ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH
CHANGE YOUR LIFE
SUNDAY, JANUARY 22 | 9:00 AM

ORDER OF LIVE/ONLINE WORSHIP

PRELUDE
"By Grace I'm Saved" (Lauran Delancy)

WELCOME

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS
Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who makes all things new, whose mercy endures forever.
Amen.

Trusting in God's mercy, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Holy One, source of our renewal,
we confess that we are wrapped up in sin, and cannot free ourselves. We have not practiced your righteousness. Our hearts have turned away from you. For the sake of the world you so love, forgive us, that we may be reconciled to one another for the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Thus says our God: "The former things have come to pass and new things I now declare." God's mercy makes us new. We are forgiven in the name of ☩ Christ our Savior.
Amen.

HYMN
"Let the Whole Creation Cry" **ELW # 876**

PRAYER OF THE DAY
Almighty God, you have called us to be a people of prayer. Give us faith to trust you more deeply so that we may come to you boldly with our every burden and care, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

ANTHEM
"In You, O Lord, I Will Place My Trust" (Allen Pote)

READINGS
1 Thessalonians 5:12-18

But we appeal to you, brothers and sisters, to respect those who labor among you, and have charge of you in the Lord and admonish you; esteem them very highly in love because of their work. Be at peace among yourselves. And we urge you, beloved, to admonish the idlers, encourage the faint hearted, help the weak, be patient with all of them. See that none of you repays evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to all.

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON
"Prayer Will Change Your Life"

OFFERING

OFFERING OF MUSIC
"In Jesus Name (God Of Possible)" (Katy Nichole)

OFFERING PRAYER
O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

BEFORE YOU GO

BENEDICTION
The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and ☩ give you peace.
Amen.

HYMN
"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" **ELW # 742**

SENDING
Go in peace. Live out your faith in daily life. **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE
"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" (arr. Tim Graf)

THE PASTORS OF ST. ANDREW:
Pastor David Lillejord.....Senior Pastor
Pastor Gail Bach.....Pastor of Stewardship & Evangelism
Pastor Sarah Fike.....Pastor of Children, Youth, & Family
Pastor Matthew Ian Fleming..Pastor of Teaching & Young Adults
Pastor Peter Johnson.....Pastor of Service & Small Groups
Pastor Roger Schindel..... Visitation Pastor

THE MUSICIANS FOR TODAY'S WORSHIP:
Tim Graf.....Worship & Music Director
Sarah Gilbertson.....Canticle Choir Director
Elliana Meier
Bells of Joy
Brass Ensemble

PRAYERS

As a community of faith we are connected through joy, sorrow, worship, and prayer. Please pray for the people listed below. Your prayers are greatly appreciated!

We ask for God's loving embrace to hold all those who mourn, especially:

» Debbie Larson and family on the death of her mother, Ruth
» Carmen Hamilton and family on the death of her husband, Bob
• Prayers for Paul Horn and family on the death of his wife, Connie
• Prayers for Clarice Koosmann on the death of her brother, Gerald
• Prayers for Stefanie Berg and family on the death of her uncle, LeRoy
• Natalie Macht and family on the death of her uncle, Howard
• Brenda Orner and family on the death of her mother, Lorraine

Prayers of Mourning:

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord; O Lord, hear my voice. **Psalm 130:1–2**

For I am convinced that neither death nor life… nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans **8:38–39**

Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die'. **John 11:25–26**

As we are praying for all members of the St. Andrew community, this week we pray especially for God's comfort, healing, protection, and strength to be present with:

» Carol Bendell
» Andy Bergan
• Tom Anderson

Long Term Prayers:

• Kathy Hoagland
• Dave & Sherri Anderson's daughter, Sarah Anderson-Jacobson
• Ron Wolfbauer
• Marilynn Boorsma's son, Mark
• Dick Smith
• Paul & Marjean Skoog's sister-in-law, Lois
• Marcia Lund's sister, Jenni Fick
• Seeds of Support Mission in Haiti requests your ongoing prayers for our friends in Haiti. Haiti is experiencing a political and economic crisis that is producing widespread frustration among the population. Fuel shortages, food shortages, and general hopelessness are common. Please pray for Redemption Lutheran Church of Jacmel and all our friends there. Our mission will continue in evolving and vital ways to support their ministry.
• All those in the military serving our country

