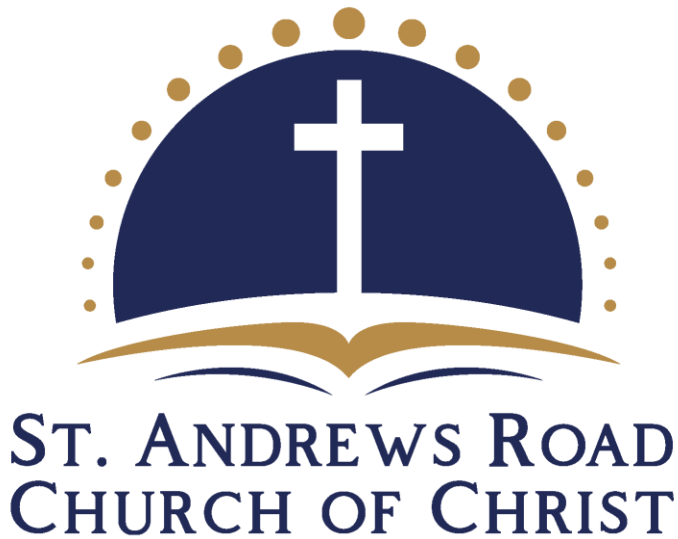


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Worship Services & Bible Study

SUNDAYS	10:00 AM	Bible Class
SUNDAYS	11:00 AM	Worship
SUNDAYS	6:00 PM	Worship
WEDNESDAYS	7:00 PM	Bible Study

425 Saint Andrews Rd / Columbia, SC, 29210
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YouTube: Church of Christ St Andrews Rd

THE IDEAL MAN

A Jot From John,

"I can soon learn how to do it if you'll let me see it done." These are words from a poem by Edgar A. Guest. God gave Jesus Christ as a Model for all people to follow. (1 Peter 2:12-25). He is Saviour of all men first; next He is a Model Man, a Model Husband, and a Model Father. Does this sound strange?

As an Ideal Man He had courage and strength enough to expose the corrupt practices in the temple. Imagine if you can, His taking a whip in hand and driving out both the sheep and the oxen. (John 2:15-16).

What a sight! Can you not plainly see the confusion, hear the bellowing of the cattle, and the bleating of the sheep as they rushed pell-mell out of the temple? Jesus is no weakling! He had physical strength and the courage of His convictions – He lived by them!

Still, the Ideal Man had a warmth of feeling and sympathy toward others. (Matt.14; Luke 7; John 11.) Jesus loved people. Some have confused humility with timidity. Jesus was humble but in no sense could he be called timid! People can imitate Jesus; He is a Model Man.

Jesus is a Model Husband. NO! He was never married to a woman, but all redeemed people are married to Him. (Romans 7:4.) Marriage is such a sacred relationship; the Holy Spirit uses it to illustrate the relationship which exists between Christ and the church. (Eph. 5:22-23.)

Jesus is a Model Father. God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself (2 Cor. 5:19) so this makes Him an Ideal Father. The father's role is to train, protect, and provide for the needs of His family; he sets an example for His children to follow. The father gives time to his children – he gives some of himself; he works with them and teaches them the dignity of labor; he plays with them and helps them to learn how to win gracefully and to lose with good spirit and honor.

A father speaks a language which all people understand; he paints a picture which all can see and appreciate; he creates foot-steps in which little ones can walk; he motivates ambition in little hearts who admire him; he teaches lessons by his examples.

God is interested in all people; He gives us Jesus as Saviour and an Ideal to follow! He is a Model Man, a Model Husband, and a Model Father!

**Onward Rejoicing,
John B. Daniels, Associate Minister**

SUMMER SERIES

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FUNDAMENTALS

THE DOCTRINE OF

Christ

Wednesdays
7:00 PM

June 14

“The Concept of Sin”
Chris Starks, Twin City COC

Children’s Bible Times

Thursdays

10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

June 15 King Josiah

June 29 King Rehoboam &
King Jeroboam

July 13 King Ahab

July 20 King Jehoshaphat

2 years old – 5th grade

Lesson, puppets/singing, craft/games
Lunch Provided



Vacation Bible School

“A Royal Adventure”
A Study of Great Kings

July 23 – 26

Sunday – Wednesday

**Now –
July 19**



Our Youth are collecting school supplies for the community again this year. Their goal is 96 student backpacks and 10 teacher backpacks, which will be distributed on July 29. If you have any questions, please see Eric or Crystal Kelly.

See full list of supplies needed on the bulletin board.

Father’s Day Dinner

Saturday, June 17
5:00 PM



Please sign-up on the bulletin board by June 11 so that we may have an accurate count for dinner.

Senior Bible Study

Tuesday, June 13
10:00 AM

SUMMER NEEDS

Juice boxes, water, canned drinks, individual bags of chips, Debbie cakes
For Children’s Bible Times & Vacation Bible School
If you can help, please place items in the kitchen.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Fruit Cups