

Welcome to St. Andrew's on this Seventh Sunday after Pentecost.
 If you are visiting this morning, please sign our *Guest Book*
 on the welcome table in the Commons. Also located
 there are Visitor's Packets and our parish newsletter, *The Call*.

Carriage Court School Supplies

Beginning Sunday, July 14th through August 11th, we will collect school supplies for the kids at Carriage Court Apartments. Below is a list of supplies needed. Please bring items to the Commons by August 13th.

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| Wide Ruled Notebook Paper | File Folders |
| Mechanical Pencils | Yellow Highlighters |
| #2 Pencils | 4 oz white glue bottles |
| Red, Black, and Blue Pens | Rulers |
| Pink Erasers | Pencil Sharpener (manual) |
| Pencil/Pen Zippered Pouch | Ruled Index Cards |
| 3 Ring Notebooks | Glue Sticks |
| Book Bags | Crayons/Colored Pencils |
| Spiral Notebooks (one/two subjects and three or four subjects) | |
| College Ruled Notebook Paper | |

Every year St. Andrew's puts together welcome bags for our incoming Preschool class. We like to add in some supplies our teachers will use, fun little toys for the kids, and of course information about St. Andrew's. If you are interested in helping with this project please contact the office.



Financial Status as of July 1, 2024

Contrib. Rec'd this week \$1,319
 Avg. Wkly Contrib. Needed \$6,696
 Rec'd YTC \$212,081
 Spent YTD \$147,577

If you have questions about your pledge or other contributions, call Rosemary Clark, our bookkeeper, at 443-2070 on Monday or Thursday afternoons.

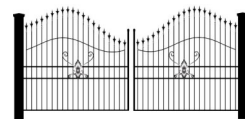
Summer Youth Fellowship & Fun

Hosted by Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Andrew's Episcopal, and First Presbyterian

Ages: Pre-K-5th Grade

July 21—Bowling at the RM Bowling Center 2-4pm

August 25—Back to School Pool Party at Benvenue Country Club



Gatekeepers starts this week!
July 7th-12th

Serving next Sunday, July 14

9:30am

Officiant: Rev. Pat Hanen

LEM: Martha Lamm

LAY: Leslie Hall

Acolyte: TBD

Ushers: Billy Suggs and Steve Thurkill

Greeters: TBD

Pantry Volunteers: Lynn Ives, Terry Noble, Martha Lamm

Pantry Distributors: Patty Kennedy, Tommy Parker, Elizabeth Hunter

“For God is not unjust, he will not overlook your work and the love that you showed for his sake in serving the saints, as you still do.” Hebrews 6:10

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church



7 Pentecost

July 7, 2024

The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Officiant then says the following:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. *Amen. 2 Corinthians 13:14*

Closing Hymn 528 “Lord, You Give the Great Commission”

The Dismissal

Officiant: Let us go forth, in the Name of Christ, Alleluia! Alleluia!

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!



Officiant: Let us stand.

The Officiant then faces the altar and says:

Officiant Lord, open our lips.

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

The Officiant and People say together the following:

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

Antiphon: (Standing)

Officiant The earth is the Lord's for he made it.

People Come, let us adore him.

Officiant: Join us as we sing Hymn 421

Officiant: Let us say together the Venite

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *
let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, *
and a great King above all gods.
In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are his also.
The sea is his, for he made it, *
and his hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.
For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture
and the sheep of his hand. *
Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Psalm 48

¹ Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised; * in the city of our God is his holy hill.

² Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth is the hill of Zion, * the very center of the world and the city of the great King.

³ God is in her citadels; * he is known to be her sure refuge.

⁴ Behold, the kings of the earth assembled * and marched forward together.

⁵ They looked and were astounded: * they retreated and fled in terror.

⁶ Trembling seized them there; * they writhed like a woman in childbirth, like the ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them.

⁷ As we have heard, so have we seen, in the city of the Lord of the hosts, in the city of our God; * in the midst of your temple.

⁸ We have waited in silence on your living kindness, O God, * in the midst of your temple.

⁹ Your praise like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; * your right hand is full of justice.

