

St. Andrew Lutheran Church

# SO, *Now* WHAT?

Sunday, May 7 | 9:00 AM





# ORDER OF LIVE/ONLINE WORSHIP

**PRELUDE**    *“Bourée”* (G. F. Handel, arr. Dennis Janzer)

## **WELCOME**

*stand*

## **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Blessed be the holy Trinity,  
✠ one God,  
who creates, redeems, and sustains us  
and all of creation.

**Amen.**

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

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

To you, O God,

**all hearts are open, to you all desires known. We come to you, confessing our sins. Forgive us in your mercy, and remember us in your love. Show us your ways; teach us your paths; and lead us in justice and truth, for the sake of your goodness in Jesus Christ our Savior.**

**Amen.**

By water and the Holy Spirit God gives you a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of ✠ Jesus Christ, God forgives you all your sins. The God of mercy and might strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life.

**Amen.**

## **HYMN**    *“JESUS LOVES ME”*

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Almighty and merciful God,

**you have given us the promise of a place prepared for us for all of eternity. Help us to fix our hearts and minds on this promise and to walk each day with Christ who is the way, the truth, and the life, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

*(Please be seated)*



## READING

John 14:1-6a

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also.

And you know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life.”

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

**SERMON** “A Place for All”

**OFFERING OF MUSIC** “*Canticle of Creation*” (Hart Morris)

**Bells of Joy**  
Tim Graf, director

**OFFERING PRAYER** (words projected)

**Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*Stand*

**PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

*Sit*

**MUSIC DURING HOLY COMMUNION**

“*The Ground*” (Ola Gjeilo)

**Canticle Choir**  
Larry Bach, director

“*Let Us Break Bread Together*” (words projected)

**ELW # 471**



**POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

**BEFORE YOU GO**

*Stand*

**HYMN**     *“You Are the Way”* **ELW # 672**

**SENDING:**  
Go in peace. Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed, alleuia!**

**POSTLUDE**     *“Minuet (Finale)” (G. F. Handel, arr. Dennis Janzer)*  
**Barb Carroll, Tim Graf**

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**THE PASTORS OF ST. ANDREW:**  
Pastor David Lillejord ..... Senior Pastor  
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 ..... Music & Worship Director  
Larry Bach..... Canticle Choir Director  
Barb Carroll..... Organist  
Bells of Joy  
Canticle Choir

# 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:**

- » Elaine Jacobson and family on the death of her son, Mark.
- » The family of Andy Bergan
- Family and friends of Aaron Husmann, as well as the Eden Prairie High School community
- David and Joe Kuipers (and their families) on the death of their father, Mike Kuipers
- Tom Orcutt

## **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:**

- Jen Hoffer
- Marjean Skoog's sister-in-law
- Joanne Nelson's Brother, David Sorensen and family
- Odell Bratland
- Marcy Wiesner
- Marilyn Boorsma's friend, Ann
- Nancy Anderson's mother, Della
- Nancy Anderson
- Jeff Swanson

## **Long Term Prayers:**

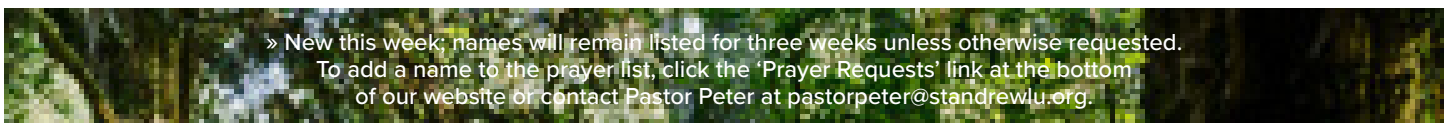
- Gordon and June Gilbert
- Andy Bergan
- Kathy Hoagland
- Dave & Sherri Anderson's daughter, Sarah Anderson-Jacobson
- Ron Wolfbauer
- Marilyn Boorsma's son, Mark
- Dick Smith
- Paul & Marjean Skoog's sister-in-law, Lois
- Marcia Lund's sister, Jenni Fick
- Seeds of Support Mission in Haiti requests 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](mailto:pastorpeter@standrewlu.org).





