

The Church Goes Forth to Serve

*The Closing Hymn #644 "Onward, Christian Soldiers" Gould

*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.

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

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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 29, 2006

10:00 AM

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Church in Preparation

The Prelude

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

"I've Got Peace" K.I.C.K. Kids

The Church in Adoration

The Call to Worship

Dale Hutchison

Leader: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous.
People: Praise God with the lyre; make melody to the Lord with the harp.
Leader: Let all the earth fear the Lord;
People: Let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe.
Leader: For he spoke, and it came to be;
People: He commanded, and it stood firm.
Leader: Let your steadfast love be upon us, O Lord.
People: Let our hearts trust in you.

(Portions of Psalm 33, adapted)

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Loving God, your life-giving goodness is stronger than sin, stronger than evil, stronger even than death itself. In a world that demands our allegiance to lesser authorities, empower us to acknowledge and honor you as the supreme authority of our lives. Help us to look to you in all that we say and all that we do. Mold our hearts, our minds, and our spirits as we worship you this morning. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

***The Opening Hymn #30**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Luther

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

The Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Leader: God of mercy and love, you have made us to belong to you alone. You call us to serve you with all our being but we are often more focused on serving ourselves.

*The people will rise in body or spirit

People: Forgive us Lord.

Leader: You pour your grace into our lives, but we fail to deal graciously with those around us. We nurse grudges, judge harshly, and act with pettiness. We fail to love with Christ's love.

People: Forgive us Lord.

Leader: You call us to lives of courageous discipleship but we respond with timid, tentative steps. We let our fear and insecurities rule us instead of trusting you.

People: Forgive us Lord.

All: Free us from our sin by the saving power of your love in Jesus Christ. Fill us with your love and show us how to serve, that our lives may glorify you in every way.

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

Susan Moon

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.

The Church in Proclamation

Scripture Reading

Deut. 18:15 - 20

O.T. Page 174

Mark 1:21 - 28

N.T. Page 35

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Anthem

"In the Name of the Lord"

Chancel Choir

The Sermon

"As One With Authority"

Rev. Merry Hope Meloy

***The Hymn #33**

"How Great Thou Art"

Hine

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 honor God by sharing the abundance that God has shared with us. In gratitude for God's many blessing, we offer our time, our talents, our resources and our lives. Let us bring before the Lord our tithes and offerings.

The Offertory

"Organ Offertory"

***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)*

Most merciful God, all that we have and all that we are is a gift of your grace. You call us, you name us, you watch over us with care. We offer these gifts in gratitude for your goodness. Use them to extend your kingdom, through the grace of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Communion Prayer

The Words of Institution

The Distribution of Elements *(please wait until all have been served so that we may share the bread and the cup together)*

The Prayer

Worship Leadership

Ushers: Chuck Kohler Lila Albert Chris Cotton Ken Weckerly Scott O'Day
Acolyte: Mike Herschl
Next Week: Abigail Haughey
Liturgist: Dale Hutchison
Next Week: John Wagner
Children's Sermon: Becky Thomas
Next Week: Susan Moon
Children's Church: John Wagner/Nick Minich
Next Week: dawn Grossman
Flower Delivery: Judy Gall
Next Week: Laura Stevens

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.

Reports for last Sunday, January 11, 2006

Giving - Weekly Need: \$4,385 Attendance: 75
 Received: \$3,223

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 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



\$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.



Souper Bowl Sunday Makes a Difference in Butler

Our youth will be holding soup pots at church doors today. They will join young people in churches all across the country to collect money for those who are hungry and hurting. Our church will donate the Souper Bowl collection to our very own Community Dinner Program. See the insert in this bulletin for more information.

Kid Krusaders

Join us on February 11th, at 2:00pm, at Pizza Plus on the New Castle Road. Come in from the cold to a warm, steamy pizza shop and learn how to make pizza, get a tour of the kitchen, and create and bake our very own pizzas! Hope to see you there!



Kid Krusader Upcoming Events:

March – Skating - Ice Connection, April – Easter Breakfast

VBS 2006 - Fiesta!

Where kids are FIRED up about Jesus!

It's that time of the year again! Hard to believe but true! Look for more information around the church on meetings, sign up sheets, and more. Think about how you can help out this year!



K.I.C.K.

