Rite I 8 am

1 Lent. March 9, 2025

Book of Common Prayer (Black)

Liturgy of the Word

Opening Sentences p. 323

Collect: (See Insert)

First Lesson: (See Insert)

Psalm: (See Insert)

Second Lesson: (See Insert)

Gospel: (See Insert)

Homily: The Rev. Les Carpenter

Nicene Creed p. 326 p. 328 Prayers of the People p. 331 Confession & Absolution

The Peace

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Holy Communion

Offerina **Eucharistic Prayer I** p. 333 Sanctus The Breaking of the Bread p. 337 Distribution Of Communion **Post Communion Prayer** p. 339 Blessina

Why is Lent Important to Christians?

Lent starts on Ash Wednesday in western Christian Churches, and climaxes at midnight on Holy Saturday. he week of Palm Sunday through Holy Saturday is called Holy Week. During the 40 days of Lent, Christians remember the time when Jesus went into the desert to fast and pray before beginning his ministry for God.



We are SO glad you are here!

Please fill out one of our cards (or use this QR Code) so we can let you know how happy we are to meet you.

St. Andrew's is a warm community just waiting to love you. If you like, you will definitely find good friends here.

Basic Information

Children's Chapel/Sunday School/Nursery

Children are always welcome in worship at St. Andrew's! To support our families, we do offer nursery care (0-PreK), and Children's Chapel (Elementary Age) during the service. Ask an usher and they will tell you where to drop off your kids prior to service. They will join you for Communion.

Adult Sunday School

Meets at 9:15am in the Conference Room. Join Us!

Holy Communion

- All baptized people are invited to receive communion with us. If you prefer you can come forward for a blessing.
- If you don't want to come forward feel free to pray and sing
- If you have a gluten sensitivity, Gluten free wafers are available on request.
- If you have mobility concerns tell an usher and we would be happy to bring Communion to you.

On for Next Sunday? (check it out here) 8 AM 10:30 AM

LAY: Virgil Evans LAY: Pete Rov

LEM: Brian Westcott **LEM:** Forrest Mericle

Brad Earle

Food Pantry Acolytes: Mericle Family **Ushers:** Angela Reid

Betty Bunn Tom Jenkins Tom Jenkins

Greeters: Ashley Newcomb Linda Hutcheson

Tommy Parker

Rite II

10:30 am

BCP 355

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1982 Hymnal (Blue) and LEVAS **Book of Common Prayer** (Black)

Liturgy of the Word

Introit: What wonderous love is this V. 1-3 **Hymn:** Forty days and forty nights 150

Salutation and Collect Spoken 421 **Hymn:** All glory be to God on high

First Lesson: (See Insert)

Psalm: (See Insert) Second Lesson: (See Insert)

Hvmn: Take mv life Gospel: (See Insert)

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BCP 358 Nicene Creed BCP 392 Prayers of the People & Confession

The Peace & Announcements

Holy Communion

Offering

Anthem: The gift of love

380 v3 Doxology

BCP 361 **Eucharistic Prayer A**

S-130 Sanctus

> BCP 364 The Breaking of the Bread

Distribution Of Communion

Anthem: Show me your ways O Lord

BCP 365 Post Communion Prayer

Blessing

Hymn: Lord who throughout these 40 days V. 1-3 142

BCP 366 Dismissal





Women's Retreat

Saturday, March 15, 2025, 9am-2pm

Katerina Whitley will be our speaker. The program will be Dia Dolorosa—We are Participants and the Stations of the Cross. Please plan to join us! Please call the office to make a reservation.



Let Us Pray for...

Liam Catherine For those serving in our Armed Forces: Lisa Kaye Adam Sean Fletcher Chris Nell Veronica Jonathan James Jinx **Terry** Will **Thomas** Jericca Wayland Janet All Veterans Rodney Matt Teresa **Bennie Jeffery** Eric Zanetta Linda And the Deceased: Allison Dan

Lenten Class:

Foundations for Mission in NC

There will be **two** Class Groups:

Sundays 9:15-10:10 AM, March 9th-April 6

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm March 9th-April 9th.

Join Rev. Les in this 5 week's journey through the diocesan priorities as we connect the dots to reveal the biblical foundations, the "why", behind each of these priorities, and how they connect to us, our faith, and our sacred future. Lectures and materials will also be available online.

Stations of the Cross Fridays at 5pm

Join us in the Commons every week as we go through the Stations of the Cross.

Lenten Lunch Schedule

3/12 -- Host Church - St Andrews Episcopal Church, Pastor - Noah Larkin

3/19 -- Host Church - First UMC, Pastor - Libby Grammer

3/26 -- Host Church - The Mills Church (@ Saint Paul UMC), Pastor - Les Carpenter

4/2 -- Host Church - Lakeside Baptist Church, Pastor - Nathan Wittman

4/9 -- Host Church - Englewood UMC, Pastor – David Joyner or Laura Goldenbaum-Yang

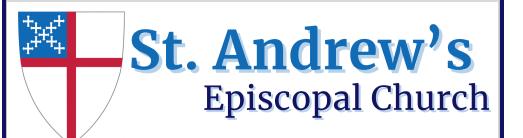
Lenten Dinners Wednesdays 6 PM March 9- April 9

For the season of Lent, we are having parish meals from 6 to 6:30pm. They will be simple but a great way to connect. After dinner, people will be encouraged to join one of our Wednesday activities, such as choir or Rev. Les's class, "Foundations for Mission in NC."

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Led by the Spirit, we lovingly serve God through worship, fellowship, spiritual growth, and ministry.

"Soul Cleaning"

Title for Today's Homily Preacher: The Rev. Les Carpenter