

ANNOUNCEMENTS 10/28/18

WELCOME TO ST. ANDREW!

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING

TODAY

9:00 a.m. Communion - Chapel
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages
9:45 a.m. Covenant Bible Study - Parlor
11:00 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary
***There will be a Church Council Meeting in the Parlor immediately following Worship**
2:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat – Parking Lot

MONDAY

6:00 p.m. Karate
6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts
7:00 p.m. NA - Annex

TUESDAY

2:00 p.m. Finance Meeting - Parlor
6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts
8:00 p.m. AA - Annex

WEDNESDAY

Wonderful Wednesday

2:15 - 3:30 p.m. After School
3:30 – 5:30 p.m. LOGOS
***No Wonderful Wednesday Meal or Bible Study Classes tonight**

THURSDAY

6:30 p.m. Choir
7:00 p.m. Book Club - Parlor

SUNDAY
ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

7:45 a.m. UMM Breakfast Meeting – Friendship Hall

9:00 a.m. Communion – Chapel
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages
9:45 a.m. Covenant Bible Study – Parlor
11:00 a.m. Family Worship – Sanctuary

3:00 p.m. Parish Charge Conference, St. Paul UMC, 2008 20th St. Nitro

*** All are encouraged to attend ***



Beginning on November 4, I will be offering classes for those who desire to join St. Andrew. The classes will be held during the Sunday School hour on November 4, 11 and 18.

If you are interested and want to make St. Andrew your home let me know.

Thank you for your faithfulness to God and to this church where you are loved.

Pastor Ed

TRUNK OR TREAT

2:00 p.m. today - Decorated trunks are needed – filled with goodies. Please arrive between 1:00 – 1:30 p.m. to set up your trunk.

**I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH
WITH MY PRAYERS &
PRESENCE**

October 21, 2018

The Mission of St. Andrew

To be a source of hope to the world
by sharing God's love,
growing in faith, and serving others
in the name of Jesus.

Attendance:

Sunday School	38
Worship Services	127

Scripture November 4, 2018



The flowers are placed in the church for the glory of God, and in memory of Yvonne Underhill by her family; the Rosebud is in honor of the October 18, 2018 birth of Charlotte Paige Harper by her proud parents Josh and Jessica Harper, and grandparents Arnold and Sandra Mason.

The chapel lamp is lit this week for the glory of God, and in honor of Ken Roy's Birthday on October 29, Love Jill.

The sanctuary lamp is lit this week for the glory of God, and in memory of Brenda Counts by her family.

Nursery – for infants through Pre-K.

Pew Cushions – Individual pew cushions are available from the ushers.

Children's Worship Bags are in the box at the back of the sanctuary for children to use during worship. Please return them to the box when leaving. Enjoy!

The Prayer Pillow being carried to the altar today represents the **500** pillows and throws made so far for those going through a struggle in their lives and for all members of St. Andrew United Methodist Church in need of prayer.

Blessing Wall Coming November 4

In a response of thankfulness for all that God has done for us, the LOGOS children under the direction of Karen Bradley, Annie Fewell and Mary Treen are creating a Blessing Wall to be located in the narthex. Based on Matt Redmond's song "10,000 Reasons" the whole congregation will be invited to help the children fill the Blessing Wall with 10,000 blessings of thankfulness for God's goodness.

"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good!" Psalm 107:1



Wonderful Wednesday Meals

5:30 – 6:30 p.m. in Friendship Hall.
There will not be a charge at the door, but donation baskets will be available on each table. These donations will be used to offset the cost of the meal with proceeds going toward a chosen cause.

Reservations are no longer required – just come and join us in Friendship Hall!

Thank You for donations received at the October 24 Wonderful Wednesday meal. Due to your generosity, proceeds of \$185.00 will be given to the Choir as payment toward the Christmas Cantata books. In addition, 3 meals were delivered to shut-ins and neighbors.



Wonderful Wednesday Bible Study
Pastor Ed

Room 100 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Mary Baker

Room 204 – Parlor 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.



WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY MEAL
October 31

There will not be a meal or Bible Study Classes on this date.



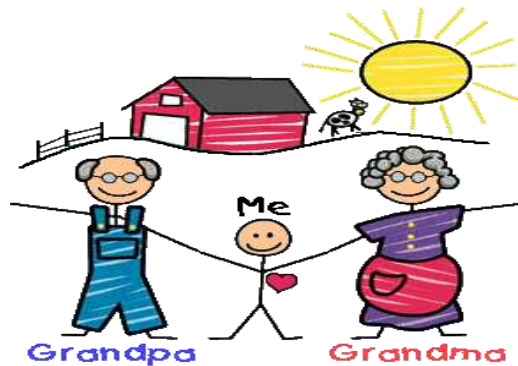
The Christmas Basket Food Drive
Donations Needed – Week of:

October 28:

- Boxed Mac & Cheese – need 120 boxes
- Canned Chicken – need 120 cans
- Boxed Chicken Helper – need 120 boxes

November 4:

- Flour 4 lb. bag – need 60
- Dry Box Potatoes – 120 boxes
- Bath Soap – need 120 bars



GRANDPARENTS SUPPORT GROUP

As a congregation we are called to be a source of hope by sharing God’s love and being of service in Jesus’ name. We’ve reached out to our community in a number of ways and now, through a new ministry, we are reaching out in love to grandparents and older relatives who need help as they raise young children.

