



# St. Andrew's Lutheran Church

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**9:00 am, February 18, 2022**

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**Weekend  
announcement items  
are due by 9:00 am  
Wednesday morning**

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# Saints Alive!

## FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

January 31, 2022

### SUNDAY FORUMS IN FEBRUARY

**Afghan Refugee Update:** If you are part of the Afghan Refugee Volunteer Squad or if you are just interested, we will have a meeting in between the services on February 6 at 9:45 am to give a status update, share stories and plan. Come join us! We will try and have the meeting hybrid (in-seat and on Zoom).

**Global Missions:** Learn how St. Andrew's and the larger church reaches out to overseas missions. Join us for two Sunday Forums focusing on Global Missions at 9:45 am, Feb. 13 and Feb. 20, both in-person and zoom.

The Feb. 13 session will focus on ELCA missions and Lutheran World Relief. The Feb. 20 session will focus on Growing Hope Globally (also including Lutheran World Relief.)

Karon Speckman, Global Missions Team chair, will be the presenter.



### ALL CREATION SINGS

Through generous memorial gifts in memory of John Larson and Olive Newman, Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church has acquired sixty copies of the hymnal supplement *All Creation Sings* for use by congregation members. They are now included on the cart in the narthex. When arriving for worship, check the end of the card for a sign that will indicate which hymnals will be in use during worship (*Evangelical Lutheran Worship*, *All Creation Sings*, or both).

*All Creation Sings* goes hand in hand with *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* to support the church's mission of worship in word and sacrament that leads to service and justice in the world. This resource invites us to expand our song and prayer with timely attention to the health of our planetary home and the human community within it. Included are 200 hymns and songs, more than 30 of them multilingual and many being new since ELW was released. This body of song supports the rhythms of the whole church year and gives enlarged



expression to themes of healing and wholeness, creation care, justice and peace, praise and lament. Here are two new communion services, one presented in Spanish and English, the other offering options for evening use. Also included are a contemplative service of word and prayer as well as more than 50 additional prayer resources, rounding out nearly 70 pages of liturgy content.

## FROM OUR SENIOR PASTOR

*Keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong. Let all that you do be done in love.*  
~1 Corinthians 16:13-14

A little while back Linda Vedder and I went to visit my parents for a pastoral call. We took Holy Communion to them and I introduced Linda as part of the Saint Andrew's Visiting Shepherds team. With this visit, I extended pastoral care for my parents to a team of ministers within the congregation. At our best, this is what ministry looks like. Pastors have a role. And yet, the ministry of the church is work for all the baptized people of God. As pastor, a primary responsibility is to "equip the saints for ministry" (Ephesians 4:12).

And there is so much ministry to do. One of the effects of the past two years is a way that most every congregation of every denomination wherever they may be is moving into a redevelopment phase. These are times when it can be easy to lose heart. The monumental work ahead can really raise the anxiety for individuals and for communities. Church communities are no different. Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church is continuing the time of transition that started before Pastor Paul and Pastor Julia retired. Honestly, churches that thrive are in constant states of re-formation, of transition, of seeking new ways to share the good news we have in Jesus Christ.

That calls on each member of this congregation to be alert to the opportunities that surround Saint Andrew's. Our faith is grounded in the promise that God is steadfast, that God's love endures forever, that through death and resurrection God brings new life.

When Linda and I visited mom and dad, Herman and Janice, the topic of what each parent said to me when I told them I was called to ordained ministry came up. I recall that dad told me in 1997 that the coming century would be a very difficult time for the church. Linda immediately noted how true that was. In the late '90's my father had no idea that a pandemic was on the horizon.

Because these times call for courage, Paul's admonition to be courageous and to be strong ring as particularly true. The best way to muster the necessary courage and strength is to live together in community, to worship God together, to study God's word together, to support one another when the trauma of these past years is overwhelming.

Finally, this is the time to cling to Paul's instruction: Let all that you do be done in love. For God's love precedes all that we know. God's love surrounds us wherever, whenever, and whoever we are. God's love sustains us. Let that love show forth in all we do and all we say.

Yours in Christ,  
Pr. David Frerichs (he, him, his)



## SPRING MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO

If you are a Sunday morning volunteer or would like to become a Sunday morning volunteer, we want to hear from you!

