

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 14, 2026

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Moses tells the Israelites that they are called to be a priestly kingdom and a holy people. Jesus sends out the disciples as laborers into the harvest. In baptism we too are anointed for ministry, sharing God's compassion with our needy world. From the Lord's table we go forth to proclaim the good news, to heal the sick, and to share our bread with the hungry.



**St. Andrew's
Lutheran Church**

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A congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

Welcome to worship! Whether you are here for the first time or have been a life-long member, we pray that you experience God's presence in worship.

All God's Children are Welcome! If you have children, know that all of you are welcome in worship. Little people sounds tell us that everyone is here. If your little one becomes fussy, feel free to step out for a moment. Families may want to sit near the pray ground in the front left side of the Worship space. There are speakers in the gathering space.

Pastoral Concerns occasionally come up. In cases of severe illness, hospitalization, death, birth of a child, marriages, joys and sadness, many people would like a pastor to visit with them. Please be sure to contact the office to let us know of your desire.

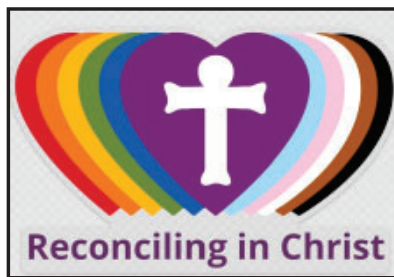
Offering is received as a response to God's grace and blessing, and as an expression of our faith. Jesus tells us, "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Matthew 6:21)

Holy Communion is celebrated at nearly every service. Admission to the Sacrament is by invitation of the Lord, presented through the Church to those who are baptized. All are welcome.

Interested in growing in faith? If you have questions about what it means to enter into partnership in our shared ministry feel free to contact Pastor David.

Announcements: The announcements begin on page 18, following the worship service.

Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church Welcome Statement



At St. Andrew's Lutheran Church (ELCA), we hold space for you—the full you—including your race, age, ethnic background, personality, experiences, gender identity, sexual orientations, gender expressions, and mental, spiritual, and physical needs. Here, you are invited to worship, pray, play, be baptized, get married, and celebrate Holy Communion.

Together, we strive to eliminate human-caused barriers to a holy relationship with Jesus Christ and with one another. We hear the call to love our neighbor as a commitment to antiracism and welcome for our LGBTQIA+ siblings. We pledge to work intentionally to further justice and inclusion. We strive to glorify God in the ways we care for each other, our communities, and our planet. Recognizing that we are all siblings in Christ, we celebrate, affirm, and welcome individuals and families in all their beautiful and varied compositions. As a church that holds space just for you, we are better for having you and your unique voice here!

Come just as you are!

Welcome to St. Andrew's Lutheran Church

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✠ GATHERING ✠

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

8:30

King of Kings

Hillsong Worship

11:00

Praise God, From Whom all Blessings Flow

setting by Benjamin M. Culli

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God,
whose compassion endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin to God.

Compassionate God,

we confess to you all our sins.

Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves.

In your mercy, call us back to you.

Your yoke is easy and your burden is light.

Restore us to dwell in your peace.

In Christ's name we pray,

Amen.

Jesus says, "Come to me,
all you who are weary
and are carrying heavy burdens,
and I will give you rest."

In the name of God,

Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit,

your sins are forgiven.

Rest in God's love.

Amen.

- 1 All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell;
come ye before him and rejoice.
- 2 Know that the Lord is God indeed;
without our aid he did us make.
We are his folk, he doth us feed,
and for his sheep he doth us take.
- 3 Oh, enter then his gates with praise;
approach with joy his courts unto;
praise, laud, and bless his name always,
for it is seemly so to do.
- 4 For why? The Lord our God is good:
His mercy is forever sure;
his truth at all times firmly stood,
and shall from age to age endure.
- 5 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
the God whom heav'n and earth adore,
from us and from the angel host
be praise and glory evermore.

