

Church activities

This Week at Saint Andrews

Community Activities

Today, Sunday February 12, 2006

10:00 AM – Worship Service
6:00 PM – Youth Group

Monday, February 13, 2006

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk

Tuesday, February 14 2006

9:30 – 11:30 AM Tender Tots
4-7:30 PM – Taco Talk

7:00 PM – Worship Committee Meets

Wednesday, February 15, 2006

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk

6:00 PM – K.I.C.K.
5:00 PM – Community Dinner – Trinity Church

6:30 PM – “Cut N Pastors”:
8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

Thursday, February 16, 2006

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk

6:15 PM – Hand Bells
6:00 PM – Cub Scouts

7:30 PM – Choir

Friday, February 17, 2006

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots

Saturday, February 18, 2006

11:00 AM – Service Learning Day, Narcotics Anonymous

Next Sunday, February 19, 2006

9:00 AM – Sunday School
10:00 AM – Worship Service
6:00 PM – Youth Group

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

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Deacon of the Month for February: Melanie Fogel (724) 283-3308

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.

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

February 12, 2006

10:00 AM

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Church in Preparation

The Prelude

The Lighting of the Candles

Elizabeth Haughey

Welcome and Announcements, Exchange of Greetings

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

The Introit

“Praise the Lord”

Chancel Choir

The Church in Adoration

The Call to Worship

Susan Race

Leader: From different places, with different needs,

People: We gather as one people, joined in the Spirit of God.

Leader: Give us the words to say and the songs to sing
that will glorify you, most holy God.

People: We gather to worship God. Let us praise God’s name.

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Eternal God, we come before you with glad and grateful hearts. You cause the darkness of night to steal away before the brightness of the dawn. You cause the darkness of our world to flee before the light of your love. In Christ, you offer us peace, purpose, and new life. Be with us now as we worship you. Warm our hearts and strengthen our voices so that we may sing your praises and be transformed by your Spirit, through the grace of Christ. Amen.

***The Opening Hymn #147 “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”**

Wesley

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

The Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us, Lord. Help us to change who we are and guide us to become the people you intend us to be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways. Amen.

*The people will rise in body or spirit

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 Laura Pisani

The Congregation Sings in Response "Open Our Eyes" # 459
Open our eyes, Lord; we want to see Jesus,
to reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen. Open our eyes, Lord; we want to see Jesus.

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.

Scripture Reading The Church in Proclamation
2 Kings 5:1 - 14 O.T. Page 336
Mark 1:40 - 45 N.T. Page 35
Leader: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Anthem "Great is Thy Faithfulness" Chancel Choir

The Sermon "Naaman's Journey" Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

***The Hymn #348** "He Touched Me" Gaither

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 Offertory Invitation
We are blessed with so much, and yet we often long for more—more money, more security, more possessions, more stuff. God calls us to a better way. God calls us to remember those who have less. God calls us to serve, to give, to get involved. God calls us to care. Let us bring before the Lord our tithes and offerings.

The Offertory "God's Care Medley" Chancel Choir

***The Congregation Sings in Response** #6 "Praise God,..."
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***The Prayer of Dedication** *(In Unison)*
Gracious God, throughout the ages, you have included your people in the glorious work of your kingdom. Shape the words we speak, that they may proclaim your grace. Guide the deeds we do, that we may show others your tender love. Bless the gifts we give, that they may extend your healing touch to our hurting, and broken world. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

The Church Goes Forth to Serve
***The Closing Hymn** #455 "Take My Life, and Let It Be" Havergal

***The Benediction**
***The Congregation Sings in Response** #785 "God Be with You" vs. 1
God be with you till we meet again; by His counsels guide, uphold you;
with His sheep securely fold you. God be with you till we meet again.
Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus' feet;
till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again

***The Postlude** ~~~~~

~Welcome to Saint Andrews~

The Church Nursery is available for children through kindergarten age.

Worship Leadership

Ushers: Chuck Kohler Lila Albert Chris Cotton Ken Weckerly Scott O'Day
Acolyte: Elizabeth Haughey
Liturgist: Susan Race
Children's Sermon: Laura Pisani
Children's Church: Carol Israel
Flower Delivery: Lori Haughey

The Flowers today are given to the glory of God.

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.

Saint Andrews on the Radio

Our Worship Service is broadcast every Sunday at 11:00 AM on WBUT Radio, 1050 on your AM dial. If you can't make it to church, you can still worship with us. If you know anyone who has a hard time getting out to church, please let them know about our radio ministry. We mail bulletins to those who cannot get to church on a regular basis. Please call the church office to get your name added to the mailing list.

New Members Class

There will be a New Members Class forming this month. If you are interested in joining the Saint Andrews, or would just like to learn more about what it means to be Presbyterian, please call the church office at 724-287-4777



\$23 Per Capita is Due in February

Per Capita is an allotment that Saint Andrews owes the Beaver-Butler Presbytery for each active member on our rolls. This money is used at the Presbytery, Synod, and General Assembly levels to pay operating expenses. This year the rate is \$23 per member. You may use the envelope marked "Denominational Apportionment 2005", or simply mark "per capita" on the memo line of a check made out to Saint Andrews. Thank You.

VBS 2006

Fiesta!

Where kids are FIRED up about Jesus!

This year Vacation Bible School will be held the week of July 24 - 28, from 6:00 - 8:30. Think about how you will be able to help this year and sign up on the sheet outside the Memorial Room.

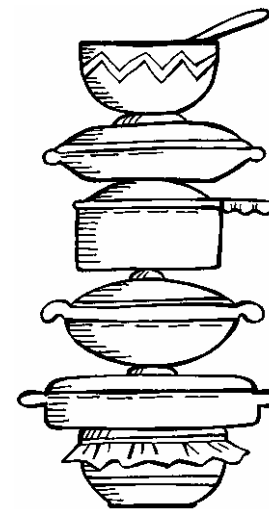


K.I.C.K.

Kids In Christ's Klub

We meet on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 7:30. See you on the farm as we continue to grow the good fruit!

Monthly Tureen Luncheons Return



The Monthly Tureen Luncheons will be returning to Saint Andrews beginning on Sunday, February 26, in the Memorial Room, following the Service of Worship.

Session will be hosting this first luncheon. Beverage and Main dish will be provided.

Members whose last names begin with the letter A-N are asked to bring a side dish. Those whose last names begin with the letter O-Z are asked to bring a dessert.

Be sure to bring a favorite dish and share in the fun and fellowship on February 26.