

SUNDAY MORNING OPPORTUNITIES IN CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

At the 9:30 hour unless otherwise noted:

- **ONE-der-Land Children's Journey**, for Age 3-Grade 6 – Room 118.
- **Confirmation**, ongoing program for Grades 7-8 – Rooms 117/118, Lower Level.
- **High School Youth** for Grades 9-12 – SALTeens Lounge, Lower Level.
- **Bible Study: Study of the Messianic Psalms** (Adults) – Main Level Conference Room.
- **Bible Study: "Between Heaven and Mirth"** (Adults) – Creative Arts Room, Lower Level.
- **Adult Confirmation Class** – Room 115, Lower Level.

Check the weekly calendar on the back of the bulletin for other study/small group opportunities, and inquire in the office for contact information.

THIS WEEK'S ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God in appreciation of Luis Escobar, Greg Twombly, and all others who work so hard to keep our church shining as a beautiful lighthouse.

WELCOME GUEST PREACHER

We are pleased to have as our guest proclaimer this week the Rev. Brent Smith, Development Counselor for Mission Central, an agency launched in 2003 to help support missionaries and missionary projects around the world. Prior to his new role, Brent served on the staff of our denomination's Southeastern District. Be sure to welcome him as you have opportunity, and pray for the work of Mission Central.

COMMON GROUND

Wednesday, February 15, will be the last Common Ground gathering of the winter session. Dinner at 6:00. Group time at 6:30, beginning with praise and prayer.



Holy Land Pilgrimage Calendars Available Today!



Creative Spirits Ministry designs and prints inspirational faith-based calendars each year to give as gifts to those experiencing health or life challenges. This year's calendar features photos from the recent LCSA pilgrimage to the Holy Land! We are making extra calendars available to the church family at a nominal cost of \$3 each. Stop by the table in the Commons today. Limited supply!



Bridge & Fellowship

Friday, February 17

7:00 pm

In the Commons
RSVP to Marge & Connie Schwalm
schwalm1@comcast.net or
301-871-2876

All levels are welcome!
Lessons are available.



"...Never again will they hunger ..."

NEXT SUNDAY, February 19

Next Sunday, February 19, bring your donations of non-perishable foods to church, where they'll be loaded onto the Manna Food Center truck. A grocery bag with a list of needed foods is available at the Welcome Center. If you are unable to shop, you can help by making a monetary donation. Checks payable to MANNA FOOD CENTER. Let's all contribute to beating last year's donation total and helping more families in our community who might otherwise go hungry.

*"...He has filled the hungry
with good things..."*

Senior Adult Fellowship

Washington National Cathedral Tour

Tuesday, March 7

Sign-Up Deadline: Sunday, February 19

Our first trip this year will be to the Washington National Cathedral, Tuesday, March 7, departing St. Andrew at 10:00 am. We have been given a group rate for the tour, and we must sign up and pay **no later than Sunday, February 19**. The cost for the tour and bus is \$26 per person. Following the tour, we will stop for lunch at Nova Europa. (We will each pay for lunch on our own.) Sign up at the Welcome Center by February 19. Checks may be written to LCSA.



Savvy Social Security Planning

*What Baby Boomers Need to Know to
Maximize Retirement Income*

Thursday, February 16

5:30 and 7:00 pm

Wellspring Center, Lower Level
Refreshments Served

RSVP to reserve a spot for you & a friend.
301-515-3312 or
melissa.kamp@thrivent.com



Health Warriors

Presentation: Integrative Medicine

Tuesday, February 21
10:30 am – 12:00 noon

Prayer Room, Lower Level

Guest Speaker: Dr. Emily Ratner
Center for Integrative Health
Medstar Montgomery Medical Ctr.

Celebrate the
500th Anniversary of
The Reformation

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 28
5:00 – 7:00 pm

Hosts and Pancake Chefs:
"Men of Panera"

*Have your photo taken
with the "real" Luther!*

*Proceeds will support the
SALTeens' mission trip to
Keansburg, N.J. this summer.*



Help St. Andrew!

Thrivent Choice Dollars
Expire March 31



St. Andrew receives thousands of dollars each year through Thrivent members who designate our church as the recipient of their Choice Dollars, but the designation must be done annually. Thrivent members, please don't forget! Designate your dollars NOW, online at thrivent.com/thriventchoice or by calling 800-847-4836. Thanks!

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesday, February 28
1:00 pm in the Family Room
7:00 pm in the Conference Room

Topic: Respite Resources
Facilitator: Maria Khader

Lunch will be served at the 1:00
pm meeting. R.S.V.P. to Marilee
Tollefson in the office.



THOSE WHO SERVED YOU TODAY

Acolytes

8:00 Anna Paulson, Ely Roper
11:00 Edward Piontek, Zoe Bucshon

Greeters

8:00 George Harris
9:30 Audrey Belsinger, Millie Forrey
Scott & Nancy Graeves
11:00 Laura & Steve Olson
Jamie Krauk, Janet Collins
Monday, 7:00 pm Linda & Doug Schaus

Communion Assistants

8:00 *Walter Petzold, Carol Petzold
Brian Nockleby, Andrea Pauli
9:30 *David Peitsch, Klaus Strebel, Phil Droege
Lina Rashid, Glen Harvell
Julie Peitsch, Janet Collins
9:30 Pew Communion Leslie Hollowell
11:00 *Stan Jackson, John Butler, Lisa Tipton
Jack Reinhart, Sandy Nee Jackson
Monday, 7:00 pm *Trish Baker, Mike Witmer
Antoinette Agarwal

Ushers

8:00 *Grant Graeves, Bob Rathbun
Bill Wooden, Bruce Emmel
9:30 *Bruce Nesslage, David Doermann
Paul Lobien, Klaus Strebel
11:00 *Shelly Hoffman, Moses Ammons
David Van Norstrand, Janet Burton
Monday, 7:00 pm *Mike Witmer, Conrad Schwalm

Welcome Center

Dorothy Fristoe, Willie Farmer, Meenu Gupta

Altar Preparation

Kelley Delaney, Shelly Harvell

Altar Flower Delivery

Karen Matthiesen, Claudia Jacobson

Stewardship Ministry

*Laurie Levin, Kirk Rydland
Mary Ann Rydland, Jack Reinhart

TNT "The Next Transition" Young Adults Group

TONIGHT

6:00 p.m.