GREETING

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The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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Let us pray.

God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

CHILDRENS TIME

✠ WORD ✠

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING

Exodus 19:2-8a

A reading from Exodus.

²[The Israelites] journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain.³ Then Moses went up to God; the LORD called to him from the mountain, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob and tell the Israelites: ⁴'You have seen what I did to the Egyptians and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. ⁵ Now, therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, ⁶ but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation.' These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites."

⁷ So Moses went, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. ^{8a} The people all answered as one, "Everything that the LORD has spoken we will do."

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 100

¹ Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all you lands!

² Serve the LORD with gladness; come into God's presence with a song.

³ **Know that the LORD is God, our maker to whom we belong;
we are God's people and the sheep of God's pasture.**

⁴ Enter the gates of the LORD with thanksgiving and the courts with praise;
give thanks and bless God's holy name.

⁵ **Good indeed is the LORD, whose steadfast love is everlasting,
whose faithfulness endures from age to age.**

SECOND READING

Romans 5:1-8

A reading from Romans.

¹ Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,

² through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we

boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³ And not only that, but we also boast in

our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces

character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not put us to shame, because

God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to

us.

⁶ For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷ Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. ⁸ But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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**Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia.
Alleluia, alleluia.**

GOSPEL

Matthew 9:35–10:8-23

The holy gospel according to Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁵ Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness. ³⁶ When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. ³⁷ Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸ therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”

^{10:1} Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. ² These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee and his brother John; ³ Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus and Thaddaeus; ⁴ Simon the Cananaean and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

⁵ These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Do not take a road leading to gentiles, and do not enter a Samaritan town, ⁶ but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ⁷ As you go, proclaim the good news, ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ ⁸ Cure the sick; raise the dead; cleanse those with a skin disease; cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment. ⁹ Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, ¹⁰ no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff, for laborers deserve their food. ¹¹ Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. ¹² As you enter the house, greet it. ¹³ If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it, but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you.

¹⁴ If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. ¹⁵ Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town.

¹⁶ "I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves, so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. ¹⁷ Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues, ¹⁸ and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the gentiles. ¹⁹ When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say, for what you are to say will be given to you at that time, ²⁰ for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. ²¹ Sibling will betray sibling to death and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death, ²² and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. ²³ When they persecute you in this town, flee to the next, for truly I tell you, you will not have finished going through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes."

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

You Give the Great Commission

ELW 579

- 1 Lord, you give the great commission:
"Heal the sick and preach the word."
Lest the church neglect its mission,
and the gospel go unheard,
help us witness to your purpose
with renewed integrity:

Refrain

With the Spirit's gifts empow'r us
for the work of ministry.

- 2 Lord, you call us to your service:
"In my name baptize and teach."
That the world may trust your promise,
life abundant meant for each,
give us all new fervor, draw us
closer in community: *Refrain*

- 3 Lord, you make the common holy:
"This my body, this my blood."
Let us all, for earth's true glory,
daily lift life heavenward,
asking that the world around us
share your children's liberty: *Refrain*
- 4 Lord, you show us love's true measure:
"Father, what they do, forgive."
Yet we hoard as private treasure
all that you so freely give.
May your care and mercy lead us
to a just society: *Refrain*
- 5 Lord, you bless with words assuring:
"I am with you to the end."
Faith and hope and love restoring,
may we serve as you intend
and, amid the cares that claim us,
hold in mind eternity: *Refrain*

Apostles' CREED

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Having heard of God's steadfast love, let us commit ourselves to that relationship of love using the words of the Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living 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.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Trusting in the power of Christ's resurrection to heal and redeem our broken world, let us pray for the needs of all creation.

Each petition concludes:

God of grace,

hear our prayer..

The final petition concludes:

...to you, O God, through Jesus our Savior.

Amen.

SHARING THE PEACE

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We open Zoom microphones to speak Peace to one another.

