

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

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PALM SUNDAY/CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

April 13, 2025

PRESERVICE MUSIC WHILE WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

WELCOME & GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH GOD'S PEACE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" LSB 442

DIVINE SERVICE (Setting Three) *(p. 184 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.

P: Hosanna to the Son of David!

C: Hosanna in the highest!

P: Blessed is He who comes,

C: who comes in the name of the Lord.

P: Hosanna!

C: Hosanna in the highest!

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C: Who made heaven and earth.

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C: And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

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

P: O Almighty God, merciful Father,

C: I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly

deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

INTROIT

Ps. 24:7-10; Ps. 118:26

P: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

C: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

P: Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle!

C: Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

P: Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory!

THE GLORIA PATRI

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C: ♪ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

THE KYRIE

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C: ♪ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT (PRAYER) OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And with thy spirit.

P: Let us pray.

C: Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Deuteronomy 32:36-39

³⁶For the Lord will vindicate his people and have compassion on his servants, when he sees that their power is gone and there is none remaining, bond or free. ³⁷Then he will say, 'Where are their gods, the rock in which they took refuge, ³⁸who ate the fat of their sacrifices and drank the wine of their drink offering? Let them rise up and help you; let them be your protection! ³⁹See now that I, even I, am he, and there is no god beside me; I kill and I make alive; I wound and I heal; and there is none that can deliver out of my hand.
P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

"Ring Glory Land and Honor"

Handbell Choir

EPISTLE

Philippians 2:5-11

⁵Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, ⁶who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. ⁹Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL

John 12:12-19

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twelfth chapter.

C: ♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

¹²The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. ¹³So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" ¹⁴And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, ¹⁵"Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" ¹⁶His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. ¹⁷The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. ¹⁸The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had

done this sign. ¹⁹So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

"Nicene Creed"

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

LSB 443

SERMON

"In a Short Time..."

Deuteronomy 32:36-39

OFFERTORY HYMN

"Create in Me"

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OFFERING

RITE OF CONFIRMATION

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(R=Confirmands Response

C=Congregation Response)

Michaela Grande

Graci Roller

Daniel Vierkant

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Lord of hosts, Your Son entered into Jerusalem amid shouts of "hosanna" and people waving palms. Give us hearts full of His mercy, and join our voices to theirs in these holy days, that we would humbly bow our knees at His holy name. Lord, in Your mercy,
(following each petition the congregation responds)

C: Hear our prayer.

(Our petitions this day.)

P: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! We praise You, Father, that You have sent Your Son not in wrath but in mercy. As we enter this most holy week and ponder together the mysteries of Your great salvation, show us the answer to Your people's prayers of "hosanna" in the Passion of our Lord, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Preface

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Sanctus

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini – "The Peace of the Lord"

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Agnus Dei – "Lamb of God"

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

"Lamb of God, Pure and Holy"	LSB 434
"Christ, the Life of All the Living"	LSB 420
"No Tramp of Soldiers' Marching Feet"	LSB 444

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE

Nunc Dimittis – "Song of Simeon"	(p. 199)
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POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

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BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL HYMN "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" LSB 441

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

OFFICIANT: Rev. Jonathan Vierkant

ORGANIST: Rinda Bye

HANDBELL DIRECTOR: Jessica Dreska

LAY READER: Debbie Yenter



THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW

Monday, April 14	-	6:00 p.m. Men's Group
	-	6:45 p.m. Handbell Practice
Tuesday, April 15	-	9:30 a.m. Sister's in Christ Bible Study
Thursday, April 17	-	7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service w/c
Friday, April 18	-	7:00 p.m. Good Friday Service No communion
Saturday, April 19	-	8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study w/Dan
Sunday, April 20	-	6:00 a.m. Worship w/HC
	-	7:15 a.m. Easter Breakfast
	-	8:10 a.m. Choir Practice
	-	9:00 a.m. Worship w/HC

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**

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: April 13 thru April 19

BIRTHDAY: Bob Buehler, Nancy Waechter, Joseph Gutschmidt, Paul Heinz, Debra Puestow, Nancy Kawczynski

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES: Sharon Oelke, Paige Ruback, Tracy Rochwite

WEDDING ANNIVERSAIRES: Paul & Kathleen Buth

Prayers For Health, Healing, and/or Strength

Tom Alexander (brother of Karen Hammen),

Barb Bowman (Katie Vierkant's mother)

Adrian Buntrock (friend of Darryl and Laurie Pree),

Mike Deschler (friend of Rory Hetzel),

Deborah and Phil Ferris (sister and brother-in-law of Michele Buehler),

Dan Fischer, Rob Fleischman (friend of Sue Mueller),

Brad Gerndt (friend of Michele Buehler),

Sue Graff (friend of Deb Puestow),

Ruthann Grey, Tim Hackbarth (nephew of Cliff Hetzel),

Judy Harrison (sister of Darrell Harrison),

Sue Harrison

Mike Kaufmann (friend of Darrell and Sue Harrison),

Bruce Koenig, Carolyn Kreis, Fred Legate,

Jenny Leist (daughter of Mark & Shary Kraft)

Gina Leonard (sister of Randy and Kris Sheffield's daughter-in-law),

Ardene Lettau, Wade Muth,

Vern Nagel (great aunt of Meghan Kelley),

Diane Nelson, Sharon Oelke, Roger Sauter, Jim Schmoltd,

Kevin Stoutz (friend of Dan and Sandy Berres),

Larry Wahler (brother-in-law of Rick Bruss)

Prayers For Those in Active Military

William Bowman (brother of Katie Vierkant),

Austin Jantz

Brandon and Benjamin Roeglin (grandson of Jim Schmoltd),

Matthew Speaks (nephew of Darryl and Laurie Pree),

Beau Szczerbinski (brother of Meghan Kelley)

Prayers For Those Incarcerated

Greg Beyer (friend of Chris and Karen Callen)

Michael Meyer

Steven Steinpreis

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 1 Corinthians 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

ELDER SERVING TODAY: Jeff Grande & Rory Hetzel

Next Sunday: Rory Hetzel & Randy Sheffield

CLEANING THIS WEEK ENDING April 19 Sue Hetzel, Rory Hetzel, Paul Heinz, Cindy Heinz

NEXT WEEK April 21 THRU April 26 Pastor Jon Vierkant, Katie Vierkant, Myron Kraft, Suzanne Woods

Altar Guild for April: Melissa Knox, Carla Peterson, Charley Grande, Sandy Lompa

May: Judi Bastain, Star Dzwonkowski, Cindy Heinz, Evelyn Nuoffer

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

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS: April: We will be collecting canned fruits for the month of April.

Papa Murphy Fundraiser - Head to Papa Murphy's in West Bend on Thursday April 24th, between 11am- 7pm to help us support Christian education! Call ahead, order online, or order in store any Large or Family size pizza. 10% of those sales that day will go toward tuition assistance. Pick up a Papa Murphy's scrip card after church for your order for extra support! If you are interested in a delivery option, please talk to Sarah Peterson."

LAY READERS: If anyone is interested in joining our wonderful Lay reader team, please contact Elder Rory Hetzel in service of Lay readers. In person or call 262-573-2582 or email roryzr@yahoo.com