

Saint Andrews United Presbyterian Church

June 11, 2006

10:00 AM

Youth Sunday

The Prelude

Welcome and Announcements, Exchange of Greetings
(Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers, returning them to the center aisle.)

The Introit

"Ode to Joy"

Laura and Derek Stevens

The Call to Worship

Aaron and Ashley Hockenberry

Leader #1: On your feet now—applaud God!

Bring a gift of laughter,
Sing yourselves into God's presence.

Leader #2 Know this: God is God.

God made us; we didn't make him.

**People: We are God's people,
God's well-tended sheep.**

Leader #1: Enter with the password: "Thank you!"

Leader #2: Make yourselves at home, talking praise.

Thank God. Worship God!

**People: For God is sheer beauty,
All-generous in love,
Loyal always and ever.**

(Psalm 100 from *The Message*, adapted)

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Aaron Hockenberry

Loving God, we come before you so grateful for the many blessings you've given us. Thank you for our friends and families. Thank you for our teachers and the opportunity to learn. Thank you for summer and time to kick back and relax. Thank you for watching over us as we tackle new challenges—for keeping us safe as we learn to drive, for giving us strength to work new jobs, for giving us courage as we prepare for new beginnings. Thank you for you, Lord—for loving us and guiding us through all of life's changes and adventures. Amen.

*The Opening Hymn #69

"Great Is the Lord"

Smith

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

*The people will rise in body or spirit

Church Activities

This Week at Saint Andrews

Sunday June 11, 2006

Community Activities

10:00 AM – Youth Service

6:00 PM – Men's Group Meets at Dave Pisani's House

Monday, June 12, 2006

7:30 PM – Session

Tuesday, June 13, 2006

1:15 PM – Staff

7:00 PM – Worship Committee

Wednesday, June 14, 2006

5:00 PM – Community Dinner – Hill Church

8:00 PM – Narcotics Anonymous

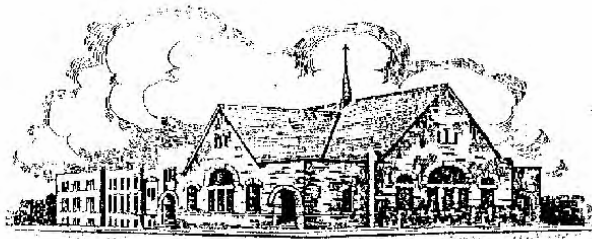
Friday, June 16, 2006

7:05 PM – Pirates Baseball and Fireworks at PNC Park

Next Sunday, June 18, 2006

10:00 AM – Worship Service—Lily Hawks' Baptism and Installation of Officers

6:00 PM – Men's Group



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The Prayer of Confession *(In Unison)* Ashley Hockenberry
Merciful God, you know that we're not always the disciples you call us to be. At times, we're more interested in doing what's popular than doing what's right. At times, we get so caught up in our own lives that we become blind to the pain of those around us. We look but we don't see; we see but we don't respond. Forgive us for being so clueless, Lord. Help us to see with your eyes. Help us to care with your heart. Help us to act with your will, through the grace of Christ. Amen.

A Time of Silent Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

The Congregation Sings in Response "Spirit Song" Vs. 1
O let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love;
Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul.
O let him have the things that hold you,
And his Spirit, like a dove, will descend upon your life and make you whole.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

The Message to Young Christians Ashley Moon and Laura Stevens

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.

Scripture Reading Matt. 25: 31 - 40 N.T. Page 29 Derek Stevens
Leader: The word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

The Message "Mission: A Life-Changing Experience" Laura Stevens

***The Hymn** "More Precious Than Silver" See Insert

Recognition of Graduates See Insert

The Hymn #90 "Seek Ye First" Lafferty

The Offertory Invitation Brendan Stevens
We give because God asks us to. We give because Christ calls us to share. Let us bring before the Lord our tithes and offerings.

Offertory "Amazing Grace" Laura Stevens

***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)* Brendan Stevens
Loving God, you have given us so much. Receive these offerings as tokens of our gratitude. Please use these gifts and our lives in your service. Help us to feed the hungry, to help the hurting, to welcome the stranger, and to reach out to the little and the least, just as you have reached out to us. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

***The Closing Hymn** "Step By Step" See Insert

***The Benediction**

***The Congregation Sings in Response** # "Shine, Jesus Shine"
Shine Jesus shine, fill this land with your Father's glory.
Blaze Spirit blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow river flow, flood the nations with grace and glory.
Send forth your Word Lord and let there be light.
Let there be light-Shine Jesus shine

***The Postlude** ~~~~~
~Welcome to Saint Andrews~

The Church Nursery is available for children through kindergarten age.

Worship Leadership

Ushers: Lila Albert Don Gall Travis Grossman Steve Hockenberry
Liturgists: See bulletin **Next Week:** Susan Race
Children's Church: None **Next Week:** None, Father's Day
Flower Delivery: Kathy Eamigh **Next Week:** Barb Hutchison

The Flowers today are given by the Ram daughters
in memory of Denis Ram on his birthday.

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 of 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, June 4, 2006

Giving ~ Weekly Need: \$4,385 **Attendance:** 98
 Received: \$5,195

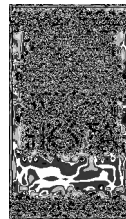
Dinner with Friends to Meet in June

Dinner with Friends will meet on June 30, at Shakespeare's Restaurant in Ellwood City, at 6:00 PM. This is the site of the Old Stonewall Golf Course with the medieval castle. Reservations need to be made through Becky Thomas, 724-282-3828.

VBS 2006 Fiesta!

Where kids are FIRED up about Jesus!

