

THE SESSION HAS AGREED to continue with the suspension of worship service and office hours for the next week. They will reevaluate on May 19. Please continue to keep up with your church family by the week day Hospital Today emails. You may call Melissa H. or myself if you need us. God's blessings!

PRAYER TIME is listed two times a day on the calendar below. It is at 7 pm in hopes that your entire family will sit down together for a time of prayer. If you are alone in your home call a friend and pray with them. Then on Monday - Saturday you will notice that the prayer time is listed at 9 am. Take time to lift a prayer! Start reading a chapter in the Bible, begin going through your Church Directory praying for one another, or even try journaling—possibly a "Thanks" journal. Stay close to God and one another through prayer!

ZOOM TIME for those who are able join us for a time of Fellowship! We meet by ZOOM on Tuesday's at 1:30 pm and Thursday's at 7:00 pm. It is a time of reconnecting with one another. Watch your emails.

FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS applications are available. It is late May and we are just starting the process for St. Andrews Foundation scholarships for next fall. We apologize for the tardiness, but the coronavirus has slowed down everything. However, the time is now getting short! The **Anderson** scholarship is for first-semester freshmen and the **Drennan** scholarship is for students who have completed 24 credit hours by June 1, 2020. Applications are available on the St. Andrew's website (saintandy.org/about/st-andrews-foundation) with the **deadline** for applications moved to **June 10, 2020**. If you have any questions, please contact Martha Pate at mpate@gt.rr.com or text her at (409) 718-1150.

PRAISES & PRAYER LIST

Members: The Family of Ron Neiderstadt, The Family of Jerry Edmiston, Joyce Head, Lenore Holliman, Nancy Landolt, Cody Thompson, Gary Sitton, Thomas Fisher, Kay Sutton, Bill McIlrath, Laura, Juanell Jones, Keith Davis, Rev. Wayne Rhodes, Sandy & Dave Darchuk, Dean Lovejoy, Darla, and Bryan Rao.

Friends and Family: Mitch Stowe, The Family of Lawrence Walton, Sarah, Mary, Harley, Rachel, Early Ward, Stephanie Shawn, Eric, Booker, The Family of Edward Stedman, The Family of Randy Flatau, The Family of Mary Ann Kerth (Debra Adams' – mother), Evelyn, The Family of Warren Langston, Bonette McBride, Baby Gracie Weible (Yezak), Bob Higgins, Baby Madeline Johnson (Caywood), Ella San Miguel, Evan Johnson, Debbie Neef, Danielle, Brian, Beverly & Larry Theriot, Eva Love Sherbondy, Jill Botkin, Montel Thibodeaux, Bryan Adams, Phil Storms, Jerry Esterline, Shawn Kennedy & Lorry, Tenesha H., Bill McKeon, Cheryl Bryan, 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 Calendar

Sunday, May 17, 2020
10:30 AM Worship - LIVE STREAM ONLY
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Monday, May 18, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Tuesday, May 19, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
1:30 PM ZOOM - Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Wednesday, May 20, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Thursday, May 21, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
7:00 PM ZOOM - Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Friday, May 22, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

Saturday, May 23, 2020
9:00 AM Prayer Time
7:00 PM Prayer Time

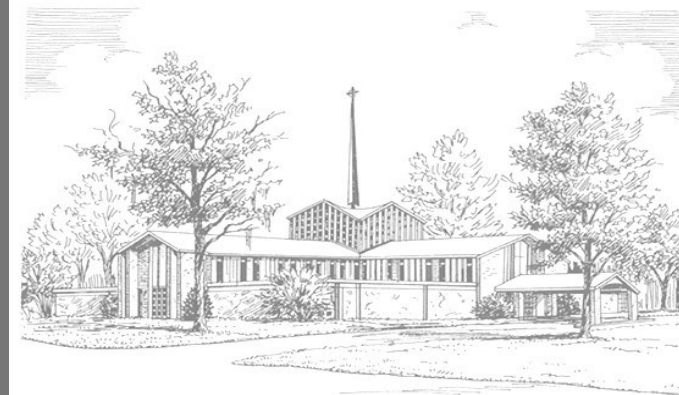
Sunday, May 24, 2020
10:30 AM Worship - LIVE STREAM ONLY
7:00 PM Prayer Time

**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

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
6th Sunday of Easter
May 17, 2020 10:30 a.m.
Live Stream Only

WE GATHER AS A FAITH COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

Creator of the world, Eternal God
It is You we come to praise!
Redeemer of humanity, Christ with us,
We seek common ground with you
Spirit of Truth, ever-present
In you our journeys meet.
In your name, Three-in-One God,
Let us worship together! Amen!

HYMN 395

Blessed Jesus, at Your Word

**Blessed Jesus, at your word we have come again to hear you;
let our thoughts and hearts be stirred and in glowing faith be near you.
By your gospel true and holy, teach us, Lord, to love you solely.**

**All our knowledge, sense, and sight lie in deepest darkness shrouded,
till your Spirit breaks our night, filling us with light unclouded.
All good thoughts and all good living come but by your gracious giving.**

**Glorious Lord, yourself impart, Light of Light, from God proceeding.
Touch our lips and ears and heart; help us by your Spirit's pleading.
Hear the cry your church now raises; hear, and bless our prayers and praises.**

CALL TO CONFESSION

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God, we admit that our conscience is not clear. We do not always keep to the right path; we fail to love you and our neighbors as You command. Wash us in the water of life that we may live again through the grace and mercy of Jesus, our resurrected Savior...

(Silence for personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Let the people say, "Amen!"
Amen

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi

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

TO EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD

CHANCEL CHAT

~ take time with your children ~

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE GOSPEL READING

JOHN 14:15 - 21
THE MESSAGE

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

EPISTLE READING

ACTS 17:22 - 31
THE MESSAGE

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

SERMON

God Known

MARGARET DESMOND

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER GUIDE

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**

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OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN 366

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

**Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling; all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation; enter every trembling heart.**

**Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit into every troubled breast;
let us all in thee inherit; let us find the promised rest.
Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.**

**Come, Almighty, to deliver; let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.**

**Finish then thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee:
changed from glory into glory, till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise.**

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

CHARGE AND BLESSING

BENEDICTION

Because He Lives

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives, all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living,
Just because He lives

THOSE LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY:

SOUND	MARK CHAMPION
LIVE STREAM	KAREN SPIVEY
AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE	KIARA COLLINS
LITURGIST	BRUCE PARTAIN
ORGANIST	PAULA NICHOLS
MUSIC DIRECTOR	LEVI DUNCAN

SPECIAL THANKS to Margaret Desmond for leading our worship service today.