



St. Andrew's Tidings

Week of June 4

Summer Concert Series

Sunday, June 4, 4 p.m.

GLI CHAMBER ENSEMBLE

“Dancing Through the World”

Works by Mozart, Strauss, Faure, Debussy and others



Yasya Brown, Lynne Webster Fehrenbach, Violins

Cathy Stevens, Viola Leeza Beholz Jett, Cello

Sunday, June 25, 4 p.m. : Calliope Pettis, Voice
and Andy Lagrimas, Piano

Tuesday, July 4th: Concert on the Lawn

Featuring Amanda Matthews and Friends

Beginning at 6 p.m. 

Sunday, July 30th: Ensemble of Excellence

“An International Tour”

Two Flutes, ‘Cello, and Viola

Sunday, August 20th: An Evening of Jazz

Musicians: Amanda Matthews, Leeza Beholz Jett,
Steve Gilmore



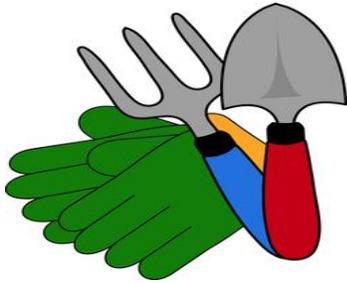
Pentecost Party



Children's Sunday School will be having a Pentecost Party and YOU ARE INVITED. We will be having a presentation and making crafts during Sunday School hour, 9 am on Sunday June 4th in Byrne Hall. Please join us and show the children your love and support. Bring your child, grandchild or your inner child. All ages are welcome.

SUMMER BREAKFAST BEGINS JUNE 11
WE NEED GROUPS TO SIGN UP! The Sign-up list is on the bulletin board.





PARISH WORK DAY-JUNE 10TH.

WE NEED ALL HANDS ON DECK. SOME WILL WORK OUTSIDE, SOME WILL WORK ON THE RECTORY AND SOME, INSIDE BYRNE HALL/KITCHEN! BRING YOUR SHEARS, RAKES, CLIPPERS ETC. DO-NUTS AND COFFEE AT 9 A.M!

From the Front Door to the Kitchen

*FRONT DOOR: EXPLORE/ATTENDANCE Foyer: LEARN/PARTICIPATING
FAMILY ROOM: GROW/COMMITMENT KITCHEN: SERVE/EMPOWERMENT
Consequently, we are adding two new greeters – one listed as
The Front Door (In front of Byrne Hall; and The Kitchen- In
front of the new Narthex.) You are simply greeters, showing in
particular new comers where the entrances are, the nursery, the
restrooms etc. Thank you for serving!*



SUPPER AT GRACE THURSDAY JUNE 15

Join us at 9:00 AM in Byrne Hall to pack lunches and do prep work for dinner

AND/OR

Grace Church on the beach anytime between 3:00PM and 5:00 PM to set up, cook, serve and clean up

Diane Tate or Mary Johnson

Episcopal, ELCA presiding bishops issue joint statement calling for prayer, fasting for hunger awareness

[Episcopal Church Office of Public Affairs press release] Episcopal Church Presiding Bishop Michael Curry and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) have issued a joint statement calling for prayer, fasting and advocacy.

The statement, *For Such a Time as This: A Call to Prayer, Fasting, and Advocacy*, calls for fasting on the 21st of each month through December 2018, at which time the 115th Congress will conclude.

The 21st of each month is targeted because by that time each month, 90% of SNAP (formerly food stamp) benefits have been used, thereby causing the last week of the month as the hungry week in America.

The fast will launch with a group of national and local leaders doing a three-day fast together May 21-23. These leaders include Presiding Bishop Curry, Presiding Bishop Eaton, and leadership throughout the Episcopal Church.