Vacation Bible School planning is underway! We are still in need of leaders and helpers for Games and Registration. If you are interested, please sign up on the sheet outside the Memorial Room. If you would like to know what leading any of these entails, please give Lori a call at home (724) 282-7991, and she will be happy to answer any questions!



Mission Opportunity!!

During the month of June, we will be collecting mission dollars for Forman Christian College in Lahore, Pakistan. Forman College was returned to our denomination in 2003, after being under the control of the Pakistan government for several decades.

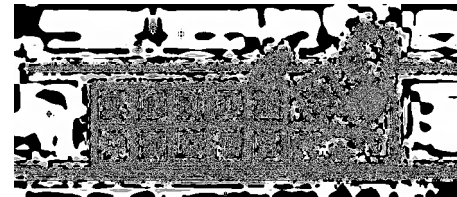
Since 2003, significant changes have occurred. The number of Christians on the 165 member faculty has grown from 4 to 65. The number of Christian students has grown from 20 to several hundred. But there is much rebuilding left to be done.

Maintaining a Christian witness and presence in a country where only 2% of the population is Christian is vital. We can help!

In Christ, we have been given the treasure of the Gospel—Good News that the world desperately needs to hear, Good News that we are called to share. You may send your gift to the church office or drop it in the offering plate. Please indicate that it is for 'Forman Christian College'. Thank You!

Tender Tots Adds an Afternoon Class Classes Are Filling Up Fast

Our Tender Tots Preschool is pleased to announce that we will be adding an afternoon Pre-Kindergarten Class in the fall. This class will run from 12:30 – 3:00 PM Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. We still have a few openings in the morning class as well as in the Preschool class which is held on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. All classes will start after Labor Day in the fall. Call the office at 724-287-4777 for more information and a brochure.





Trent Bonnet

Trent, the son of Terri and Rick Bonnet, is a graduate of Westlake High School in Westlake, OH, where he has been billeting in order to play hockey. Next year Trent will be playing on a USHL Hockey Team in Columbus, OH, looking toward being scouted to play in a college hockey program.

Heidi Martin

Heidi Martin graduated from Berklee College of Music in Boston with a BS in Music Production and Engineering. She has a BS in Music Education from Youngstown University. She was awarded the Daniel Edge Memorial Scholarship and the B.E.S.T. Berklee Scholarship in Performance. She has accepted a job/internship with Avatar Recording Studio in New York City. Her new address is 15 W. 103rd St - Apt 3D- New York, NY 10025.

Joe Minich

Joe, the son of John and Amy Minich, is graduate of North Allegheny Senior High School, where he achieved a 3.7 cumulative grade point average. His favorite subjects are history, economics, accounting, anatomy and physiology, and he enjoys golfing, fishing, hunting, and watching or playing pretty much any sport. Joe has been a member of St. Andrews UPC since 2001. He is also a member of Future Business Leaders of America. Joe will be attending Penn State University (main campus) in the fall where he will be majoring in finance. After graduation from college, he plans to attend graduate school in law or business.

Justin Mulneix

Justin, son of Kendra and Dan Mulneix and the grandson of Ken and Edith Weckerly, is graduating from Knoch High School where he has been on the honor roll for four years. He has played the saxophone in the Concert Band, and has been a member of the Marching Band and the Pep Band, since his freshman year. He also participated in County Band.

Justin has been a student representative on the Good Service Committee and a member of the student group which helped build the Knoch High School concession stand. He plays the acoustic guitar, and enjoys music, art, and writing. He is currently working on his first novel.

Justin was an acolyte for many years at Saint Andrews and is now an usher and sign keeper.

His plans for the fall are to attend BC3 and then transfer to Slippery Rock University. He will be majoring in the Fine Arts.

Travis Riesmeyer

Travis is the grandson of Barbara and Russ Thomas and the late Norman Riesmeyer. He graduated from Butler High School where he played Ice Hockey for the Junior Varsity and then the Varsity teams, and where he was involved in the Vo-Tech program.

Travis is a volunteer fireman and has plans to attend the Fire School at BC3 in the fall.

Laura Stevens

Laura, daughter of Melinda and Bob Stevens, sent this biography:

I am Laura Stevens, and I am graduating from Butler High School. During my high school years, I have participated in various after-school activities. I played clarinet in the marching band and symphonic band. I was involved in numerous PMEA honor band festivals.

I have played piano for twelve years. I enjoy snow-skiing and water-skiing as well. I have worked at Brusters Ice Cream for three years, but quit to spend the summer up at Lake Chautauqua, NY.

I appreciate the opportunities I had at St. Andrews to help those in need. I participated in several mission trips, community service activities, and many Thirty-Hour Famines. I am also a Deacon in the church. I hope to continue these activities and volunteer work when I go to college.

Next fall, I will be attending Mercyhurst College in Erie, PA. I will be majoring in psychology and hope to earn my doctorate. I will miss St. Andrews and look forward to coming back to visit.

Upcoming Events at Saint Andrews

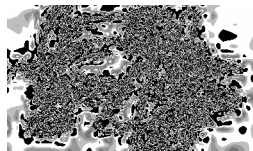
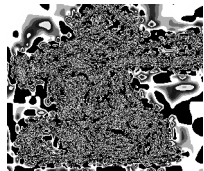


Sunday, June 18

Lily Hawks' Baptism

Friday, June 16

Pirates Baseball and Fireworks



Friday, June 30 Dinner With Friends at Shakespeare's

July 9-15

CE Work Trip to Kentucky/Virginia Border



July 24-28

Vacation Bible School—Fiesta!

Saturday, August 19

Corn Roast at the Weckerly Farm