General Prayers:

Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you. **Psalm 55:22a**

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. **Matthew 11:28**

» New this week; names will remain listed for three weeks unless otherwise requested.
To add a name to the prayer list, click the 'Prayer Requests' link at the bottom of our website or contact Pastor Peter at pastorpeter@standrewlu.org.

St. Andrew Lutheran Church

Annual Congregational Meeting

Today, 12:00 PM
In Person and online (Teams)

ST. ANDREW
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Prime Timers Event

Story Teller Pati Kachel
"Treasures from Mother Teresa"

Monday, Jan. 23 | 1:00 PM

Winter 2023

Living & Growing Through Loss

Hosted by Pax Christi
Four Monday Sessions Starting Jan.23
6:30–8:00 PM

Southwest Grief Coalition

swgriefcoalition.org/

3–4 YEAR OLD CHILDREN

BIBLE MILESTONE CLASS

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 25, 5:30 PM

ROOM 207

Contact: Shawna Berg at sberg@standrewlu.org

GETTING TO KNOW EDEN PRAIRIE:

Megan Yerks, EP's Community Services Coordinator

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 25, 6:30 PM

ROOM 207

1st–5th Grade

SERVE & PLAY RELEASE DAY

Friday, Jan. 27 | 9:00 AM–4:00 PM

School's Out! Join us for:

- Making care packages
- Games
- Bible study
- Trip to Grand Slam

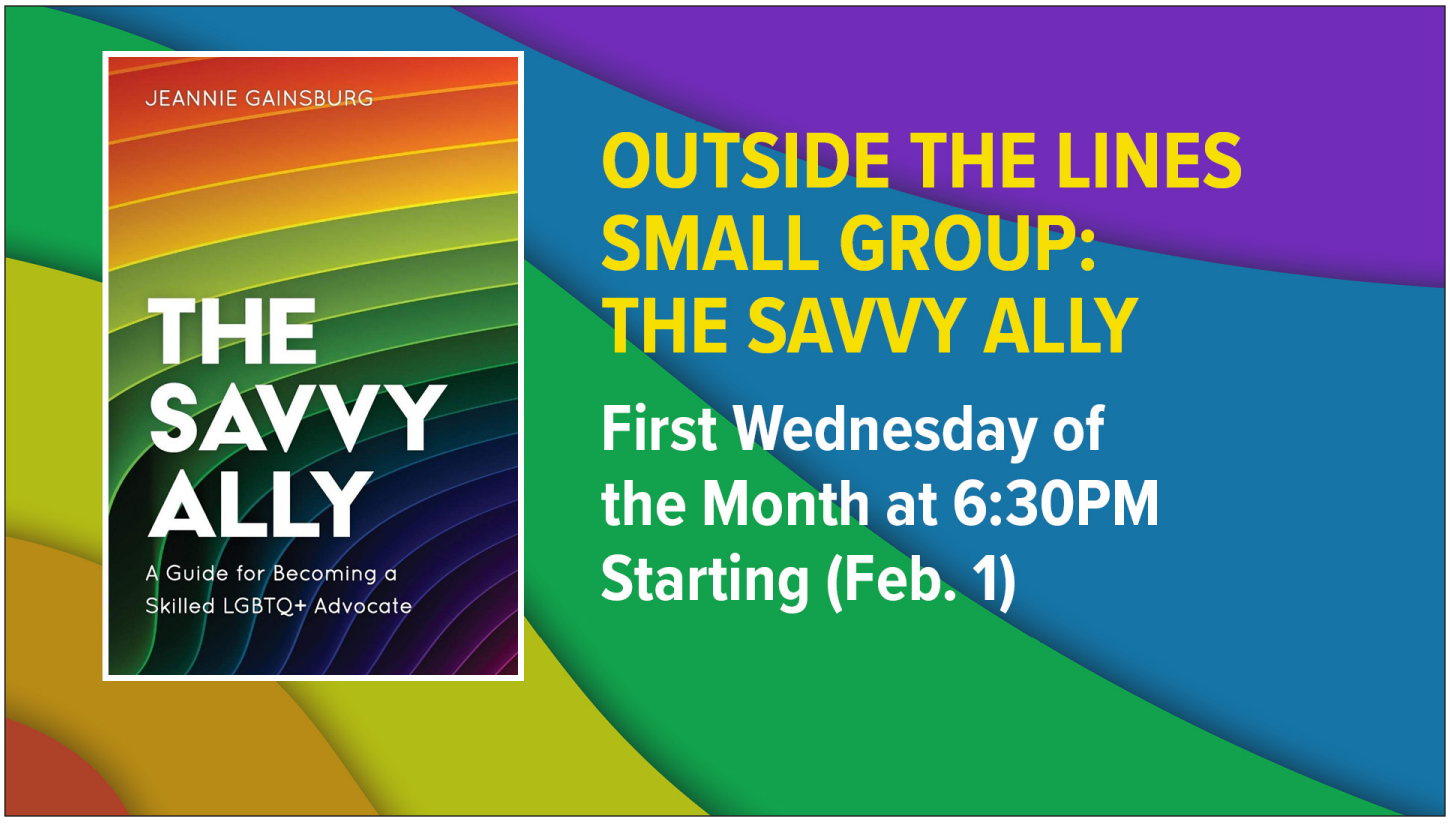
Visit standrewlu.org for more info and to register.

