

*St. Andrew by the Sea
A Community Church*

February 12, 2017
10:00 a.m.

Sixth Sunday After the Epiphany

Welcome!

We welcome you to worship at St. Andrew by the Sea. Your presence enriches our fellowship. Please sign the attendance registration form, and if a first time visitor, please fill out a visitor's card (located in the back of the pew) and place it in the offering plate. Thank you for being with us today.

Chiming of the Hour

peregrinatio est tacere
“to be on pilgrimage is to be silent”

Prelude

"Jesus Christ Our Strength"

Schriner

*Opening Hymn – 18 ***Come, We That Love the Lord***

Praise the Lord. Sing to the Lord a new song.

Ps. 149:1

*Opening Prayer

*Passing of the Peace

The Peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Holy Ground

*We are standing on holy ground,
and I know that there are angels all around.
We are standing in his presence on holy ground.
Let us praise Jesus now.*

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to
judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

**universal*

*Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.*

Welcome and Announcements

Old Testament Reading (Pew Bible, p. 186) **Deuteronomy 30:15-20**

May the Lord bless the reading of this Old Testament scripture.
Thanks be to God.

A Word about the Building Campaign

Alice Villadsen

Sacrament of Baptism

Shelby Flanagan

Pastoral Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

Choral Response

Offertory

"Precious Lord"

Soloist: David Saunders

Arr. Schrader

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology – 625 ***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.

All children are invited to follow Ms. Sara to the front of the church for Children's Moments.

Children's Moments

After the Children's Moments, those second grade and younger may go with Ms. Sara to Children's Church.

New Testament Reading (Pew Bible, p. 4)

Matthew 5:21-37

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Laying Down the Law"

Rev. Dr. Lawrence Wood

*Hymn – 395 ***Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord***

Teach me Your way, O Lord.

*Benediction

*Choral Amen

*Postlude

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Lawrence Wood

Associate Pastor: Rev. George R. Myers

Assistant Pastor: Sara Hunter

Lay Reader: Rod Chappelle

Acolyte: Marley Hunter & Maddy Kollek

Music Director: Joan Hand

Choral Director: Dr. Roger Jones

Administrative Assistant: Pat Strahan

*The flowers on the altar are presented to the glory of God
by Bill and Susan Coyne
in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.*

Ushers: Allen Woerner, Marge Bumann, Mike Cutchen, Clint Davis, Andy Haynes, Chance McLemore, German Moran, Betty Patton, Mike Vaughn and Sue Vosloh.

**Wheelchairs and devices to assist the hearing-impaired
are available from the ushers.**

*Please stand

Child care is available throughout worship service in the Fellowship Hall for newborns to 5 years of age.

Join us for Sunday morning breakfast at 8:30 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall.

Nursery

Nursery Care for infants (newborn up to 1 year old) and toddlers (1 year up to 3 years old) is staffed from 9:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. every Sunday. Our nursery is located in the Fellowship Hall directly across from our toddlers in classroom #4.

Children's Church

Children **3 years old - 2nd grade** who are interested in attending Children's Church will be escorted to the Youth Building after the Children's Blessing.

Children's Bulletins

There are children's worship bulletins available in the Narthex for ages 3 - 12.

Sunday School

Please see insert for time and details on Sunday School Classes and other weekly activities.

Groups and Activities

Monday:	Feb. 13 th	Four Winds Barbershop Chorus	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday:	Feb. 14 th	Prayer Group & Bible Study St. Andrew Men breakfast Stephen Ministry Adult Spiritual Growth Ministries	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday:	Feb. 15 th	Children's Choir Bell practice Dinner Family Activities – Children – Youth- Adults	5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Thursday:	Feb. 16 th	St. Andrew Community Men's Prayer Breakfast	7:00 a.m.
Sunday:	Feb. 19 th	Chili and Soup Cook Off	5:30 p.m.

Prayer List: For your convenience we have alphabetized our prayer list. Names will remain on the list for two weeks, unless renewed. Our Women's Prayer Group meets every Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the sanctuary to pray for those on our prayer list.

