



St. Andrew Lutheran Church

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Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 6/4 - 6/10/2023

Weekly Calendar:

Events This Week:

June 4 | *The Holy Trinity*

8:30 AM Choir Practice

8:30 AM Sunday School

9:30 AM Worship

10:45 AM Adult Education Class

12:00 PM Worship and Music

Commission Mtg

June 6 | 7:00 PM Church Council Meeting (Zoom)

June 7 | 11:00 AM Bible Study (Zoom)

6:00 PM Bible Study (Zoom)

Happy Anniversary!

Mario & Jennalee Ceja June 5

Sunday School: 6/4 at 8:30 AM.

We meet every other Sunday.

Hope to see you there!

Adult Education

Sunday @10:45 AM

Grab your cup of coffee (and a cookie!) and join us in Room 7. We're looking forward to meeting with everyone in a non-Zoom conversation!

Wednesdays Bible Studies:

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

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

Worship Assistants for June 4, 2023

Reader: Isla Holmes

PowerPoint: Debbie Warren

Acolytes: Ariana Rodriguez and Emma Sipple

Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya

Praise Team: Matthew Sivertson

The Flower Chart 2023!

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

The cost is \$40 per bouquet. Please indicate 'flowers' in the memo line of your check. Thank you for your generosity.

For the month of June, please send all prayer requests to the church email address: office.standrewlutheranchurch@gmail.com or phone the church at: 562-944-1148. You can leave a message if it is after hours.

Flowers are given by Val in memory and gratitude of Heinz Buchholz.



Congregation Meeting

June 11 at 10:45 AM

Annual Congregation Meeting will be held on Sunday, June 11 after service. An email with a digital copy of the annual report has been emailed out to the voting members. If you have not received an email, please contact the church office.

Physical copies will be available in the Narthex on Sunday.

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.

New date for VFW dinner – June 23

The new date for the dinner for VFW post #9148 in La Mirada is Friday, June 23 at 4 p.m. We will be serving pulled pork sandwiches, coleslaw, chips and dessert. If you signed up to donate food or to volunteer to serve, please check your schedule and confirm that you are still able to do so. Please also check the sign-up sheets for a few outstanding items that are still needed. Monetary donations are also welcomed to help purchase the food such as the meat that may go beyond the money we received from the ELCA grant. Checks can be made out to St. Andrew Lutheran Church with “VFW dinner” in the memo line, and dropped in the offering plate. Thank you in advance for your support!

June is rice month!

We are collecting rice for the Interfaith Food Center (IFC) in June. Please bring your donations to church on Sunday mornings or to the office during the week. Donations 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).

Looking ahead, please see the food collection calendar below for the remainder of the year. We will include reminders in the weekly updates.

If you have any questions, please call Suzanne Thompson at 562-943-5161, or email her at italia4me2@gmail.com.

| Month | Food |
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| July | Pasta |
| August | Tomato sauce |
| September | Cereal |
| October | Peanut butter |
| November | Dried beans |
| December | Canned meat |

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.

Thank you to all for the thoughts, prayers, gifts, cards, and well-wishes for my birthday. It is a joy to serve in a congregation where I am supported and cared for so well.
In Christ's love, Pastor Jeffrey

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. Also, if you have a request for prayer for yourself, a relative or a friend you can contact the church office.

Members - Long Term

- Lynn Burns
- Ken Christiansen
- Diane Fort-Woody
- Leslie Barr
- Grace Gundell
- Marian Humphrey
- Shirley Kellison
- Sally Sauer
- Jeff Woody
- Nolan Berner
- Jim Johnson
- Sharon Pollard
- Earl Ruschmeier

Friends and Family – Long Term

- Chiari Eliazarras
- Grant Eyles
- Matt Fantz
- Marcus Glidden
- Shirley Loveless
- Gail Nance
- Jim & Kim O’Connell
- Joyce Benson
- Jennifer Jessie
- Pastor Darrel Lundby
- Pastor Mary Rowe
- The Ruiz Family
- Christie Marie Van Patten
- Family and Friends of Sandy Wicker

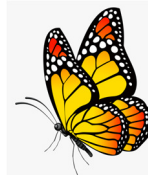
Prayers

Friends and Family

- David Blackburn
- Magnus Dickerson
- Matt and Amrita Dickerson
- Annette Navarre
- Phil Gallego
- Arlene Gallego
- Ann Phelps
- Joe Lipps
- Dylan Lipps
- Chris Allen
- Christine Perez
- Krystal Martin
- Diane Fort-² Woody
- Selma Bergen

Members

In loving memory of Sandy Wicker



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, victims of violence and natural disasters, ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Pacifica Synod Bishop Dave Nagler, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson.