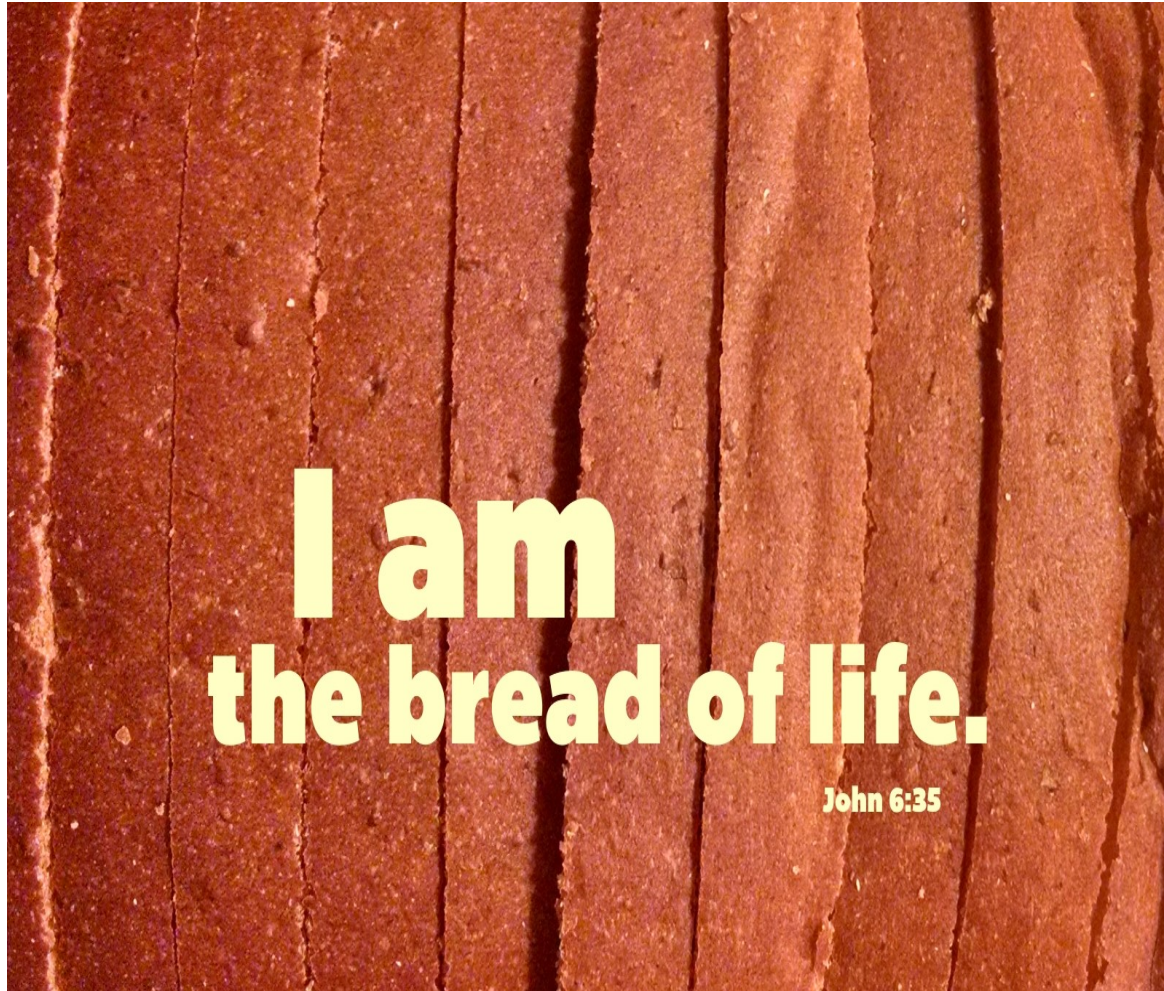




ST. ANDREW EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

~ TO KNOW JESUS CHRIST AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN ~

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost



August 4, 2024

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 4, 2024

WELCOME TO ST. ANDREW!

God is serious about his Word in both law and gospel. It is addressed to us both collectively and individually. This Sunday it is well summed up in the pertinent question: Where are you? In the liturgy of confession may we answer honestly! In the absolution and the gospel may we hear God's response! For faith begins and ends with confession and absolution; They are its constants that are never to be taken for granted.

