

**St. Andrew Lutheran Church  
& Early Childhood Campus**

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## **Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**September 29, 2024**

**PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP**

**WELCOME & GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE**

**OPENING HYMN** "Come, Let Us Join Our Cheerful Songs" LSB 812

**DIVINE SERVICE** (Setting One) (p. 151 in the front of the hymnal)

### **INVOCATION**

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

+ *Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination* +

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### **PSALM**

Ps. 135:1-3, 13-14

P: Your name, O Lord, endures forever, your renown, O Lord, throughout all ages.

**C: Praise the Lord! Praise the name of the Lord, give praise, O servants of the Lord,**

P: who stand in the house of the Lord, in the courts of the house of our God!

**C: Praise the Lord, for the Lord is good; sing to his name, for it is pleasant!**

P: Your name, O Lord, endures forever, your renown, O Lord, throughout all ages.

**C: For the Lord will vindicate his people and have compassion on his servants.**

**C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen**

### **KYRIE**

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.**

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

**C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.**

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

**C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.**

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

**C: ♪ Lord, have mercy.**

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C: ♪ Amen.**

### **HYMN OF PRAISE**

"This Is the Feast"

(p. 155)

### **SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: ♪ And also with you.**

P: Let us pray together.

**C: Everlasting Father, source of every blessing, mercifully direct and govern us by Your Holy Spirit that we may complete the**

**works You have prepared for us to do; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**  
**C: ♪ Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29  
*Now the rabble that was among them had a strong craving. And the people of Israel also wept again and said, "Oh that we had meat to eat! We remember the fish we ate in Egypt that cost nothing, the cucumbers, the melons, the leeks, the onions, and the garlic. But now our strength is dried up, and there is nothing at all but this manna to look at." Moses heard the people weeping throughout their clans, everyone at the door of his tent. And the anger of the Lord blazed hotly, and Moses was displeased. Moses said to the Lord, "Why have you dealt ill with your servant? And why have I not found favor in your sight, that you lay the burden of all this people on me? Did I conceive all this people? Did I give them birth, that you should say to me, 'Carry them in your bosom, as a nurse carries a nursing child,' to the land that you swore to give their fathers? Where am I to get meat to give to all this people? For they weep before me and say, 'Give us meat, that we may eat.' I am not able to carry all this people alone; the burden is too heavy for me. If you will treat me like this, kill me at once, if I find favor in your sight, that I may not see my wretchedness." Then the Lord said to Moses, "Gather for me seventy men of the elders of Israel, whom you know to be the elders of the people and officers over them, and bring them to the tent of meeting, and let them take their stand there with you. So, Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord. And he gathered seventy men of the elders of the people and placed them around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. And as soon as the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied. But they did not continue doing it. Now two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the Spirit rested on them. They were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua the son of Nun, the assistant of Moses from his youth, said, "My lord Moses, stop them." But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, that the Lord would put his Spirit on them!"*

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## **EPISTLE**

James 5:13- 20

*Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and heaven gave rain, and the earth bore its fruit. My brothers, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and someone brings him back, let him know that whoever brings back a sinner from his wandering will save his soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.*

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## **ALLELUIA VERSE**

**C: ♪ Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## **HOLY GOSPEL**

Mark 9:38-50

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.

**C: ♪ Glory to You, O Lord.**

*John said to him, "Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us." But Jesus said, "Do not stop him, for no one who does a mighty work in my name will be able soon afterward to speak evil of me. For the one who is not against us is for us. For truly, I say to you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ will by no means lose his reward. Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were hung around his neck and he were thrown into the sea. And if your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life crippled than with two hands to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter life lame than with two feet to be thrown into hell. And if your eye causes you to sin, tear it out. It is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into hell, 'where their worm does not die and the fire is not quenched.' For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good, but if*

*the salt has lost its saltiness, how will you make it salty again? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another."*

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise to You, O Christ.

