



St. Andrews United Methodist Church
Epiphany of the Lord * Holy Communion
January 4, 2026 at 10 a.m.

*Please stand as you are able

Gathering and Announcements

Prelude *"Hail to the Lord's Anointed"*
Sarah Grace Alley

*Call to Worship *Psalm 72:1-5 (NRSVUE)*

Leader: Give the king your justice, O God, and your
righteousness to a king's son.

**People: May he judge your people with
righteousness and your poor with justice.**

Leader: May the mountains yield prosperity for the
people, and the hills, in righteousness.

**People: May he defend the cause of the poor of the
people, give deliverance to the needy, and
crush the oppressor.**

Leader: May he live while the sun endures,

**People: and as long as the moon, throughout all
generations.**

*Opening Hymn *"There's a Song in the Air"* #249

*Opening Prayer

God of glory, by the guidance of a star you led the Wise
Men to worship the Christ Child. By the light of faith, lead
us to your glory in heaven. We ask this through Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Gloria Patri *"Glory Be to the Father"* #70

Old Testament Lesson *Isaiah 60:1-6* Reader: Don Watson

Children's Time

Please join in singing "Jesus Loves Me" as the children come forward

*Hymn of Preparation

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" v. 1 & 4 #206

Gospel Lesson *Matthew 2:1-12*

Sermon *"What Gift Can We Bring?"* Pastor Mamie

*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* #881

Offering Our Gifts and Tithes to God

Offertory: "Beautiful Star of Bethlehem" Chancel Choir

*Doxology *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"* #95

Joys, Concerns & Pastoral Prayer

*Invitation, Confession & Pardon #12

*Passing the Peace

*The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer #895

Giving the Bread and Cup

*Closing Hymn *"We Three Kings" v. 1 & 5* #254

*Blessing & Benediction Pastor Mamie

*Sending Forth *"Go Tell It on the Mountain" (Refrain)*

*Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere,
Go, tell it on the mountain, that Jesus Christ is born.*

*Postlude Sarah Grace Alley



Restrooms are located in the Gathering Place hallway with Changing Tables available in both bathrooms.

Nursery is available for infants & preschoolers during worship.

Visitor Card: Please fill out a pew Visitor Card and drop it in the offering plate so we can connect with you!

Online Giving is available through PushPay...just scan the QR code on our Giving Cards in the pews or shown below.

Worship Bags are available in the Narthex for children 2nd grade and under with coloring pages, books, and other items to be used as needed. Please take used coloring pages with you!

E-Updates are sent by email each week with upcoming events, reminders & more! Contact Pastor Mamie to sign up.

QR Code for Our Website:



Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. ²For darkness shall cover the earth and thick darkness the peoples, but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. ³Nations shall come to your light and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

Isaiah 60:1-3 (NRSV)



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