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JULY NEWSLETTER

June 30, 2021

A NOTE FROM TASK FORCE C-19

Grace and peace to each of you.

As Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church begins the next steps for worship, the members of Task Force C-19 offer a brief update. Let's start with a word from the Letter to the Hebrews: Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, ... but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching. (Hebrews 10:23-25)

Beginning July 4, everyone is welcome to attend worship without signing up ahead of time. Following CDC guidance, masks and physical distancing are not required for those who are fully vaccinated. CDC guidance does recommend masks and distancing for those who are not yet vaccinated against COVID-19.

Bulletins are available in electronic form. They can be downloaded to personal devices from the Weekly Update email or by using a QR code found in the gathering space.

Hymnals are available on self-serve carts for those who desire them.

Holy Communion continues using prepackaged elements that are available in the gathering space before worship. Visiting Shepherds and Pastor David will distribute Holy Communion to those who cannot attend in-seat and who desire Holy Communion.

A basket for offerings is in the Gathering Space. Members are encouraged to continue with electronic donations as well.

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MINISTER FOR FAITH FORMATION CALL UPDATE

On April 26th the search committee posted the Minister for Faith Formation with Indeed, Bethany College, Midland University, Augustana College, Texas Luther College and Wartburg College.

We received a response from one candidate who was not qualified. After some discussion the committee identified that this role would require stronger theological skills and training than were available in the lay public.

The search committee asked Pastor David to reach out to Synod to ask if, based on our job description, there were any potential candidates that had the gifts identified. The search committee, with support from the Congregation Council, became a call committee seeking a candidate for ordination to Ministry of Word and Sacrament (pastor).

Mary Halliburton
Minister for Faith Formation
Call Committee

PASTOR'S DESK

...for [God's] steadfast love endures forever. ~Psalm 136

While I was in seminary, I helped lead the prayers at the end of the day. A small group of students and faculty gathered at 10:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays during the semester. That time was selected because the library closed at 10:00 p.m. It was the end of the day for the campus.

For those prayers at the close of the day, also known as Compline, there is a short set of Psalms appointed. In praying them each week, they became very familiar friends. I came to love Psalm 136, in particular.

The Psalm rehearses God's work in creation and in history. Each verse concludes with the refrain "for [God's] steadfast love endures forever."

There is something wonderfully calming about reciting history both ancient and current along with the refrain that God's love endures forever. There have been times in my life when I needed to carry that refrain with me day by day, moment by moment, as a reminder that God is with us, yesterday, today and tomorrow.

There is a drawer in the office at Saint Andrew's that tells the story of hope over the past year. For nearly fourteen months Task Force C-19 has been planning for a return to less restricted worship. That filing cabinet drawer is filled with items that I, as pastor, purchased when I thought Saint Andrew's would be returning any moment.

"Do Not Enter" yellow tape to be used to mark areas of the building that were off limits when we expected limited facilities use to minimize cleaning costs, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Vinyl Gloves to be used for Holy Communion distribution when we thought we would hold outdoor Communion services on the lawn, that then morphed into Drive-in Holy Communion (with varying levels of success with the sound/radio system), for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Disposable Masks to be distributed to those who arrived for worship without masks in the early days of the Public Health order, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Flimsy Face Shields to be used by worship leaders, but then the science around mask use shifted, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Signage for doors regarding symptoms, mask requirements, to be posted for the duration of the Public Health Order, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Bulk size bottles of hand sanitizer, and antibacterial wipes located throughout all meeting rooms of the building for use by committees, ministries and support groups who met in the building during the cold winter months, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Touchless thermometer to assist with symptom checks for those attending worship, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Of course, these artifacts are only a sampling of the plans made and changed over the course of the past year. Sunday, July 4, marks a new beginning. People may attend worship without first signing up, without undergoing screening at the door, without expectations of masks or distancing (though masks and distancing is the CDC standard for those not yet vaccinated). Hymnals will be available for those who prefer to see worship music. Holy Communion will continue to use pre-packaged elements while supplies last, then transition to locally baked bread and individual cups of wine, when it is deemed safe by the Task Force. Pastor David and the Visiting Shepherds will resume visitation with Holy Communion with those unable to attend worship and receive Holy Communion in-seat on Sundays. Offerings will still be received by any of five ways—with preference for electronic giving options online or by text.

