



ST. ANDY'S REVIEW

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UPCOMING SERMONS

JUNE 2

Lesson 6: Church
How Does God Work?
Ephesians 4:1-16

JUNE 9

SENIOR SUNDAY
Lesson 7: Humanity
How Does God See Us?
Luke 6:27-38

JUNE 16

FATHER'S DAY
Lesson 8: Compassion
**What About
Social Justice?**
James 2:1-17

JUNE 23

Lesson 9: Stewardship
**What Is God's
Call on My Life?**
1 Peter 4:7-11

JUNE 30

Lesson 10: Eternity
What Happens Next?
2 Corinthians 5:1-10

**JULY NEWSLETTER
DEADLINE:**

June 20, 2024

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Who do you look toward to encourage and inspire you in faithful things? Who uses their actions and their words to share the love of Christ with others? In whom do you see compassion, good judgment, dedication, or spiritual character? In other words, who do you see in the halls of St. Andrew's Church living their lives as disciples of Jesus Christ? We are looking for these people!

The 2024 Nominating Committee is at work discerning God's call for the next class of elders and deacons, Trustees, Foundation, Day School Board and persons from the congregation for next year's Nominating Committee ... and we believe you might know the very people we are looking to find! Please take a few moments and share their names with us!

Please send the names of those you believe would lead well in any of these important positions to the Nominating Committee via the Church Office no later than **June 16**.

Please keep the work of this committee in your prayers that we remain open to hearing God's voice calling the women and men God has already chosen to lead our church into the next years of ministry and mission.

- Pastor Tara





June birthdays

- June 1 Sarah Lane
- June 4 Carol Lynn Loker
- June 4 Tom Munro
- June 5 Andrew Allen
- June 6 Wes Culbertson
- June 6 Dan Ducote
- June 6 Dorisa Neely
- June 7 Katrina Strong
- June 8 Allison Nichols
- June 10 Charlotte Schwarzlose
- June 12 Dixie Sanchez
- June 12 Cade Vidrine
- June 13 Lynn Burnside
- June 15 Debra Adams
- June 15 Scott Thompson
- June 16 Barbara Abel
- June 16 Judy Fisher
- June 20 Sophia Collins
- June 20 Gary Hill
- June 21 Paige Neyland
- June 23 Ann Latiolais
- June 23 Jerry Phillips
- June 29 Dean Lovejoy

In Our Prayers

In the Congregation

Beth Ann Mistrot, Linda Sparkman, Bob Fisher, Barbara and Dalton Abel, Kay Long

Friends and Family

Creely LeBlanc, Family of Jamie Law, Madeline Johnson, David Cobble, Erika Russell, Karen Thompson Butler, Val Rayzor, Mary Kennedy, Mickey Shuffield, Thomas Fisher, Jack Dillard, Erin Lenhart, Jerry Linn, Janie Niederstadt Verderame

THE MOTHER'S DAY CONCERT



Thank you, Golden Triangle Handbell Ensemble, for a wonderful Mother's Day Concert on May 12! Stay tuned for details on their Christmas concert in December.

CONGRATULATIONS, CHIEF SINGLETARY!



Congratulations to Beaumont Police Chief Jimmy Singletary! He received the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Beaumont Rotary Club in May. He is retiring from the police force later this summer after 54 years in law enforcement.

JUNE

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 9:15AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:45AM Choir Rehearsal 3:00PM Boy Scouts 5:00PM Youth Group	3	4 10:00AM PW Coordinating 11:00AM Staff Meeting 5:30PM SAS 5:30PM Fellowship 6:30PM Christian Education 6:30PM Tuesday Group	5 8:15AM Soup Kitchen 10:00AM Day School Chapel 6:30PM Mission & Evangelism 6:30PM Worship Team	6 8:30AM MOW Cooks 10:00AM MOW Delivers	7 7:00AM Men's Breakfast	8 8:30AM SETX Food Bank
9 SENIOR SUNDAY 9:15AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:30AM Fellowship Luncheon 12:15PM Choir Rehearsal 3:00PM Boy Scouts	10	11 5:30PM Finance and Property 6:30PM Tuesday Group	12 10:00AM Day School Chapel	13 8:30AM MOW Cooks 10:00AM MOW Delivers	14	15
16 FATHERS DAY 9:15AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:45AM Choir Rehearsal 12:00PM Deacons Meeting 3:00PM Boy Scouts	17	18 6:30PM Session Meeting 6:30PM Tuesday Group	19 10:00AM Day School Chapel 4:00PM LifeShare Blood Drive 5:30PM Board of Trustees	20 8:30AM MOW Cooks 10:00AM MOW Delivers	21	22
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UPCOMING EVENTS

SUMMER CELEBRATION and SENIOR SUNDAY

Celebrate our 2023-2024 graduates and the beginning of summer on June 9, 2024!

Luncheon immediately following the service.