# Southwest Grief Coalition

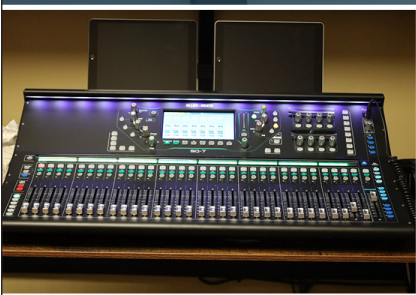
swgriefcoalition.org

*A coalition of churches providing faith based grief support*

**Family of Christ Lutheran Church** in Chanhassen hosts a six-week session from 6-8 PM that includes fellowship, large group presentation and small group conversation.

**Starting April 17**

**REGISTER**



Worship audio is getting better!

## New Sound Board for Livestreaming


**We're looking for audio volunteers.  
Contact Jack Lynch if you're interested  
at [jlynch@standrewlu.org](mailto:jlynch@standrewlu.org)**



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# HERO HOTLINE

Called Together  
to Serve God!



## VBS 2023

June 26-29 | 9:00 AM–12:00 PM

For more info and to register visit  
[standrewlu.org](http://standrewlu.org) (keyword:vbs)

# PRESCHOOL Registration is OPEN

Accepting Registrations for  
the 2023-2024 School Year

St. Andrew  
**Early Learning**  
Preschool & Childcare



Visit [standrewearlylearning.org](http://standrewearlylearning.org) for more information



A vibrant graphic for summer camps featuring a large rainbow arching over green rolling hills under a blue sky with a bright yellow sun and white clouds.

# 2023 Preschool Summer Camps


Come and Explore God's Big Backyard with us.

St. Andrew  
**Early Learning**  
Preschool & Childcare



Join us this summer for St. Andrew Preschool's amazing summer camps where we will explore different animals, environments and wonderful places in God's Big Backyard.

Visit [standrewearlylearning.org](http://standrewearlylearning.org) for more information

A festive graphic for a graduation parade on a dark purple background with a dotted pattern. It features colorful triangular bunting at the top and swirling streamers at the bottom. The text is centered and celebratory.

## ST. ANDREW EARLY LEARNING

# GRADUATION PARADE

TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2023 | 6:00 PM

St. Andrew  
**Early Learning**  
Preschool & Childcare





# Camp Work Weekend



We are looking for more volunteers for our spring work weekend at Spirit in the Pines. Every spring and fall we plan work weekends where we help open and close camp as a community.



*Fill the Crib*



## PROP Mother's Day Drive

In cooperation with PROP, St. Andrew is hosting a special Mother's Day drive to support needy mothers in our community. Help fill the crib on display in the narthex during this important appeal.



**PROP**  
FOOD. SUPPORT. COMMUNITY.



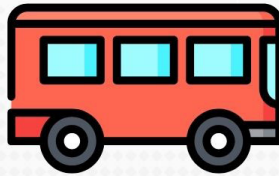


# Mystery Bus Camp

July 24-27 | 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**Mystery Bus Camp is back!** Join as we go into the community for fun and service adventures! Activities will include a variety of bible study, service projects and fun field trips.

Contact Shawna Berg for more information at [sberg@standrewlu.org](mailto:sberg@standrewlu.org)



REGISTER



# UNTAPPING FAITH

Young adults, join us the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30PM at a different brewery for fellowship and faithful conversations

LEARN MORE





# IN THE LIGHT

Spirit in the Pines  
Summer 2023

## Summer Camp Registration is Filling Up Quickly!

Registration is open and we are already at 70% capacity for the summer. This important ministry is growing and we would love to have you be part of our camp community this summer!

### Camp Questions? Please Contact:

Sarah Blasing at [sblasing@standrewlu.org](mailto:sblasing@standrewlu.org)

[standrewlu.org/ministries/camp](https://standrewlu.org/ministries/camp)

REGISTER  
TODAY!



## NOW HIRING

# Early Learning Aides Needed

No weekends | Training provided | Flexible schedule

We are growing and hiring at St. Andrew Early Learning Childcare! Now accepting applications for part-time/ after school Teacher Aides. Assist classroom teachers with children ages infants-preschoolers.

[standrewlu.org/about/careers/](https://standrewlu.org/about/careers/)