Task Force C-19 continues to monitor case rates in Boone County and Columbia to assess next steps. This is a time when the church needs everyone to find the ministries they will take up for the sake of worship on Sunday and Wednesday.

Through it all, God's steadfast love endures forever.

Yours in Christ,
Pastor David Frerichs

A NOTE FROM TASK FORCE C-19 (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

In keeping with a commitment to Share Christ in Faith, Fellowship, and Service, Saint Andrew's will continue to offer remote worship through Zoom into the foreseeable future.

Through July and August, participants may sign up to serve in one of the many worship leadership roles each week. Signups for each week appear in the Weekly Update email. They are also on the Worship page of the website.

Beginning in September, Saint Andrew's will begin scheduling worship leadership using the Ministry Scheduler Pro system. Now is a good time to update your profile, or contact the office to clarify your ministry and schedule preferences.

The building remains open for use by all committees, and community groups. Group leaders should contact the office to schedule rooms. This will ensure that the heat and air conditioning are set for each meeting.

Saint Andrew's has purchased equipment to support all committees of the congregation in meeting both in-seat and remotely. Contact the office to schedule or check out the equipment.

In short, everyone is welcome. After more than fifteen months of separation, we truly look forward to seeing you, eyeball-to-eyeball, in worship.

We pray:

Almighty God, your Holy Spirit equips the church with a rich variety of gifts. Grant that we may use them to bear witness to Christ in lives that are built on faith and love. Make us ready to live the gospel and eager to do your will, so that we may share with all your church in the joys of eternal life; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

~Task Force C-19

THANK YOU FROM LFCS

On behalf of Lutheran Family and Children Services of Mid-Missouri, thank you for your generosity in contributing much needed baby items to our "Season of Sharing Easter Tree".

Your kindness helped restock the LFCS closet with supplies for our clients' emergency needs. Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church generously contributed over 1500 diapers, 3400 baby wipes, 100 pull-ups, pain reliever, diaper cream, blankets, clothing, toys, cleaning supplies, laundry detergent and therapy sessions.

Besides facilitating adoptions, LFCS assists individuals and families with counseling for pregnancy, postpartum depression, grief, divorce, abuse, parenting support, and more.

With gratitude for your thoughtfulness and generous outpouring of love.

xoxox LFCS Staff



LANDSCAPING UPDATE

Many thanks to members of St. Andrew's Creation Keepers for contributing to the revitalization of the west bed at church. After consulting with a native plant expert, we sought to design a landscape plan that welcomes all who pass by and reflects the welcome we receive when we enter the church. At one side of the west bed is a magnolia planted in remembrance of Estill Skinner. Walk along the sidewalk in front of the church, and you can read other plant names on markers along the way. One of our favorite finds is the St. Andrew's cross phlox by the northwest entrance door. We hope you enjoy watching the new plants emerge.

Special thanks to members who recently weeded, trimmed, raked, planted, mulched, and watered the landscape. They

include Sarah Larson, Bev Casey, Harry Lewis, George Kracke, Carol and Rich Waudby, Arthur Mehrhoff, Paul Speckman, John Farmer, and Phil and Justin Wood. The landscaping remains a work in progress, so please feel free to join in this rewarding effort to celebrate the gift of God's creation.

Blessings,
Janet Farmer and
Mary Ellen Degnan



CENTRAL STATES SYNOD ASSEMBLY, JUNE 4-5, 2021, (VIRTUAL ASSEMBLY VIA ZOOM)

United with Christ in Baptism –
One Body – Many Members

On June 4-5, 2021, the Central States Synod Assembly conducted its first online assembly – Bishop Susan Candea's first assembly as bishop. The bishop is technically the president of the synod and chairs the annual meeting. She confessed to a team standing nearby to help her get through this technically challenging gathering via Zoom!

