



By Peter Paul Rubens

Sunday, November 17, 2024

Saint Andrew the Apostle

10:00 am

Welcome Thank you for joining us today at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church! Our spiritual call is to "Worship Christ, Grow Together, and Serve Others."

Guests We would love to meet you and give you a gift in the Gathering Space. We ask that you sign the Guest Register. You can learn more about our parish family at www.standrewsvalpo.org.

Children We have Busy Bags available by the glass doors.

For our Children's Ministry, please contact ministry leader Jennifer Rodd at sundayschool@standrewsvalpo.org

Youth We meet most Sundays at 4pm-5:30pm in the Education Wing. Please contact ministry leader Jennifer Rodd at sundayschool@standrewsvalpo.org

Intercessory Prayer Team meets Tuesdays at 9:00 am. Please contact Katy Hamilton at khamilton@standrewsvalpo.org

Hearing assistance available. Please ask a greeter for a receiver.

Worship Services and study

Holy Eucharist Saturday 5:30 pm
Holy Eucharist Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 am
Holy Eucharist Wednesday 6:00 pm
for healing, followed by Bible Study
Men's Bible study Tuesday 7am
Morning Prayer with discussion
Wednesday 8:00 am



Priest In Charge

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Church Office Hours

Tuesday - Friday 9am-4pm

We would love to see you! But sometimes we're out of the office, on errands, or unavailable. To avoid disappointment, please call ahead if you'd like to stop by, or are scheduling a delivery so we can be sure someone is here

Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church
Saint Andrew the Apostle - Year B
Sunday, November 17, 2024



The flowers are given to the Glory of God by Pamela Harris in thanksgiving for her daughter Adrienne Harris's birthday, November 15, 1976.

Greeter(s): *Allison Cath*
VOD: *Theresa Argueta*

EM: *Linda Halas*
EM Lite:

Liturgy of the Word

Opening Hymn *Hymn 231 sing v. St. Andrew* Blue Hymnal

Open Acclamation

Priest Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. BCP 355
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Collect for Purity *Almighty God, to you...* BCP 355

The Gloria *Hymn S 280* Blue Hymnal

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who gave such grace to your apostle Andrew that he readily obeyed the call of your Son Jesus Christ, and brought his brother with him: Give us, who are called by your Holy Word, grace to follow him without delay, and to bring those near to us into his gracious presence; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the Readings.

The First Reading Deuteronomy 30:11-14

Reader: A Reading from the Book of Deuteronomy. *Steve Mancione*

Moses said to the people of Israel, "Surely, this commandment that I am commanding you today is not too hard for you, nor is it too far away. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will go up to heaven for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will

cross to the other side of the sea for us, and get it for us so that we may hear it and observe it?' No, the word is very near to you; it is in your mouth and in your heart for you to observe."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 19 *Hymn 409*

Blue Hymnal

The Second Reading

Romans 10:8b-18

Steve Mancione

Reader: A reading from the Letter of Paul to Romans.

"The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" But not all have obeyed the good news; for Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our message?" So faith comes from what is heard, and what is heard comes through the word of Christ. But I ask, have they not heard? Indeed they have; for "Their voice has gone out to all the earth, and their words to the ends of the world."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gospel Acclamation *WOV 716 v. 1 before Gospel,*
v. 4 after Gospel

Insert

The Gospel

Matthew 4:18-22

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

As Jesus walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.” Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon

The Rev. Cathy Carpenter

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People *Let us pray for the Church ...*

BCP 388

After each petition the Intercessor says

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayers**

The Confession of Sin *Most merciful God,...*

BCP 360

The Absolution *Almighty God have mercy on you,...*

BCP 360

The Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The Announcements

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn *Hymn 549*

Blue Hymnal

The Great Thanksgiving

Holy Eucharist Prayer A *The Lord be with you ...*

BCP 361

The Sanctus *Hymn S-129* Blue Hymnal

The Lords Prayer *Our Father, who art in heaven...* BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread

The Fraction Anthem *Hymn S 155* Blue Hymnal

Invitation to Communion *The Gifts of God...* BCP 364

All baptized persons, regardless of denomination and including children are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Gluten-free Bread is available at the altar opening. If you prefer to receive a blessing, indicate this by folding your arms across your chest when you approach.

Postcommunion Prayer *Eternal God, heavenly Father...* BCP 365

Communion Hymn *1940-131 (Choir)*

Communion Hymn *Hymn 660* Blue Hymnal

Communion Hymn *Hymn 238* Blue Hymnal

The Blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen**

Closing Hymn *Gather 700* Insert

The Dismissal

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Those requesting our prayers: Randy, Carole, Cindy, Michael, Steve, June, Chris, Judy, Debbie, and Greg.

Those celebrating birthdays: Bob Bryant (11-17), Tom Wheeland (11-22).

Those who have died: Tom Bell (2016), Dorothy Robb (1988), Walter W. Berndt (1986), Clinton Beam (1961).



Church Happenings



We will be collecting **coats and boots** starting **November 1 thru February** in the Gathering Space. We are collecting for all ages. You may also bring new mittens and adult gloves.



St. Andrew's Annual Giving Campaign began November 1. Letters, weekly reflections and announcements will occur throughout the month, with a brochure containing forms for your giving estimates (pledges) of time, talent and treasure sent in Advent. Watch your mail for the first letter which arrived this week.

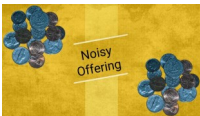


Thursday, November 21, 2024 Red Cross Blood Drive in the Gathering Space from 1:00pm to 6:00pm. Please call 1-800-733-2767 or visit Red-CrossBlood.org and enter StAndrewsValpo to schedule an appointment.



Join us to learn about how you can help feather the nest of Valpo's new homeless shelter at our **Holiday Housewarming. Saturday, November 23rd from 5-7 pm at Christ Lutheran Church** 2610 Campbell St, Valparaiso.

RSVP at 219-462-6660 or Jenbias@clcvvalpo.org



November 23-24 is time to find that loose change from pockets, purses and jars on your counter. Any leftover gold and silver bars are also accepted, as is crunchy paper money! The louder we make it the better. Noisy Offering is the source of funds for the Discretionary Account used to provide aid to those in need.



Join us for **Holy Eucharist and Pie** on **Wednesday, November 27, at 5:30 pm**. If you would like, bring your favorite pie to share. Please sign up in the Gathering space if you wish to attend and if you are going to bring a pie.



Sisters of St. Andrew's will be taking a trip to **Shipshewana on Monday, December 2. We will meet in the church parking lot at 8:00 am**. If you are interested attending please sign up in the Gathering Space. Ladies, put on your walking shoes and let's have a good time.

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