

St. Andrews Parish United Methodist Church

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THE PARISH POST



SUNDAY

SERVICE TIMES:

8:45 am Praise & Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:15 am Traditional Worship



OFFICE HOURS:

Monday—Thursday,
8:00 am to 4:45 pm,
Closed Fridays & Holidays

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*God Gathers Us to
Worship Together
Care for One Another and to
Become God's Love for the World*



PASTOR'S POSTINGS

Dear Church Family,

By the time you are reading this, it's likely that I'm in Costa Rica with 8 others representing our congregation—hammering, painting, hauling, praying, playing, and sweating—all in the name of helping Jesus' people there realize their dreams of a new Sunday School space.

I'm very honored, privileged, and pleased to go to the community of San Isidro. And while 9 of us are making the journey to Costa Rica, I recognize that we couldn't go without the support of so many who have helped pay for, pray for, and make way for our journey.

Even now, our friends Wil and Yolanda are preparing the way for us. They, along with other members of the Methodist community in Costa Rica, are arranging accommodations and transportation, getting our work materials and our work leaders lined up, getting everything in place for us to have a positive experience as well as a meaningful impact.

I hope that while we are gone, you will pray for our ministry team. God can accomplish so much within us, even as a bunch of good stuff is happening around us. And while we're gone, we commit to pray for the ministry you're doing here.

Here are the names of the people on our ministry team:

Ray LeTellier

Kirstin Sutton

Ken Cross

Chris Barrett

Thomas Moore

Sandy Moore

Lindsey Perret

Miriam Hunter

Joe Campbell

While we're gone, I hope to be able to make updates frequently on my new blog: www.bearerofchrist.tumblr.com

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I look forward to seeing all of you during our combined worship service on August 14—don't miss it, because it'll be a great chance to hear the stories of the missionaries while they're still fresh in our minds!

peace in the meantime,

Pastor Chris

Rev. Christopher Barrett, Pastor

HISPANIC CREED (CREDO HISPANO IN ENGLISH)

We believe in God, the Father Almighty
Creator of the heavens and the earth;
Creator of the all peoples and all cultures;
Creator of all tongues and races.

We believe in Jesus Christ, his Son, our Lord,
God made flesh in a person for all humanity,
God made flesh in an age for all the ages,
God made flesh in one culture for all cultures,
God made flesh in love and grace for all creation.

We believe in the Holy Spirit
Through whom God incarnate in Jesus Christ
Makes his presence known in our peoples and our cultures;
Through whom, God Creator of all that exists,
Gives us power to become new creatures;
Whose infinite gifts make us one people: the body of Christ.

We believe in the Church
Universal because it is a sign of God's Reign,
Whose faithfulness is shown in its many hues
Where all the colors paint a single landscape,
Where all tongues sing the same praise.

We believe in the Reign of God—the day of the Great Fiesta
When all the colors of creation will form a harmonious rainbow,
When all peoples will join in joyful banquet,
When all tongues of the universe will sing the same song.
And because we believe, we commit ourselves:
To believe for those who do not believe,
To love for those who do not love,
To dream for those who do not dream,
Until the day when hope becomes reality.
Amen.

(The United Methodist Hymnal, Mil Voces para Celebrar, page 70, Justo Gonzalez)



From the Lay Leader by Mrs. Jennie Goodman will return next month!

Pandamania was Phenomenal!

We just cannot say enough about the wonderful week of VBS that took place from July 17-21. From set up on Saturday to the Celebration refreshments on Thursday evening, the 71 children and 72 volunteers were blessed by God's love and purpose as everyone came together to make the week special. So many church family members helped behind the scenes with prayers and donations of money, supplies, and snacks! Our heartfelt thanks to everyone who helped make the week possible. It was truly St. Andrews at its finest!