David Stock, Madison (Madi) Warhover, Zach Warhover and I were asked to attend as Voting Members for St. Andrew's. Pastor David warned us that we would each need to use two machines during the meetings to participate effectively – one to use for watching/participating and the other to use for voting. There were online practice sessions for us to make sure we would know how to use the voting system. It all went well!

Bishop Candea reported that even as she tried to keep things running smoothly, she "experienced one body with many members, united with Christ in baptism. I experienced us being the church, hearing and wrestling with the gospel, openings our hearts and minds to listen to others, making commitments to God's mission of love in the world."

The Assembly began Friday evening, June 4, with a worship service and music selections from the new ELCA hymnal All Creation Sings. Pastor David participated as an assisting minister during the Thanksgiving for Baptism and could be viewed pouring water into our baptismal font at St. Andrew's.

Ms. Judith Roberts, Sr. Director for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion within the ELCA, invited us to listen and talk about the complex dynamics of racism and our call as people of faith to address the injustices of racism. Just as the Rev. Dr. C.W. Dawson encouraged us in 2020 at St. Andrew's to do more to advocate for the resolutions of injustice, so Ms. Roberts told us our churches are not where they need to be. The Synod now has a Racial Justice Team, and the ELCA website points to many available resources. The ELCA Social Statement of 1993: Freed in Christ; Race, Ethnicity, and Culture expresses the ELCA's calling to celebrate culture and ethnicity. She encouraged

THANK YOU FROM LFCS

Thank you for supporting the programs of LFCS of MO through your gift of \$195 which we received on May 27. Your donation to our agency will enable us to fulfill our mission "to empower children and families to overcome challenges today so they can build a better tomorrow."

Sincerely,
Mike Duggar

us to continue conversations and to learn from one another.

On Saturday, we heard the bishop's report in which she introduced the Synod to the new mission statement: United with Christ in Baptism. Traveling the way of Jesus. Joining God's reign of justice and radical love in the world.

The Synod Constitution was amended to bring the by-laws into conformity with the required provisions approved at the 2019 Assembly including the following: No more than 50% of lay voting members of the assembly shall be of the same gender. Compensation Guidelines for Rostered Ministers for 2022 were approved.

One of my favorite parts came next. The Synod Treasurer seemed almost gleeful as he gave his report. Giving up, expenditures down, \$143,000 surplus! His report also indicated that mission support from congregations increased in 2020, and the response to the Annual Appeal was the largest we had ever seen!

The following resolutions were passed:

- A Season of Global Awareness
- Embracing the Earth Charter
- Calling for a Social Statement on Child Protection
- Racial Justice
- Thanksgiving for Ministry

Pastor David was elected to Synod Council, and David Stock was elected as a Churchwide Voting Member to the August 2022 Assembly!

There was a brief worship service as the Assembly ended, and we prayed:

Direct us, O Lord God, in all our doings with your most gracious favor, and extend to us your continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in you we may glorify your holy name; and finally, by your mercy, bring us to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

I very much appreciated the opportunity to attend this Synod Assembly. Thank you, St. Andrew's.

Anne Edwards

(with the assistance of David, Madi, Zach and Pastor David)

THANK YOU FROM ELCA MISSION FUND

Thank you for your gift of \$200 to Lutheran Disaster Response. Your Spirit-filled generosity is helping families and communities reeling from disaster rebuild their lives and livelihoods now and far into the future.

In Christ,
Rev. Robin Brown

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL KITS and PERSONAL CARE KITS

Make this a Family Project! Come to the Lutheran World Relief table in the Narthex!!

The need for quilts, school kits and personal care kits is great again this year, and therefore, it is so important that we continue this ministry! Please consider picking up school bags to fill with new school supplies and making up personal care kits. Lists of the required items are on the table and listed below.

Here are some important dates:

Sunday, June 27th,
LWR bags will be in the Narthex through July and August.

