St. Andrew Lutheran Church

Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 3/17 - 3/23/2024

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Weekly Calendar:

Events This Week:

March 17 | 8:30 AM Choir Practice

8:30 AM Sunday School

9:30 AM Worship

9:30 AM Youth Group

10:45 AM Adult Education

12:00 PM Endowment Committee

March 19 | 4:00 PM Executive Committee Mtg

March 20 | 6:00 PM Soup Supper

6:45 PM Lenten Service

March 21 | 1:00 PM Youth and Family Commission

Sunday School: 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 March 17

Reader: Barbara Revueltas PowerPoint: Debbie Warren

Acolyte: Eve Moran

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.

Open April Dates: 4/21

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

Flowers are given by Verla and Forrest Nielsen in celebration of Verla's birthday!



THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT:

This Week's Reading

1 Corinthians 3 - 7

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

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

Happy Birthday!

Leah Reed March 19 Verla Nielsen March 21

Snack Sign-Up: Marie Jorgensen

Thank you for providing snacks this Sunday!

<u>Christ in Our Home:</u> Christ in Our Home (April - June) booklets are now available for pickup in the entry!

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
Treasurer

Susie Besack

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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

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Youth and Family

PowerPoint and Reader Volunteers Wanted

We are in search of more volunteers to read and/or work the PowerPoint slides on Sunday. If you are interested in serving in this way please contact Carina in the church office. A big thank you to our amazing volunteers who are currently serving! Thanks!

Easter Lilies (DEADLINE: March 24)

If you would like to purchase lilies in remembrance or in honor of someone, please fill out a lilies order form located in the entry or call the church and let Carina know who is ordering and who it is for. The cost is \$10.00. Please make checks out to St. Andrew and put the word "lilies" on the memo line. Put your check in the offering plate or send a check to the office. Deadline is March 24.

Thank you, Your Altar Guild

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.

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



Thrivent Choice Dollars

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

Interfaith Food Center

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

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Making a difference in our community
Interfaith Food Center Contributions
We collected 46 cans of soup for the
Interfaith Food Center in February.



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 the Gaza and Israel, ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Pacifica Synod Bishop Dave Nagler, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson.

Members

- •Kathy Mitzen
- •Family and friends of Dan Thompson
- •Diane Fort-Woody
- •Jon Woody

- 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

- •Jennifer Oertel
- Margie Murphy
- •Brian Murphy
- •Cindy Berner
- •Vern De Buhr
- Joyce Combes
- •Katy Parker
- •Bruce Adair
- •Kenneth Jones
- •Chavez Isais
- •Robert Neal
- •Dolores Vazquez
- •Family and Friends of Martin Ramos
- Brandy Belcher
- •Kristin

Prayers

Members - Long Term

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

Friends and Family

- •Magnus, Matt, Amrita & Arjun Dickerson
- •JoAnn Golden
- •Family of Theresa Alcala
- •Jim and Heidi 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