

**St. Andrew Lutheran Church
& Early Childhood Campus**

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Worship Hours: Sunday 9:00 a.m.

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**Second Sunday after Pentecost
June 2, 2024**

PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME & GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE

OPENING HYMN "O Day Full of Grace" LSB 503

INVOCATION AND OPENING VERSICLES

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

C: The Lord delivers us with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm.

P: We have this treasure in jars of clay,

C: to show that the surpassing power belongs to God.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Let us confess our sins to God our Father.

C: Almighty God, because we cannot keep Your Law as You command us to do, we confess to You the poverty of our worship, our neglect of fellowship, our hesitating witness for Christ, our evasion of responsibility in Your service, and our imperfect stewardship of Your gifts. Have mercy on us according to Your steadfast love and cleanse us from our sin. Create in us clean hearts and put a new and right spirit within us from the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

P: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

C: Amen.

INTROIT

Ps. 62:1,5-8

P: For God alone my soul waits in silence; from him comes my salvation.

C: For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from him.

P: He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.

C: On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

P: Trust in him at all times, O people; pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us.

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

KYRIE

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C: ♪ Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" LSB 790

- 1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is your health and salvation!
Let all who hear
Now to His temple draw near,
Joining in glad adoration!**
- 2. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen
Sound from His people again;
Gladly forever adore him!**

SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And also with you.

P: Let us pray together.

C: **Eternal God, Your Son Jesus Christ is our true Sabbath rest.**

Help us to keep each day holy by receiving His Word of comfort that we may find our rest in Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Deuteronomy 5:12-15

“Observe the Sabbath day, to keep it holy, as the LORD your God commanded you. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter or your male servant or your female servant, or your ox or your donkey or any of your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates, that your male servant and your female servant may rest as well as you. You shall remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the LORD your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm. Therefore the LORD your God commanded you to keep the Sabbath day.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE

2 Corinthians 4:5-12

For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. For God, who said, “Let light shine out of darkness,” has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. But we have this treasure in jars of clay, to show that the surpassing power belongs to God and not to us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. For we who live are always being given over to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

ALLELUIA VERSE

C: ♪ Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, Alleluia

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 2:23-28

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the second chapter.

C: ♪ **Glory to You, O Lord.**

One Sabbath he was going through the grainfields, and as they made their way, his disciples began to pluck heads of grain. And the Pharisees were saying to him, “Look, why are they doing what is not lawful on the Sabbath?” And he said to them, “Have you never read what David did, when he was in need and was hungry, he and those who were with him: how he entered the house of God, in the time of Abiathar the high priest, and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those who were with him?” And he said to them, “The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. So the Son of Man is lord even of the Sabbath.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ **Praise to You, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light” LSB 411

SERMON “A Treasure in Jars of Clay” 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

CONFESSION OF FAITH “Nicene Creed” (p. 158)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: God of all light and power, You shine upon Your creatures and eradicate all darkness that lies within them. Destroy the darkness our sin has caused in our lives. Help us to shine the light of Your grace and truth. Lord, in Your mercy,

(following each petition the congregation responds)

C: **Hear our prayer.**

(our petitions this day)

P: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "What Shall I Render to the Lord" (p. 159)

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface

Sanctus

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini – "The Peace of the Lord"

Agnus Dei – "Lamb of God"

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Your Table I Approach" LSB 628

"O Living Bread from Heaven" LSB 642

"I Leave All Things to God's Direction" LSB 719

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE "Thank the Lord" (p. 164)

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

C: AMEN

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN "Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing" LSB 924

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

OFFICIANT: Rev. Jonathan Vierkant

ORGANIST: Rinda Bye

LAY READER: Margie Hua

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

Tuesday, June 4 - 9:15 a.m. Sister's In Christ Bible Study
Friday, June 7 - 6:00 p.m. Youth Group
Saturday, June 8 - 8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study w/Dan B
Sunday, June 9 - 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:15 a.m. Adult Bible Class

DID YOU KNOW?

Please check the bulletin board for other announcements.

SHHHHH. . . THERE IS A "QUIET ROOM" AT ST. ANDREW in the back of the Sanctuary. It has a sound system and the service can be heard in that room. Please be considerate of the worshipful attitude of others and use it as necessary. It is there for your comfort and convenience.

We have **reduced gluten communion wafers**. If you desire to receive one during communion, please identify yourself before the service to the Elder for that service so we can distribute one to you.

TEXAS ROADHOUSE: When you go to Texas Roadhouse in West Bend on a Sunday, take our church bulletin with you and they will donate 10% of your food purchases back to church.