Sunday, August 29th
All school bags and personal care kits are due back at the table.

This year the return date is a week earlier than last as we will be boxing all items for shipment the first week of September. The earlier items are returned the better!

Please contact Linda Vedder for questions.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- 4 – 70 sheet notebooks wide or college-ruled, 8x10 ½"
 - 1-30 cm ruler, or with cm on one side, inches the other
 - 1-pencil sharpener
 - 1-pair blunt scissors, safety, remove packaging
 - 5-unsharpened #2 pencils with erasers secured with rubber band
 - 5-black/blue ballpoint pens (no gel ink) secured with rubber band
 - 1 box 16 or 24 crayons
 - 1 – 2 ½" eraser
- (Place ruler between notebooks.)



PERSONAL CARE KITS

- 1-light-weight bath size towel between 20x40 & 52x27, dark color recommended
 - 1-adult size toothbrush in original package
 - 1-sturdy comb, remove packaging
 - 1-metal nail clippers, remove packaging
 - 2 or 3 bath size bars of soap equaling 8-9 oz. in original packaging
- Fold towel in half. Place items in towel, fold and roll so nothing falls out and secure with yarn, ribbon or string

LOAVES AND FISHES

Our gratitude to the awesome volunteer team who helped feed the hungry on Sunday, May 23 at Loaves and Fishes. Thank you to Kim Hickey, Mindy Nelson, Karon Speckman, Jean Kirsch Holliday, and Jenine Loesing for donating muffins.

Also, thanks to Mona Freidrichs, Dawn Lessiack, Sarah Larson, Kim Hickey, 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: Susan Goldammer, Charlie Farrow, Gary and Alex Taylor, Robin Gregor, Lauren Lessiack, and Gwen Gray.

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 always looking for volunteers to bake or distribute meals each month.

Meal distribution begins at 4:00 p.m. at Wilkes Boulevard

Methodist Church. The next opportunity is Sunday, July 25, 2021. If you are interested, please contact Susan Goldammer or Mona Freidrichs.



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.



SHEPHERDING MINISTRY

Things are beginning to open up. Yet there may be those members who are not vaccinated and are unable to attend church or Communion. There may also be those who are vaccinated and still are not completely comfortable attending church/Communion.

If you or someone you know in the St. Andrew's family would like Communion from a visiting shepherd let Pastor David or Barb Lewis know.

The visiting shepherds have had their vaccinations.

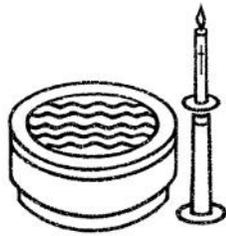
~Barb Lewis

HOLY BAPTISM

Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church rejoices with those who are recently baptized in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Ensley Vogelweid

May she continue to grow in relationship with Jesus in and through the Saint Andrew's community, seeking to Share Christ in Faith, Fellowship, and Service.



DRIVE-IN HOLY COMMUNION ON JULY 18TH

For those anxious about attending worship in-seat, Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church will offer Holy Communion on Sunday, July 18th, weather permitting. Individuals will need to pre-register for specific worship times beginning at 2:00 p.m. Once registered, confirmation will be sent from the church office. The brief Order for Holy Communion will be celebrated on the north parking lot by the Fellowship Hall. Anyone who has any symptom of COVID-19 should not attend.

When members arrive, their attendance will be checked against the signup sheet. Distribution of Holy Communion will involve individual serving Communion elements. Those attending will need to have adequate dexterity to open the sealed Communion kit.

Those who cannot sign up using the Flocknote sign ups can call the church office at 573-449-5674 during office hours before July 16th.



HOSPITALITY AND OTHER MINISTERS NEEDED FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP



Visual Projectionist

Throughout the summer quarter, signups for all worship leadership roles will be through Flocknote sign ups. Even if the signup for worship itself is suspended at the June 1 Task Force C-19 meeting, there will be need for Greeters, Worship Hosts, Assisting Ministers, Visual Projectionists, Zoom Tech Directors and Zoom Worship Hosts. Contact Kay in the office for a full list of links to sign up for any Sunday during the Summer. Or, check your weekly update.