Menu: burgers, chips, and watermelon

GIVE BLOOD, SAVE A LIFE!

ST. ANDREW'S BLOOD DRIVE
JUNE 19, 4:00PM-7:30PM
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

PIZZA AND BOARD GAMES

July 14, 2024 following the worship service

**Bring a friend and your
favorite board game!**

SAVE THE DATE: Astros Game Saturday, August 3 at 6:15PM

**Tickets: \$73
Stay tuned for details!**

SUMMER CELEBRATION AND SENIOR SUNDAY

Don't miss our Summer Celebration on Sunday, June 9! We will acknowledge our three St. Andrew's graduates (Aaron Allen, Aidan Collins, and Abigail Yoder) during the worship service and will celebrate with a luncheon immediately following the service. **Kids, bring some swimwear, towels, and a change of clothes because we will have waterslides, wading pools, and games!**

HURRICANE SEASON BEGINS JUNE 1ST!

The beginning of summer in southeast Texas also means the beginning of (you guessed it!) the Atlantic hurricane season. Take this opportunity to prepare now in case:

- Develop an evacuation plan
- Assemble disaster supplies, food, water, batteries, chargers, a radio, and cash
- Get an insurance checkup and document your possessions
- Create a communication plan with a handwritten list of contacts
- Make a plan for strengthening and protecting your home from damaging winds and floodwaters



DAY SCHOOL CLASS OF 2024

Congratulations to our five St. Andrew's Day School graduates! Good luck in your future endeavors.

DAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

The Day School is still registering students for this summer and fall! The School accepts children ages 12 months through four years of age. Classes are offered for two, three, four, or five days a week, depending on the child's and parents' needs, and class hours are 8:30AM-2:30PM. (Parents also have the option of a 12:30PM pickup for a reduced tuition rate.) St. Andrew's Day School will offer a 10% discount to the second child in the same family with more than one child enrolled. Current members of St. Andrew's will also receive a 10% discount on tuition.

The Day School strives to provide each student a sense of worthiness and an opportunity to learn in a Christian environment. The staff and board believe that a balance of preschool learning activities and play enhances growth and development in all areas: physically, socially, emotionally, creatively, and intellectually. This is achieved in a safe, loving, faith-based environment with a staff dedicated to enriching children's lives.

For more information, visit saintandy.org, call (409) 892-8246, or email dayschool@saintandy.org.



CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!



AARON ALLEN

Hardin-Jefferson High School

Activities: Boy Scouts, band, football, fishing team, welding team, FFA, basketball

Hobbies: welding, fishing, camping, hiking, auto repair

Future Plans: LIT-Instrumentation Technology and work at TxDoT this summer

Favorite Color: maroon

Favorite Food: Steak, grilled shrimp, crawfish



AIDAN COLLINS

West Brook High School

Activities: marching band, jazz band, piano, golf, fishing, forging

Future Plans: Lamar University, Music Education Major

Favorite Color: blue

Favorite Food: Seafood or pizza



ABIGAIL YODER

West Brook High School

Activities: Stars Drill Team, National Honors Society, teaching swim lessons, lifeguarding, drawing, spending time with friends

Future Plans: either Lamar University or Texas State University, Major in Nutrition Dietetics

Favorite Color: Green

Favorite Food: Any pasta

ST. ANDREW'S SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE: MARSHALL MIDDLE SCHOOL, 2024-2025

The Mission and Evangelism Team is sponsoring a school supply drive benefitting Marshall Middle School for the 2024-2025 school year. Donations help relieve the burden on teachers, and also help students focus on learning. You can drop off supplies at the Church Office during business hours or after church on Sundays from June 16-July 14. Take this opportunity to be a blessing to the students in our community! Below is a list of needs:



Highlighters
(multicolor) and
dry erase markers



Composition
books



Large erasers



1-inch or 2-inch
binders



Antibacterial
wipes



Black or blue
ballpoint pens



Pencil pouches



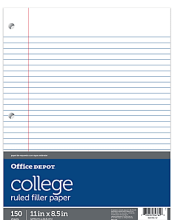
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TI-30xs Multi-View



Tissues



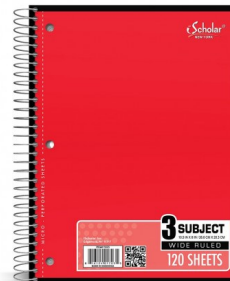
College-rule
notebook paper



Pocket folders



12-pack colored
pencils



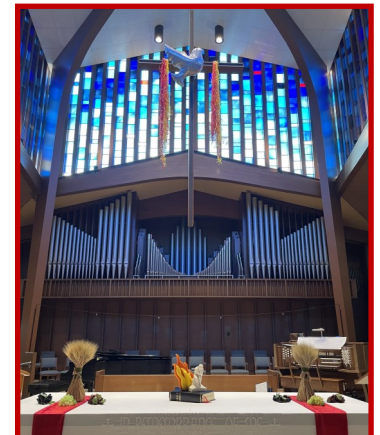
Spiral notebook



Sticky notes

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION

On Pentecost the church was born. In keeping with this history, we welcomed our confirmands into the church on May 19, Pentecost Sunday: **William Armstrong, Zachary Armstrong, Hunter Bradford, Dorisa Neely, Halle Neely, Sarah Pember, Jude Reese, and Dan Yoder.**





BAPTISMS AT ST. ANDY'S: MAY



During the Confirmation service, **Dorisa Ann Neely** and **Howard Daniel Yoder** were also baptized. Congratulations again to these two confirmands!

