

ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17 | 9:00 AM



ORDER OF LIVE/ONLINE WORSHIP

PRELUDE

“Prelude from Five Bagatelles” (Gerald Finzi)

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

HYMN

“O God beyond All Praising” (St. 1 & 3)

ELW # 880

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God,

We thank you for your love that brings us hope and comfort. Help us to clothe ourselves with compassion and lead us to share your love with others so that all may see the brighter days that we have in you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

READING

Colossians 3:12-17

As God’s chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

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

SERMON

“Brighter Days”

OFFERING

OFFERING OF MUSIC

“Brighter Days” (Emile Sande, arr. Tim Graf)

OFFERING PRAYER



PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

PREFACE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

"The Lord's Prayer" (Alexander L'Estrange)

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

MUSIC DURING HOLY COMMUNION

"Drawn to You" (Audrey Assad)

"By Your Hand You Feed Your People"

ELW # 469

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BEFORE YOU GO

BENEDICTION

HYMN

"To Be Your Presence"

ELW # 546

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

POSTLUDE

"Toccata on Great Day" (Adolphus Hailstork)

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 Director of Music & Worship
Barb Carroll Organist
Larry Bach Chamber Choir Director
Chamber Choir
Elliana Meier
Chris Sasik

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:

- » The family of Marilyn Terwilliger
- » Gordon Thompson and family
- Gordon Gilbert and family for the loss of June Gilbert
- Marjean and Paul Skoog for their sister-in-law, Lois
- Wayne & Nancy Dale for their daughter, Shelly
- Thelma Fricke and family on the death of her husband, Kenneth
- Harry, Charlie, Cole, and Abby Lawrence on the death of their wife and mother
- Richard Bouta on the death of his father
- Mary Salyards and family on the death of her mother

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:

- Bella Heaney
- Jim Bach
- Julie Gulstrand
- Dave King's brother, Tom
- Racie Hornbacher
- Debbie and Tom Larson's brother in law, Scott
- Paul and Marjean Skoog's brother in law, Ray

Long Term Prayers:

- Gordon Gilbert
- Kathy Hoagland
- Dave & Sherri Anderson's daughter, Sarah Anderson-Jacobson
- Ron Wolfbauer
- Dick Smith
- Tammi Ziesemann as she continues her cancer treatment
- 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**

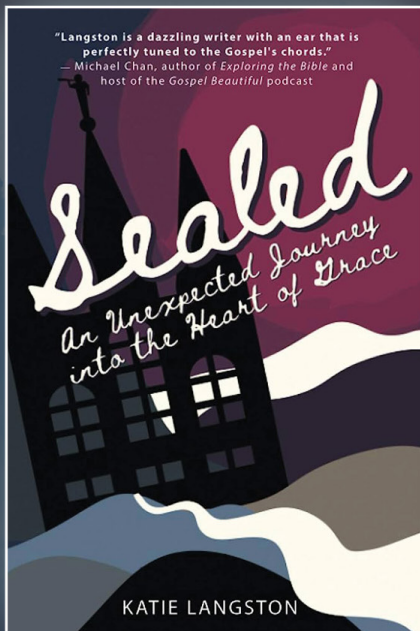
Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. **Matthew 11:28**

» 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.



BIBLE MILESTONE CLASS FOR 3 YEAR OLDS

Wednesday, October 11, 5:30 PM | Room 207



Pastors' Book Study

Sealed: An Unexpected Journey into the Heart of Grace

**Thursdays at 9:00 AM
Starting August 3**

More info at standrewlu.org



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/



Be Real

Sunday | 9:00 & 10:30 AM

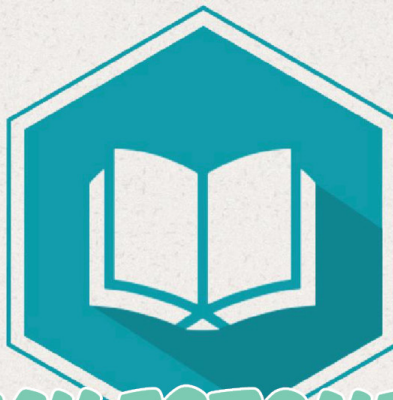


3rd Grade Bible Class

Wednesday, Oct. 25 | 5:30 PM



3rd Grade Students will receive a SPARK Bible and learn all about how to use it! Students will have a special blessing of Bibles in worship October 29th.



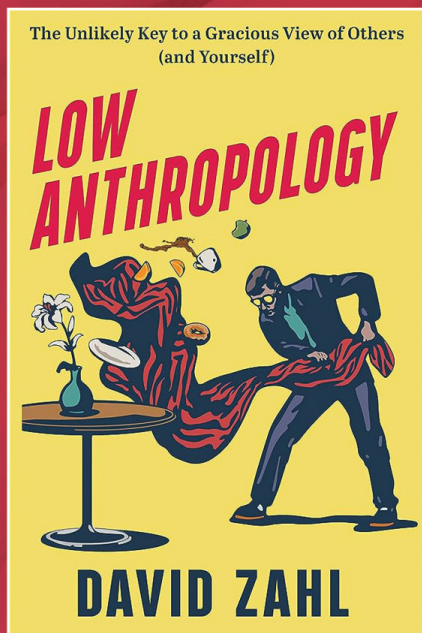
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FORE! THE GUYS GOLF RETREAT

October 13-15
Spirit in the Pines



Pastors' Book Study

Low Anthropology

Thursdays at 9:00 AM & 6:30 PM
Starting Thursday, Sept. 21

More info at standrewlu.org



St. Andrew Early Learning
Childcare is

NOW HIRING

Childcare Aide

- Assist classroom teacher in daily classroom prep
- Engage children in activities and play
- No weekends
- Training provided
- Flexible schedule

Submit resume to:

Melinda Eddihi at meddihi@standrewlu.org

1st-5th Grade

SERVE & PLAY RELEASE DAY

Friday, Nov. 10 | 9:00 AM-4:00 PM



School's Out! Join us for:

- Games
- Bible study
- Service project
- Trip to Cinema Grill for a pizza and movie!