Each Sunday schedule includes:

- Assisting Ministers
- Building Openers and Closers
- Communion Preparers, Assistants and Clean up
- Acolytes
- Greeters
- Worship Hosts
- Visual Projectionists
- Zoom Hosts
- Zoom Tech Directors

We are beginning work on our Spring 2022 Schedule (March, April, & May). Please look at the schedule for this time frame, determine when you can serve, and sign up using the MSP web terminal found on the [saintandrewslutheran.org](http://saintandrewslutheran.org) website

or contact Kay at ([office@saintandrewslutheran.org](mailto:office@saintandrewslutheran.org)) or 573-449-5674 with your preferred or unavailable dates and she will update MSP for you. Please reply by Friday, February 11. The new schedule will be published by February 20. You will receive a card then with the dates that you have been assigned.

Thank you to all our great volunteers!



## FROM OUR ASSOCIATE PASTOR

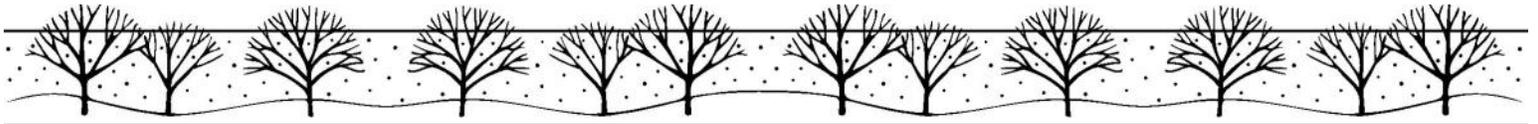
As I have begun to settle in to my call as Associate Pastor for Faith Formation here at Saint Andrew's, I have started the process to explore what faith formation and learning will look like next program year (2022-2023). This includes exploring ways that we could format Sunday School, Catechism, and Sunday Forum in different ways and what type of events we can do together as a community to learn together that are accessible for all ages.

I am sitting down with the current leadership of these areas and having discussions about how I can best support them as they lead these essential ministries. My role here is to help support leaders as we all walk this journey together. Once the end of January cottage meetings are over, I am hoping to have gained a greater sense of what the community of Saint Andrew's hopes for and how I can help with that hope.

In the Lenten 2022 season we will have three learning events for all ages. The first will be on March 6, 2022 and will be about what Lent is and what it means for us. On March 27, 2022 we will have our second event and the topic is still being decided. The third, and final, learning event will be on April 10, 2022 and will be about what Holy Week is and what it means for us. All of these events will happen between services in the normal educational time and will be offered on-site at the church and on Zoom.

I look forward to continuing walking this journey with you all!

-Pastor Alfi



### DEVELOPING DISCIPLES COMMITTEE

It has been a while since the Developing Disciples committee has been up and running, but as we continue to discern as a community the future of our faith formation, we are seeking to begin to raise up leaders in our congregation to contribute to our community and our faith lives. One of the main tasks of the Committee is to develop a slate of nominees for open positions for the Congregational Council and other committees in the Saint Andrew's community.

Greg Holliday has agreed to be the chair for this committee. The coming weeks will have us reviewing what positions are currently open and what will be opening up based on term limits outlined in the constitution. We will publish a list of open positions with position descriptions by the end of February. We will need nominations for the positions by March 15, 2022 as the Congregational Council has to approve it on the March 17, 2022 council meeting. The congregation-wide election meeting will be at the end of April.

Pastor Alfi

### THEME FOR LENTEN MID-WEEK WORSHIP

The theme for the Lenten Services will be "Turning toward God's Abundance". Lent is a season of repentance, turning to God and asking for God's goodness to wipe away our sins and show us how to live anew. Lent also turns us toward Easter and the abundant life God will offer through the Three Days (Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Vigil of Easter). This Lenten midweek service turns us toward God's abundance by focusing on five divine attributes drawn from the gospel texts for Lent (year C): faithfulness, mercy, compassion, forgiveness, and love. Each service is designed for sustained reflection on the gospel in the context of contemplative prayer, readings, silence, and song.

In response to expressions that the 6:00 pm time frame is difficult for some to attend, while attending awareness that families begin bed time processes in the early evening, beginning in Lent, the Wednesday Worship time will shift to 6:15 pm. In addition, beginning with Lent Mid-week Worship, Saint Andrew's will restore the in-seat option for those who wish to enter the Centrum for this time of reflection and prayer. Finally, Holy Communion will be restored to this worship service.

