

## ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

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August 27, 2017 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost-14A

**WELCOME** Whether you are visiting or already a member, please help us get to know you by adding your name to the Friendship Register as it is passed in your pew during the first hymn. If you are desiring to commune this week prepare by reviewing the Christian Questions with their Answers on page 329 in the hymnal. If you are a guest, kindly speak to the pastor before the service concerning your intentions to commune.

**WORSHIP PRAYER:** Almighty God, whom to know is everlasting life, grant us to know Your Son, Jesus, to be the way, the truth, and the life that we may boldly confess Him to be the Christ and steadfastly walk in the way that leads to life eternal; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Isaiah 51:1-6** "My salvation will be forever, and My righteousness will never be dismayed."

**EPISTLE: Romans 11:33-12:8** *The wisdom and knowledge of God*

**GOSPEL: Matthew 16:13-20** "Who do you say that I am?"

**CATECHETICAL LESSON** *Ten Commandments: Seventh Commandment- You shall not steal. What does this mean?* We should fear and love God so that we do not take our neighbor's money or possessions, or get them in any dishonest way, but help him to improve and protect his possessions and income.

## OPPORTUNITIES THRU CHURCH ACTIVITIES (Aug 24-Sept 3)

Thu/Aug 24 Worship w/Holy Communion, 7pm

Fri/Aug 25

Sat/Aug 26 Random Acts of Kindness Benefit, 4-6:30pm

Sun/Aug 27

**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am

Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:15am

Worship w/Holy Communion, 10am

**SS Teacher Orientation Meeting, 11:15am**

**Confirmation Staff Orientation Meeting, 7pm**

Mon/Aug 28 Staff Meeting, 11:30am

Tues/Aug 29 Council Meeting, 7:30pm

Wed/Aug 30 Jr. Confirmation, 6:15

Jubilate Choir, 7:15pm

Thu/Aug 31 Worship w/Holy Communion, 7pm (last Thursday night service)

Fri/Sept 1

Sat/Sept 2

Sun/Sept 3

**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Worship w/Holy Communion, 8am

Coffee Fellowship, 9-9:15am

Worship w/Holy Communion, 10am

**JUBILATE CHOIR** starts Wednesday, August 30 at 7:15pm. Join us in the balcony each Wednesday to enhance the worship service with song! If you have questions contact Director Susan Jahnke at 701-281-9367 or suerjahnke@gmail.com.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY DAY** is Sunday September 10th. Activities include a pancake breakfast from 9:00-9:45 with an all ages activity from 9:45-10:15. At 10:15 parents are dismissed with their students to the classrooms. Sunday School will resume its regular schedule on Sunday 9/17 with GROW opening at 9:30. Registration forms are available in the Narthex or online at <https://goo.gl/forms/bxlcPQTLgA7hgAOE2>. Please turn forms in by Monday September 4th. If you have any questions please see Stephanie Hall or Leanne Muhl, Sunday School Co-Superintendents."

## 12<sup>th</sup> Sun. Pent.-Aug 27, 2017

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**-OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIS PEOPLE AND HIS WORLD-  
USED OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP OUR LORD:**

Attendance for last week: 70 + 85 + 15= 170

	<u>LAST YEAR</u>	<u>LAST SUNDAY</u>
General Fund Income Received:	\$ 4,331.20	\$6,435.20
Mortgage Fund Income Received:	\$ 385.08	\$420.20

<u>THROUGH JULY</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
General Fund Income:	\$ 28,980.07	\$ 216,891.79
General Fund Expenses:	\$ 28,766.55	\$ 225,439.69
Net	\$ 213.52	\$ -8,547.90
Mortgage Fund Income	\$ 5,134.30	\$ 36,261.77
Mortgage Fund Loan Payments	\$ 6,386.00	\$ 44,702.00
Net	\$-1,251.70	\$ -8,440.23

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE FOR NEXT WEEK:** (8/31 & 9/3)

ELDERS: Thursday: Don Collins  
 Sunday 8am: Bill Kitzman  
 Sunday 10am: Tony Borslien

AV: Thursday: Steven Lindquist  
 Sunday 8am: Robert Eidbo  
 Sunday 10am: Gary Dillard

USHERS: Thursday: Larry Phillips  
 Sunday 8am: Larry Phillips\*, Steve Beltz  
 David & Karen Beck  
 Sunday 10am: Milo\* & Anna Rossow  
 Kim & Rick Parsley

GREETERS: Sunday 8am: Delores Fischer, Judy Millar  
 Sunday 10am: James & Kim Jerger

ACOLYTES: Thursday: Mia Severson  
 Sunday 8am: Jonathan Beltz  
 Sunday 10am: Lindsey Erickson

MUSICIANS: Thursday:  
 Sunday 8am & 10am: Susan Jahnke

ALTAR: July: Dan & Connie Klug  
 Sept: Rose Rios

**COMMUNICATING CHRIST OVER THE AIR:**

**OUR WEB SITE:** [www.standrewlcms.org](http://www.standrewlcms.org)

**"THE LUTHERAN HOUR"** Sundays on KFGO AM 790 at 7:30am.  
 Upcoming topics are posted on the LLL bulletin board.  
[www.lutheranhour.org](http://www.lutheranhour.org)

**"CHRIST THE WAY"** a radio program featuring ND District LCMS  
 Pastors on KSJB 600AM at 7:30am on Sundays.

**OUR SYNOD'S RADIO STATION:** [www.kfuo.org](http://www.kfuo.org)

**DAILY DEVOTIONS** by Pastor Klaus at [www.lhm.org/dailydevotions.asp](http://www.lhm.org/dailydevotions.asp)

**MEN NETWORK:** [www.lhmmen.com](http://www.lhmmen.com)

**ISSUES, ETC:** Current events from a Lutheran view. [www.issuesetc.org](http://www.issuesetc.org)

**GIFT-MATCHING DONATION FOR HEAT PUMP REPLACEMENT**

The church is in need of replacing the existing Heat Pump-Air Conditioner in the north mechanical room. This unit serves the office areas, Sunday School classrooms, and hallway areas. The cost to replace this equipment is quite significant; approximately \$23,000. We are pleased to announce that we have been approached by an anonymous member, who has graciously offered to provide the gift of a dollar-to-dollar match for all funds donated to this replacement fund. This member will match every dollar that the congregation contributes to this match fund (above your regular giving). This means that, if we as a congregation can contribute \$11,500, we will reach our goal! This is an incredible gift for our congregation. Please take a moment and prayerfully consider making an additional contribution. To make a donation to be included for the matching funds, envelopes will be made available for this fund. Please include your name, and envelope number. Envelopes can be dropped in the Sunday offering plate or delivered to Mary at the office.

The total received through 8-20 for the heat pump is \$6,323.68. We need a total of \$11,000.00 for a full match. We will make a payment, including the 100% match, the first week in September. Board of Financial Management

**INSTALLATION OF REV. ZELLER** The members of Messiah Lutheran Church in Mandan, ND invite you to join us as we celebrate the Installation of Rev. Kevin C. Zellers as our new pastor. The Service of Installation will be held Sunday, **August, 27th at 5pm** with a meal to follow at 6pm. We rejoice that the Lord has led our new pastor to lead our congregation and we are looking forward to celebrating this occasion as a family of God. "Lord, here I am, send me..."

**THE LUTHERAN WITNESS** is the official magazine of our Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. This is an excellent monthly magazine which includes many articles of current interest and spiritual encouragement. It also contains an insert featuring news about the North Dakota congregations of our LCMS. Register for your Lutheran Witness magazine by contacting the office by *Sept. 10th*. A year's subscriptions are \$22.01.

**MAJESTY SUNDAY** is Sunday, Sept 17th. You're invited to join us for this exciting "Back 2 Back" to our fall Bible classes and programming here at St. Andrew! A pancake breakfast will be served starting at 9am, with an activity for all ages starting at 9:45, followed by a time for parents & students to locate their Sunday School classroom and meet their teachers. *Sunday morning classes for preschool-adults will begin regular classes on Sept 17th.*

**BRASS CHOIR** will be starting soon. We play at Festive occasions of church year like for the Reformation, Christmas, Easter and Pentecost and we could do more. If you have questions contact Director Adam Harvala at (701) 936-1156 or harvalamajek@gmail.com.

**LIFE WALK** FirstChoice Clinic will be hosting the 2017 LifeWalk on Saturday, October 7th. We are looking for individuals to act as liaisons for their churches. Please contact Mona at 701-237-6530 to participate.

**MAKE A DIFFERENCE** Do you enjoy working with children? Are you passionate about Christian Education? Make a difference in the lives of children and youth by volunteering to assist with our Sunday morning classes (we offer classes for students in preschool through high school). Contact Stephanie Hall or Leanne Muhl to express your interest.

**GLS SPAGHETTI DINNER** Grace Lutheran School is holding its annual Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser on Saturday, September 30, from Noon - 6pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children, and will be available from Art Weidner, Ken Koehler and the church office. Please invite friends!

**SHINGLE PROJECT UPDATE** Western Products began the re-shingling of the roof of the main sanctuary last week, with an estimated completion date by the end of September. The new shingles have been a long time in coming, as the current ones are the original shingles installed when the sanctuary was built. Praise God for how long they lasted! As a quick review, the project involves the following items:

- Removal of all the old shingles and wood siding on the roof and sides of the sanctuary.

- Installation of 2" rigid foam insulation over the roof and sides, held in place by 5/8" plywood that is screwed down to the existing roof deck.

- Installation of steel shingles that are locked together and screwed down to the new roof deck.

- Installation of steel siding on the north and south sides of the roof, replacing the old cedar siding, as well as new steel siding all around the very bottom portion of the sanctuary roof.

- Maintenance and resealing of the windows at the very top of the sanctuary. Any cedar siding and trim around those windows will be removed and replaced with steel siding.

Insurance proceeds from the wind and hail storm in the fall of 2016 will cover \$38,400 of the cost. The congregation has secured a \$75,000 loan from Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF) to cover the remainder of the cost and any minor contingencies. If you would like to donate funds to help defray the costs of the project, please use the pink envelopes marked "shingling project" available in the narthex.

Board of Trustees  
The total received through 8-20 for the shingles is \$2,146.13.

**ALTAR GUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!** We are in desperate need of people to serve on our Altar Guild. This is a one month commitment per year and can be shared with more than one person. If you are interested please talk with Arlene Klug or ask Mary in the office for more information!

We would also love to have more volunteers for ushering and greeting if you are interested in serving in those areas as well. Keep in mind you can serve in more than one area if you wish!