Lucille Moore Backpack Ministry

Last month our *Presiding Bishop Michael Curry* issued a statement, *For Such a Time as This: A Call to Prayer, Fasting, and Advocacy*, calling for fasting on the 21st of each month through December 2018, at which time the 115th Congress will conclude. The 21st of each month is targeted because by that time each month, 90% of SNAP (formerly food stamp) benefits have been used, thereby causing the last week of the month as the hungry week in America. Lucille Moore is a Title 1 School which serves low income at risk students. In addition to the prayer, fasting and advocacy our Presiding Bishop has called for, we can support these students through the backpack program which sends food home with students over the weekend when school breakfasts and lunches are unavailable. This program will continue through the summer months. When you are shopping for your family, please consider purchasing food items for the backpack program. There are lists on the table in Byrne Hall to take home to give you suggestions and reminders.

PROJECT RESOURCE

Last January, six members of Saint Andrews attended a workshop on Project Resource, the diocese and the national Episcopal Church's new approach to stewardship. There have been some alarming changes in the last 12 years on this subject that has forced us to look at this in a new light. Before the recession of 2008/9, church members regularly tithed; however, when the Great Recession began, those contributions significantly dropped off or ceased entirely. More alarmingly, as we came out of the recession, tithing did not resume and for all intents and purposes stopped altogether. The Episcopal Church also noted that new members stopped coming through our doors. Faced with this stark reality, the church felt our approach to stewardship must change and instituted Project Resource, a year-round stewardship mindfulness rather than a big push in November as traditionally happens. Saint Andrews was one of eight churches in the diocese to pilot this program for 2017. Project Resource at Saint Andrews is a campaign to kick off this summer that will feature "Ministry Minutes" or 3-minute talks given by members of our congregation on why we love Saint Andrews and why it is worthy of our support. We are in the process of crafting a campaign theme/slogan that defines Saint Andrews and we need your help creating one! Our sister parish Saint Thomas in Greenville Alabama came up with the slogan "Without a Doubt", a play off the well-known association of doubting Thomas. When I personally asked people what they think of when you mention Saint Andrews, almost immediately they'll say "the beautiful church on the bay". The slogan can be something that is meaningful to you or you can fashion one using "the beautiful church on the bay" theme. No hard work goes unrewarded; we are offering a gift certificate to Enzo's Pizza for the winner and a runner-up gift card to Two Sisters Gift Gallery. You will need to have your slogan submitted no later than June 18th to the church office or you can drop them in the offering plate on Sunday. The winner will be announced on June 25th!

Saint Andrews "Project Resource" Theme/Slogan Contest

The Saint Andrews Vestry is conducting a "Theme/Slogan" contest for our upcoming Project Resource Event. It is open to all St Andrews participants and friends.

Your Theme/Slogan maybe submitted to the church office beginning Monday May 29th until Sunday the 18th of June 2017. The winner will be announced Sunday June 25th.

Prizes – Winner: Gift Card from "Enzo's"
Runner-Up: Gift card to "Two Sisters"

Thoughts for your consideration in developing your Theme/Slogan:

What is Saint Andrews noted for in our community?
What are the various images that complement our ministries?

Theme/Slogan should be simple and to the point.

You may write your Theme/Slogan on the back of this card with name and phone number...

Good Luck and God Bless.....The Saint Andrews' Vestry

Please keep the following in your prayers: Bob, Virginia, Warren, Ed, Nell, Colleen, Courtney, Charlie, Glenn, Michael, Suzy, Sandra, Josh, Maggie, Debra, Theresa, Dana, Patricia & Gene, Elizabeth, Pam, Vi, Dana, Mary, Connie, Helen, Louise, John, Nell, Josh, Debra, Elizabeth, John, Nell, Mary, Tim, Octavia, William, Dwayne, Oscar, Barbara, Doris, Liam Irene, Richard, Hannah, Jim, Norma, Mary Lou, Sylvia, Octavia, Hope, Lonnie, Maxwell, Wanda, Hank, Elizabeth, Rick, Mason, Jeremy

*We pray for our men and women in the Armed Forces at home and abroad:
David, Jason, Billy, Colin, Todd, Jordan, Jeremiah, Richard, James*