Please sign our guest registry in the narthex, and fill out a guest info card located in your pew or the narthex, we would love to connect with you. If you could also, take time to introduce yourself to the Greeters and Pastor Ben. An volunteer staffed nursery is available, and is located behind the Penn St. entrance. Restrooms are also located there and in the lower level of the church. The greeters will be glad to assist you with any need you may have. May God bless your worship with us this morning.

ST. ANDREW ANNOUNCEMENTS

AUGUST OUTREACH – Ronald McDonald House, Danville This place is to aid the families of children in the hospital with a home atmosphere to stay, relax and be with other family members during their child's hospital stay.

AUGUST CARE CARDS - Our August care cards will be going to Cheryl Miller. We have cards available in the Narthex or you can bring your own. Please sign them with an encouraging note or thoughtful message and give them to the office and we will mail them out for you! Thank you!

PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE MEETING- WILL MEET IN THE PARISH HALL ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 6:15PM.

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC –JOIN US AT 3PM ON AUGUST 11TH AT KIESS PARK'S LARGE PAVILION FOR A TIME OF FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP. DINNER WILL BEGIN AT 5PM. PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE AND YOUR PLACE SETTINGS. BEVERAGES, HOT DOGS 7 HAMBURGERS WILL BE **PROVIDED**. A SIGN UP SHEET WILL BE IN THE NARTHEX ON JULY 14TH. PLEASE INDICATE HOW MANY HOT DOGS AND/OR HAMBURGERS WILL BE NEEDED FOR YOUR FAMILY. **RAIN LOCATION: PARISH HALL.**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND SAVE THESE DATES: PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE WILL BE HAVING A SOUP AND SANDWICH LUNCH ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2024. THERE WILL BE A SIGN UP SHEET AVAILABLE STARTING AUGUST 18TH SO, WE KNOW HOW MANY TO PREPARE FOR.

KINGDOM KIDZ PROGRAM TO KICK OFF SUNDAY SCHOOL - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2024 AFTER THE SERVICE.

THE PRELUDE

WELCOME - Announcements

* *(Indicates The Congregation To Stand)*

* **INVOCATION**

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* **THE CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS OF SINS** (YOU ARE WELCOME TO KNEEL IF ABLE)

PRAISE AND PRAYER

* **Opening Hymn**

"Lord of All Hopefulness"

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* **The Apostolic Greeting and Response**

SCREEN

* **The Kyrie**

* **The Hymn of Praise**

SCREEN

* **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us join together in the Prayer of the Day

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty, eternal God, your kindness is far more than we desire or deserve. Generously pour out your mercy to forgive where our conscience is afraid and to provide that for which by ourselves, we do not even presume to pray; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST LESSON - EXODUS 16:2-15 he whole congregation of the people of Israel grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness, and the people of Israel said to them, "Would that we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." Then the LORD said to Moses, "Behold, I am about to rain bread from heaven for you, and the people shall go out and gather a day's portion every day, that I may test them, whether they will walk in my law or not. On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather daily." So Moses and Aaron said to all the people of Israel, "At evening you shall know that it was the LORD who brought you out of the land of Egypt, and in the morning you shall see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your grumbling against the LORD. For what are we, that you grumble against us?" And Moses said, "When the LORD gives you in the evening meat to eat and in the morning bread to the full, because the LORD has heard your grumbling that you grumble against him — what are we? Your grumbling is not against us but against the LORD." Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, 'Come near before the LORD, for he has heard your grumbling.'" And as soon as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the people of Israel, they looked toward the wilderness, and behold, the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. And the LORD said to Moses,

I have heard the grumbling of the people of Israel. Say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall be filled with bread. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'" In the evening quail came up and covered the camp, and in the morning dew lay around the camp. And when the dew had gone up, there was on the face of the wilderness a fine, flake-like thing, fine as frost on the ground. When the people of Israel saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. And Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat."

Special Music

"Sweet Holy Spirit"

Andrea & Jayci Welch

The Psalmody—Psalm 145:10-22

L: All your works praise you, O LORD, and your faithful servants bless you.

C: They make known the glory of your kingdom and speak of your power;

L: That the peoples may know of your power and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

C: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom; your dominion endures throughout all ages.

L: The LORD is faithful in all his words and merciful in all his deeds.

C: The LORD upholds all those who fall; he lifts up those who are bowed down.

