

Church activities

10:00 AM – Worship Service
11:00 AM – Church Fellowship Committee
6:00 PM – Youth Group

**This Week at Saint Andrews
Today, Sunday January 15, 2006**

Community Activities

Monday, January 16, 2006
Martin Luther King Day - No Tender Tots
Newsletter Deadline

Tuesday, January 17, 2006
9:30 – 11:30 AM Tender Tots
7:00 PM – Session

Wednesday, January 18 2006
9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
6:30 PM – “Cut N Pastors”
5:00 PM – Community Dinner – Trinity Church
8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

Thursday, January 19, 2006
9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots
6:15 PM – Hand Bells
7:30 PM – Choir
6:00 PM – Cub Scouts

Friday, January 20, 2006
9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots

Next Sunday, January 22, 2006
9:00 AM – Sunday School
10:00 AM – Worship Service—Service of Remembrance
Youth Group Ski Trip Begins

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

201 E. Jefferson Street, Butler, PA 16001 Phone:(724) 287-4777 Fax: (724) 285-9649

Web: www.standrewsupc.org

Email: office@standrewsupc.org

PASTORAL MINISTRY

The Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

Home: (724)-287-4682

Email: pastormerry@standrewsupc.org

MUSIC MINISTRY

Mrs. Rebecca Veith, Director

Mr. Chuck Davey, Organist

Mrs. Susan Moon, Bell Choirs

EDUCATION MINISTRY

Mrs. Jennifer White, Youth

Mrs. Lori Haughey, Children’s Ministry

Mrs. Kathy Oesterling, Tender Tots Director

OFFICE MINISTRY

Mrs. Kate Busa, Office Manager/Bookkeeper

Office hours: Mon.-Thurs, 9 AM – 2PM

Office closed on Fridays

Deacon of the Month for January: Carol Landis (724) 482-4650

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

January 15, 2006

10:00 AM

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Church in Preparation

The Prelude

The Lighting of the Candles

Lucas Fogel

Welcome and Announcements, Exchange of Greetings

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

The Introit

“Glorify Thy Name”

Chancel Choir

The Church in Adoration

The Call to Worship

Jen White

Leader: O Lord, you have searched us and know us.

People: You know when we sit down and when we rise up;

Leader: You discern our thoughts from far away.

**People: Even before the words are on our tongues,
O Lord, you know them completely.**

Leader: Where can we go from your spirit?

People: Where can we flee from your presence?

Leader: If we ascend to heaven, you are there;

People: If we make our beds in Sheol, you are there.

Leader: If we take the wings of the morning

and settle at the farthest limits of the sea,

**People: Even there your hand shall lead us,
and your right hand shall hold us fast.**

(Portions of Psalm 139)

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Loving God, you have called us into your church to be your people. We come, drawn by the promise of your presence, the power of your goodness, and the persistence of your call. Speak to your servants in ways we can understand. Empower us to hear your voice in this hour and to respond with renewed energy and commitment, through the grace of Christ. Amen.

***The Opening Hymn #51 “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

Robinson

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

**The people will rise in body or spirit*

The Prayer of Confession *(In Unison)*

Almighty, all merciful God, we confess that we do not always hear your voice or heed your call. Distracted by other voices and lesser priorities, we find it hard to listen. Overwhelmed with the challenges of work, and school, and family, we find it hard to follow. Forgive us, Lord. Open our eyes and focus our hearts. Help us to respond to your call with courage, trust, and faithful obedience, through the grace of 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 "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 for 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 1 Samuel 3:1 - 20 O.T. Page 247
John 1:43 - 51 N.T. Page 92
Leader: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Anthem "We are His Hands" Chancel Choir

The Sermon "Called By Name" Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

***The Hymn** "Here I Am, Lord" See Insert

The Church Responds

***The Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed**

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

For love's sake, God sent Christ among us, to guide us, to lead us, and to save us. For love's sake, we respond with open hands and open hearts. Let us bring before the Lord our tithes and offerings.

The Offertory "We are Called to His Service" 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, we have heard your call in the cries of your children—cries for bread, for justice, for comfort, for hope, for peace. Show us the way to be messengers of your good news. Use these offerings and our lives to strengthen your church and to heal our world. Amen.

The Church Goes Forth to Serve

***The Closing Hymn** #541 "Jesus Calls Us" Alexander

***The Benediction**

***The Congregation Sings in Response** "Here I Am" Chorus only See Insert

***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: Lucas Fogel
Liturgist: Jen White
Children's Sermon: Dawn Grossman
Children's Church: Becky Thomas
Flower Delivery: Anzie Kelley

Next Week: Lucas Fogel
Next Week: Carol Israel
Next Week: Becky Thomas
Next Week: Esther Radvinski

The Flowers today are given by Alice Anthony in memory of Janice Thompson.
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.

Reports for last Sunday, January 8, 2006

Giving - Weekly Need: \$4,385 **Attendance:** 109
 Received: \$3,329

New Flower Calendar Filling Up Fast

The Flower Calendar for 2006 is hanging in the Narthex. If you would like to donate the flowers for one or more Worship Services, please sign up ASAP.



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.

'Cut and Pasters' is for Everyone!

This group is open to everyone with an interest in scrap-booking. Whether you have never scrap-booked before, or have years of experience, we want you to join us. We will be meeting in the Memorial Room on Wednesday's in January at 6:30pm. Bring some scrapbook supplies, or just come, learn, and have fun!



SERVICE OF
Remembrance

Service of Remembrance Next Sunday

Next Sunday, January 22, during our worship service we will be celebrating the lives of members and friends of Saint Andrews who died during the last year. If you have a loved one whose name should be included in the litany, please call the church office at 7240287-4777

Looking Ahead

- Communion: We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper on Sunday, January 29.
- Annual Meeting: The annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 29, immediately following the Worship Service.

\$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 – salaries, utilities, supplies, etc. This year the rate is \$23 per member. If you wish to pay your portion of this, you may use the envelope marked "Denominational Apportionment 2005", which you will find following the Capital Campaign envelope for February. You may also simply mark "per capita" on the memo line of a check made out to Saint Andrews. Thank You.



New Members Class

There will be a New Members Class forming in February. 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