Feel free to contact Pastor David with any questions or concerns.

## AFGHAN REFUGEE FAMILY DONATIONS UPDATE



Thank you to all who donated items already requested! In true St. Andrew's style, we received many generous donations and are off to a great start! Since being assigned 4 refugee families, housed in a quadruplex since November and late December, the donation needs have changed. We are no longer in need of any of the previously requested items. Again, thank you for all who have previously donated.

Susan, Diana, and I got to meet the 4 families on Martin Luther King Day, an appropriate day to begin St. Andrew's journey in helping these families begin to live their own dream! At the meeting, we learned of specific items family members still need/request.

**Top priority**-Monetary donations for shoes for 14 children - **No actual shoe donations requested!**- It is Winter-these kiddos need new shoes that they pick-out, have tried on, and fit their feet correctly!

- 2 dining room tables with chairs
- 4 large area floor rugs-it is tradition for the families to sit around the edge of a large area rug for tea/meals
- 4 electric tea kettles
- 4 large stock pots
- 3 toaster ovens
- 4 irons
- 4 ironing boards
- 4 TV stands/tables to place TV on
- 2 large vacuum-insulated coffee carafes-the pump pots are ideal
- 4 sewing machines-older is okay, but must be in working condition

Note: **Do not donate clothing.** The families politely told us the clothing donations they have received are not clothing they wear. The families need to pick out or sew their own clothing.

Watch the weekly updates. When we receive the items requested above, we will not accept more of those items. Instead, we will point members directly to Catholic Charities for overage donations.

Last, we need some able-bodied church members who can give a few hours to load a truck and trailer for furniture donation deliveries. Please consider donating your time!

Questions? Contact Merri Chapman, Susan Goldammer or Diana Nichols

Thank you!  
Merri Chapman

## AFGHAN RESETTLEMENT FINANCIAL NEWS & NEEDS

As of Dec. 31, the congregation donated \$2,525 to the Afghan Resettlement fund. Donations collected between Jan. 23 through Jan. 31 will be earmarked for shoes because that was one of the items the families requested. So far, funds have been used to buy school supplies for the four children starting school this week, but there are an additional five children we hope will start school soon and will also need school supplies from that fund.

All donations of money and items are being documented per direction by Catholic Charities. Each refugee (including children) receives \$1,225 from the U.S. Government to get resettled. The funds and items we collect will help supplement those funds.

Your contributions can be given by sending a check to St. Andrew's with the memo line "Afghan Resettlement"; giving cash or check in an envelope marked "Afghan Resettlement" next to the collection basket; or going online under Donate Now – Outreach Support – Afghan Resettlement.

If anyone has any questions, please contact Susan Goldammer or Merri Chapman.

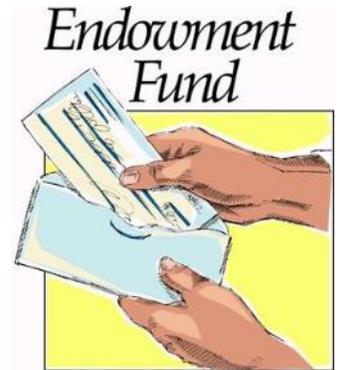
## ENDOWMENT BOARD UPDATE AND NEED FOR YOUR HELP

First, the Endowment Board is evaluating its dedicated purpose to support desired congregational activities. The anticipated reduction in COVID-19 challenges and addition of Pastor Alfi have led to new thinking about how the congregation will be served through worship, education and service to ourselves and others. This examination is healthy and properly evaluates the synergism among programs offered through the annual budgeting process plus the ability to enhance programs via the Endowment Board. Thus, the Board is evaluating its focus with more flexibility (new funds?) to broaden its role.

Second, the Board is working with Stephen Phelps from the ELCA Foundation to add "Planned Giving" programs through wills, trusts and estates. It is an exciting time to be coordinating needs and desires of the congregation with expected new and more focused program opportunities through the Endowment Board. It will take some time to work out details, so this is a "heads up". Any changes will need council and congregational approval.

Third, Endowment Fund investments have done well in 2021. The Board will be accepting proposals from non-profit organizations for funding from our Community Ministry Fund that supports agencies to assist persons living in Boone County. The form for 2022 proposals is available electronically from Kay in the office. As members, you are encouraged to alert your favorite organization(s) along with the application form to apply for up to \$1,000. Do it as soon as possible, to give the proposers time, since the application deadline is February 15, 2022.