¹⁰ Let Mount Zion be glad and the cities of Judah rejoice, * because of your judgments.

¹¹ Make the circuit of Zion; walk round about her; * count the number of her towers.

¹² Consider well her bulwarks; examine her strongholds; * that you may tell those who come after.

¹³ This God is our God for ever and ever; * he shall be our guide for evermore.

At the end of the Psalms is said:

Glory to the Father, and the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The Lessons

First Reading

(Seated)

Silence may be kept after each Reading. A Canticle is said after each Reading.

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The LORD said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years. David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the LORD, the God of hosts, was with him.

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

A Collect for the departed

Grant us grace to entrust our loved ones to your never failing love...receive them into the arms of your mercy, and remember them according to the favor which you bear unto your children. *Amen.*

A Collect for self-dedication

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, dedicated unto you; and then use us, we pray, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare of your people; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

A collect for Mission

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

The General Thanksgiving (Kneeling or Standing)

Officiant: Let us say together the General Thanksgiving:

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
for all your goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all whom you have made.
We bless you for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for your immeasurable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives,
by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you
in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Collect for Sundays

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for the Renewal of Life

O God, the King eternal, whose light divides the day from the night and turns the shadow of death into the morning: Drive far from us all wrong desires, incline our hearts to keep your law, and guide our feet into the way of peace; that, having done your will with cheerfulness during the day, we may, when night comes, rejoice to give you thanks; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for Peace

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, you humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for Grace

Lord God, almighty and everlasting Father, you have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity; and in all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for Guidance

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for the Sick

Almighty God, Father of life and health, use us we pray to bring wholeness and peace to those in need: for our sick: Catherine, Bill, Lisa O., Chris, Rains, Bruce, Blake, Linda, Jinx, Wayland, Teresa, Mae, Kiara, The Staton Family, Barbara R., Raymond, Wiggins Family, Richardson Family, Japes, P., Dan, Mary, Sarah, Wayner, Janet, David, Lisa, Pat, Barbara, and Diana...for those who minister to the needs of others...for all who have asked for our prayers... let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Canticle 9
(Please Stand)

The First Song of Isaiah *Ecce, Deus*
Isaiah 12:2-6

Surely, it is God who saves me; *
I will trust in him and not be afraid.

For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense, *
and he will be my Savior.

Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing *
from the springs of salvation.

And on that day you shall say, *
Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;

Make his deeds known among the peoples; *
see that they remember that his Name is exalted.

Sing praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, *
and this is known in all the world.

Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, *
for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Second Reading
(Seated)

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Canticle 19
(Please Stand)

The Song of the Redeemed
Magna et mirabilia

Revelation 15:3-4

O ruler of the universe, Lord God, great deeds are they that you have done, * surpassing human understanding.

Your ways are ways of righteousness and truth, * O King of all the ages.

Who can fail to do you homage, Lord, and sing the praises of your Name? for you only are the Holy One.

All nations will draw near and fall down before you, * because your just and holy works have been revealed.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sequence Hymn 709 “O God of Bethel”

Vv. 1-2 Prior to the gospel

V. 3 following

Gospel

Mark 6:1-13

Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, “Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house.” And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief. Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, “Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.” So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

(Please stand. W\O a priest or deacon, the Gospel lesson is introduced like the Epistle.

After the Gospel lesson, the reader closes with “The Word of the Lord.”)

Homily: Tim Knapp

Written by Rev. Dr. Amy Richter

The Apostles’ Creed

Officiant: Standing, let us reaffirm our faith as we say together the Apostles Creed.

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He 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,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

The Announcements

Offertory Sentence Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

Organ Voluntary

Ruff Creech

The Doxology

The Prayers

The people stand

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

Facing the altar, the Officiant and People say together:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Suffrage (Standing)

V. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

R. And grant us thy salvation.

V. Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

R. And make thy chosen people joyful.

V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

R. For only in thee can we live in safety.

V. Lord, keep this nation under thy care;

R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth..

V. Let thy way be known upon earth;

R. Thy saving health among all nations.

V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;

R. And sustain us with thy Holy Spirit.

The Officiant then says the following Collects

Congregation and Officiant standing

The Collect of the Day

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*