Join us for snacks, social time, and a discussion of "The Screwtape Letters," by C.S. Lewis. Bible study at the home of Lindsey & Dave Heinemann. For details, contact Lindsey at 717-433-2869 or standrewstnt@gmail.com or

MONTHLY LMS COLLECTION

Sunday, February 26

Our collection of "Thrift Shop" items continues for the Lutheran Mission Society. Start your spring cleaning early and bring in unneeded items the last Sunday of this month.



Please shower Fran Gutknecht with cards this week to celebrate her 90th birthday! Cards may be sent to her directly or to the church office for delivery.

St. Luke Fellowship Event

MCPD Presentation: "Keeping Seniors Safe"

Friday, February 17

12:15 pm

RSVP by February 15 to Kim de Groot

301-801-2951

Suggested donation: \$3

4th Annual Global Mission Team

SOUP
SHOWDOWN!

Sunday, March 5
12:15 pm

WANTED: COOKS & TASTERS!

JUDGING AND PRIZES IN SIX CATEGORIES

- "Grains of the Field" – Vegetarian
- "Birds of the Air" – Poultry
- "Fish of the Sea" – Seafood
- "Beasts of the Land" – Beef/Pork

Two New Categories Added This Year!

- "Fruits of the Spirit" – Dessert Soup
- "Bread of Life" – Bread Tasting

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

I/We Will Cook! _____

Name and Category (Check Category Above) of Soup or Bread

I/We Will Taste! _____ Adults: \$10
_____ Kids 12 & under: \$5
_____ Kids under 3: Free
(Pay at the door: \$12)

I/We Will Help! _____ Set Up
_____ Serve
_____ Clean Up

*Drop this form at the Global Mission Table in the Commons OR in the VanderWeele/Wingo church mailbox OR register and pay online at mystandrew.org.
Questions? Contact Mandy Wingo at amanda.wingo@gmail.com*

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THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

FEBRUARY 12 – 18, 2017

Sunday	Worship – Sanctuary	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am
	ONE-der-Land – Education Wing	9:30 am
	Wee Worship – Multipurpose Room, Room 118	11:00 am – 12:00 noon
	SALTeens – Room 119 LL	9:30 am – 10:30 am
	Confirmation – Room 117/118 LL	9:30 am – 10:30 am
	Adult Bible Study – Conference Room	9:30 am – 10:30 am
	Adult Bible Study – Creative Arts Room LL	9:30 am – 10:30 am
	Adult Confirmation – Room 115 LL	9:30 am – 10:30 am
	Spiritus Children’s Choir Rehearsal – Wellspring Center LL	10:30 am – 11:00 am
	Praise Team Rehearsal – Sanctuary	12:00 pm – 2:30 pm
Monday	Monday Night Worship – Sanctuary	7:00 pm
	Women’s Bible Study – Common Cup LL	7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Tuesday	Men’s Bible Study – Family Room	7:00 am – 8:00 am
	Senio Fit – Great Room	9:15 am – 10:15 am
	Health Warriors Support Group – Prayer Room LL	10:30 am – 12:00 noon
Wednesday	Senior Bible Study – Conference Room	12:30 pm – 2:30 pm
	Craft Ministry – Creative Arts Room LL	9:00 am – 3:00 pm
	Women’s Bible Study – Wellspring Center LL	9:00 am – 12:00 noon
	Common Ground Dinner – Commons	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm
	Common Ground – Various	6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Thursday	Praise Choir Rehearsal – SALTeens Lounge, Room 119 LL	6:45 pm – 8:00 pm
	Senior Fit – Great Room	9:15 am – 10:15 am
	Thrivent Social Security Workshops – Wellspring Center LL	5:30 pm and 7:00 pm
	Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary	7:30 pm – 8:45 pm
Friday	Confirmation Class – Rooms 117/118 LL	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm
	Confirmation Activity – Multipurpose Room, Room 118	8:00 pm – 9:30 pm
	Bridge & Fellowship – Commons	7:00 pm

CHURCH STAFF

Mark A. Hricko, Pastor
Steve Miller, Associate Pastor
Kenneth G. Carlson, Assistant Pastor
Jotham Johann, Director of Wellspring
Greg Twombly, Director of Ministries & Praise Team Leader
Lia Mai Puskar, Preschool Director & Children’s Ministry Coordinator
Robyn Howland, Children’s Ministry Assistant – Events
Andrea Hricko, Children’s Ministry Assistant – Wee Worship
Marianne Lohr, Children’s Ministry Assistant – VBS
Riki Schoppert, Director of Student Ministries & Worship Arts

Barbara Wahlbrink, Director of Communications
Marilee Tollefson, Faith Community Nurse
Rosemary Wasser, Organist/Choirmaster
Kathy Gomez, Director of Children’s Choir
Debbie Snyder, Director of Administration
Bruce Poese, Director of Media Ministry
Caron Carlson, Creative Services
Anne Harpster, Bookkeeper
Ange Lorenz, Bookkeeper
Luis Escobar, Property Maintenance & Events