

LITURGIST: (8:30) Tomi Yezak, (10:30) Suzy Buehrle

CHANCEL CHAT: Paige Neyland

CHOIR LEADERSHIP: Much thanks to Zoey Henderson for her Leadership as Levi Duncan is out today.

CHANCEL FLOWERS: The flowers on the chancel today are placed there to the glory of God and in honor of their 65th Wedding Anniversary, this month, by John & Eleanor Alexander.

PRAYER: As the new year begins please continue to be in prayer for the Pastor Search Committee and for the heart and vision of the new servant God has for St. Andrew's. Updated copies available on sanctuary tables.

MEETING OF CONGREGATION: There will be a meeting of the congregation on Sunday, February 2nd at 10:20 in the sanctuary. This will be to add new officers to the slate.

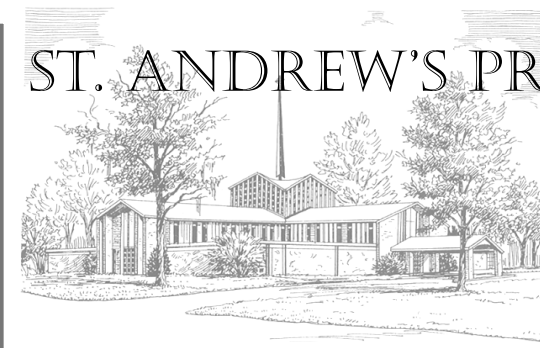
TAG: Thursday Activity Group will meet Thursday, February 13 at noon in the Parlor. All are welcome. Please call Ann Latiolais for lunch reservations at 409-892-3096.

PRAISES & PRAYER LIST

Members: Deanna Weitzel, The Family of Stewart Chisum, Mr. & Mrs. Chris (Olivia) Thompson, Gary Sitton, Thomas Fisher, Sally Nichols, Susan Meitzen, Kay Sutton, Susan Meitzen, Bill McIlrath, Samuel Gaskin, Laura, Juanell Jones, Rev. Wayne Rhodes, Sandy & Dave Darchuk, Dean Lovejoy, Darla, and Bryan Rao.

Friends and Family: Baby Gracie Weible (Yezak), Bob Higgins, The Family of Jamey Perkins, Baby Madeline Johnson (Caywood), Ella San Miguel, Earl Wilcox, The Family of Jamerel Edwards, Kerrie Kyles and big brother Jace Edwards for Baby Boy Jordan Ray Edwards, Evan Johnson, The Family of George Brown, Will and Ashley Partain and Baby Boy Britton Ivey Partain, Debbie Neef, The Family of Ivey Partain, Gracie Patton, Annalyse Garrett, Danielle, Brian, Beverly & Larry Theriot, Eva Love Sherbondy, Jill Botkin, Pat Esterman, Montel Thibodeaux, Bryan Adams, Phil Storms, C. Perez, Raymond Jones, Jerry Esterline, Shawn Kennedy & Lorry, Tenesha H., Bill McKeon, Cheryl Bryan, Ron & Jean Williamson, Floyd, Kim Lawrence, Mary, Liam, Tammy, Jeannie Leonard, Jennifer Patton, Mac'kia, Ellie Cole, Carol Hendrickson, Cindy Woodland, Carl Keith, Betty & Chris, Cheryl, Bob Janecek, Sherrie, and Canyon Cassidy.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
3rd Sunday after Epiphany

January 26, 2020 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

*Welcome,
Newcomers!
Grab the
Connect Card in
the pew in front
of you, fill it out
and a \$5
donation will be
made on your
behalf.*

WE GATHER AS A FAITH COMMUNITY

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP ISAIAH 9, PSALM 27, MATTHEW 4
God of light and love, we come this morning with eyes stinging from the brightness of your glory. We have become so accustomed to the darkness, that your radiant light sometimes overwhelms us. Open our eyes to the light of your dawn, that our souls may be flooded with love and mercy and joy. Open our hearts to receive your message of comfort and peace and security, that we may find rest in your loving, protective presence. Open our spirits to follow the path you put before us, that we may lead lives committed to your Way. Amen.

PRELUDE (10:30)

LIFE AT ST. ANDREW'S

TO PRAISE THE LIVING GOD

INTROIT (10:30) *You Are The Light* CHANCEL CHOIR

*CALL TO WORSHIP ISAIAH 9, PSALM 27, MATTHEW 9

To those who sit in darkness, light has dawned.
**To those who dwell in gloom and despair,
God's glorious presence has appeared.**
God is indeed our light and our salvation!
We will follow, unafraid, where God and Jesus lead us.
Let God's people shout for joy!
For Christ calls us and claims us as his own.
Let us worship our God of light and promise.
Let us celebrate the hope and joy of our salvation.

