

# St. Andrew Lutheran Church

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## Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 3/24 - 3/30/2024

### Weekly Calendar:

#### Events This Week:

- March 24 | Palm Sunday**  
*Deadline for Easter Lilies*  
8:30 AM Choir Practice  
8:30 AM Sunday School  
9:30 AM Worship  
10:30 AM Palm Sunday Breakfast  
11:00 AM Confirmation  
12:00 PM VFW Easter Car Show (at Post #9148 La Mirada)
- March 26 | 10:00 AM Altar Guild**  
7:00 PM Church Council
- March 28 | Maundy Thursday**  
7:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service
- March 29 | Good Friday (Office open half day)**  
7:00 PM Good Friday Service
- March 30 | 10:00 AM Youth Eggstravaganza**

**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 24

Reader: Isla Holmes  
PowerPoint: Marie Jorgensen  
Acolytes: Arianna Rodriguez and Jasmine Rodriguez  
Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya  
Praise Team: Matthew Sivertson

Flowers are given by Dave and Marianne Dickerson celebration of Marianne's birthday and in thanksgiving for God's blessings.

Flowers are given by Val Buchholz in celebration of Quinlian's upcoming graduation from Pacific Lutheran University.

#### Easter Lilies (DEADLINE: THIS SUNDAY March 24)

This Sunday is the last day to order Easter lilies. If you would like to purchase lilies (\$10), please fill out a lilies order form.

#### THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT:

##### This Week's Reading

##### 1 Corinthians 8 - 12

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.

#### Happy Birthday!

Marianne Dickerson March 25

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SNACKS, CRAFTS, EGG HUNT  
& PICTURES WITH THE EASTER BUNNY

Saturday, March 30th

10AM-12PM

FREE FOR ALL AGES

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  
*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*

#### Thrivent Choice

##### Dollars

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

#### Women's Group Meeting: April 6 | 11:00 AM

WHEN: Saturday, April 6, 2024, 11AM

WHERE: St. Andrew Parking Lot (for carpool)

Join us as we carpool to Zumaya's restaurant in Uptown Whittier for lunch and Whittier Museum for a personalized tour through the exhibits. RSVP to Debbie or Kathy

**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

**St. Andrew donates filled eggs to VFW fundraiser**

St. Andrew donated nearly 500 plastic eggs filled with candy to VFW Post #9148 in La Mirada for its upcoming Easter egg hunt and car show fundraising event. The funds to purchase the candy were from the Mission and Justice Projects account.

**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.

**Christ in Our Home:** Christ in Our Home (April - June) booklets are now available for pickup in the entry!

**Prayers**

**Members**

- Kathy Mitzen
- Vern De Buhr
- Diane Fort-Woody
- Jon Woody
- Jennifer Oertel

- Margie Murphy
- Brian Murphy
- Cindy Berner
- Suzanne Thompson

**Members - Long Term**

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

**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<sup>2</sup>
- Joyce Combes

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

**Friends and Family**

- Magnus, Matt, Amrita & Arjun Dickerson
- JoAnn Golden
- Kathy Cruz
- Family of Theresa Alcalá
- Jim and Heidi Shaw
- Ken Venegas
- Mike Hornback
- Paul Lowery
- Mr. Rubio and Family
- Pepe Isias

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

**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!

**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.

**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.