Love,
Hope and Linda

Set Up Crew:

- Christine Freeman
- Billie Fucci
- Jo Carson
- Beth Richards
- Julie Davis
- Jody, Martha, Garrett & Gage Green
- Craig, Haley, & Adam Bauer
- Kirsty & Ayla Sutton
- Daniel & Michelle Weil
- Drue Owen
- Ronnie, Pansy, & Jamie Leppert
- Letha Henry
- Ray LeTellier
- David, Allison, Kinsey, & Avery Selander
- Jennie Goodman
- Larry, Deborah, & Trey Carson
- Charlotte Murray
- Barbara Kneppshield
- Rose Lockhart
- Linda Simard
- George, Lisa, Jessica, & Joseph Follin
- Kristie Johnson
- Courtney Link
- Denni, Jennifer, Mason, & Emily Grunstra
- Kennedy Rogers
- Joe Campbell

Pandamania Crew:

ELEMENTARY LEADERS

Denni Grunstra
Philip Grunstra
Jody Green
Julie Davis
Tina Hobgood
Terry Murray
Kirstin Sutton
Craig Bauer
Jeff Treadway
Allison Selander
David Selander
Jim Hughes
Deborah Carson
Hope Treadway
Christine Freeman



Lane Lazzaro
Jamie Leppert
Seth McCall
Alex Carson



ELEMENTARY GAMES

Ray LeTellier
Jody Green
Judson King
George Follin

ELEMENTARY CRAFTS

Courtney Link
Sue Runnerstrom
Michelle Weil
Jenny Garriss
Jamie Leppert
Elem. Missions
Michelle Weil
Daniel Weil



PRESCHOOL LEADERS

Amanda Sisson
Jo Carson
Becky Tippey
Chad Tippey
Haley Bauer
Madsyn Hostetler
Jessica Follin
Jennifer Grunstra
Kennedy Rogers



PRESCHOOL GAMES

Chad Tippey
Garrett Green
Harrison Green



PRESCHOOL CRAFTS

Deb Underwood
Mary Wagenbrenner
Chris King
Deb Yadon
Jamie Leppert



REGISTRARS

Tammy Masopust
Barbara Kneppshield

MUSIC LEADER

Kristie Johnson

--assisted by:

April Johnson
Kinsey Selander
Benjamin Treadway

BIBLE STORY TELLERS

Chris Barrett
Elise Barrett

**GRAPHIC DESIGNER,
REGISTRATION, COMMUNICATIONS**
Carol Musselman

PANDAMANIA PETE

Jeremiah Treadway

Garrett Green

SNACK LEADERS

Martha Green
Lisa Follin
Kirstin LeTellier
Julie Garriss
Angie Bauer



CHADDER THEATER

Amy Bower

VOLUNTEER BREAK ROOM

Pansy Leppert
Ronnie Leppert
Jennie Goodman
Nancy Kay
Billie Fucci

Beth Richards

PHOTOGRAPHY

Kristie Johnson

AUDIO-VISUAL

Bryce Ekrem
Brian Pigford

CELEBRATION NIGHT

Linda Tucci
Jill Lovins

Sean Masopust

Jim Runnerstrom

NURSERY

Rose Lockhart
Dana Polk
Joan Rivers





CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE...

Join us right after Children's Time
with Pastor Chris! For age 4 to 2nd Grade!

Date	8:45 Service	11:15 Service
AUG 7	FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE	FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE
AUG 14	HOPE TREADWAY, JO CARSON	TINA HOBGOOD, TERRI MURRAY, RAY LETELLIER
AUG 21	AMY BOWER, KEVIN BOWER	KRISTIE JOHNSON, JAMIE JOHNSON, JULIE DAVIS
AUG 28	LINDA KETTREY, AMANDA SISSON, JILL LOVINS	ANGIE BAUER, CRAIG BAUER, HALEY BAUER

**The first Sunday is Family Sunday. Children remain in the service with their parents.*

A Huge Thank You to a Great Team!

We have had a wonderful year in Children's Church with a team of creative and loving teachers faithfully serving our children from age 4 to second grade. Please recognize them for a job well done!


