St. Andrew Lutheran Church

Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 2/25 - 3/2/2024

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Weekly Calendar:

Events This Week:

Feb 25 | 8:30 AM Choir Practice

8:30 AM Sunday School

9:30 AM Worship

10:45 AM Adult Education

11:00 Confirmation

Feb 27 | 7:00 PM Church Council

Feb 28 | 6:00 PM Soup Supper

6:45 PM Lenten Service

March 2 | 8:00 AM Men's Fellowship Breakfast

10:00 AM Endowment Committee

11:00 AM Women's group

<u>Sunday School</u>: Sunday School at 8:30 AM. We meet every Sunday at 8:30 AM in the Sunday School Room. Hope to see you there!

Worship Assistants for February 25

Reader: Barbara Revueltas PowerPoint: Marie Jorgensen

Acolytes: Eve Moran and Emma Sipple Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya

Praise Team: Matthew Sivertson

The Flower Chart 2024!

The Flower Chart for 2024 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 youfor your generosity.

Flowers are given in celebration of Nancy Bobier's birthday!

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Thrivent Choice Dollars

Thrivent members now is the time to designate your "Choice Dollars" from 2023! Deadline to designate is 3/31.

THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT:

This Week's Reading

Romans 4 - 8

Join us as we read through the New Testament in a year! Binders with study questions for each chapter are available; please contact the church office.

Adult Education

Sunday @10:45 AM Room 7

Grab your snacks and join us in Room 7. We're looking forward to meeting with everyone!

Happy Birthday!

Nancy Bobier Feb 27
David Dickerson Feb 28
Mark Murphy March 1

Snack Sign-Up: Marsha Ehlers

Thank you for providing snacks this Sunday!

Rev. Jeffrey Nelson Pastor Elissa Mitzen

Director of Youth & Family Ministries

Randy Guiaya

Organist/Choir Director Matthew James

Praise Team Director

Art Revueltas

President
Debbie Warren

Vice President

Linda Ludwick
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Susie Besack

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

Men's Fellowship Breakfast: March 2 at 8:00 AM Meetings are held the first Saturday of the month at 8:00 AM. All men are invited and breakfast will be served. Please contact Nick Grana for more information.

Women's Group Meeting: March 2 at 11:00 AM

WHEN: Saturday, March 2, 2024, 11AM WHERE: St. Andrew Fellowship Hall

In 2024, Women's History Month celebrates the theme Women Who Advocate for Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion.
Please join us to celebrate as Marsha and Marie co-host this luncheon and educational group event! RSVP to Debbie or Kathy

LENT AT ST. ANDREW

Lent is here! Please see below for the full list of our Lent and Holy Week Services!

On the following Wednesdays, we will be hosting Soup Suppers at 6:00 PM followed by the Lenten service at 6:45 PM.

<u>Lenten Services</u> LENTEN SERMON SERIES – The Prayer of Jabez – I Chronicles 4:10

The Prayer of Jabez says, "Oh, that YOU would bless me and enlarge my territory! Let YOUR hand be with me, and keep me from harm so that I will be free from pain." This Lent during our Midweek Worship Services, we will consider what this powerful prayer can mean for us.

2/28: 6:00 PM Soup Supper (provided by Youth and Family & Worship and Music)

6:45 PM Lenten Service (Living Larger for GOD)

3/6: 6:00 PM Soup Supper (provided by Congregational Care & Mission and Service)

6:45 PM Lenten Service (The Touch of Greatness)

3/13: 6:00 PM Soup Supper (provided by Altar Guild)

6:45 PM Lenten Service (The Power of Protection)

3/20: 6:00 PM Soup Supper (provided by Hospitality)

6:45 PM Lenten Service (A Lifelong Habit)

We look forward to journeying Lent together.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Palm Sunday

3/24: 9:30 AM Palm Sunday Service

10:30 AM Palm Sunday Breakfast

Maundy Thursday

3/28: 7:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service

Good Friday

3/29: 7:00 PM Good Friday Service

Easter Sunday

3/31: 9:30 AM Easter Sunday Service

Interfaith Food Center

We are collecting soup this month for the Interfaith Food Center. Please bring your donations to church on Sunday or to the office during the week.

March is jelly month!

We are collecting jelly for the Interfaith
Food Center (IFC) in March. 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
April	Macaroni & cheese
May	Canned fruit
June	Rice
July	Pasta
August	Tomato sauce
September	Cereal
October	Peanut butter
November	Dried beans
December	Canned meat

Prayers

In loving memory of Ken Christiansen

Members

- •Grace Christiansen
- •Diane Fort-Woody
- •Jon Woody
- •Jennifer Oertel
- •Margie Murphy
- •Brian Murphy
- •Cindy Berner
- •Lynn Burns
- •Vern De Buhr
- •Family and Friends of Ken Christiansen

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, people in Gaza and Israel, ELCA Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Presiding Bishop Pro Tem Michael Burk, Pacifica Synod Bishop Dave Nagler, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson.

Friends and Family

- Long Term

- •Grant Eyles
- •Matt Fantz
- •Marcus Glidden
- •Shirley Loveless
- •Jim & Kim O'Connell
- •Joyce Benson
- •Jennifer Jessie
- •The Ruiz Family
- •Sherri Wagner

- Joyce Combes
- •Katy Parker
- •Bruce Adair
- •Kenneth Jones
- •Chavez Isais
- •Robert Neal
- •Dolores Vazquez
- •Family and Friends of Martin Ramos
- •Brandy Belcher

Friends and Family

- •Magnus, Matt, Amrita & Arjun Dickerson
- •JoAnn Golden
- •Family of Theresa Alcala
- •Jim Shaw
- •Ken Venegas
- •Mike Hornback
- •Paul Lowery
- •Mr. Rubio and

Family

- •Pepe Isias
- •Wendy Carrera
- •Gary Tengelsen
- •Jean Cugini
- •Karen Depraect
- •Annette Navarre
- •Phil Gallego
- •Arlene Gallego
- •Ann Phelps
- •Joe Lipps
- •Dylan Lipps

Members - Long Term

- •Chris Allen
- •Christine Perez
- •Leslie Barr
- •Shirley Kellison
- •Jeff Woody
- •Jim Johnson
- •Sharon Pollard