

St. Andrew Lutheran Church

Heartbeats Weekly Updates 11-12-2021

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Weekly Calendar:

Sunday, Nov 14

9:30 AM | Worship Service

11:00 AM | Adult Education | Zoom

12:00 PM | Worship & Music Commission



Flowers are given by: Val, Lynn, and Robert in memory of Heinz Buchholz.

The Flower Chart

The Flower Chart for 2021 is now available for you to sign up for donating flowers for Sunday mornings. At this point in time we cannot deliver them to shut-ins, so please take the flowers home with you following the service. The cost is \$40 per bouquet. Please make your check payable to St. Andrew Lutheran Church and indicate 'flowers' in the memo line. **There are many blanks to be filled in— Please prayerfully consider how you can help.** Thank you for your generosity. Praise Team: Chris Knight Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya

Worship Assistants for Nov. 14, 2021

Birthdays This Week Terry Reimer Nov 14

Events This Week: Nov 14 | 12:00 PM Worship & Music Commission Nov 16 | 4:00 PM | Executive Committee Meeting (Zoom) Nov 16 | 6:30 PM Hannah Circle (Zoom) Nov 18 | 7:00 PM Choir Practice

Adult Education takes place on Sundays at 11AM via Zoom.

If you're interested in joining, please email the church office or Marsha Ehlers for the Zoom invitation (marshaehlers@gmail.com)

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY ON HIATUS - Having completed our study of Luke-Acts, and because of holiday schedule and services, the Wednesday 11:00am and 6:00pm Bible studies are taking a break until after the first of the year. At that time, we will begin a study of Paul's Letter to the Romans. This was the key book of the Bible which opened for Luther the good news of grace through faith and led to his actions which triggered the Reformation. Watch for information for when these classes will resume.

Rev. Jeffrey Nelson *Pastor*

Elissa Mitzen Director of Youth & Family Ministries

Randy Guiaya Organist/Choir Director

Matthew James Praise Team Director

Art Revueltas *President*

Chris Allen *Vice President*

Barbara Revueltas Council Secretary

Betty Dagen *Treasurer*

Damon DiRuscio Stewardship

Suzanne Thompson Mission and Service

Isla Holmes *Hospitality*

Vicki Linta *Worship and Music*

Len Bobier *Evangelism Leader*

Marie Jorgensen Congregational Care

Jon Woody Property

Kathy Mitzen *Adult*

Daniell Crocker Youth and Family

No Youth Group This Week

Next Meeting is 11/21 at 9:30 AM in the Youth Room. We meet every other Sunday at 9:30 AM. Youth group is for all 4th – 7th grade youth. Invite your friends and join us for a great time! Please contact the church office if you are interested in joining! (562) 944-1148

We continuously update our social media pages! Check out our latest posts and pictures on the sites listed below (Note: you will need to have an Instagram account to view our Instagram page) | FB: @StAndrewWhittier | IG:@standrewwhittier | Website: standrewlutheranchurch.org

INTERFAITH FOOD CENTER!

Making a Difference in Our Community:

Interfaith Food Center Contributions:

We collected nearly 53 pounds of food for Thanksgiving for the Interfaith Food Center. We also donated 55 jars of peanut butter in October.

November is dried beans month!

Reminder: we are collecting dried beans this month for the Interfaith Food Center.

We will be collecting canned meat in December.

Donation of other non-perishable food is also accepted as well as financial donations to the IFC (checks can be made out to St. Andrew with IFC in the memo line).





 Interfaith Food Center Christmas food collection
The deadline to donate non-perishable food for Christmas to the Interfaith Food Center (IFC) is December 5.

Most needed items for both holidays: stuffing, mashed potatoes, canned fruits/ vegetables, chicken or beef broth, canned pumpkin and canned yams, cranberry sauce, cream of mushroom or other canned soups, canned meat (tuna, beef, chicken, ham), pasta and sauce, rice, beans, cake mix, pancake mix, flour, cereal, pull op canned foods

Drop off your donations: Narthex or Office during office hours **Financial donations welcome**

Note "Interfaith Food Center-Christmas" in the memo line of your check, or on the offering envelope if cash. Checks or cash can be placed in the offering plate or church mailbox.

Gift cards instead of Angel Tree toy donations – deadline December 5

The IFC is accepting \$15-25 gift cards from Target, Walmart and Amazon due to Covid in lieu of Angel Tree toy donations. Please make sure the value of the card is evident. If not, please write it on the card or packaging. Gift cards can be dropped off in the box on the table in the Narthex.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!



Community Prayers

Pastor Tim at River of Hope Mission, Habitat for Humanity, our brothers and sisters in Pachacamac, Peru, family and friends who are serving in the military, ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Pacifica Synod Bishop Andy Taylor, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson

St. Andrew is a community of prayer and we encourage you to join in praying for those on the prayer list. Names are kept on for 3 months for non long-term requests.

Members

•Anne Christiansen

•Diane Fort-Woody

•Marian Humphreys

•Christine Perez

•Jon Woody

Friends and Family

•June Jones

•Gerard Martinez

•Marl Sanbower

•Dave White

•Dylan & June

•Bob

•Wendy

<u>v</u> <u>Members – Long</u> <u>Term</u>

- •Leslie Barr
- •Ken Christiansen
- •Betty Dagen
- •Barbara DuBois
- •Grace Gundell
- •Doris Johnson
- Lois Kalla
- •Shirley Kellison

•Krystal Martin (and family)

- •Bob McKinney
- •Lorel Morgan
- •Sally Sauer
- •Lorraine Tunburg
- •Sandy Wicker
- •Jan Wolverton
- •Jeff Woody

<u>Friends and Family</u> – Long Term

- •Jeralyn Ehlers
- •Chiari Eliazarras
- •Grant Eyles
- •Christine Fantz
- •Marcus Glidden
- •Shirley Loveless
- •Matthew Muldown
- •Eric, Kurt and Bill