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old" LSB 846

**SERMON** "The Ministry of Prayer and Restoration" James 5:13-20

**CONFESSION OF FAITH** "Apostles' Creed" (p. 159)

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Remember, Lord, Your Holy Church. May Your holy angels watch over her and guard her. Grant her peace and unity throughout the world. Lord, in Your mercy,

*(following each petition the congregation responds)*

**C: Hear our prayer.**

*(our petitions this day)*

P: Everlasting God, You have ordained and constituted the service of angels and men in a wonderful order. Mercifully grant that as Your holy angels always serve and worship You in heaven, so by Your appointment they may also help and defend us here on earth; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

## OFFERING

**OFFERTORY** "What Shall I Render to the Lord" (p. 159)

## SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

**Preface** (p. 160)

**Sanctus**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Lord's Prayer**

**The Words of Our Lord**

**Pax Domini** – "The Peace of the Lord" (p. 163)

**Agnus Dei** – "Lamb of God"

## DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Your Table I Approach" LSB 628

"O Christ, Our Hope, Our Hearts' Desire" LSB 553

"Praise to You and Adoration" LSB 692

**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE** "Thank the Lord" (p. 164)

## POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

**C: AMEN**

## BENEDICTION

**CLOSING HYMN** "As the Deer"

1. **As the deer panteth for the water  
So my soul longeth after Thee  
You alone are my heart's desire  
And I long to worship Thee**

*Refrain*

**You alone are my strength, my shield  
To You alone may my spirit yield  
You alone are my heart's desire  
And I long to worship Thee**

2. **I want You more than gold or silver  
Only You can satisfy  
You alone are the real joy giver  
And the apple of my eye**

*Refrain*

3. **You're my friend and You're my brother  
Even though you are a King  
I love You more than any other  
So much more than anything**

*Refrain*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## POSTLUDE

**OFFICIANT:** Rev. Jonathan Vierkant

**ORGANIST:** Rinda Bye

**LAY READER:** Owen Hua

## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

Monday, September 30	-	6:00 p.m. Men's Group
	-	6:45 p.m. Handbell Practice
Tuesday, October 1	-	9:30 a.m. Sister's In Christ Bible Study
	-	6:30 p.m. Foraging Class
Wednesday, October 2	-	6:00 p.m. Choir Practice
	-	7:00 p.m. Dartball @Newburg
Friday, October 4	-	6:00 p.m. Youth Night
	-	7:00 p.m. Bonfire – Open to all
Saturday, October 5	-	8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study w/Dan B
	-	1:30 p.m. Singing @ Ivy Manor
Sunday, October 6	-	9:00 a.m. Worship
	-	10:15 a.m. Family Education Hour
	-	11:30 a.m. Movie Day

### DID YOU KNOW?

**Please check the bulletin board for other announcements.**

**SHHHHH. . . THERE IS A "QUIET ROOM" AT ST. ANDREW** in the back of the Sanctuary. It has a sound system and the service can be heard in that room. Please be considerate of the worshipful attitude of others and use it as necessary. It is there for your comfort and convenience.

We have **reduced gluten communion wafers**. If you desire to receive one during communion, please identify yourself before the service to the Elder for that service so we can distribute one to you.

**TEXAS ROADHOUSE:** When you go to Texas Roadhouse in West Bend on a Sunday, take our church bulletin with you and they will donate 10% of your food purchases back to church.

**BASKETS** are located in the Narthex to collect food for the **FOOD PANTRY**.

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR - SUNDAYS:** 6 a.m. WGN Chicago 720 AM; 7:30 a.m. WTKM Hartford 104.9 FM; 6:30 a.m. WTMJ Milwaukee 620 AM & 103.3 FM; 5 p.m. WJUB Plymouth 1420 AM; 9 a.m. WIBD West Bend 1470 AM

**Lutheran Church Radio Service – JOY/WJYI (1340 AM)  
7 a.m. Sundays**

**Please contact Pastor Jon** (262)808-7974 if you or a loved one is in the hospital, celebrating a milestone, or would just like a visit.

**St. Andrew Financials:** If you are interested in seeing our monthly givings and expenses, please check the latest newsletter. Newsletters are sent out once a month and can be found in your email (if you have an email on file), in your mailbox, or on the table in the Narthex.

