

This week at St. Andrew's

Thursday, November 7, 2024

Welcome to St. Andrew's Weekly E-mail Newsletter. In an effort to keep the congregation better informed we will be sending out this newsletter on Thursdays to cover events happening at the church through the following Wednesday. We hope you find it useful.



The Mission of St. Andrew's Parish is to worship God, grow in discipleship, and share Christ's love.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 2018

November 10, 2024, 2024

25 Pentecost

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

<u>Celebrant:</u> The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman <u>Guest Preacher</u>: The Rev. Canon Mark Furlow

Altar Guild: Laura Blanchard

Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor: Sara Sandberg

Lector: Laura Blanchard

Usher: Jim Swan

Announcer: Laura Blanchard

The worship booklet for the 8am Sunday service is available by clickinghere.

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II

<u>Celebrant:</u> The Rev. Dr. Suzannah Rohman <u>Preacher:</u> The Rev. Canon Mark Furlow

Organist: Sean Fleming
Choir Director: Linda Blanchard
Altar Guild: Judy Weislogel

<u>Eucharistic Minister/Intercessor</u>: Ann Kash <u>Lectors</u>: Martha Dodge & Judy Weislogel

<u>Livestream Operator</u>: Bill Judd <u>Ushers</u>: Martha Dodge & Kelley Kash <u>Vestry Announcer</u>: Laura Blanchard

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This Sunday we welcome The Rev. Canon Mark Furlow as our guest preacher at both services. He has moved here from Virginia to take the position at the Diocese of Maine as Canon to the Ordinary, Bishop Brown's Chief of Staff.

A Message from the Stewardship Committee

As we look ahead towards the end of 2024, the pattern is familiar: stewardship season, Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas. Here at St. Andrew's Church, we are blessed with an understanding and supportive worshipping community, a priest who cares deeply for us, and services and programs that lift us and restore us every Sunday. As we consider our pledges for 2025, we need to do all we can to sustain and expand our mission. St. Andrew's offers its community the opportunity for love, fellowship and hope. Please pledge generously. There are additional pledge cards and envelopes on the usher's table in the back of the church if you have not yet received one.

Knitting Group Book Club

The Knitting Group Book Club will meet to discuss *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle on Thursday November 14 at 1:00 pm in the library. All are welcome. Join us as we (re)discover this classic.

First Sunday Plate Outreach Recipient for November: CHIP, Inc.

Thanks to your generous donations last Sunday, St. Andrew's was able to send \$383 to help support CHIP and it's mission to support the community.

Wednesday Healing Eucharists at 11:30am

Yesterday we held the second lunch after the 11:30am Healing Service. It was very well attended and all had a great time. Volunteers picked up many parishioners who are unable to drive and were joined by many others as well.

All are welcome to join either or both the service and the luncheon. We can always use more volunteers to drive those who cannot or to help with the luncheon. Please contact Suzannah Rohman (<u>stasrector@tidewater.net</u>) if you would like a ride, would like to give others rides, or help with the luncheon.



The next luncheon will be held after the Wednesday service on December 4th.

Halloween at St. Andrew's a success!

St. Andrew's handed out 400 treat bags at the church on Halloween. Many thanks to all who donated candy, packed treat bags, carved pumpkins and were on hand to decorate and hand out candy to the kids! Special thanks to Tanya Albert for organizing the event. Plans for next year are already in the works for 500-600 treat bags!





Goodie table with Ruth Piper, Tanya Albert and Carol Piper, the treat bag that was handed out and the decorated walkway at the church.



St. Andrew's Church Calendar



St. Andrew's Church calendar is available online. If you would like to access it, please click here

Weekday Worship

Compline: Monday-Friday 8:30 PM

Zoom Meeting

Wednesday Healing Service: Wednesdays at 11:30am

Please note: The next luncheon after this service will be on Wednesday, December 4

<u>Meetings</u>

Benedictine Group: 10:00 AM Wednesday

Zoom Meeting

Knitting Group: 2-4pm Fridays

All welcome: knitters, non-knitters and everything in between. Meeting in the Undercroft unless otherwise announced.

St. Andrew's Choir Rehearsal: Thursdays at 7:00pm. Please contact the choir director, Linda Blanchard or the organist, Sean Fleming if you are interested in more information about the choir.

Intercessory Prayer List

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words." (Romans 8:26)

We pray for those who are ill or with special needs:

Rob & Irma Hargreaves, Alan Hargreaves, Phil Bartley, Val Gorrill, Tom Belanger, Dick, Tyler & Christine, Bruce & Julie, Cynthia Troxel, Nathan Hargreaves, Janice Roman, Shelby Owen, Beth, Dennis C., Drew Havens, Emily Goodspeed, Anne Ogden, Tony Sousa, Joanne Sousa, Ian J., Emily Goodchild, Jean Donaldson.

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Senior Warden: Sara Sandberg - Junior Warden: Kelley Kash
Clerk: Terry Marsh - Treasurer: Mark Freese
Organist: Sean Fleming - Choir Director: Linda Blanchard
Parish Administrator: Ann Kash
Ministers: All Members of the Parish

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