Grandparents have always been called upon when there is a need. For children who are caught in the upheaval of current societal issues or drug abuse in the family, there is a need greater than ever.

Many of us know how challenging it can be to supervise and entertain energetic young children, even for a short time! So, when an older person becomes the one who is providing a home for the children, and is responsible for nourishing, clothing, educating, and protecting them, it is physically,

financially, mentally and emotionally overwhelming. Beginning on Wednesday, November 7, our congregation will sponsor a weekly grandparents support group. The participants and their children will join us for the Wonderful Wednesday dinner and then gather in the Parlor for social time and facilitated conversation. We will provide childcare for the children in the nursery while the grandparents meet.

Please pray for this new ministry! Your gifts are needed to pay for meals and for childcare. You can also help by volunteering for an hour to assist the paid sitter in the nursery. Gifts may be made to St. Andrew UMC with Family Outreach Team noted on the memo line of your check. Please contact Karen Bradley, Diana Taylor, Elizabeth Ross, or a member of the Family Outreach Team with questions.

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One day your life will flash in front of your eyes. Make it worth watching.



ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

On Sunday, November 4, we will observe **All Saints' Sunday**. You may e-mail your contributions to Elizabeth Ross at Mross25213@aol.com. **The deadline to submit your contribution has been extended to Monday, October 29.** If you have a photo you'd like to share, bring it by the church office or give it to Molissia Fitzwater for scanning, or e-mail it to her at MolissiaF@gmail.com by Monday, October 29. You may sign your submission or contribute anonymously.



SNACK BAGS

The Missions and Outreach Team will be packing snack bags on Sunday November 4 at 5:30 p.m. in Cottrell Hall. We will be packing 1,000 Snack Bags to get us through the 2nd nine weeks of school. Come and join in the fun and fellowship of this community outreach program.

SNAP News

NO SNAP November 6, Election Day



S.N.A.P. Class is planning a Veterans Appreciation Ceremony on November 12 to honor the veterans of St. Andrew. If you are a Veteran, please call Jean or Rene', or stop in and see them so they will have your information and provide you with more details.

The ARK Encounter

I didn't find my friends; the good
God gave them to me.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

On October 23, the SNAP students went on their dream trip to The ARK Encounter located in Kentucky. This trip was the result of much effort, made by many who love SNAP. It was awesome! Beautiful memories were made. Amanda's favorite memory was riding in the bus and going far away. Jimmy favorite memory was the huge buffet lunch. Laura's favorite memory was Noah praying to God. Johnny's favorite memory was the size of the ARK. Kaleb's favorite memory was the gift shop. Rene's favorite memory was the sound effects of the water and motion. Jean's favorite memory was the beautiful woodwork.

We all Encountered

- A sense of awe
- The happiness of new discoveries
 - Many giggles
- A beautiful perfect weather day
- The new experience of riding in a tour bus
- How good snacks taste when you are on a trip
- A friendly bus driver who kept us safe
- What it is like to sleep on a bus
 - Walking and walking and walking and Walking!
 - Learning to be a tourist and negotiating through many people
 - Looking out for one another
- The sense of accomplishment for working toward a dream
 - Realizing that people who support us are truly happy for us
 - A beautiful harvest moon
 - The soft, warm hug of God's presence

SNAP students and staff say thank you.
We wish for you a beautiful rainbow.

Thank you,
Jean and Rene'
Johnny, Dalton, Jimmy, Kaleb, Laura, Mandy,
Kelsey,
Nick (Nick was unable to attend but he was in our hearts)

COMMISSION ON THE WAY FORWARD

There will be a listening even held on November 10 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Christ Church United Methodist Church in Charleston. Our General Conference Delegation will be present as we share our thoughts and recommendations concerning how the church should move forward in regard to human sexuality. This is a very important listening event and I encourage our church to be well represented.

Pastor Ed



FRUITCAKE ORDERS

The UMM are now taking orders for one, two and three lb. fruitcakes. You can place your orders with one of the United Methodist Men or call the office at 304-727-7114 to place an order.



A Message from the Piecemakers

After finishing the quilt hanging in the Sanctuary we began a journey of making prayer pillows and throws in 2009. We have reached a total of 500. That is a lot of cutting, sewing and stuffing. We do this in the hope it will bring comfort, healing and peace to the receiver. We receive many sincere and kind thank you's. That is why we continue. Materials for each pillow cost 12 – 15 dollars.

On All Saints Day you will see a banner with the names of members we have lost in the last year. This is a labor of love we do to honor them and to remember what they have meant to St. Andrew.

In 2013 we joined the National Quilts of Valor organization and began making quilt tops. We have presented 37 so far. If you have witnessed one of these hero's receiving a quilt you know how

special the emotions are. Each one costs about \$350.00.

Over the years we have done many projects such as baptismal cloths, scarves for the African Children's Choir, baby jackets, study buddies for our college students, Chrismon's for the Christmas trees and many others. We do these things because we love God and feel it is our mission to share his love with others.

We could not do this work without you. We thank you so very much for all past, present and future support.



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Have A Blessed Week!

**Please use this page to write notes
or for any prayer requests you may
have.**