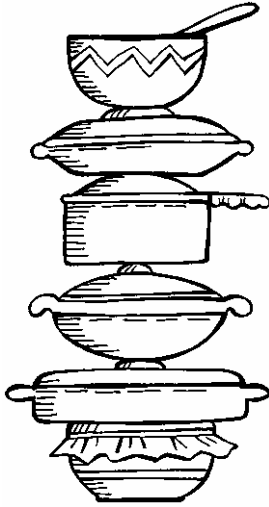
Kids In Christ's Klub

We will meet again starting February 1st from 6:00 – 7:30. See you on the farm as we continue to grow the good fruit!



Taco Talk Returns

Beginning in February, Taco Talk, the Spanish language school for young children, will once again be meeting at Saint Andrews. If you are interested in this program, or know someone who might be interested, you may call Mary Agnes McKay for more information. 724-287-8591



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 if 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

K.I.S.S. Dinner—Sign Up NOW!!

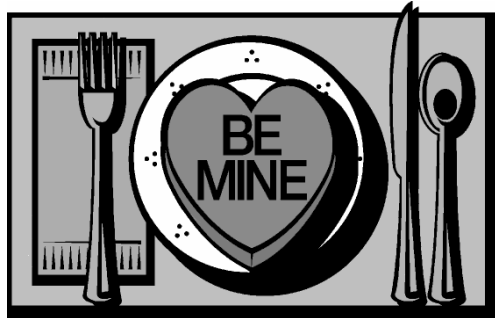
The K.I.S.S. Dinner ("Keep It Simple Sweetheart") will be held on Friday, February 10, 2006, at 6:30, in the Bethany Room.

This dinner, catered by the Fairground Market, will be a delicious way for us to celebrate the February holiday. The menu will include an entree, pasta, vegetable and salad. The desert will be angel food cake with strawberries and whipped cream. (Yum!)

There will be lots of fun, with the entertainment for the adults being provided by Rick McClean. "What is it? Where is it?"

Cost of the adult dinner will be \$10.00 per person. Everyone is welcome - couples, singles and families with children. While the adults are downstairs, there will be pizza and videos for the children in the Memorial Room.

Reservations for both the adult's and children's dinners are required by February 6. Please use the sign up sheet in the Narthex or call the church office with your reservations. We hope to see you there!



Church activities

10:00 AM – Worship Service—Communion,
11:00 AM – Annual Congregational Meeting
6:00 PM – Youth Group

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots

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6:30 PM – "Cut N Pastors"

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6:15 PM – Hand Bells
7:30 PM – Choir

9:30 – 11:30 AM – Tender Tots

9:00 AM – Sunday School
10:00 AM – Praise Service
11:00 AM – Church Fellowship Committee

This Week at Saint Andrews

Today, Sunday January 29, 2006

Monday, January 30, 2006

10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk
7:00 PM – Pack 22 Meets

Tuesday, January 31, 2006

4-7:30 PM – Taco Talk

Wednesday, February 1 2006

10-11 AM, 2-3 PM, & 4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk
5:00 PM – Community Dinner – St. Andrews, Lamb Team
8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

Thursday, February 2, 2006

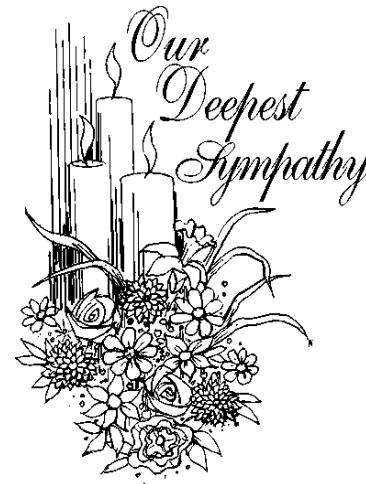
4-5:30 PM – Taco Talk
6:00 PM – Cub Scouts

Friday, February 3, 2006

Next Sunday, February 5, 2006

Scout Sunday, Souperbowl Sunday

Community Activities



All in the Family

The sympathy and the resurrection faith of the congregation go out to the family and friends of Denis Ram who died at home on Wednesday morning, January 25, 2006. All of his family was in attendance at the time. Details of the viewing and service were not available at the time this bulletin was printed, but will be announced.