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

✠ **MEAL** ✠

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING

Please remember that Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church continues important ministry. Consider making offerings by any of these means:

- **Offering Basket:** Place your offering in the basket as you enter or leave worship;
- **Mail:** send offerings to Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church weekly or monthly;
- **Online:** visit the SaintAndrewsLutheran.org website and click the Donate Now button;
- **Bill pay:** use the convenience of the bill pay feature through your financial institution.
- **Give by Text:** Use a smart phone to text the contribution amount to 844-989-4094. Return text will provide a link for recording credit/debit card information and your contact information.

MUSICAL OFFERING

8:30

King of Kings

Hill Song Worship

- 1 In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope without light
Till from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfil the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Chorus

- Praise the Father
Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit three in one
God of Glory
Majesty
Praise forever to the King of kings
- 2 To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross
For even in Your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake You died: *Chorus*
 - 3 And the morning that You rose
All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored: *Chorus*

4 And the Church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this Gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel shall not faint
By His blood and in His Name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me: *Chorus*

11:00

Grazioso

Georg Philipp Telemann

OFFERING PRAYER

Loving God,
we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts.
Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love,
so that all creation can taste your abundance.
We ask this in the name of Jesus,
through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

DIALOGUE

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The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

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It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY*Holy, Holy, Holy*

ELW p.190

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of pow'r and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory, full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

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In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Heaven has come near.
Come, share in the feast!.

HOLY COMMUNION AT SAINT ANDREW'S

- *At the table of our Lord Jesus Christ, God nourishes faith, forgives sin, and calls us to be witnesses to the Gospel. In this sacrament the crucified and risen Christ is present, giving his true body and blood as food and drink. This real presence is a mystery. Admission to the Sacrament is by invitation of the Lord, presented through the Church to those who are baptized. This Table of the Lord is open to all the baptized.*
- *Grape juice is available in the center ring of glasses. Gluten-free wafers are available: Please speak to those serving the bread when you come to the rail.*
- *Please follow the guidance of the Worship Hosts, going forward on one side of your section and returning to your seat on the other side.*

COMMUNION

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The body of Christ, given for you.
The blood of Christ, shed for you.
Amen.

DISTRIBUTION SONG *Offering (I Bring an Offering of Worship)* arr. John Cumberland

TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in eternal life.
Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We give you thanks, almighty and gracious God,
that you have fed us with heavenly food, the body and blood of your Son,
uniting us through him in the communion of the Holy Spirit.
We thank you for raising up among us faithful servants
for the ministry of word and sacrament, especially for Pastor Herman Frerichs,
and we pray that he may continue to exemplify the gospel in word and deed.
Grant that we, with Herman, may joyfully serve you all our days
and finally rejoice in your glory;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

✠ **SENDING** ✠

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH

ELW p.192

Farewell and Godspeed for Phil Wood, Mary Ellen Degnan & Justin Wood 11:00 am

BLESSING

Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer,
✠ one God,
bless, heal, and hold you
today and always.

Amen.

SENDING SONG

I Love to Tell the Story

ELW 661

1 I love to tell the story
of unseen things above,
of Jesus and his glory,
of Jesus and his love.
I love to tell the story,
because I know it's true;
it satisfies my longings
as nothing else would do.

Refrain

I love to tell the story;
'twill be my theme in glory
to tell the old, old story
of Jesus and his love.

2 I love to tell the story:
how pleasant to repeat
what seems, each time I tell it,
more wonderfully sweet!
I love to tell the story,
for some have never heard
the message of salvation
from God's own holy word. *Refrain*

3 I love to tell the story,
for those who know it best
seem hungering and thirsting
to hear it like the rest.
And when, in scenes of glory,
I sing the new, new song,
I'll sing the old, old story
that I have loved so long. *Refrain*

DISMISSAL

Heaven has come near. Go, share the good news!

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

8:30

Reprise: I Love to Tell the Story

ELW 661

11:00

I Love to Tell the Story,

setting, Dale Wood

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I FEEL LIKE WE'VE COME IN AT THE MIDDLE OF THE STORY HERE.



