow! While the billows o’er me roll,
even when my heart is breaking, He, my Comfort, helps my soul.

Jesus, I do now receive Him; more than all in Him I find.
He hath granted me forgiveness; I am His, and He is mine.

Words by J. Wilbur Chapman, 1910; Music HYFRYDOL by Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1830; © Public Domain; CCLI Song # 22142

All Must Be Well

Through the love of God our Savior, all will be well.
Free and changeless is His favor, all is well.
Precious is the blood that healed us, perfect is the grace that sealed us,
strong the hand stretched forth to shield us— all must be well.

Though we pass through tribulation, all will be well.
Ours is such a full salvation, all is well.
Happy still in God confiding, fruitful if in Christ abiding,
steadfast through the Spirit’s guiding— all must be well.

We expect a bright tomorrow, all will be well.
Faith can sing through days of sorrow, “All is well.”
On our Father’s love relying, Jesus every need supplying,
yes, in living or in dying, all must be well.

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■ farewell | *Youngquist Family*

■ congregational prayer | *Elder Shant Boyajian*

■ offertory prayer

■ offertory | *Adult Choir (9 am)*

No Night There

God is with us; God is for us;
do not be afraid.
I am with you; I am for you;
do not be afraid.

There shall be
no night there, no crying there;
God shall wipe away every tear from their eyes.

Even in the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil.
Lo, I am with you always, even to the end;
I am with you to the end.

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Children ages 5 through 2nd grade are now invited to continue worship in Children’s Church. Children should exit the Sanctuary using the door to the left of the stage.

GOD FEEDS HIS PEOPLE THROUGH HIS WORD

■ sermon scripture reading

Luke 15:1-10 (pg. 821)

The Parable of the Lost Sheep

¹Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him. ²And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, “This man receives sinners and eats with them.”

³So he told them this parable: ⁴“What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it? ⁵And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing. ⁶And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’ ⁷Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

The Parable of the Lost Coin

⁸“Or what woman, having ten silver coins, if she loses one coin, does not light a lamp and sweep the house and seek diligently until she finds it? ⁹And when she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’ ¹⁰Just so, I tell you, there is joy before the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

■ prayer for illumination

■ sermon | *Tom Holliday, Senior Pastor*

“The Shepherd’s Search, Rescue, and Joy”

Sermon Series: Heaven’s Perspective, Heaven’s Joy!

GOD’S PEOPLE RESPOND

■ song of praise

All I Have Is Christ

I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way;
the sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will,
and if You had not loved me first, I would refuse You still.

But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost,
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross;
and I beheld God’s love displayed— You suffered in my place,
You bore the wrath reserved for me— now all I know is grace.

*Hallelujah, all I have is Christ!
Hallelujah, Jesus is my life!*

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone, and live so all might see
the strength to follow Your commands could never come from me.
O Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose,
and let my song forever be— my only boast is You.

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■ dismissal

Leader: Let us go forth and serve our city and our world as those who love the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
All: We will go forth and serve our city and our world in the name of Christ.

■ benediction

■ announcements | *Matt Coombs, Executive Director of Ministries*

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