- *Angie & Craig Bauer
- *Amy & Kevin Bower
- *Jo Carson
- *Julie Davis
- *Ashley & Philip DeAntonio
- *Dee Dee Donaldson
- *Lisa Follin
- *Al Fuchs
- *Martha Green
- *Denni Grunstra
- *Tina Hobgood
- *Kristie & Jamie Johnson
- *Nancy Kay
- *Chris & Judson King
- *Ray LeTellier
- *Jill Lovins
- *Sherri & Jon McCall
- *Terri Murray
- *Penny Runnerstrom
- *Allison & David Selander
- *Amanda Sisson
- *Kirstin Sutton
- *Hope Treadway
- *Debbie Underwood

CHILDREN'S CHURCH



For August: PandaMania Review!

August Children's Church will be a very relaxed time with the children reviewing VBS songs and watching movies. We will be recuperating from VBS!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
August 2011						
Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip	Costa Rica Mission Trip
8:45am - Praise/Worship 10am - Sundav School 11:15am - Worship Service	9:30am - Pastor's Open	10am - Palmettos Sing 5:30pm - Crisis Ministries 6pm - Missions Cmte 7pm - Admin Council 7pm - Praise Team	2pm - Pastor's Open Office	10am - Nimble Fingers 10am - Nimble Fingers	5pm - Oraan Practice	5pm - Oraan Practice
10am - Combined Worship 7pm - Joyful Hearts	6:30pm - CMT 6:30pm - Stephen Ministr	7pm - Praise Team	10am - Food Pantry	10am - Nimble Fingers 7pm - Men's Club	5pm - Oraan Practice	5pm - Oraan Practice
10am - Combined Worship 7pm - Joyful Hearts	9:30am - Pastor's Open	7pm - Praise Team	2pm - Pastor's Open Office 6:00 PM FELLOWSHIP SUPPER! 	10am - Nimble Fingers 7pm - Finance Committee 7pm - Genesis Circle	5pm - Oraan Practice	12pm - Parish Post 5pm - Oraan Practice
8:45am - Praise/Worship 10am - Sundav School 11:15am - Worship Service 2pm - Trinity Mission	9:30am - Pastor's Open	10am - Sing at NHC 7pm - Praise Team	10am - Food Pantry 2pm - Pastor's Open Office 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Nimble Fingers 7pm - Education Cmte. 7pm - Trustees' Meeting	5pm - Oraan Practice	9am - Choir Retreat @ 5pm - Oraan Practice
8:45am - Praise/Worship 10am - Sundav School 11:15am - Worship Service 7pm - Faithful Spirits	9:30am - Pastor's Open	7pm - Praise Team	2pm - Pastor's Open Office 7pm - Choir Practice	10am - Nimble Fingers 7pm - Admin Council	5pm - Oraan Practice	5pm - Oraan Practice

(This is the calendar page in the hard copy of the newsletter, but is blank in the online version. See calendar on previous page and/or click on the calendar link on the website.)

CELEBRATE!

BIRTHDAYS:

WILLIAM BURKHALTER 8/1
 ERIKSON BARRETT 8/2
 DEBORAH LAWSON 8/2
 GEORGIA HOPPMANN 8/4
 SUSAN HANSON 8/5
 CLAIRE WRIGHT 8/5
 KATIE YADON 8/5
 ROBERT ANDERSON 8/6
 CRAIG BAUER 8/6
 JOSEPH CAMPBELL 8/6
 TRISTAN DE MONTFORT 8/7
 JOSEPH FOLLIN 8/7
 MACKENZIE PERCY 8/8
 BARBARA BILLER 8/9
 JOSHUA BARTEET 8/10

CINDY WALDEN 8/11
 LOUIS WILSON 8/12
 EVELYN McMILLEN 8/13
 TAYLOR LEDFORD 8/14
 DEBBY TAYLOR 8/14
 DANNY DAVIS 8/16
 GLADYS BLEDSOE 8/17
 ASHLEY DEANTONIO 8/17
 LISA HILTON 8/19
 LINDA CAMPBELL 8/20
 NEIL DEMAREE 8/21
 MIRIAM HUNTER 8/22
 KRISTIN COLE 8/25
 CHRISTINA CROOK 8/25
 EMANUEL KNIGHT 8/26
 TERRI MURRAY 8/26