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YES. THE ISRAELITES HAVE CROSSED THE SEA AND TRAVELED THROUGH THE WILDERNESS.



NOW THEY ARE AT THE PLACE WHERE THEY WILL MEET WITH GOD, WHO IS MAKING THEM INTO A PEOPLE WHO WILL INTERCEDE FOR ALL CREATION.



THERE'S ALWAYS A CATCH, ISN'T THERE?



EXODUS 19:2-8

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TODAY'S MINISTERS FOR WORSHIP

June 14, 2026 - Third Sunday after Pentecost

Presiding Minister:	Pr. David Frerichs	
Minister for Music:	Megan Lyon	
Organist:	Sheryl Mehrhoff	
	8:30	11:00
Greeter:	TBD	TBD
Worship Hosts:	Kim Hickey	John Farmer
Worship Hosts:	George Kracke	Janet Farmer
Assisting Minister (Read):	TBD	Joe Mazza
Assisting Minister (Pray):	TBD	Karon Speckman
Acolyte:	TBD	TBD
Communion Preparer:	Shari Freyermuth	Suzanne Neff
Communion Cleanup:		TBD
Visual Projectionist:	Phil Wood	Mary Ellen Degnan
Zoom Worship Host:		John Nelson
Zoom Tech Director:		Joel Frazier
Building Opener:	Ericca Thornhill	
Building Closer:		TBD
Offering Steward:		Anne Edwards
Offering Steward:		Paul Speckman

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FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Contributions and expenses through May 31, 2026.

	May	YTD
Offerings	\$47,324	\$193,056
Expenses	\$33,051	\$182,536
Over/(under) expenses	\$14,273	\$10,520
Nonbudget Special Offerings	\$705	\$7,209



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Contemplative Prayer for Peace: Come join us in praying for peace through a contemplative prayer practice beginning on June 8 at 1:15pm in the Centrum of Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church and via Zoom (use the Sunday Worship Zoom login). We will meet each Monday (excluding holidays) for approximately 30 minutes and use the process of silent meditative prayer with spoken prayer to begin and end. Silent, contemplative, meditative, and centering prayer are ancient practices in all major world religions that create sacred space that can be shared when practiced in community. Contemplation in the form of silence is a means of being aware of God's presence in each of us and in the world. In these times, it may be helpful to gather with others to share in a time of prayer both to find peace within and to spread peace in the world. We hope by offering this time together that we will become stronger as individuals and as a community in our shared journey in this life. If you have questions or want to explore contemplative practice further, feel free to contact Pastor David, Patti Blanchard, Anne Edwards or Kris Niendorf. Use this link to access the Prayer Guide: <https://tinyurl.com/Contemplative-Prayer-for-Peace>

65th Anniversary of Ordination Reception for Herman Frerichs: On Sunday, June 14, the Frerichs family invites you to celebrate the sixty-fifth anniversary of ordination for the Rev. Dr. Herman Frerichs, who was ordained on June 18, 1961, at the Augustana Synod Convention in Seattle, Washington. Join in a small reception between services on June 14. Herman will attend the 11:00 am worship service, however Saint Andrew's will mark the occasion with prayers during both worship services.

Women's Bible Study Group: Women's Bible Study will have an adjusted summer schedule and will meet on the third Wednesday of June, July, and August at 10:00 in the conference room. Join in inperson or via zoom. Our next meeting will be June 17th at 10:00 am. Ann Green will lead a study on Joshua. If you have any questions contact Ann Green.

2026 Lutheran World Relief Project: This year's LWR school bags have been sewn by some of our dedicated Saint Andrew's seamstresses. On Thursday, June 18th, 2:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall, we will add the drawstrings to turn them into backpacks. Come help and enjoy the fellowship! No special talents are needed! A Lutheran World Relief display will be in the Narthex beginning, Sunday, June 21st. The finished bags will be available to take home and fill with new school supplies as back to school sales begin. There will be lists of the needed items for these backpacks and also for personal care kits.