Jerry Nelson,  
Endowment Board President



### LENTEN CALENDAR

Lent is still a month away, and yet, Saint Andrew's staff are busy preparing for the season.

Here is a quick preview of the worship schedule:

Ash Wednesday, March 2, 7:00 pm in the Centrum and via Zoom

Lent Mid-week Worship, March 9, 16, 23, 30 and April 6, 6:15 pm (in the Centrum and via Zoom)

Holy Week

Palm/Passion Sunday, April 10,  
8:30 and 11:00 am

Maundy Thursday, April 14, 7:00 pm  
(in the Centrum and via Zoom)

Good Friday, April 15, 7:00 pm  
(in the Centrum and via Zoom)

Vigil of Easter, April 16, 7:00 pm  
(in the Centrum and via Zoom)

Resurrection of our Lord (Easter),  
April 17, 8:30 and 11:00 am



### FOOD BANK FEBRUARY

#### VOLUNTEER AT THE FOOD BANK

St. Andrew's will be working at the Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri, 2101 Vandiver Dr., on Saturday, February 12 from 8:30-10:30 am. We will be packaging and labeling food. The Food Bank requires volunteers to pre-register online, so please sign up in the Narthex or contact Sarah Larson if you would like to receive the registration link. Participants must be 12 years or older.

Please contact Sarah with any questions.

#### SOUP-ER BOWL

Once again you have the chance to support your favorite Super Bowl team by donating non-perishable food for the Food Bank.

Two barrels will be at the church January 29 through February 7. Simply place your donation in the barrel for your team. The team with the most donations will be announced on Super Bowl Sunday.



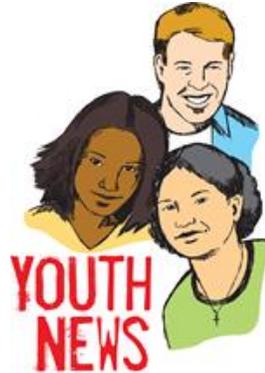
## YOUTH!

On January 9<sup>th</sup>, multiple youth got together with myself and Merri to do a digital escape room where we took a safari and solved puzzles while exploring the habitats for African animals.

On February 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm we will meet again. Depending on COVID rates, we might meet in person to do some games and activities or online to do another digital escape room.

We look forward to see any middle schoolers or high schoolers who want to attend there!

Pastor Alfi



## CATECHISM MEETINGS

In January, we did not meet for Catechism due to school holidays.

In February we will meet on the 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm, but not the 20<sup>th</sup>.

On February 6<sup>th</sup> we will look at the 7<sup>th</sup> Commandment and do a brief study on Luke 6:17-26.

We will meet twice in March, once in April, and once in May. Pastor David and I look forward to seeing the students there!

In Christ,  
Pastor Alfi



Thanks!

Dear St. Andrew's Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your recent generous gift of \$1424 to Lutheran Family and Children's Services. Your donation will help us to continue providing services as we work together to meet the critical needs in our community.

Blessings,  
Heather Wall and Trueman Orson

Dear Beloved Partners,

Thank you for your financial support of Love Columbia in 2021. Because of your generosity, love triumphed hundreds of times in the midst of discouragement and despair. Neighbors were lifted up and enriched by Love Columbia's help. We were able to serve 50% more people than we did in our record-breaking 2020 year.

Love Columbia Board of Directors and Staff

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Herman and Janice Frerichs transferred their membership from Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Springfield, Missouri, to Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church in Columbia. They reside in the Cedarhurst Senior Community on Chapel Hill Road.



## GROWING HOPE GLOBALLY



This Ugandan farmer is part of the Growing Hope Globally/ Lutheran World Relief program. The program focuses on increasing the quality and export price of coffee for 1,000 farmers so they can be paid at least 20 percent higher than the prevailing price.

Our \$10,812 from St. Andrew's & Peace UCC-Hartsburg helps 196 overseas farmers become food secure! St. Andrew's gave \$7,890 this year from our Lenten offering, quilt raffle and Harvest Shindig offering/sales to Growing Hope Globally. Those funds will support a new Growing Hope-LWR program in Uganda and a new Growing Hope-Presbyterian youth program in Sierra Leone-Liberia. Peace UCC-Hartsburg gave \$2,908 to Growing Hope, giving us a total from the two churches of \$10,812. Thus, our Hartsburg-Columbia Growing Project was able to make 196 overseas farmers become food secure (\$55/person).