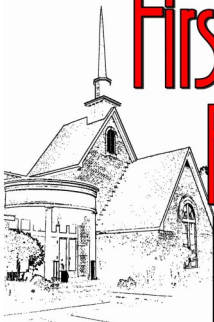
JULIE DAVIS 8/27
 GEORGE FOLLIN 8/28
 RON MALEC 8/28

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

2 JEFF & LINDA
 KETTREY
 6 DAVE & LISA
 WARD
 20 DAVID & JANET
 LEDFORD
 23 JIM & JO ANN
 CHILAKOS
 25 CRAIG & ANGIE
 BAUER



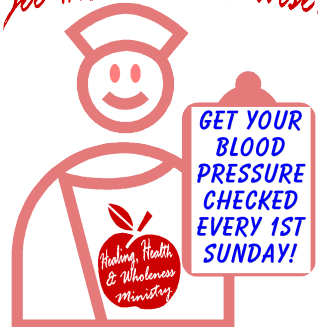
Did we miss YOUR birthday or anniversary? So sorry—we want to celebrate you and your special day! If your information was omitted, please give your name, the event including the day, month and year to the church office by a note, phone (766-1080) or email (standumc@knology.net). Oh, and Happy Belated *Everything!*



First Sunday Fellowship

Join us in the SANCTUARY
EVERY 1ST SUNDAY!
 9:45–10:55 am!

See the Parish Nurse!



—every 1st Sunday

—IN THE CHURCH OFFICE
 BETWEEN THE 8:45 & 11:15 SERVICES

St. Andrews Parish Children's Choir



will be starting soon!

We are considering adding an age group to our choir and would love to see if your child is interested! Please sign up* in the narthex or contact Chris King or Elise Barrett with questions!

Practices are Sunday afternoons

**4-4:30 pm—Cherubs singing (ages 2-4)
Older children on playground (ages 5-8)**

**4:30-5 pm—Older children singing (ages 5-8)
Cherubs on playground (ages 2-4)**

***Signing up does not constitute a commitment—we're just trying to see if we have enough interest to add the older age group.**

BIBLE MEMORY CHALLENGE


—memorizing the

Epistle to the Philippians



NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 9

Details are in the narthex or call
Jonathan & Courtney Link at 614-1012 for more info.



Happy Birthday to you!
Happy Birthday to you!
Happy Birthday, dear...?!!

Join us at the AUGUST
FELLOWSHIP SUPPER on
Wednesday, August 17th at 6:00
pm! It will be a

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION WITH A DIFFERENT TWIST!

Details will be announced later, but in the meantime, be sure to turn in your reservation! (*Reservation cards are in the pew registration pad and may be placed in the offering plate on Sundays. You may also call or email the church office to place your reservations.*) Reservations and cancelations are appreciated by noon on the Monday before the supper. The cost is \$5 per person—\$2 for children age 6 & under—and is payable at the door.

Visit our web site at:
www.standrewsparishumc.org

NOTES OF THANKS...

Dear St. Andrews Parish:

Thank you for your prayers and concern during my mother's illness, back surgery, and recovery. Thank you to the Staff Parish Relations Committee for allowing me to be flexible with my vacation time so that I could be available to help my parents. Thank you for your continued prayers as she continues to improve.

Carol Musselman (Administrative Assistant)



We would like to extend a huge thank you to the church family for their support of our B & B (Backpack and Bibles) Bake Sale.

Through their purchases and generous donations, we raised \$250!

Proceeds will go to purchasing the Spanish Bibles for the backpacks that the VBS children colored as their mission project. These will be sent to children in Latin America.

The Sisters Class



...a Gathering for Women!

Sharing * Praying * Serving

**10:00 am on Sunday Mornings
in the Conference Room**

Newcomers are always welcome!

Come join us as we share, pray, and serve!

For more information, please see Linda Kettrey or Hope Treadway.

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