

St. Andrew's Notes

February 12, 2017

"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]

WEEK OF: February 12-18

Sunday	8:00 am	WORSHIP SERVICE
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	10:15 am	Godly Play
	12:00 pm	S.A.Y. Meeting
Monday	8:30 am	Women's Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Small Group
	7:00 pm	Boy Scouts
Tuesday	12:00 pm	Women's Interactive Bible Study
Wednesday	11:30 am	Mid-Week Service
	6:00 pm	Vestry
	6:30 pm	Evening Prayer Service
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
Saturday	10:00 am	Daughter of the King

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, Faith Tolchin, Georgia Radenheimer, John Allen, Mary Ann Sagat, Teresa Kiy, Jennifer Malsbary, Dan & Maureen Hebard, Danica Hutchison and Maria Arroyave.

BIRTHDAYS

We give thanks for those who are celebrating birthdays this coming week: Kendall & Regan Roberts and Caitlyn Roberts.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers are given by Tony and Mary Belandres in Thanksgiving for God's love.

SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle is given by Al Salmon Jr. in loving memory of Al Salmon Sr.

MID-WEEK SERVICES

Our Midweek Worship service at St. Andrew's will continue to be offered by Ronnie Short on Wednesday's at 11:30 am and 6:30pm. It is a great opportunity to get a midweek spiritual boost as we pray together and listen to the Lord's Word.

BISHOP'S OFFICIAL VISIT

Mark your calendar for the Bishop's official visit on Sunday, **February 19**. There will be one service at 9:30am followed by a potluck reception. There is a sign up sheet on the information table for the reception.

ECW VALENTINE PARTY

The women of St. Andrew's will meet this Thursday, **February 16th** at 10:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall for our annual Valentine Potluck Gathering. Bring some finger food to share and an inexpensive or white elephant gift in a bag for a fun exchange. We will also make up nutritious oatmeal packets for the homeless and have a brief update meeting. ALL WOMEN OF ST. ANDREWS ARE WELCOMED! Newcomers, this is a wonderful opportunity for fellowship with other women who attend both services. You will be warmly welcomed. Questions? Call Gen Clapp (619-905-0503) or email genclapp@gmail.com.

SHROVE TUESDAY

We will celebrate Shrove Tuesday by having our Annual Pancake Supper on Tuesday, **February 28** at 6:00pm. Join us for a wonderful time of food and fellowship as we prepare for Lent. No need to bring anything, but cash donations will be appreciated.

ASH WEDNESDAY

Ash Wednesday is the beginning of Lent when we prepare for a time of penitence, fasting, self-examination, and prayer. The Ash Wednesday services will be on **March 1** at 11:30 and 7:00pm.

LENTEN QUIET DAY

The Rev. Martha Anderson, associate rector of St. Peter's, Del Mar, will lead a retreat for all women of the diocese on "The Season of Lent: From Fasting to Feasting." Saturday, March 11, 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Program from 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. Martha's talks will be interspersed with quiet times for meditation, prayer or walking the labyrinth. Worship service at 12 p.m. with the Rev. Meg Decker, celebrant. Potluck lunch. Bring a salad or dessert to share. RSVP to Mary Nicholson 619-980-0948 by March 4.

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. A \$40 contribution is suggested.

REFRESHMENTS

	8:00	10:00
February 12	Belandres	Peterson
February 19	Bishop's Visit	

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 FEBRUARY 19

First Reading:	Leviticus 19:1-18
Psalms:	119
Epistle:	1 Corinthians 3:10-23
Gospel:	Matthew 5:38-48

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, and Rancho San Juan Bosco Orphanage.

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].

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