

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

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Worship Hours: Sunday 9:00 a.m.

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**Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost
October 13, 2024**

PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE

OPENING HYMN "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" LSB 685

DIVINE SERVICE (Setting Four) (p 203 in the front of the hymnal)

INVOCATION

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

C: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C: Who made heaven and earth.

P: If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C: But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P: Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition.

Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C: Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

PSALM

Ps. 112:1,3-6

P: Praise the Lord! Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who greatly delights in his commandments!

C: Wealth and riches are in his house, and his righteousness endures forever.

P: Light dawns in the darkness for the upright; he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.

C: It is well with the man who deals generously and lends; who conducts his affairs with justice.

P: For the righteous will never be moved; he will be remembered forever.

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

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

(p. 204)

SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

C: Lord Jesus Christ, whose grace always precedes and follows us, help us to forsake all trust in earthly gain and to find in You our heavenly treasure; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

Seek the Lord and live, lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph, and it devour, with none to quench it for Bethel, O you who turn justice to wormwood and cast down righteousness to the earth! They hate him who reproves in the gate, and they abhor him who speaks the truth. Therefore, because you trample on the poor and you exact taxes of grain from him, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not dwell in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine. For I know how many are your transgressions and how great are your sins—you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and turn aside the needy in the gate. Therefore, he who is prudent will keep silent in such a time, for it is an evil time. Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said. Hate evil, and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that

the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE

Hebrews 3:12-19

Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God. But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called "today," that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. For we have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. As it is said, "Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion." For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who left Egypt led by Moses? And with whom was he provoked for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? And to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who were disobedient? So we see that they were unable to enter because of unbelief.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA VERSE

(p. 205)

C: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

These things are written that you may believe

That Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 10:17-22

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

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

And as he was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. You know the commandments: 'Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.'" And he said to him, "Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth." And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, "You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

"Apostles' Creed"

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" LSB 686

SERMON

"Hold on Tight!"

Hebrews 3:12-19

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Almighty and everlasting God, look with compassion on Your Church. Protect Your children from an evil, unbelieving heart that would lead us away from You into the deceitfulness of sin. By Your Spirit's power, enable us to hold our original confidence firm to the end. Lord, in Your mercy,

(following each petition the congregation responds)

C: Hear our prayer.

(Our petitions this day)

P: We give thanks to You, O Lord, for the faithful of every time and place who heard Your Word and held their confidence firm to the end. Keep us steadfast in the faith, that we may have our share with them in the eternal inheritance that You have promised; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Gracious God, You Send Great Blessing" LSB 782:1

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface

(p. 208 in the front of the hymnal)

Sanctus

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini – "The Peace of the Lord"

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Agnus Dei – "Lamb of God"

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness"

LSB 563

"Come unto Me, Ye Weary"

LSB 684

"Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart"

LSB 806

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE

Nunc Dimittis – “Song of Simeon”

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POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

C: AMEN

BENEDICAMUS & BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN “Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise” LSB 917

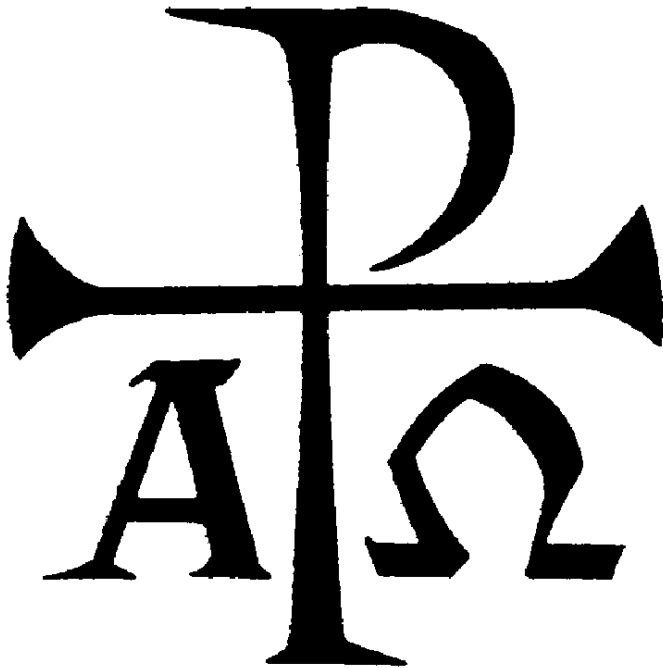
ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

