

# St. Andrew's Notes

## April 10, 2016

"St. Andrew's is a welcoming, loving, and joyful community of faith, living in the power of the Holy Spirit, serving all people as we grow in the knowledge and love of our Lord, Jesus Christ."

### ***PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP***

O Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and of supplication. Deliver us, when we draw near to You, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship You in spirit and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*  
[Book of Common Prayer, page 833]

### **WORSHIP NOTES**

Christ is risen. Alleluia! We are a people of the resurrection! A resurrection people. In the resurrection of Jesus Christ we hear and see God's mercy in and through our risen Lord to those whom we would not necessarily see as worthy of receiving the mercy of God. Peter, who denied Jesus three times publicly, is commissioned to feed His sheep. Saul, who was more passionate than any other in the persecution of the followers of Jesus, encounters the risen Lord and is called to carry the Gospel into the world. To live as a resurrection people is to live a life rescued from death, that we might tell the world of God's mercy. How is Saul's and Peter's story your story?

### **WEEK OF: April 10-16**

**Sunday** 8:00 am **WORSHIP SERVICE**  
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10:15 am **Godly Play**  
11:45 am **Youth Gathering**  
11:45 am **Daughters of the King**

**Monday** 8:30 am **Women's Bible Study**  
6:30 pm **Small Group**  
**Boy Scouts**

**Tuesday** 11:30 am **Day School Chapel**  
12:00 pm **TWIBS**  
6:30 pm **AA Meeting**

**Wednesday** 11:30 am **Holy Eucharist**  
12:00 pm **Fellowship Lunch**  
6:00 pm **Soaking Prayer**  
6:30 pm **Evening Prayer**

**Thursday** 6:30 am **Men's Bible Study**  
6:30 pm **AA Meeting**  
7:15 pm **Choir Rehearsal**

**Friday** 6:30 pm **Men's Only AA Meeting**

**Saturday** 8:00 am **Church Workday**

### **PRAYER FOR HEALING**

"Holy Spirit, You came with the gift of healing. We lift up to You in prayer those individuals and situations which need your touch for continued healing and comfort": Phoebe Mendenhall, Karna Webster, Joan Eggington, Martha Frost, Mary Hargraves, and John Allen.

### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

*The Altar Flowers are given in loving memory of Arden Coulsby by the Coulsby family.*

### **BIRTHDAYS**

*We give thanks for those who are celebrating birthdays this coming week: Wayne Seppala, Joyce Vasquez, Bob Wells, Scott Roberts, Jessica Nibbs-Rathbun, and John Fife.*

### **EASTER LILIES**

If you donated an Easter lily, please take one home. They are out in the Memorial Garden.

### **FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON**

The next Fellowship Lunch is Wednesday, **April 13** at noon. Bring a side dish to share and invite your friends for a time of great food and fellowship. RSVP to Harlie at 619-337-9436 or the church office.

### **WORKDAY**

It's time for spring cleaning. The next workday is Saturday, **April 16** at 8:30am. We only plan to work for 2 hours. We have jobs for every age and ability. Bring your garden gloves, garden tools, dusting rags, and a willingness to beautify the church property. There is a sign up sheet on the information table.

### **CHURCH BREAKFAST**

The next Church Breakfast is Sunday, **April 17th**. There is still a need for additional people to help with our monthly breakfasts. If you would like to help please call Holly Fair at 619-742-1889.

### **EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT**

Nathan Martin, Eagle Scout Troop #319, is building a shed on the west side of the parish hall. All of the garden equipment that is currently stored in the memorial garden area will be stored in the shed. There is a box on the information table if you would like to donate to help Nathan with this project. Checks to St. Andrew's should include "Shed" on the memo line.

## CURSILLO

Cursillo is an experience that can empower committed Christians to live their Christian Life to the fullest. The experience begins with the three-day Weekend. The next opportunity to attend a Cursillo Weekend is **April 21-24**. For more information contact Humberto or Amber Garcia at 619-667-7057.

## CHURCH ORGAN

"Sunrise. Sunset. Sunrise. Sunset." These lyrics from Fiddler on the Roof are reminiscent of the current status of our 50-year old organ console that had a life expectancy of 30-years. The organ has served us 20 years more than expected. The Vestry, with the help of the organ committee, determined that the organ is instrumental in our worship life. We have already received several donations in memory of Phil Hoffman toward the goal of upgrading the console. We are exploring all options with the organ but now is the time to begin raising funds.

In the near future we will have a meeting between services outlining the plan to raise funds to upgrade the organ's console. Please consider donating above your regular tithe to the organ fund. See you at the meeting with further information so organ music at St. Andrew's does not fade into the sunset.

## FLOWER CHART

The sign-up chart for dedicating Altar Flowers is posted in the Narthex. This is an opportunity to donate flowers in honor or in memory of special people or events in our lives. The suggested donation is \$40.

## MINISTRIES

Please continue praying for the Outreach Ministries we support: East County Pregnancy Center, International Christian Students at SDSU, Spectrum Ministries, Samaritans Purse, Society of Anglican Missionaries & Senders, Teen Challenge, Indonesian Christian Fellowship, Intervarsity Christian Fellowship, Bikers for Christ, and Rancho San Juan Bosco Orphanage.

## REFRESHMENTS

8:00                      10:00

April 10                  Dirbas  
April 17                  Church Breakfast

Refreshment time is a wonderful way to share with the people of the parish. Please sign up on the sheet on the information table to bring refreshments.

## READINGS FOR APRIL 17

First Reading:        Acts 9:36-43  
Psalm:                    23  
Epistle:                 Revelation 7:9-17  
Gospel:                  John 10:22-30

## PRAYER AFTER WORSHIP

Grant, we beseech You, Almighty God, that the words which we have heard this day with our outward ears, may, through Your grace, be so grafted inwardly into our hearts, that they may bring forth in us the fruit of good living, to the honor and praise of Your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen [Book of Common Prayer, page 834]

## NEW EMAIL ADDRESSES

Church office: **office@standrewslamesa.org**

Fr. Tim Eichler: **FrTim@standrewslamesa.org**

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## VESTRY

**Rob Seidman: Senior Warden**

**Matt Kidd: People's Warden**

**Gen Clapp: Inreach & Frontline**

**George Harper: Finance**

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