### Join us for February forum presentations on Global Missions

You're invited to learn more about both ELCA missions and Growing Hope Globally on Feb. 13 (ELCA & LWR) and Feb. 20 (Growing Hope Globally). The forums will be on zoom and in-person.

### Growing Hope Lenten offering March 20

March 20 is the first day of spring with its signs of growth and hope for crops. We'll also have our Growing Hope Lenten offering then! Watch your mailboxes and The Weekly Update for stories about how Growing Hope makes overseas farmers food secure.

Karon Speckman, chair

## THANK YOU FROM GROWING HOPE GLOBALLY

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your generous donation (\$7,914) to Growing Hope Globally. We are grateful that you have joined us in growing lasting solutions to hunger.

For more than 20 years we have worked alongside our partners, helping people around the world to improve their incomes and food security. Your gift means even more

people will experience the dignity and hope of providing for themselves.

Thank you for loving your global neighbors!  
Max Finberg, President & CEO



### FINANCES FOR THE MISSION OF ST. ANDREW'S BUDGET/GIVING ANALYSIS THROUGH DECEMBER 2021

	December 2021	Year to Date
<b>October Summary</b>		
Giving toward the Budget(1)	\$ 61,528	\$ 481,392
Actual Expenses for Budgeted Items	\$ 49,312	\$ 461,171
Giving over/(under) Expenses	\$ 12,216	\$ 20,221
<b>Response to Budget</b>		
Budget (Spending Estimate) Approved at 1/24/21 Annual Meeting	\$ 47,412	\$ 568,938
Giving over/(under) Budget	\$ 14,116	\$ (87,546)
<b>Nonbudget Special Offerings</b>		
Lutheran Family and Children's Services	\$ 1,205	\$ 1,619

#### Notes:

- (1) December year-to-date giving increased 2.6% over December 2020.
- (2) Annual budget is \$568,668.

## VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH



Jayne Young is one of the City of Columbia's strongly devoted volunteers. Jayne's service began when she joined the Park Patrol in 2003, helping keep our trails and parks safe and well maintained.

In 2019, Jayne began volunteering at the Earth Day Festival to help support the City's commitment to recycling and waste reduction.

Since then, Jayne has become a part of many programs such as Recycling Ambassadors, TreeKeepers, litter pickup events, and Parks & Recreation events.

Volunteering gives Jayne a sense of peace and connection. She said "meeting new people with similar interests in caring for the community," is what keeps her motivated. Jayne believes that every person can make a difference, and she plays an active role in this change herself. Jayne works hard to strengthen our community through all of the programs she's a part of.

Jayne brings care and kindness to every event she works at. You may meet her while she is helping at a City event! We are greatly appreciative of all her time spent promoting waste reduction and ecosystem beautification.

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## FELLOWSHIP AWARDED



The Association for Psychological Science (APS) recently named University of Missouri College of Education and human Development professor Erica Lembke to its class of 2021 fellows.

Fellow status is awarded to APS members who have made sustained outstanding contributions to the science of psychology in the areas of research, teaching, service and/or application. APS is the global scientific home of more than 25,000 leading psychological science researchers, practitioners, teachers and students across all continents.

Lembke's research interests include helping support teachers in data-based decision making through designing and implementing curriculum-based measures in elementary and secondary grades and developing strategies to improve elementary students' literacy and mathematics performance.

Reprinted from University of Missouri website.

## LOAVES AND FISHES

Our gratitude to the awesome volunteer team who helped feed the hungry on Sunday, December 26 at Loaves and Fishes. Thank you to bakers Mindy Nelson, Nova Berg, Karon Speckman, Phil Wood, and Gwen Gray for donating cookies and brownies.

Also, thanks to Bobette Rose, Dawn Lessiack, Sarah Larson, and Jenine Loesing for preparing, packaging, and delivering the meals. One hundred twenty "to-go" meals were prepared for distribution.

We are grateful to the serving team who distributed meals: Chris, Kathryn and Lilah Fishman-Weaver, gloria Fishman, Lauren Lessiack, Pastor David, Dawn, and Megan Frerichs, Ricky Hulse, and Susan Goldammer.



We are grateful for the congregation's donations and support as we continue to feed those in our community who are in need. We are looking for volunteers to bake, cook, or distribute meals each month.