BASKETS are located in the Narthex to collect food for the **FOOD PANTRY**.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR - SUNDAYS: 6 a.m. WGN Chicago 720 AM; 7:30 a.m. WTKM Hartford 104.9 FM; 6:30 a.m. WTMJ Milwaukee 620 AM & 103.3 FM; 5 p.m. WJUB Plymouth 1420 AM; 9 a.m. WIBD West Bend 1470 AM

**Lutheran Church Radio Service – JOY/WJYI (1340 AM)
7 a.m. Sundays**

Please contact Pastor Jon (262)808-7974 if you or a loved one is in the hospital, celebrating a milestone, or would just like a visit.

St. Andrew Financials: If you are interested in seeing our monthly givings and expenses, please check the latest newsletter. Newsletters are sent out once a month and can be found in your email (if you have an email on file), in your mailbox, or on the table in the Narthex.

Reminder: Check your mailboxes regularly.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: June 2 thru June 8

BIRTHDAY: Robert Lompa Jr, Norm Bandler Jr, Evelyn Nuoffer

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES: Violet Justman

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

PRAYERS FOR, Jacquie Voeks: Please pray for me. I have an infection along with a terrible cough. Please ask God to heal me if it is His will. Pray for comfort and peace for the Schmoldt family for the loss of Joyce Schmoldt. Lynne for healing from melanoma (Rory & Sue Hetzel brother-in-law) Mary with terminal Cancer (Rory Hetzel friend) From Kathy Muth Please pray for my daughter-in-law's Aunt Sue who was recently diagnosed with stage 4 lung cancer and is inoperable.

THE MILITARY: William Bowman (brother of Katie Vierkant), Matthew Speaks-(nephew of Darryl & Laurie Pree) Beau Szczerbinski (brother of Meghan Kelley) maybe heading to Israel. Brandon & Benjamin Roeglin (Grandsons of Joyce & Jim Schmoldt) Being sent overseas.

WELCOME VISITORS! We are glad you chose to worship with us. Sign our Guest Book in the Narthex or one of the cards in the pews and please talk to Pastor, an Usher or Elder if you have any questions.

DIFFERENT CHURCHES HAVE DIFFERENT UNDERSTANDINGS regarding Holy Communion. For this reason, because of what 1 Corinthians 11:27-30 tells us, we ask that visitors talk to Pastor if they wish to commune with us. **ALSO**, see the back of the communion cards for a statement by Synod.

WE HAVE A PRAYER CHAIN AT ST. ANDREW. Please contact Josie Pfeiffer at 262-626-4303 or pfeiffer4303@charter.net

ELDER SERVING TODAY: Dave Brehmer, Rick Bruss
Next Sunday: Rick Bruss, Thai Hua

CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING June 8 Sue Hetzel, Rory Hetzel, Paul Heinz, Cindy Heinz

NEXT WEEK June 10 thru June 15 Pastor Jon Vierkant, Katie Vierkant, Myron Kraft, Suzanne Woods

Altar Guild for June: Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Charlie Grande
July: Judi Bastain, Star Dzwonkowski, Cindy Heinz, Evelyn Nuoffer

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SISTERS IN CHRIST: have a Mission Store we invite you to shop at. Located across from our church member mailboxes, on a wood shelving unit, you will find items displayed for you to take and enjoy or to gift to someone you know. There is a donation box on the shelf. Donations are appreciated but not necessary. All donations help fund our Sisters mission work and activities. Happy Shopping!

Prayer Shawls, created by Sisters in Christ, are located in the narthex. Please help yourself to as many as you need throughout the year. These shawls are to be given to someone in need of a warm hug, care, and prayers. It is our hope that these shawls will help spread love, compassion, and prayers from St. Andrew to those suffering and in need of God's love.

JUNE MONTHLY MISSION Pasta for June, Mac & Cheese, rigatoni, bowtie, whatever variation you want to bring!

SCRIP: All proceeds from SCRIP during the months of March, April and May will go towards the kids going to the Higher Things conference in late June. The conference's theme is about identity which is a huge issue in the world today especially for our children. Please consider getting any gift or shopping cards from church to help support the kids.

BRAT FRY NEWS .

Please don't forget to visit the Brat Fry June 1 & 2 from 9-3 each day. Look for the red hut at the corner of 15th & Washington St. in West Bend.

HIGHWAY CLEANUP: Upcoming dates June 30, September 8. Meet at noon at Boltonville

VBS Registration is open for this year's **Vacation Bible School** at St. Andrew Lutheran Church! Vacation Bible School will be held **August 6-8 from 5:30-7:30 p.m.** with an optional dinner provided from 5-5:30. Registration is open for kids entering 3K up to 6th grade for the school year starting in the fall. Our theme this year will be *Weather the Storm!*, which will focus on how God protects us, saves us, and is with us through the storms of life. There is no fee to attend. If you know of any friends that might be interested in coming, please pass on this information to them! Registration is available at: [Vacation Bible School](#)