**Reminder:** Check your mailboxes regularly.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: September 29 thru October 5**

**BIRTHDAY:** Cristopher Kiel, Katherine Vierkant, Darrell Harrison, Carolyn Hartmann, Amber Dieringer, Jessica Janz, Kristen Kasuboski, Stephanie Waala, James Strohmeyer

**BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES:** Annabelle Miller, Jessica Beaupre', Linda Bruss

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:** Cristopher & Deanna Kiel, Sharon & Troy Ellis, Kenneth & Wendi Falk

**PRAYERS FOR:** Please pray From (Michele Buehler) Prayers for my daughter's father-in-law, Dwayne Edwards. He has been hospitalized since Saturday with E.coli and kidney issues. He only has one kidney. They cannot stop his fever. Pray for the doctors and health care professionals.

**THE MILITARY:** William Bowman (brother of Katie Vierkant), Matthew Speaks-(nephew of Darryl & Laurie Pree) Beau Szczerbinski (brother of Meghan Kelley) maybe heading to Israel. Brandon & Benjamin Roeglin(Grandsons of Joyce & Jim Schmoltdt)

**WELCOME VISITORS!** We are glad you chose to worship with us. Sign our Guest Book in the Narthex or one of the cards in the pews and please talk to Pastor, an Usher or Elder if you have any questions.

**DIFFERENT CHURCHES HAVE DIFFERENT UNDERSTANDINGS** regarding Holy Communion. For this reason, because of what 1Corinthians 11:27-30 tells us, we ask that visitors talk to Pastor if they wish to commune with us. **ALSO**, see the back of the communion cards for a statement by Synod.

**WE HAVE A PRAYER CHAIN AT ST. ANDREW.** Please contact Josie Pfeiffer at 262-626-4303 or [pfeiffer4303@charter.net](mailto:pfeiffer4303@charter.net)

**ELDER SERVING TODAY:** Thai Hua, Randy Sheffield  
Next Sunday: Rory Hetzel & Randy Sheffield

**CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING October 5** Pastor Jon Vierkant, Katie Vierkant, Myron Kraft, Suzanne Woods

**NEXT WEEK October 7 thru October 12** Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Sandy Lompa

**Altar Guild for September:** Katie Vierkant, Debbie Puestow, Cathy Grande

**October:** Pam Beaupre w/Sue Hetzel, Peggy Kriefall, Tracy Rochwite, Debbie Yenter

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**SISTERS IN CHRIST:** Bible Study Tuesday's @ 9:30 a.m.

**SISTERS IN CHRIST:** would like to invite anyone who is able to come to church on Friday October 4th at 9:00am to make applesauce for the Harvest Dinner. We will be using the apples from the tree behind church. We will also be organizing a supply closet. If you have any clear bins you would like to donate they would be greatly appreciated.

**PRAYER SHAWLS** created by Sisters in Christ, are located in the narthex. Please help yourself to as many as you need throughout the year. These shawls are to be given to someone in need of a warm hug, care, and prayers. It is our hope that these shawls will help spread love, compassion, and prayers from St. Andrew to those suffering and in need of God's love.

**KEWASKUM FOOD PANTRY** Currently are in need of the following "NON-EXPIRED" and NON-PERISHABLE FOODS.

- All chunky soups, tomato soup, cream of chicken & Cream of mushroom soup.

Monetary donations can be mailed to: K.C. Pantry P.O. Box 502, Kewaskum, WI 53040

**FORAGING CLASS:** Tuesday October 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at St. Andrews On October 19th, they will have a booth at the Homestead Rendezvous at New Life Church on Hwy D, 10:00 to 3:00. Free to the public. Offers time to learn multiple skills, everything from sewing on a button, building a fire to installing home security. God has blessed us with the ability to learn many new things.

**PRAYER SUNDAY:** On the first Sunday of every month, we invite you to write down your special prayers and put them into the box when you go up for Lord Supper. Pastor will then say a prayer over them. They will not be read. What you write is between you and the Lord.

**SEPTEMBER 29, 2024:**The gift planning process of an estate plan requires multi-channel communication. Have you ever heard of someone needing services from several doctors at a time, yet those doctors really didn't understand what the other was doing? The same can be true about your attorney, tax preparer and financial advisor. Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor can assist in facilitating group communication between you and these professionals, so they are working together for you. Contact Craig Toerpe, Gift Planning Counselor of the LCMS Foundation to facilitate this conversation or other questions you may have regarding how you can support the family you love and the ministries you care about at 262-707-3005 or [craig.toerpe@lfnd.org](mailto:craig.toerpe@lfnd.org)