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

St. Andrew's hosts Missouri LWR ingathering

We'll host the sole LWR Missouri ingathering Sept. 10 and Sept. 11. Note that these dates are about a month earlier than usual. Read elsewhere in the newsletter about the need for folks to fill school bags and to make personal care kits!

Want to know more about Growing Hope?



Learn how your dollars have helped overseas farmers during the Pandemic and why individuals feel inspired to help Growing Help. Join us for the Summer Celebration – without having to drive!

Register for the Thursday, July 22, 5 p.m. Zoom summer celebration by going to: GrowingHopeGlobally.org> News & Events>Webinars & Events.

Sign up for the monthly newsletter

Get timely news by going to: GrowingHopeGlobally.org>News & Events> Newsletter Signup.

Watch this space for information on our fall quilt raffle and Harvest Festival for St. Andrew's and our partners!

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:

Clarke O'Neill	Mike Alexander
Bob Piest	Resa Kerns
Mary Carbonari	Becky Kulpa
Jill Hett	Robin Eskridge
Gerry Brezenski	Dan Allie
Judith Panko	Joyce Todd
Vena Champion	Vera Leip
Ranata Washington	Amy Hossfeld
Marybeth Champion-Garthe	Joanne Boomer
Madalyn Gramke	Ellie Hanney
Peg Gibson	Stephanie Hsiung
John Wolfe	Christy Provanca
Patric	Jim Steele
Scott Delamore	Debbie Franklin
Beverly Brooks	Kate Donaghy
Ida Gastler	Valencia Clemons-Bush
Christian	
Michelle Thomas	

We pray for those in the military:

Will Parker deployed in Central Asia; Eric Childers, Brayden Coy, Matthew Lee, Nick Miller, Travis Miller, Kevin Grove, and those serving throughout the world.

We pray for those with other kinds of needs:

For all who are recovering from 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 the family and friends of Pastor Phil Hett and daughter Abby, Pastor Phil was chaplain at Bethany Village in Lindsborg, Kansas.

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



Happy July Birthdays!

Sheryl Mehrhoff	July 2	Mandy Knodell	July 13
Joyce Sandin	July 2	Laura Kassel	July 14
Nathan Williams	July 2	John Kassel	July 15
Bev Casey	July 2	George Kracke	July 17
Josh Kittle	July 4	Brad Lockenvitz	July 17
Tony Edler	July 5	Idolene Mazza	July 17
Greg Mitchell	July 5	Karen Stohlgren	July 18
Gary Lembke	July 6	Alexis Garrison	July 19
Milo Gilbert	July 8	Harlan Palm	July 19
Randy Johnson	July 8	Bruce Detert	July 23
Mary Frances Hose	July 9	Andrew Kassel	July 23
Kylie Rice	July 10	Bill Casey	July 23
Jason Johnston	July 11	Erica Lembke	July 24
Yolanda Williams	July 11	Kalen Williams	July 24
Brent Gibson	July 12	Scherrie Goettsch	July 29
Conor Gibson	July 12	Amani Kileo	July 30
Vicki Humberg	July 12	Michelle Thomas	July 30

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

WORSHIP AT ST. ANDREW'S JULY 2021

July 4th

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Ezekiel 2:1-5; Psalm 123
2 Corinthians 12:2-10; Mark 6:1-13
Setting 8

July 11th

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Amos 7:7-15; Psalm 85:8-13
Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:14-29
Setting 8

July 18th

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 23;
Ephesians 2:11-22; Mark 6:30-34, 53-56
Setting 8

July 25th

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

2 Kings 4:42-44; Psalm 145:10-18;
Ephesians 3:14-21; John 6:1-21
Setting 8



Sunday, July 4th

Independence Day

- 9:45 am Sunday Forum—The Future of the Digital Church
- 11:00 am Worship (and on Zoom)
& Anonymous Angels

