

ANNOUNCEMENTS 8/6/17

**I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH
WITH MY PRAYERS & PRESENCE
July 30, 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

HOSPITAL: Nancy Bright, Charleston
General, Room 403

BIRTH & ROSEBUD: Nora Penelope
Hollingsworth, born July 27 to Cody &
Robin Hollingsworth. Paternal
grandparents are David & Kathy
Hollingsworth.

Scripture Reading for August 13:
Matthew 14:22-33



The flowers are placed in the church for the glory
of God and in memory of
M.E. "Tickle" Perry, by his family.

The sanctuary lamp is lit in honor of the
YouthWorks staff.

The chapel lamp is lit by the congregation.

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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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.

New Member Class-Pastors Ed and Krysta are
offering a new member class that started today
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.

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.

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

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.



**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**

THANK YOU to all who gave popsicles or gave financial donations for popsicles for our Community Soccer Program! At this time, we are well stocked and will not need more popsicles for a while.

GOD'S DETECTIVES for children in grades K-5 will no longer be held on Sunday mornings. Many thanks to Bob & Becky Lilly for their faithful leadership in this effort.

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.



MEETING THIS WEEK:

Tues., Aug. 8 – 6:30 pm
Trustees – Room 111



LOGOS

Wednesdays 3:30-5:30 pm
Beginning: August 16
All children in grades K-5th are welcome!
Theme for August: *At the Beach*

BLESSING OF THE STUDENTS – Next Sunday, Pastor Ed will bless the students as they enter a new school year. Kids are encouraged to bring a backpack, notebook, pencils, or other school items forward during the children's sermon as a sign of the work, fun and learning to come. All students, teachers, faculty, and administrators are in our prayers as a fresh school season begins.

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

See the August newsletter for the fall schedule of Wonderful Wednesday

FREE!!
ST. ANDREW READS
BENEFIT CONCERT
 The award winning barbershop harmony
 chorus,
 the ***Kanawha Kordsmen***
 is performing a **FREE** benefit concert for **St.**
Andrew Reads!
It will be a wonderful,
light-hearted event with unparalleled music
to
lift your spirits!
The hour long concert will be followed by a
dessert of ice cream!
Bring your friends and come join your St.
Andrew family on
Saturday, August 26,
6:30 pm in the sanctuary
for an evening of fun and an opportunity to
support our outreach ministry to the children
of our community

THE ST. ALBANS FOOD PANTRY is in
DESPERATE need of **cream of mushroom,**
cream of chicken soup, and **cake mix.** You can
 place your items in the basket marked "Food
 Pantry" in the overflow.



SOCKS & SKIVVIES
FOR THE KIDDIES

Several of our neighborhood school children are in
 need of socks & underwear to start the school year.
 If you can, please get a package of either and give
 it to me or put it in the box in the overflow.
 Thanks to your generosity, last year you filled my
 trunk!! Bless you!!! Sizes range from 3T-12. Any
 questions, call Norma Bartlett 304-727-1818.
 Thank you!

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING
TODAY

9:15 a.m. Preschool & Adult SS
 9:15 a.m. New Member Class - Parlor
 10:15 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

6:30 p.m. Soccer - on the hill
 6:30 p.m. Trustees - Room 111
 8:00 p.m. AA – Annex

SUNDAY

9:15 a.m. Preschool & Adult SS
 9:15 a.m. New Member Class – Parlor
 10:15 a.m. Worship – Sanctuary
 5:00 p.m. Pack Snack Bags –
 Cottrell Hall