Meal distribution begins at 4:00 pm at Wilkes Boulevard Methodist Church. The next opportunity is Sunday, February 27, 2022.

If you are interested, please contact Susan Goldammer or Jenine Loesing.

We remember the words of Jesus . . . *just as you did to one of the least of these . . . you did it to me.* Matthew 25:40.

## WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

*Almighty God,*

*you gave your apostle Andrew the grace  
to obey the call of your Son  
and to bring his brother to Jesus.*

*Give us also, who are called by your holy word,  
grace to follow Jesus without delay  
and to bring into his presence*

*those who are near to us,*

*for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. Amen*

### We continue to offer prayers of hope and healing for:

Debra Brown	Ida Gastler
Liz Lopez	Michelle Thomas
Kathy Hefner	Mike Alexander
Gale Gastler	Resa Kerns
Jackie Gastler	Becky Kulpa
Kay Maas	Dan Allie
James Meyer	Vera Leip
Marvin Davidson	Joanne Boomer
Jennifer Adams	Ellie Hanney
Rev. Dr. C.W. Dawson	Stephanie Hsiung
Candi Glancy	Christy Provancha
Madalyn Gramke	Jim Steele
Clarke O'Neill	Debbie Franklin
Vena Champion	Kate Donaghy
Marybeth Champion-Garthe	Valencia Clemons-Bush
Peg Gibson	
John Wolfe	
Patric	
Beverly Brooks	

### We pray for those in the military:

Eric Childers, Brayden Coy, Matthew Lee, Kevin Grove, and those serving throughout the world.

### We pray for those with other kinds of needs:

For all who are recovering from hurricanes, tropical storms, wild fires, drought, heat, floods and natural disaster near and far.

The women at Boone County Jail with whom we minister.

### O God, bring into your presence those who grieve the loss of loved ones:

For family and friends of Don Anderson, Vicki Andersen, and Don Delamore.

**O God, bring into your presence all for whom we may pray, that they may know your grace, your love, and your peace.**



Leo Elsasser	Feb 1	Brian Gillig	Feb 15
Marj Vandepopuliere	Feb 1	Nancy Gillig	Feb 15
Sam Blanchard	Feb 2	Suzanne Neff	Feb 16
Joshua Miller	Feb 2	Pat Ehlmann	Feb 17
Aarika Bock	Feb 4	Jill Hurt	Feb 18
Hensey Kittle	Feb 6	Claire Follett	Feb 19
Devan Mott	Feb 6	Jameson Threatt	Feb 20
C.L. Neill	Feb 6	Laurie Arbuckle	Feb 20
Chris Fishman-Weaver	Feb 7	Melena Casey	Feb 20
Charles Chapman	Feb 8	Ryan Studt	Feb 21
Declan Johnston	Feb 8	Sophie Froese	Feb 22
Connie Paul	Feb 9	William Hose	Feb 24
Nikia Chapman	Feb 12	Kody Plowman	Feb 24
Ashley Johnston	Feb 12	Elizabeth Edler	Feb 25
Brandon Mott	Feb 12	Haley Chapman	Feb 27
Emalia Kileo	Feb 13	Keith Hickey	Feb 27
Daniel Shapiro	Feb 14	Noah Huff	Feb 27
Katrice Williams	Feb 14	Evan Nickell	Feb 27
Phil Wood	Feb 14	Madi Warhover	Feb 29

If your birthday is missing or is listed incorrectly,  
please contact Kay in the church office:  
[office@SaintAndrewsLutheran.org](mailto:office@SaintAndrewsLutheran.org).

**Tuesday, February 1st**

6:30 pm Mutual Ministry

**Wednesday, February 2nd**

8:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 10:00 am Women in the Word  
 10:00 am Staff Meeting  
 6:00 pm Wednesday Worship  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Sunday, February 6th**

Anonymous Angels  
 8:30 am Worship (In person only)  
 Boy Scout Sunday (8:30 only)  
 9:45 am Sunday Forum: Afghan Evacuee Team  
 10:00 am Sunday School (In person and on Zoom)  
 11:00 am Worship (In person and on Zoom)  
 6:00 pm Catechism Class

**Monday, February 7th**

2:00 pm Prayer Team

**Wednesday, February 9th**

8:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 10:00 am Women in the Word  
 10:00 am Staff Meeting  
 6:00 pm Wednesday Worship  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Friday, February 11th**

