

ANNOUNCEMENTS 7/30/17

**I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH
WITH MY PRAYERS & PRESENCE
July 23, 2017**

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.

Sunday School 48
Worship Service 138

OUR SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS to
the Cottrell family in the death of their
loved one, Suzanne Cottrell Peters.

to Randi Robinson & family in the death
of her sister, Movita Civitillo Hodge.

to Harry Davis & family in the death of
his sister-in-law, Katie Davis.

Scripture Reading for August 6:
Matthew 14:13-21



The sanctuary lamp is lit in memory of Robert Rasmussen.

The chapel lamp is lit in memory of Darrell Rasmussen.

Nursery – for infants through Pre-K

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

Children's Worship Bags are located 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 **455** 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.

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New Member Class-Pastors Ed and Krysta will be offering a new member class beginning August 6th during the Sunday School hour. The class will be three weeks long, with participants brought into membership during worship on August 20th. We happily invite those who may be discerning membership. Please contact the office with any questions.

The flowers are placed in the church for the glory of God by the congregation.

YouthWorks Infotainment Spectacular –

Every Monday evening at 6:30 from June 19-July 31, an interactive program will be performed in the sanctuary for youth groups being sponsored by YouthWorks. The program is titled "YouthWorks Infotainment Spectacular!" The program includes music, video presentations and a game show titled The Answer Is Right. The youth groups are visiting with us from other states. The main focus of the show is to provide our guests with positive information about West Virginia history and culture.

The St. Andrew congregation is welcome to join us. You may learn something about West Virginia that you didn't know!!

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS UPDATE –

St. Andrew recently received a check for \$708.31 from Kroger for our participation in this quarters Community Rewards Program. St. Andrew has 56 households participating in the program with this quarter running from 3/1/17 to 5/28/17. All households will need to renew their membership starting in September, so watch for a reminder and thanks to everyone for their continued support of this great program. To date since we began participating in the program (September 2014) St. Andrew has received \$6,624.88 in Rewards money.

SNACK BAG PACKING – It is hard to believe that the start of school is coming so quickly. Through the generosity of our congregation we will again be able to support the Snack Bag Program for the schools in St. Albans. **SAVE THE DATE – AUG. 13, 5:00 pm – Cottrell Hall –** the Mission Outreach Team could use your help for about an hour as we pack 1,100 snack bags for the first nine weeks of school. Come and share an hour of your time and have some great fun and fellowship as we begin another school year and contribute to this great ministry and outreach program. We look forward to seeing you.



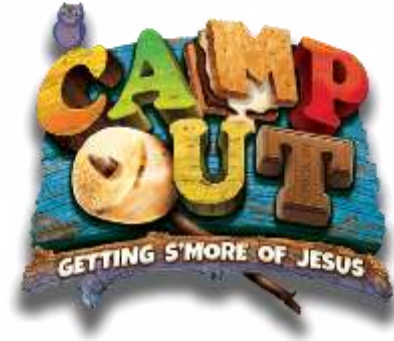
**ST. ALBANS 5K RUN/WALK
AGAINST HUNGER
SEPTEMBER 23, 2017
REGISTER TODAY:
TRISTATERACER.COM
BENEFITS LOCAL CHARITIES:
Christ's Kitchen
St. Albans Food Pantry
Jubilee Emergency Assistance
Jericho House**

PAINT YOUR OWN SIGN PARTY (faith as small as a mustard seed, can move mountains) Saturday, September 9, 1:30-4:30 pm in Friendship Hall. Cost: \$35 with proceeds going to the Snack Bag Program. Email Karen Bradley at karenbradley@gmail.com, call or text Lori Counts at 304-542-1941, Carmen Priddy at 304-549-0537, or Karen Bradley at 304-932-4364. Please provide name, contact number, and your paint choice for background color and letter color. Limit: 15 attendees. If we reach the limit and continue to have interest, we may offer a 2nd date.



AUGUST NEWSLETTER is on the table in the narthex. Please take one home today.

SPECIAL CHURCH CONFERENCE will be held Tuesday, August 15, 6:30 pm in the sanctuary. This conference is concerning the selling of the church parsonage at 1111 Reeves Street, St. Albans. You are encouraged to attend this special conference.



AUGUST 2ND-4TH
6:00-8:00 pm
VBS + Summer Party
Nursery-Middle School
St. Peter's UMC
2601 Forrester Ave.
St. Albans, WV
doors open at 5:30 pm
for more information,
contact Matthew Thompson at
304-539-2141

COMMUNION will be offered in the chapel on August 20th at 9:45 am. We will continue to have communion on the 1st Sunday of the month in the sanctuary.

THANK YOU

May God bless you for your generosity to St. Andrew Reads, and may each of your gifts be blessed so that we may use them according to God's purpose. Your engagement with this ministry to the children in our community is inspiring and your trust is humbling. The Family Outreach Team is extremely grateful for your generosity.

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING TODAY

9:15 a.m. Preschool & Adult SS
9:45 a.m. "God's Detectives" – Rm. 304
10:15 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary

MONDAY

6:00 p.m. Karate – Cottrell Hall
6:30 p.m. YouthWorks Infotainment
 Spectacular – Sanctuary
6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts – Room 100
7:00 p.m. NA Meeting – Annex

TUESDAY

6:30 p.m Soccer - on the hill
8:00 p.m. AA – Annex

THURSDAY

5:30 p.m. Cookout with YouthWorks –
 801 Lincoln Dr., So. Charleston
7:00 p.m. Book Club @ Karen Brimhall's

SUNDAY

9:15 a.m. Preschool & Adult SS
9:15 a.m. New Member Class – Parlor
9:45 a.m. "God's Detectives" – Rm. 304
10:15 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary

POPSICLES NEEDED

We are still in need of popsicles to be given out after the community soccer on Tuesday evenings. Please bring them to the Melanie Ogu, the Christian Education Director. Thank you!

PLEASE USE THE SPACE BELOW FOR PRAYER REQUESTS AND/OR SERMON NOTES