In our Prayers: May Alanko, Nelle Alexander, Gene Barbour, Angie Barnes, Marlene Boeker, April Boone, Kevin Boule, Jim Boutwell, Myra Branyon, Buddy Brown, Valerie Caldwell, Skylar Carpenter, Fr. David Carucci, Holly Christopher, Bill Curtis, Harry & Ardys Dalton, Carla Davis, Sandy Derstine, Ab DeWeese, Baxter Duddy, Al & Lois Erbes, Jim Fambrough, Milton Fulman, Frank Fuschino, Boo Guidry, Jennifer Guthrie, Salud Goodin, Jorg Grabert, Virginia Null Graves, Lionel Gustafson, Steve Gyuricsko, Leon Hasting, Lauren Hawkins, Heinz Hempelman, Jonathan & Nashisha Henderson and family, family of Bob & Karolyn House, Karen Jordahl, Stacie Kendrick, Ed Klinske, Gary Kreigh, Scott Langus, Leisha LaRiviere, family of Shael Lawson, Paige Legg, James A. Leonard III, family of Andrea Mallory, Skye Martin, Stephen & Mandi McNamara, Chuck Medlin, Lukas Medlin, Carolyn Merchant, Buster Milner, Chuck Nicoll, Kyle Null, Lela O'Berry, Brady O'Connell, family of Coach Odall, Melissa Peace, family of Bennie Perrin, Michael Pierce, Calvin Porter, Peggie Prish, Bart Pryor, Cathy Qualls, Judy Ramm, Debbie Riecke, Bob Roberts, Deb Roberts, Judy Roy, Christy Ruffin, Billy Rumbley, Norma Schafer, Margaret Shalander, Luke Shepherd, Debra Smith, Patricia Smith, David Sprotte, Ellen Stapleton, Sarah Stoddard, Sharon Svejda, Susanne Tarleton, Bill Teer, Cameron Verean, Bob Vosloh, Cindy Wakefield, Lois Watts, Helen Webb, Ginger & Natasha Williams, Frank Wright, and unmentioned requests.

Scriptures for next Sunday – Psalm 119:33-40 & Matthew 5:38-48

3rd Annual Gospel Jubilee today at 2 p.m.

Please join us **today** for our 3rd Annual St. Andrew Choir Gospel Jubilee at **2 p.m.** in the Sanctuary for a fun filled evening of memorable gospel music! Child care will be provided.

Monday Feb. 13th at 7 p.m. Four Winds Barbershop Chorus

The St. Andrew Men's Club welcomes back the always popular Four Winds Barbershop Chorus. The Four Winds will present a benefit concert in the sanctuary of St. Andrew by the Sea, a Community Church, on Monday, **Feb. 13th** at 7 p.m. The St. Andrew Men will accept a love offering at the end of the concert. The proceeds will benefit the ongoing outreach to charities in the south Baldwin County area.

Attention Men of St. Andrew, members, and visitors! Join the St. Andrew Men for their monthly breakfast on **Tues., Feb. 14th** at 9 a.m. Enjoy a wonderful breakfast as well as great fellowship. No reservation required.

St Andrew Community Men's Prayer Breakfast: You are invited to attend the St. Andrew Community Men's Prayer Breakfast on Thurs., **Feb. 16th** from 7AM to 8AM in the Fellowship Hall here at St Andrew by the Sea. We encourage you to invite a friend and join us in Jan. for this wonderful opportunity to get acquainted with other men in our community. **Please contact Perry Hand at 251-604-7936 for your reservation.**

Children's choir practice: There will be no children's choir practice Feb. 22nd or March 1st. Children will perform during worship service on Feb. 19th.

GET YOUR CHILI POTS AND SOUP POTS READY FOR ST. ANDREW'S ANNUAL CHILI/SOUP/DESSERT COOK OFF!

Have you checked out the plaques on the wall in the Fellowship Hall? They display the winners in chili/soup and dessert categories for the past years. We always have a first, second and third place. Want to see if yours can be added? Bring your best chili or soup in a crock pot, with serving spoon and extension cord to the Fellowship Hall at **5:30 p.m.** on **Feb. 19th**. Those that don't make soups and chili, bring a dessert. The sign-up sheet will be in the Fellowship Hall or call Susan Coyne at (205-492-2205).