OFFICIANT: Rev. Jonathan Vierkant

ORGANIST: Rinda Bye

LAY READER: Randy Sheffield



THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

Monday, October 14	-	6:45 p.m. Handbells
	-	6:00 p.m. Men's Group
Tuesday, October 15	-	9:30 a.m. Sister's In Christ Bible Study
Wednesday, October 16	-	6:00 p.m. Choir Practice
	-	7:00 p.m. Dartball @SOTH
Thursday, October 17	-	6:00 p.m. All Boards Meeting
Saturday, October 19	-	8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study Dan B.
Sunday, October 20	-	9:00 a.m. Worship
	-	10:15 a.m. Family Education
	-	4:00 p.m. Harvest Dinner

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.

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**

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: October 13 thru October 19

BIRTHDAY: David Brehmer, Charlotte Grande, Ronda Koenig, Zachary Dieringer

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES: Austin Jantz, Jonathan Ratzel, Staci Ruback

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: George & Kathy Muth, Darrell & Sue Harrison, Robert & Sandra Lompa Jr., Nancy & Gary Kawczynski

PRAYERS FOR:. Ginger church secretary's, Nephew Layton 5 yrs old with leukemia, Nephew Elijah 24 diagnosed with schizophrenia, Father we ask for healing. Pray for strength and wisdom for his Mother Sarah.

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 Schmoltd)

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 1Corinthians 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: Thai Hua & Jeff Grande
Next Sunday: Randy Sheffield, Rick Bruss

CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING October 19 Randy Sheffield, Kris Sheffield, Stephanie Gutschmidt, Cathy Grande

NEXT WEEK October 21 thru October 26 Sue Hetzel, Rory Hetzel, Paul Heinz, Cindy Heinz

Altar Guild for October: Pam Beaupre w/Sue Hetzel, Peggy Kriefall, Tracy Rochwite, Debbie Yenter

November: Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Charlie Grande

SISTERS IN CHRIST: Bible Study Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.

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.

KEWASKUM FOOD PANTRY Currently are in need of the following "NON-EXPIRED" and NON-PERISHABLE FOODS. All chunky soups, tomato soup, cream of chicken & Cream of mushroom soup. Monetary donations can be mailed to: K.C. Pantry P.O. Box 502, Kewaskum, WI 53040

HARVEST DINNER

Come and join in the fellowship on October 20th at 4:00. Great time to invite your family and friends to join us for the dinner. Check the board to sign up! "He who supplies seed to the Sower and bread for the food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness 2 Corinthians 9:10

WEEDERS AND SEEDERS

On October 19th, they will have a booth at the Homestead Rendezvous at New Life Church on Hwy D, 10:00 to 3:00. Free to the public. Offers time to learn multiple skills, everything from sewing on a button, building a fire to installing home security. God has blessed us with the ability to learn many new things.

PRAYER VIGIL

On Monday, November 4th, a prayer vigil is being planned. As of now, the time will be from 3:00 to 7:30. It is not a service, but time to come to spend time with the Lord and pray for the election, family, health, church, etc., it is between you and the Lord. Come when you can and stay as long as you want. Watch for more information in the Sunday Bulletin.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Shoebboxes will be ready for filling on Sunday, October 20th. Take a shoebox with you and fill it with school supplies, toys, bar soap, toothbrush, washcloth and towel, comb or brush, small doll or stuffed animal, and any other items that a child would appreciate. Also include a personal note and photo. Do Not Include: toothpaste, lotion, liquids, nail polish, candy, food, war-related items, glass items. Return all shoeboxes by Sunday, November 17th.

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..