9:00 am Quilt Tying

**Sunday, February 13th**

8:30 am Worship (In person only)  
 9:45 am Sunday Forum: Global Missions  
 10:00 am Sunday School (In person and on Zoom)  
 11:00 am Worship (In person and on Zoom)  
 7:00 pm Youth Get-Together

**Wednesday, February 16th**

8:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 10:00 am Women and the Word  
 10:00 am Staff Meeting  
 6:00 pm Wednesday Worship  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, February 17th**

6:00 pm Council Meeting

**Sunday, February 20th**

8:30 am Worship (In person only)  
 9:45 am Sunday Forum: Global Missions  
 10:00 am Sunday School (In person and on Zoom)  
 11:00 am Worship (In person and on Zoom)

**Monday, February 21st**

7:00 pm Endowment Board

**Tuesday, February 22nd**

1:00 pm Archives Meeting

**Wednesday, February 23rd**

8:00 am Men's Bible Study  
 10:00 am Women and the Word  
 10:00 am Staff Meeting  
 6:00 pm Wednesday Worship  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, February 24th**

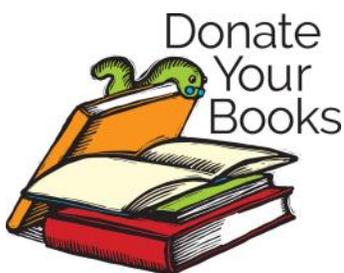
7:00 pm Women in the Word

**Friday, February 25th**

9:00 am Quilt Tying

**Sunday, February 27th**

8:30 am Worship (In person only)  
 9:45 am Sunday Forum: Word and Fellowship  
 10:00 am Sunday School (In person and on Zoom)  
 11:00 am Worship (In person and on Zoom)  
 4:00 pm Loaves and Fishes Distribution

**BOOKS FOR THE JAIL**

St. Andrew's donated 5 boxes of books to the Boone County jail and we are looking for more!

Thank you for generously giving and if you have any paperback books you would like to donate, please add them to the tub in the narthex.

<b>MAKING AN OFFERING</b>	<b>WORSHIP AT ST. ANDREW'S FEBRUARY 2022</b>
<p>Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church provides a variety of means for making an offering.</p> <p>Those means include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Offering Basket:</b> Place your offering in the basket as you enter or leave worship or send offerings by mail;</li> <li>• <b>Online:</b> Visit SaintAndrewsLutheran.org website and click the Donate Now button;</li> <li>• <b>Bill pay:</b> Use the convenience of the bill pay feature through your financial institution.</li> <li>• <b>Give by Text:</b> participants may text their offering amount to (844) 989-4094 and follow the instructions;</li> <li>• <b>Smartphone App:</b> participants may download the Vanco Mobile app from iOS App store or GooglePlay, then search for "St Andrews Lutheran Church" or "Columbia MO".</li> </ul>	<div style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>February 6th</b>  <b>Fifth Sunday after Epiphany</b>            Isaiah 6:1-8 [9-13]; Psalm 138            I Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11  <i>Setting 6</i></p> <p><b>February 13th</b>  <b>Sixth Sunday after Epiphany</b>            Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1            I Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26  <i>Setting 6</i></p> <p><b>February 20th</b>  <b>Seventh Sunday after Epiphany</b>            Genesis 45:3-11,15; Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40            I Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50; Luke 6:27-38  <i>Setting 6</i></p> <p><b>February 27th</b>  <b>Transfiguration of Our Lord /</b>  <b>Last Sunday after Epiphany</b>            Exodus 34:29-35; Psalm 99            2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2; Luke 9:28-36[37-43a]  <i>Setting 6</i></p> </div>



### USING YOUR PHONE TO JOIN ZOOM WORSHIP

Sundays at 11 am and Wednesdays at 6 pm

You can use your phone to join worship every Sunday at 11 am and Wednesday at 6 pm

To join, call (312) 626-6799.

You'll be asked for a meeting ID. The ID you need to enter on your phone is 573 449 5674.

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### SCOUT SUNDAY

Sunday, February 6, is Scout Sunday at Saint Andrew's. Troops 706 and 523, and their families will join in worship at the 8:30 am service.

Some of the Scouts will assist with leading worship in a variety of ways. Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church has a very long history with Scouting.

Consider joining in this in-person only worship to acknowledge these Scouts.