A new Stephen Ministries Class will be starting soon. We are now taking applications which you can pick up in the church office or from Rod & Linda Chappelle.

Children and Youth Yard Sale

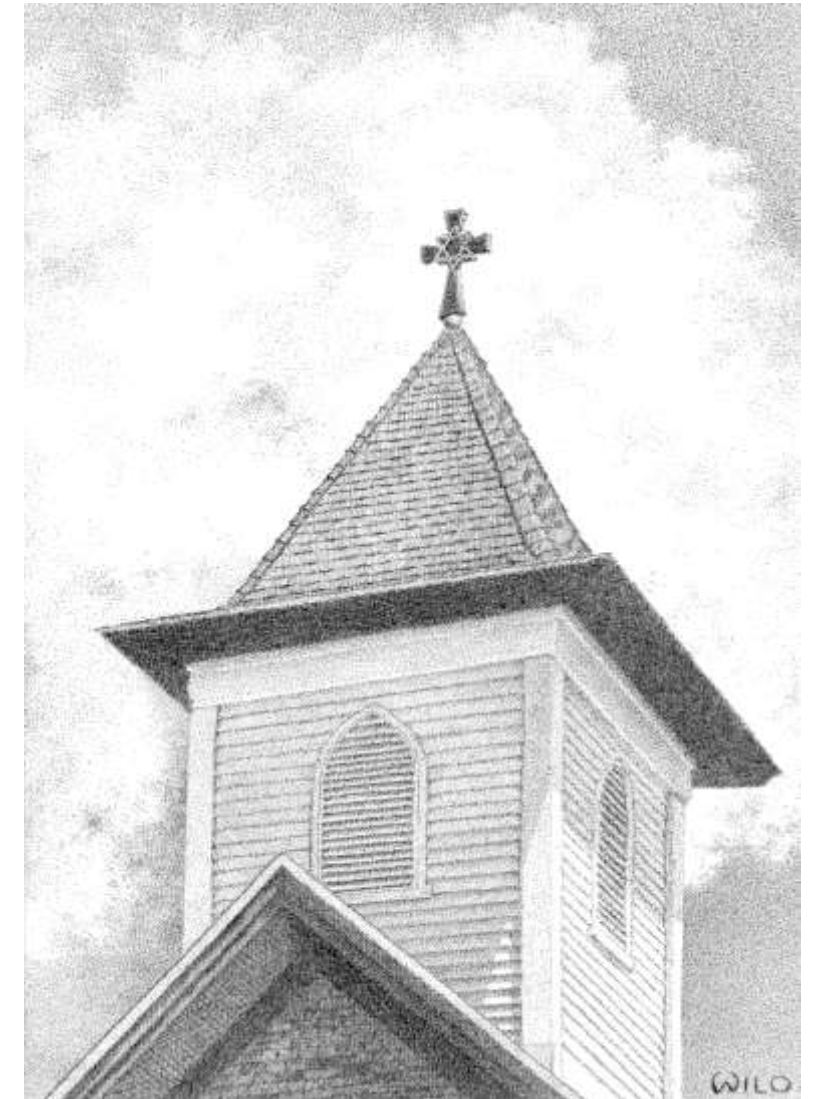
March 18th - If you have items to donate please bring them to the CAYAC. If you are unable to bring them please notify Sara and she will make arrangement for them to be picked up.

	Pledged	<u>Loose Plate</u> Non Pledge
Financial Summary for February		
February Budgeted	\$ 26,000.00	\$ 13,000.00
February Actual	\$ 7,863.00	\$ 5,274.00
Year to Date Budgeted	\$ 56,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
Year to Date Actual	\$ 31,342.00	\$ 19,390.00

Weekend Emergency Number: 968-3900. You will be forwarded to the pastor on call. Office hours: 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Mon. – Fri. - Office Phone Number - 251-968-3900

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