L: The eyes of all wait upon you, O LORD, and you give them their food in due season.

C: You open wide your hand and satisfy the needs of every living creature.

L: The LORD is righteous in all his ways and loving in all his works.

C: The LORD is near to those who call upon him, to all who call upon him faithfully.

L: He fulfills the desire of those who fear him; he hears their cry and helps them.

C: The LORD preserves all those who love him, but he destroys all the wicked.

L: My mouth shall speak the praise of the LORD; let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

THE SECOND LESSON - Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-16

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit — just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call — one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. ⁷But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it says, "When he ascended on high he led a host of captives, and he gave gifts to men." (In saying, "He ascended," what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower regions, the earth? He who descended is the one who also ascended far above all the heavens, that he might fill all things.) And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

L: Here ends the reading

***THE RESPONSE** (Alleluia)

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P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John 6:22-35

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

THE HOLY GOSPEL - John 6:22-35

On the next day the crowd that remained on the other side of the sea saw that there had been only one boat there, and that Jesus had not entered the boat with his disciples, but that his disciples had gone away alone. Other boats from Tiberias came near the place where they had eaten the bread after the Lord had given thanks. So when the crowd saw that Jesus was not there, nor his disciples, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum, seeking Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you are seeking me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you. For on him God the Father has set his seal." Then they said to him, "What must we do, to be doing the works of God?" Jesus answered them

This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So they said to him, "Then what sign do you do, that we may see and believe you? What work do you perform? Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Jesus then said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is he who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to You, O Christ!

* **HYMN** "Break Now the Bread of Life"

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THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Ben Lander

THE SERMON "Hunger No More"

Pastor Ben Lander

* **The Nicene Creed**

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The Offertory Response

SCREEN

The Offertory Prayer

OFFERING: *Offering plates are located at the entrances to the church for you to leave your gift. There's also an online giving option available on our website. One way the members of St Andrew show their love for their Savior is by sharing with him a generous portion of the blessings they have received. However, our guests should not feel obligated to give. We want everyone to give out of love for Jesus and what he has done for us, and not "reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Corinthians 9:7).*

* **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

* **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

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* **THE PROPER PREFACE**

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* **THE SANCTUS**

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* **THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION (#33)**

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* **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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* **AGNUS DEI**

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THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

• **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

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• **POST COMMUNION CANTICLE** "Thank the Lord..."

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• ***THE PRAYER**

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* **BENEDICTION**

GO IN PEACE AND SERVE THE LORD

Postlude

ST. ANDREW PRAYER LIST

NAMES WILL BE KEPT ON PRAYER LIST FOR FOUR WEEKS UNLESS OFFICE IS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED.

MEMBERS

Carol Pittenger
 Ken Snyder
 Jim Muffly
 William Ritter
 Pretta Hose
 Bruce Miller
 Arlene Kiess
 Mary Lou Houseknecht
 Frances Worthington
 Karen Myers
 Ziva Caitlynn Moore

FAMILY & FRIENDS OF ST. ANDREW

Mary Slater	Yvonne Worthington
Steve Krum	Pam Hill
Jamie Fox	Nathan Witmer
Steve Waltman	Terry Bair
Allen Fanelli	Jayce Crebs
Dave Doran	Keith Styer
Chris Blass	Laura Hummer
Bill Keller	Ember Wertman
Lily Zimmers	Scott Mensch
Sharon Shutt	

*The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
 & in honor of Christopher's Birthday
 By: Pastor Janet and John Dougherty*

STEWARDSHIP ON JULY 28, 2024

Gifts to the Lord	\$2,492.00
Attendance	82
Weekly Budget Amount Needed	\$3280.00

(Does not include L.C.M.C., Local Benevolence, Outreach, Sponsor, or Capital

ACTIVITIES OF ST. ANDREW

Sunday, August 4	Worship Service	9:15 a.m.
After Service	Adult Sunday School w/Kathy H.	Upstairs Chapel
Thursday, August 8	Chapel Prayer Group	1:00 p.m.
Sunday, August 11	Worship Service	9:15 a.m.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 11	Church Picnic	3PM —Dinner
LECTOR	Sheila Morehart	
ACOLYTE	Gina Styer	
COMMUNION ASSISTANT	Walt Gross	
VIDEO SOUND	John Dougherty Jerry Watson	
FLOWER DELIVERY	Janet Dougherty	

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