

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

April 16, 2006

Easter Sunday

10:00 AM

The Church in Preparation

The Prelude

“In the Garden/ There Is None Like You”

Maddie King

The Lighting of the Candles

Mike Herschl

Welcome and Announcements, Exchange of Greetings

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers, returning them to the center aisle.)

The Introit

“Christ Has Risen”

Chancel Choir

The Call to Worship

Natalie McKay

Leader: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: Christ is risen indeed!

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made;

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Opening Prayer *(in Unison)*

God of all ages and all people, the shadows and gloom of Good Friday have been dispersed by the light and color of Easter morning. Death does not have the final word. Christ is risen! As the sun boldly rises to meet a new day, rise in our lives, O Lord, for you are our hope, our joy, and our life. Amen.

***The Opening Hymn #259**

“Worship Christ, the Risen King”

Hayford

(Ushers will collect prayer requests. Please pass them to the center aisle.)

The Prayer of Confession *(In Unison)*

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death and set before us the way of life. Yet we doggedly follow the path of death. Ignoring your voice, spurning your love, we stubbornly seek our own will and way. At times we live as if Christ hadn't. Forgive us, Lord. Help us to know the joy of your abundant life, through the grace of the risen Christ. Amen.

A Time of Silent Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

The Congregation Sings in Response

“Gloria Patri”

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

The Message to Young Christians

Dawn Grossman

The Congregation Sings in Response

“O How He Loves You and Me” #223

O how He loves you and me! O how He loves you and me!

He gave His life; what more could He give?

O how He loves you; O how He loves Me; O how He loves you and me!

The Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Church in Proclamation

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 25:6 - 9

O.T. Page 652

John 20: 1 - 18

N.T. Page 114

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Anthem

“Hallelujah, Amen”

Chancel Choir

Sermon

“In the Garden”

Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

***The Hymn #264**

“Thine Is the Glory”

Bundry

The Church Responds

***The Affirmation of Faith** - Apostles' Creed *(In Unison)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The people will rise in body or spirit

Worship Leadership

Ushers: Steve Hockenberry Chris Cotton Bob Gladd Rick Kelley
Acolyte: Mike Herschl
Liturgist: Natalie McKay
Children's Sermon: Susan Moon
Children's Church: None
Flower Delivery: All Deacons

Prayer Requests can be made by using the purple prayer request cards found in the pew racks. Pass your requests to the center aisle during The Opening Hymn. They will be shared during the Prayers for the People and distributed to our Prayer Team to be included in this week's prayers.

Restrooms: Please use the left front entrance to the sanctuary and follow the hallway to the right. From the rear of the sanctuary, turn left and go downstairs. The restrooms are at the end of the hallway.

Next Week: Jessica White
Next Week: Travis Grossman
Next Week: Becky Thomas
Next Week: Maddie King
Next Week: Anzie Kelley

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church Vision statement:

Through the gifts of the Holy Spirit our vision is to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ, by members joining together in leadership and learning, to develop Spiritual gifts and to extend these gifts into the community as true servants of God.

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Mrs. Jennifer White, Youth
 Mrs. Lori Haughey, Children's Ministry
 Mrs. Kathy Oesterling, Tender Tots Director
 Ms. Missy Frye – Nursery Ministry

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Mrs. Rebecca Veith, Director
 Mr. Chuck Davey, Organist
 Mrs. Susan Moon, Bell Choirs

OFFICE MINISTRY

Mrs. Kate Busa, Office Manager/Bookkeeper
 Office hours: Mon.-Thurs, 9 AM – 2PM
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Deacon of the Month for April: Carol Israel (724) 282-3114

Church activities

7:00 AM – Easter Sunrise Service at Moraine State Park
 10:00 AM – Worship Service

No School

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 1:15 PM – Staff Meeting
 7:00 PM - Session

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
 6:30 PM – "Cut N Pastors"

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
 6:30 PM – Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting

9:30 – 11:30 AM Tender Tots

9:30 AM – Sunday School for all ages
 10:00 AM – Worship Service
 11:15 AM – Session Meets New Members
 6:00 PM – Youth Riverboat Cruise