YOUTH GROUP IN JUNE

- Youth Group at 5:00PM on June 2, 23, and 30
- NO Youth Group on Senior Sunday, June 9
- NO Youth Group on Father's Day, June 16
- Join us as we work through the church-wide study, *Believe*



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

June 16, 2024

2024 NOMINATIONS FOR CHURCH OFFICERS

The Nominating Committee would like to have your input as they prayerfully seek the right candidates to fill various church positions. Officers for the Class of 2027 will be elected by our congregation at the Fall meeting.

*Please submit your nominations
no later than June 16.*

ELDERS, together with the minister, constitute the governing body of our church called the Session, which is responsible for the spiritual welfare and ministry of the congregation, as well as the oversight of the financial and day-to-day operations of the church.

DEACONS are women and men whose responsibility consists of leading the church by expressing Christian love and concern for those in the community who have special needs, as well as those in the hospital, nursing homes, and those who may be homebound.

TRUSTEES are legal signatories for matters of the Congregation in its status as a corporation and administer the business of the church in matters of property, the memorial garden fund, and the investment fund.

SAPC'S FOUNDATION was established to provide support for the activities of the church through the gifts, donations, and bequests of its members. The committee, in coordination with its investment advisor, is responsible for overseeing and monitoring the Foundation funds to ensure its long-term viability and that its investment objectives are being met.

THE DAY SCHOOL BOARD provides leadership and direction in partnership with the Director to ensure the school runs smoothly and maintains compliance with all state licensing regulations.

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE nominates persons to serve in the offices of elder, deacon, trustee, and foundation board by identifying persons to serve in leadership for the congregation.

All nominees should be committed Christian women and men who are involved in the church's life, enthusiastic for its mission, and consistent in their worship participation.

2024 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Session Representation: Julie Glenn, Susan Reese, chair

Diaconate Representation: Martha Giarratano

Members-at-Large Representation: Julie Odle (secretary), Craig Pember, Linda Sparkman, Steve Richardson

2024 NOMINATIONS FOR CHURCH OFFICERS

1. Office for which nominee recommended _____

Name _____ Telephone _____

How has this person served in our church? (Be specific) _____

Why I recommend this person for this office: (Be specific) _____

2. Office for which nominee recommended _____

Name _____ Telephone _____

How has this person served in our church? (Be specific) _____

Why I recommend this person for this office: (Be specific) _____

3. Office for which nominee recommended _____

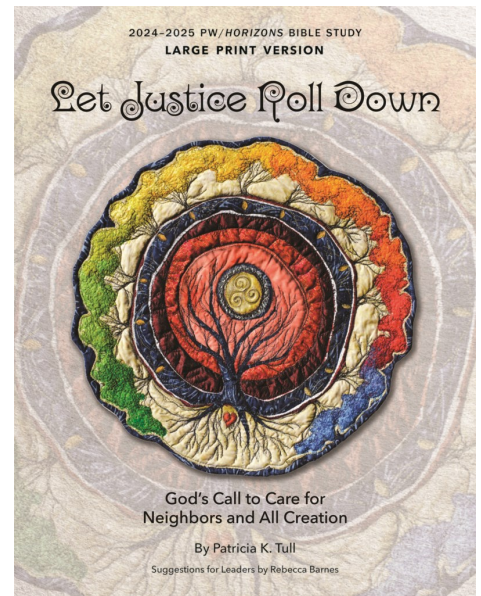
Name _____ Telephone _____

How has this person served in our church? (Be specific) _____

Why I recommend this person for this office: (Be specific) _____

Signature _____

Please place in the offering basket, drop off at the church office, or mail to:
Nominating Committee Co-chairs, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church,
1350 N. 23rd Street, Beaumont, TX 77706



PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN 2024-2025 BIBLE STUDY

The 2023-2024 Presbyterian Women Bible Study concluded on May 28 with the Annual Salad Luncheon and a Bible trivia game.

Make plans to join next year's Bible study at 10:00AM on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Pastor Tara will lead *Let Justice Roll Down: God's Call to Care for Neighbors and All Creation*, by Patricia K. Tull. If you would like to purchase study materials, contact PW Treasurer Greta Ott or the Church Office.





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