



St. Andrew Lutheran Church

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Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 1/8 - 1/14/2023

Weekly Calendar:

Events This Week:

Jan 8 | *Baptism of Our LORD*

8:30 AM Choir Practice

9:30 AM Worship

9:30 AM Youth Group

11:00 AM Confirmation (St. Paul)

11:30 AM Adult Education (Zoom)

1:00 PM Worship and Music

Commission

Jan 11 | 11:00 AM Bible Study (Zoom)

6:00 PM Bible Study (Zoom)

**Jan 14 | 8:00 AM Habitat for Humanity
Work Day**

Youth Group: 1/8 at 9:30 AM. Youth group is for all middle school youth. Invite your friends and join us for a great time!

Adult Education: Sunday @11:30 AM. If you're interested in joining, please email the church office or Marsha Ehlers for the Zoom link.

Betty Dagen Memorial Service

A memorial service for our beloved Betty Dagen will be held on Sunday, January 15 at 11:00 AM.

Kindness ideas for the new year

Imagine a world where you can succeed by being nice. Where we all pay it forward. Where people look out for each other. It all starts with an act.

For inspiring kindness ideas, visit <https://www.randomactsofkindness.org/kindness-ideas>

Happy Birthday!

Judith Johnson Jan 9

Worship Assistants for January 8, 2023

Reader: Barbara Revueltas

Power Point: Debbie Warren

Praise Team: Matthew Sivertson

Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya

Flowers are given by: Art and Barbara Revueltas in celebration of Alec's 30th birthday!



The Flower Chart 2023!

The Flower Chart for 2023 is available for you to sign up for donating flowers for Sunday mornings.

January Slots Open: Jan 15, 29

The cost is \$40 per bouquet. Please indicate 'flowers' in the memo line of your check. There are many blanks to be filled in—Please prayerfully consider how you can help. Thank you for your generosity.

INTERFAITH FOOD CENTER!

We are collecting pancake mix for the Interfaith Food Center (IFC) in January.

Please bring your donations to church on Sunday mornings or to the office during the week.

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
Diane Fort Woody
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
Sue Grana
Youth and Family

Wednesdays Bible Studies:

11:00 AM and 6:00 PM Bible Study (Zoom)
Contact the church office to be added to the Zoom email updates.

For many years St. Andrew sponsored a well-attended women's group for widowed or single ladies who met for fellowship, social events and devotions. The group chose the title of Women Alone Together (WAT). Eventually this group disbanded.

Since there are a sizeable number of ladies in our current congregation who are living alone, the Adult Ministries Commission announces the formation of a new opportunity for single women.

Invitations will be sent out in January for a kick-off event to be held on January 21st. Questions may be directed to Kathy Mitzen, kmitzen1335@gmail.com or Debbie Warren at deb-biew2020@gmail.com.

Volunteers sought for Habitat for Humanity build in south Los Angeles on January 14

Habitat for Humanity has now opened up its build sites to volunteers, and has offered St. Andrew a small number of volunteer spots for one of its current sites in south Los Angeles.

We are seeking 7 volunteers to work on Saturday, January 14, from 8 a.m. to approximately 3 p.m. The site is located at 215 E. El Segundo Blvd.

Our goal would be to carpool to the site to

reduce the number of people having to drive.

No experience or particular skills are necessary to work on the site. Must be at least 16 years old to participate.

Volunteer sign-up sheets will be available in the Narthex. Volunteers will receive further details and an event registration link.

If you have any questions, please see Suzanne Thompson.

St. Andrew Cares

St. Andrew offers care for all our members. We have volunteers who can provide rides for medical appointments or other appointments, shop for groceries, and provide meals. Most of these services are for short term when needed. We also have a supply of medical equipment such as walkers, wheelchairs in storages. Please call or email the church office office.standrewlutheranchurch@gmail.com or Marie Jorgensen.

Prayer Chain

As many of you know, St. Andrew has a very active prayer chain. Praying for others blesses us and those we pray for. If you would like to join us in prayer, please call or email the church office or Marie at mjorgen10@aol.com. Also, if you have a request for prayer for yourself, a relative or a friend you can contact us using the information above or just text or call Marie.

Amplify

St. Andrew is subscribed to a wonderful multimedia platform called Amplify, like NETFLIX, but with thousands of Christian videos you can use for personal study, reflection, worship and inspiration. If you are interested in signing up you may call Kathy Mitzen, 562 760-5548 or Carina in the church office. I hope you enjoy this opportunity for education and inspiration.

Community Prayers

Pastor Tim at River of Hope, Habitat for Humanity, our brothers and sisters in Pachacamac, Peru, and at San Juan Camino de Esperanza in Lima, Peru, All veterans and current military, ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Pacifica Synod Bishop Dave Nagler, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson

Members

- Chris Allen
- Verla Nielsen
- Christine Perez
- Elissa Mitzen
- Madeline Thomas
- Diane Fort-Woody

Friends and Family - Long Term

- Jeralyn Ehlers
- Chiari Eliazarras
- Grant Eyles
- Christine Fantz
- Matt Fantz
- Marcus Glidden
- Shirley Loveless

Members - Long Term

- Leslie Barr
- Lynn Burns
- Ken Christiansen
- Barbara DuBois
- Grace Gundell
- Marian Humphreys
- Lois Kalla
- Shirley Kellison
- Krystal Martin
- Sally Sauer
- Lorraine Tunburg
- Sandy Wicker
- Jeff Woody

Friends and Family

- David Blackburn
- Magnus Dickerson
- Matt and Amrita Dickerson
- Annette Navarre
- Kathy Cadwallader
- Phil Gallego
- Arlene Gallego
- Ann Phelps
- Joe Lipps
- Dylan Lipps
- Family and friends of Sue Sexton
- Family and friends of Terri Gentile