*HYMN 637 *O Sing to the Lord*

*When this
symbol (*)
precedes an
element of the
service, those
who are able
please stand.*

*Please join in
reading aloud
those parts of
the service
printed in **bold**.*

St. Andrew's Calendar

Sunday, January 26, 2020

8:30 AM Worship
9:15 AM Sunday School & Small Groups
9:15 AM PW Sunday Circle
10:30 AM Worship
11:45 AM Meet & Greet
11:45 AM Choir Rehearsal
5:00 PM Friends of Lois - Women Only

Monday, January 27, 2020

10:00 AM Bible Study
4:00 PM Strings After School
6:00 PM Pastor Search Committee Mtg
6:00 PM Cub Scout Den Mtg
6:30 PM La Hacienda Alumni & Friends

Tuesday, January 28, 2020

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study
9:30 AM Staff Meeting
10:00 AM PW Enrichment
4:00 PM Strings After School
6:00 PM Cub Scouts Den Mtg
6:30 PM Session Meeting
6:30 PM Boy Scouts Troop 221

Wednesday, January 29, 2020

9:30 AM Knit Wits
9:30 AM Day School Chapel
6:30 PM SAPC Handbell Rehearsal

Thursday, January 30, 2020

8:30 AM Meals on Wheels Cooks
9:30 AM Prayer Team
10:00 AM Meals on Wheels Delivery
4:30 PM Foundation Mtg
6:00 PM Cub Scouts Den Mtg
6:00 PM GTHB Ensemble Rehearsal

Friday, January 31, 2020

~ OFFICE CLOSED ~
Saturday, February 1, 2020
9:30 AM Cracker Barrel Breakfast

Sunday, February 2, 2020

~ COMMUNION SUNDAY ~
~ MEETING OF CONGREGATION ~
8:30 AM Worship
9:15 AM Sunday School & Small Groups
10:20 AM Meeting of Congregation
10:30 AM Worship
11:45 AM Meet & Greet
11:45 AM Choir Rehearsal
3:00 PM Calder Woods Service
4:30 PM Officer Training
5:00 PM Friends of Lois - Women Only

**ST. ANDREW'S
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
1350 N. 23RD STREET • BEAUMONT, TX 77706
(409) 892-8611, FAX (409) 892-8623
OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY - THURSDAY
8:30AM TO 4:30PM

Pastoral Associate.....Julie Odle, CRE
Day School Director.....Deanna Weitzel
Associate for Youth & Their Families.....TBA

Director of Music Ministry.....Levi Duncan
Organist/Pianist.....Thomas Furlow
Financial Secretary.....Melissa Hoyt

Please join in reading aloud those parts of the service printed in bold.

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ISAIAH 9, PSALM 27, 1 CORINTHIANS 1, MATTHEW 4

God of our light and our salvation, sometimes we prefer to live in darkness, embracing the safety and anonymity of the shadows; sometimes we delight in our divisions, believing we are better than others; sometimes the yoke of our calling feels too heavy, and we seek to slip out from under the bar across our shoulders. Forgive our fear. Forgive our aversion to the light. Forgive our unresponsiveness to your call. Forgive our willful blindness and deafness to the Way. Help us know deep in our souls that you are our light and our salvation, our joy and our wonder, our very life. Hear us as we cry aloud in our need. Amen.

(Silence for personal confession)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PSALM 27

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God!**

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

MATTHEW 4

May the peace of Christ, be with you all.
And also, with you.

TO EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD

CHANCEL CHAT

HYMN 721

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READINGS

PSALM 28:4-9A
ISAIAH 9:2
PEW BIBLE, OT 638, 503

The Word of God for the people of God!
Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM (10:30)

My Love Is Like a Red, Red Rose
STRING TRIO

CAROLE RABINOWITZ

VALERA MESSER, DOROTHY MOOREFIELD, MARTHA GIARRATANO

Please join in reading aloud those parts of the service printed in bold.

NEW TESTAMENT READINGS

1 CORINTHIANS 1:18
MATTHEW 4:12-23, SELECTED VERSES
PEW BIBLE, NT 166, 3

God always blesses the reading and hearing of The Word!
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Regardless

JULIE ODLE

PRAYERS OF THE 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 debts,
As we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen**

CALL TO COMMITMENT AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY 606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GO OUT INTO THE WORLD TO GLORIFY GOD IN OUR DAILY LIVES

*HYMN 837

What A Fellowship, What A Joy Divine

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*CHORAL BENEDICTION (10:30)

To God Be The Glory

CHANCEL CHOIR

Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord; let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord; let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,
And give Him the glory: great things he has done!

*POSTLUDE

Please join us following the 10:30 service for a Meet & Greet of the staff.