Monday, July 5th

Office Closed for Independence Day

Tuesday, July 6th

- 8:00 am Quilting Prep
- 2:00 pm Prayer Team

Wednesday, July 7th

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

Friday, July 9th

- 9:00 am Quilt Tying

Sunday, July 11th

- 11:00 am Worship (and on Zoom)

Monday, July 12th

- 5:30 pm Minister of Faith Formation Call Committee

Tuesday, July 13th

- 8:00 am Quilting Prep

Wednesday, July 14th

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

Thursday, July 15th

- 6:00 pm Council Meeting

Sunday, July 18th

- 9:45 am Sunday Forum— Intergenerational Worship
- 11:00 am Worship (and on Zoom)
- 2:00 pm Drive-in Holy Communion

Monday, July 19th

- 5:30 pm Minister of Faith Formation Call Committee

Tuesday, July 20th

- 8:00 am Quilting Prep

Wednesday, July 21st

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

Thursday, July 22nd

- 7:00 pm Women in the Word

Friday, July 23rd

- 9:00 pm Quilt Tying

Sunday, July 25th

- 9:45 am Sunday Forum—Intergenerational Worship
- 11:00 am Worship (and on Zoom)
- 4:00 pm Loaves and Fishes

Monday, July 19th

- 5:30 pm Minister of Faith Formation Call Committee

Wednesday, July 28th

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

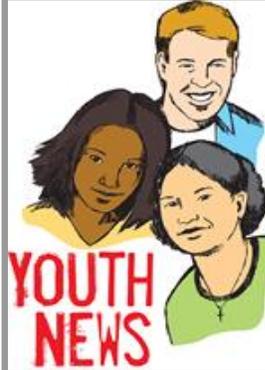
MAKING AN OFFERING

Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church provides a variety of means for making an offering. Those means include:



- **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 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/contact information.

YOUTH GET TOGETHER



There will be no Youth Get Together in July. Plans are afoot for a gathering in August. Lauren Warnken and I welcome parents who want to plan events with us.

~Pastor David

USING YOUR PHONE TO JOIN ZOOM WORSHIP

Sundays at 11 a.m. and Wednesdays at 6 p.m.

You can use your phone to join worship every Sunday at 11 a.m. and Wednesday at 6 p.m.

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.

- Call: (312) 626-6799
- Meeting ID: 573 449 5674
- Password: 65203

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

May Summary	May 2021	Year to Date
Giving toward the Budget(1)	\$ 27,086	\$209,919
Actual Expenses for Budgeted Items	\$ 32,722	\$175,607
Giving over/(under) Expenses	\$ (5,636)	\$ 34,312
Response to Budget		
Budget (Spending Estimate) Approved at 1/24/21 Annual Meeting	\$ 47,412	\$237,058
Giving over/(under) Budget	\$ (20,326)	\$ (27,139)
Nonbudget Special Offerings		
Kirklin Scholarship	\$ 140	\$ 290
Fifth Sunday--The Center Project	\$ 243	\$ 243

Notes:

- (1) May year-to-date giving increased 2.4% over May 2020.
(2) Annual budget is \$568,668.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

INTERGENERATIONAL WORSHIP: PREPARING FOR WORSHIP THAT ACTIVELY ENGAGES AND EQUALLY VALUES ALL AGES

Join Pastor David in a series based on excerpts from the Vibrant Faith Ministries MasterClass by this name.

The series begins on July 18, 9:45 – 10:30 a.m. Each class session will include video presentation followed by brief discussion.

The video presenter is the Rev. Sarah Bentley Allred, Director of Children and Family Ministries at St. John's Episcopal Church in Wake Forest, North Carolina. This presentation explores a process for worship preparation and practice that seeks to actively engage and equally value the gifts of all ages within the worshipping community.

Taken in 45 minute increments, the presentation will cover four installments, July 18, 25, August 1, and 8 (if needed). Participants may join in as their schedule allows, in the Conference Room or via Zoom.