This Week at Saint Andrews

Sunday April 16, 2006

Easter Sunday

Monday, April 17, 2006

10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk

Tuesday, April 18, 2006

4-7:30 PM – Taco Talk

Wednesday, April 19, 2006

10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk
 5:00 PM – Community Dinner – Trinity Church
 8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

Thursday, April 20, 2006

4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk

Friday, April 21, 2006

Next Sunday, April 23, 2006

Reports for last Sunday, April 2, 2006

Giving - Weekly Need: \$4,385
 Received: \$3,772

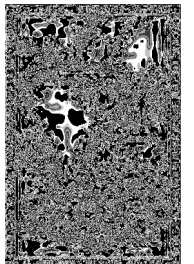
Attendance: 130

Special Meeting of Session Called

Attention all members of Session. There will be a special Session Meeting on Sunday, April 23, at 11:15 for the purpose of meeting and receiving new members.

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds: Spring Service and Supper"

Please join us for a Service of Worship and Communion on Sunday afternoon, May 7, at 4:00 PM. The Deacons will be hosting dinner and a time of fellowship after worship. Everyone is welcome!

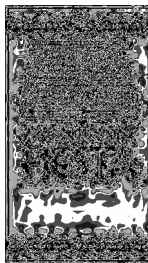


Vacation Bible School Meeting

Fiesta! - Where kids are FIRED up about Jesus!

MEETING...MEETING...MEETING...MEETING...MEETING...MEETING

Anyone who has signed up to help or is interested in helping or would just like to learn more about the program, please join me in the Memorial Room on Thursday, April 20th at 6:30. We will be reviewing the program and passing out materials. Mark your calendars and I'll see you then!



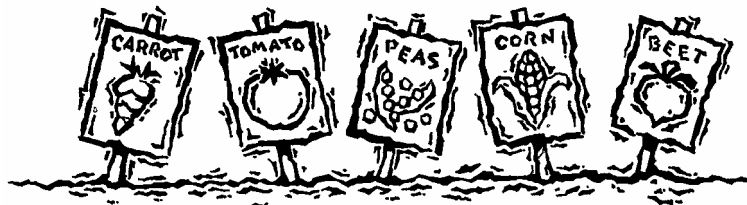
A Church Wide TALENT SHOW! Friday, May 19th

We are looking for ALL talented individuals who would like to help plan this fun event! We need set-up crews and clean-up crews, publicists, and planners. We definitely need talent! Shine up your dancing shoes, dust off your magician's hat, practice your jokes! For all you great cooks out there, pull out your favorite recipes! We will be auctioning off baked goods between acts! There is something for everyone! Look for the sign-up sheets and sign up to perform, help plan, or both!

Katie's Garden Needs Your Help

Trinity Lutheran Church is developing Katie's Garden for the purpose of growing fresh fruits and vegetables to be used in the Butler Area Community Dinner Program. Do you enjoy gardening? Would you like to meet other gardeners from this area and help feed those people from Butler most in need?

The Trinity Lutheran Church hopes to divide the work by assigning small groups of people to be responsible for one or more of the beds. There are many different jobs available. Preparing the beds, planting, weeding, pruning, etc. Many Hands Make Light Work! If you would like to be a part of this garden ministry, you may call Vicar Brian Evans at 724/283-8711.



Tureen Luncheon and New Member Reception

On April 30, 2006 Saint Andrews will be receiving New Members. Following the Service of Worship we will have a Tureen Luncheon and New Member Reception. Bring a dish to share and plan to attend this time of food, fellowship and fun!

Upcoming Events at Saint Andrews

Sunday, April 30, 2006	Receive New Members during the Worship Service Tureen Luncheon follows service, Come and celebrate with us! Presbytery Youth Riverboat Cruise at 6PM
Sunday, May 7, 2006	"Blest Be the Tie that Binds: Spring Service and Supper" at 4PM
Sunday, May 14, 2006	Mother's Day Children's Service
Sunday, June 4, 2006	Pentecost Communion Service Pentecost Picnic in the Park after Worship
Sunday June 11, 2006	Youth Sunday Honor Graduates during worship

