

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of August 8, 2021

LMS Thrift Shop Collection

Sunday, August 22

Donate gently used clothing and household goods to help others through LMS Compassion Centers. Drop your items in the designated area of the Great Room from 8am – 12 noon next Sunday. **Donations MUST be in closed boxes or tied bags.** **The next LMS collection will be September 26.*



Blood Drive

August 31 from 10 am – 4 pm

The blood supply is low, and the need is great! Your donation could save a life! Mark your calendar and make your appointment online from the Calendar link at mystandrew.org.

Crafters Needed for Card Making and More!

Do you enjoy creating with paper? The Craft Ministry has plenty of supplies available and seeks those willing to help with card making, paper crafts, and scrapbooking items for sale at the November Craft Fair. Prayerfully consider using your creativity to serve God and support this ministry! To learn more and get involved, contact Craft Ministry Chair Sue Scherer at susan.quilts@comcast.net.



ANDY'S CAFÉ
Serving Lunch
after 11:00 Worship.
Good food & fellowship!
\$10 per person

New Member Welcoming

Sunday, September 26

We give thanks for the opportunity we will soon have to finally welcome those who joined our fellowship just before and during the time of the pandemic. Praise God, our church was growing in membership even then! If you have been worshiping and participating with us online or in person and feel ready to take the step to membership, we would feel blessed to welcome you, too! Contact Director of Communications Barbara Wahlbrink at bwahlbrink@mystandrew.org to express interest or get more information.

CONFIRMATION: Register Today!



Do you have a 7th or 8th grader who is ready to begin an exciting faith journey? Confirmation is an opportunity for kids to make new friends, discuss life's big questions, and explore & grow their relationship with God. **Stop by the Confirmation table in the Commons any Sunday in August to learn more, ask questions, and pick up an Information Registration packet.** Prayerfully consider getting your child involved in Confirmation. It does require a commitment on the part of kids and families, but the spiritual benefits last a lifetime!

First year participants moving up to second year also need to register! Stop by the table to get details and forms.

Registration for the 2021-2022 program ends on September 1. The program will begin with a mandatory parent meeting on **September 10** from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. **Questions?** Contact Confirmation Director Mitch Glazier at mglazier@riaa.com.

YOU CAN HELP!

✝ **WORSHIP ASSISTANTS** – To learn more or get on the schedule to be a **Communion Assistant, Lector, Greeter or Welcome Center Attendant**, contact Karen Hughes at khughes@mystandrew.org. To volunteer as an **Usher** or learn more, contact Ken Austin at keaustin@verizon.net. To assist with **Altar Guild**, contact Shelly Harvell at txclubfans@aol.com.

😊 **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** – Lots of helpers are still needed to get the in-person ministry on track! Paid childcare position, Sundays 8 am – 12 noon. Volunteers for Kingdom Kids and Wee Worship, approximately one hour on Sundays, once a month. To learn more or express interest, contact Christy at cyhyder@mystandrew.org.

🚗 **GIVE A RIDE OR A VISIT** – Drivers for weekday appointments, Sunday worship and visits to our homebound members are always needed. If you can help, contact Marilee Tollefson at the church office. This simple gesture could make someone's week!

♥ **LORD'S TRUCK** – The Lord's Truck Ministry provides a vital community service by transporting food and goods from those with extra to those in need. Currently, there is a summer opening for a pickup every Wednesday morning at COSTCO in Wheaton. Substitute drivers are also needed to fill in when regulars aren't available. Most runs are done by noon. To learn more, contact Roger Caldwell at roger.caldow@verizon.net.

Do We Have Your Current Contact Information?

Don't miss out on getting important church news! If you have a new email or postal mailing address, be sure to let us know. Changes can sent to office@mystandrew.org or note your change on a pew card and place it in the offering plate.

Classes for Children & Youth Now In-Person!

Kingdom Kids Sunday School – at 9:30 for Pre-K through Grade 5, meet in Room 118 in the Education Wing. **Questions?** Contact Christy at chyder@mystandrew.org.

Wee Worship – during the 11:00 service for ages 3-8. Send your children to the Wee Worship leader with the sign at the rear of the sanctuary after the first praise set. Kids will return to the sanctuary at the close of the service.

SALTeens Sunday Morning Oasis – at 9:30 am in the SALTeens Lounge, Lower Level. Scripture, stories (some familiar, some new), games and time to build friendships. Come any Sunday!

SALTeens Wednesday Night CityLight – The last summer meeting will be 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm on **August 25**. We will talk about the Bible, school, work, life; we'll play games, eat food, hang out and more! **Questions** about SALTeens for HS students? Contact Pastor G at ngonzaalez@mystandrew.org

Donate Altar Flowers or Lamp Candle

Purchase flowers or a lamp candle to adorn St. Andrew's chancel in honor or remembrance of a special person or occasion. Many dates are still available, and we need you to help fill those slots! To sign-up and pay (\$45 per arrangement or \$20 per lamp candle) visit mystandrew.org/give and click Altar Flowers. **You can also use this special QR code from your smart phone.** Contact Debbie Snyder at dsnyder@mystandrew.org or 301-384-4394 Ext. 224 with questions or for assistance with signups.





ST. ANDREW'S SUMMER CONCERT

Neighbors Helping Neighbors

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11

CONCERT AT 7:30 PM

*To benefit the work of C-4
Colesville Council of Community Congregations
assisting needy neighbors in and around our area.*

DINNER: "SOUTHERN SOUL FOOD" AT 6:00 PM

Sorry, SOLD OUT!

CONCERT: CLASSICAL TO JAZZ TO BLUES TO POP AT 7:30 PM

EVERYONE IS WELCOME! TICKETS NOT REQUIRED.

- A wide variety of standards and favorites - Mozart to Eubie Blake to VaShawn Mitchell to Prince ... and some original music too!
- Renowned DC-Area Artists Performing – See lineup at mystandrew.org.
- Free Will Offering at the Concert – Tickets Not Required.



OUR MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Need Prayers for Yourself or a Loved One? To be included in prayers of the church during worship and/or have your request shared with home prayer chains, contact **Faith Community Nurse Marilee Tollefson** at 301-384-2727 or mtollefson@mystandrew.org. If your loved one would be comforted by a prayer card, or a gift of encouragement from our **Creative Spirits Ministry**, please let us know and provide the address for cards.

Home Prayer Ministry – Join our home prayer chains to lift up those who need ongoing and intentional prayer support. To learn more or join, contact **Faith Community Nurse** at 301-384-2727 or mtollefson@mystandrew.org.

THIS WEEK'S ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Dana and Kathryn Foat in celebration of 30 years of marriage.

THIS WEEK'S LAMP CANDLE is given by Dana and Kathryn Foat in celebration of 30 years of marriage of their friends, Linda and Bill Prueter.



7:00 p.m.

*An eclectic blend of liturgy and music
with Holy Communion & Sunday's message*

*For weekend workers,
Travelers, or anyone seeking a
Peaceful, joyful start to the week!*

A time of fellowship follows the service.

Childcare is provided.