Welcome to Saint Andrew's: How can we reclaim "evangelism" from something that, to be honest, most of us would rather avoid doing to a way of intentionally extending hospitality as the church? We all know what genuine hospitality feels like when we experience it as a guest. In the church, being intentional about hospitality shares the good news of Jesus, helps others know that they are important and loved, and builds community. We would like to invite you to be part of a team that brainstorms, imagines, and plans ways that we can be more intentional in extending hospitality here at St. Andrew's. If you have ideas, if you are curious, if you want to be part of the conversation, please contact Ros Thorpe at ros.thorpe@live.com or Susan Candea at susan.candea@gmail.com.

Hospitality matters . . . *"extend hospitality to strangers."* Romans 12:13

Prayers for June 14, 2026

We add to our prayers this week:

With the Reverend Doctor Herman W Frerichs who celebrates the sixty-fifth anniversary of his ordination this week, giving thanks for faithful ministry.

We continue to offer prayers of hope and healing for:

Paul Christensen	Michael Butterworth	Mo Champion-Garthe
Brady Thomas	Michelle Knipp	Arlene Cunningham
Ji Bu	Linnea Geenen	Candi Glancy
Jerry	Dale Whitman	Patric
Melissa Stormont	Cathy	Joanne Boomer

We pray for those in the military:

Eric Childers, Matthew Lee, and those serving throughout the world.

We pray for those with other kinds of needs:

For all who live in times of war and conflict, particularly in the United States, Israel, Iran and all middle eastern Countries, Palestine, Ukraine, Sudan and Congo; we pray in particular for these Palestinian detainees: Shadi Khoury, and Hadeel Shatara.

Those who are incarcerated with whom we minister: Brooke, Estelle, Natalie, Kaylee, Cassandra, Kyia, Diamond, Makale, Amy, Angel, Debra, Lisa, Shannon, Angelique.

We pray for our partners in ministry in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), the Central States Synod, and in particular these congregations: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Lawrence, KS; Hope Lutheran Church, Rush Center, KS; Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Brewster, KS.

Background on Palestinian detainees for whom we pray:

We pray for Hadeel Shatara, our FOSNA Palestinian partner, an advancement officer at Birzeit University near Ramallah. She is a fierce advocate of Palestinians and has been detained in the past for speaking out. She asks us to pray for peace for her homeland.

We pray for Shadi Khoury, a Palestinian boy who was recently sentenced to 2 years and 8 months in prison, and a fine of \$4000.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday, June 14: Third Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:30 am Worship (IP)
- 9:45 am 65th Anniversary of Ordination Reception for Herman Frerichs (IP)
- 11:00 am Worship (IP&Z)
- 12:30 pm Ambassadors for Christ (IP)

Monday, June 15

- 1:15 pm Contemplative Prayer for Peace (IP)

Tuesday, June 16

No Events

Wednesday, June 17

- 8:00 am Men's Bible Study (Z)
- 10:00 am Women's Bible Study (IP&Z)
- 6:15 pm Wednesday Worship (IP)

Thursday, June 18

- 2:00 pm Lutheran World Relief School Bag Project (IP)
- 6:00 pm Council Meeting (IP&Z)

Friday, June 19 – Office Closed

No Events

Saturday, June 20 – Office Closed

- 11:00 am Prayer Shawl & Crafting Ministry (IP)

Sunday, June 21: Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:30 am Worship (IP)
- 11:00 am Worship (IP&Z)

Reading for Next Wednesday June 17, 2026

Luke 6:12-19

Readings for Next Sunday June 21, 2026 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 20:7-13
Psalm 69:7-10-18
Romans 6:1b-11
Matthew 10:24-39

*Key: **IP**—In Person; **Z**—Zoom; **IP&Z**—In Person and Zoom

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