

# St. Andrew's Presbyterian Kirk

September 5, 2010

## WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

[\*Stand, as you are able]

### Prelude

We stand as the Bible is brought into the sanctuary.

### \*Introit

*Father, we love you, we worship, we adore you.*

*Glorify your name in all the earth.*

*Glorify your name, glorify your name,*

*Glorify your name in all the earth.*

### Welcome & Call to Worship

\*Hymn #293            *Come, Thou Almighty King*

### Prayer of Approach

Choir Anthem:        *Communion Meditation*

### Children's Time

\*Hymn [see insert]    *How Deep The Father's Love*

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading:    Acts 1:1-8

Message Series:        *"Lessons From The Early Church"*

Message:                *"Receive Power"*

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### Offering

### \*Sung Response:

*God whose giving knows no ending from your rich and endless store.*

*Nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross, grave's shattered door.*

*Gifted by you, we turn to you, offering up ourselves in praise.*

*Thankful song shall rise forever, gracious donor of our days.*

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### Prayer of Preparation

\*Hymn #389            *Breathe On Me, Breath Of God*

### Invitation to the Table / Distribution of the Elements

### Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

## WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

\*Hymn [see insert]    *O Church Arise*

### \*Blessing

### \*Sung Response

*Let the peace of Christ rule in your heart,*

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*And whatever you do, in word or deed,*

*Do it all in the name of the Lord;*

*Giving thanks, giving thanks to God*

*through Christ the Lord.*

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### Silent Prayer

### Postlude

***O Church Arise*** | Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

O church arise and put your armour on  
Hear the call of Christ our Captain  
For now the weak can say that they are strong  
In the strength that God has given  
With shield of faith and belt of truth  
We'll stand against the devil's lies  
An army bold whose battle cry is Love  
Reaching out to those in darkness

Our call to war to love the captive soul  
But to rage against the captor  
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole  
We will fight with faith and valour  
When faced with trials on every side  
We know the outcome is secure  
And Christ will have the prize for which He died  
An inheritance of nations

Come see the cross where love and mercy meet  
As the Son of God is stricken  
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet  
For the Conqueror has risen  
And as the stone is rolled away  
And Christ emerges from the grave  
This victory march continues till the day  
Every eye and heart shall see Him

So Spirit come put strength in every stride  
Give grace for every hurdle  
That we may run with faith to win the prize  
Of a servant good and faithful  
As saints of old still line the way  
Retelling triumphs of His grace  
We hear their calls and hunger for the day  
When with Christ we stand in glory

**How Deep The Father's Love For Us** | Stuart Townend

How deep the Father's love for us  
How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss  
The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One  
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross  
My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice  
Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished  
His dying breath has brought me life  
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything  
No gifts no power no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ  
His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward  
I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart  
His wounds have paid my ransom