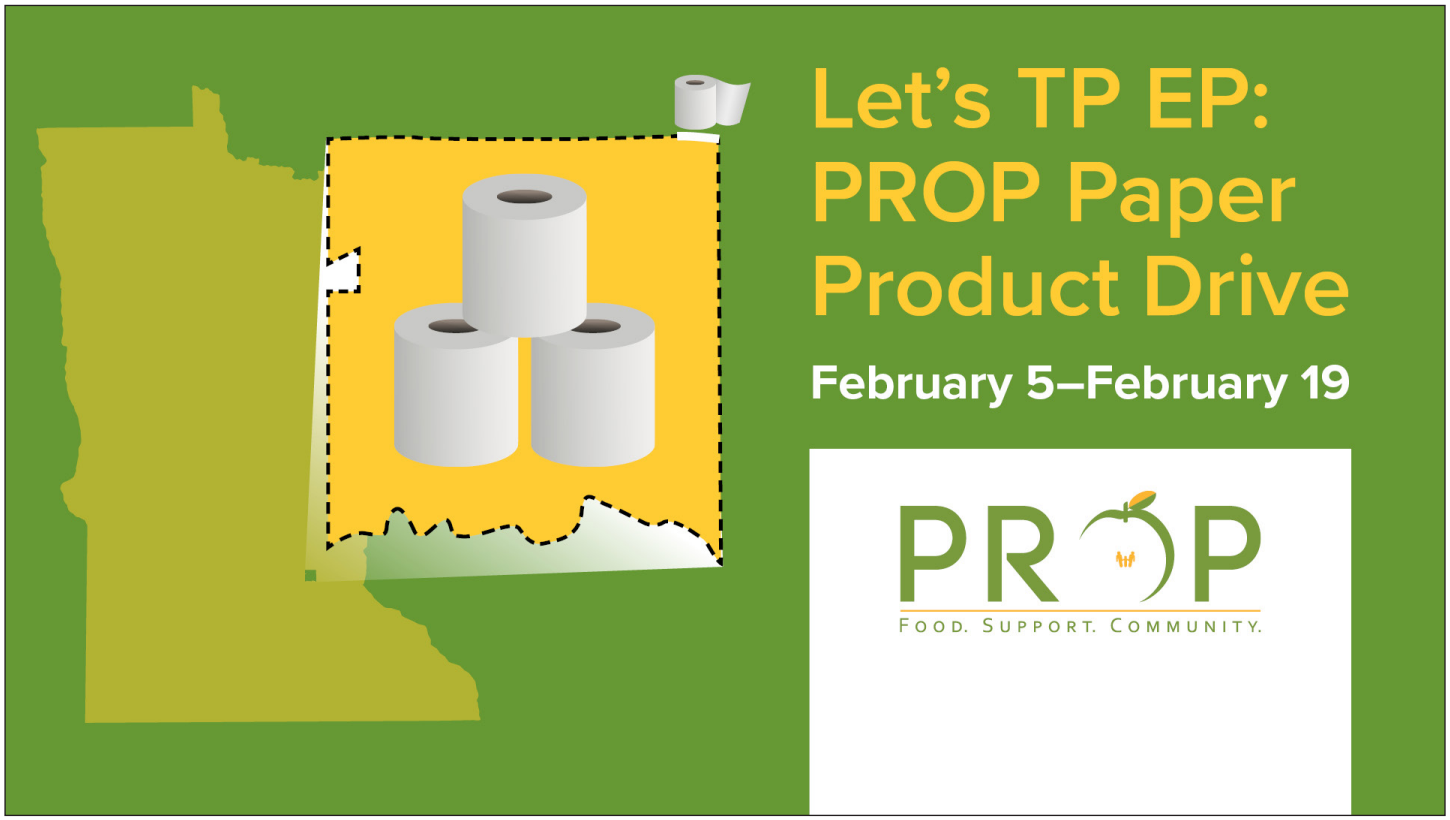
St. Andrew Lutheran Church

Endowment & Benevolence Grant Application Deadline

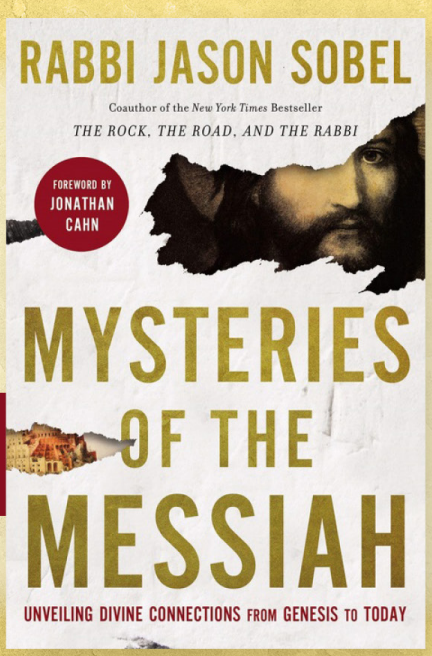
Benevolence deadline is Friday, Jan. 27
Endowment deadline is Wednesday, Feb. 1

HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER TRIP
August 5–13, 2023
Join us in Summer 2023 to a youth trip to Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp for an amazing backpacking adventure in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado! We will have a Christ-centered adventure that will challenge you both physically and spiritually.
Cost: $750 (fundraising and scholarships available)
Registration Deadline: Tuesday, January 31
Contact: Brent Haglund at bhaglund@standrewlu.org
standrewlu.org (Keyword: Summer Trip)
Register for HS Summer Trip


JEANNIE GAINSBURG
THE SAVVY ALLY
A Guide for Becoming a Skilled LGBTQ+ Advocate
OUTSIDE THE LINES SMALL GROUP: THE SAVVY ALLY
First Wednesday of the Month at 6:30PM Starting (Feb. 1)


Let's TP EP:
PROP Paper
Product Drive
February 5–February 19
PROP
FOOD. SUPPORT. COMMUNITY.

Half-Day
PRESCHOOL
OPEN HOUSE
Wednesday, Feb. 8
8:00 AM–5:30 PM
St. Andrew
Early Learning
Preschool & Childcare

WOMEN OF THE WORD

Wednesdays 9:30 AM
New Study Starting Feb. 15