

# St. Andrew

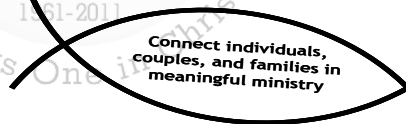
Lutheran Church



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Website: [www.standrewministries.org](http://www.standrewministries.org)

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Worship 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM  
"Fifth Sunday" Service 10:00 AM (with Potluck Dinner after)  
Sunday School 9:30 AM  
Staffed Nursery 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM



**August 2019**



## From The Pastor

*"Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom."*

*James 3:13*

Being wise and understanding should be revealed in our actions. Just as we can tell what kind of tree is before us by the fruit that it bears, we can identify the people that we are by the things that we do. Sometimes our understanding things do not change our actions at first, but over the course of time our understanding our wisdom and our actions will reveal the people that we really are.

It is a well-known fact that there are forces that we face in life that get in the way of our progress and sometimes prevent us from doing the things that we are capable of doing. In the book of Ephesians (Eph. 6:12) we discover, that our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realm." There are many things that happen around us that we cannot explain.

We do not discuss the presence of Satan in the world or demons. We have come so far from those beliefs that in some cases Satan is just as absent from our thoughts and discussions as God is. One of our actions is to do the same thing that Jesus commissioned his disciples in Matthew 28:19. There the record said, "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commissioned you..." "That is our commission and our actions should bring this to life.

In the book of James (4:8) the record said, "Come near to God and he will come near to you." Wise people who understand that God loves us one and all have a faith that says in spite of the way things may look or seem to be, we believe that God is aware of our situations and circumstances and He will deliver us just as He delivered the Israelites from oppression in Egypt. James was right - when we come near to God, God will come near to us.

### **Let us pray:**

Gracious Heavenly Father, You have given to us many things by which we can do the many things that our lives require of us. Help us to realize the greatness of Your love, mercy, grace and forgiveness. And how that has enabled us to have a meaningful relationship with You. Give to us the wisdom and understanding that will allow us to come closer to You so that You will come closer to us and fill us with Your Love.

**Amen**

Yours in Christ,  
Pastor Willard

## *Members' Page*

# Congratulations!

## August Birthdays

Aug 2 – Troy Clark  
 Aug 3 – Ramona Lanza  
 Aug 3 – Jack Martin  
 Aug 4 – Makenzie Savage  
 Aug 4 – Hal Weicht  
 Aug 5 – Robert De Dreu, Jr.  
 Aug 7 – Michael Casanova  
 Aug 7 – Laurie Petrushka  
 Aug 7 – Al Smith  
 Aug 8 – Sharon Bricker  
 Aug 11 – Donna Feuge  
 Aug 11 – Rick Helms  
 Aug 13 – Jonathan Hamp  
 Aug 16 – David Woodend  
 Aug 17 – Connie Ryder  
 Aug 19 – Andrea Hollowell  
 Aug 19 – Linda Rappold  
 Aug 19 – Kim Schoonover  
 Aug 21 – Gary Withers  
 Aug 22 – A.J. Klein  
 Aug 23 – Carolyn Helsel  
 Aug 23 – Bruce Starkey  
 Aug 24 – Jack Garcia  
 Aug 24 – Valerie Howard  
 Aug 27 – Bill Rhyan  
 Aug 28 – Madison Helms  
 Aug 28 – Lou Anne Williams  
 Aug 30 – Rebekah Wolff  
 Aug 31 – Nicholas McQuien  
 Aug 31 – Shelley Simmons

## August Anniversaries

Aug 2 --Troy & Jeanne Clark  
 Aug 4 – James & Ronda Schafer  
 Aug 5 – Bill & Jay Rhyan  
 Aug 6 – Derick & Lisa Hollowell  
 Aug 11 – Tim & Deneen Temple  
 Aug 23 Traci & Brian Nielsen  
 Aug 28 – Darrell & Pat Robertson  
 Aug 29 – Jack and Carol Stanley  
 Aug 31 – Jim & Barbara Rizzardi



ST. ANDREW QUARTERLY WEEKLY ATTENDANCE																
2013- 2014	May 2019					June 2019					July 2019					
	5	12	19	26		2	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	28		
8:30 AM	32	37	24	18		28	27	22	27		25	22	29	26		
9:30 AM																
10:00 AM										64						
10:30 AM	59	75	100	62		63	64	61	47		61	67	45	58		
7:00 PM																
Total	91	112	124	80		91	91	83	74	64	86	89	74	84		



## "TWICE BLESSED" Resale Shop



### Next to N.E.E.D. East Office

424 Bedford-Eules Road; Hurst, Texas 76053  
Phone: 817-280-0846

Monday – Thursday: 10 AM to 5 PM

Friday: 10 AM to 3 PM

Saturday: 11 AM to 4 PM

### Volunteer Hours:

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of Each Month**

**From 10:00am to 12:30pm and  
12:30pm to 3:00 pm**

For information please call

Earl Wolfe has taken on the day to day task of  
NEED. His contact # is 817-281-9131

DROP BY ANY 2nd TUESDAY AND SEE  
WHAT VOLUNTEERING INVOLVES - HARD  
WORK BUT "FUN AND REWARDING".



### Sunday Morning Bible Study

**9:30 AM**

with Daniel and Amy Lemire



The Sunday morning adult Bible Study  
Lessons follow a theme, but are self-contained, so  
feel free to drop in at any time. This class meets  
in the Parlor at 9:30 AM, and is led by Daniel and  
Amy Lemire.



## August at a Glance

Aug 4 Carter Blood Drive (9:00 AM - 11:30 AM)  
Aug 5,12,19,26 – Bible Study (6:30 PM)  
Aug 5,12,19,26 – Bible Study (10:00 AM)  
Aug 11 Council Meeting (12:30 PM)  
Sept 8 Sunday School Rally Day  
Sept 21 Craft Fair



## Office Hours

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Wednesday	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Thursday	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Friday	9:00 AM – 2:00 PM



## You've Got Mail

Remember to please check your box in the hallway  
for Letters, Schedules, Notes, and Ministry Team  
communications.



## Next Council Meeting

The next Council meeting will be  
held on Sunday, August 11, 2019.

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**Letter from the Council President**

Couple of Things

We have talked a lot about ongoing challenges with consistent Giving and efforts to keep our Expenditures in check. The following table details our giving by month for January through July 2019. Just to remind you, our 2019 Budget and Cash needs require total giving of \$243,000, or roughly \$20,000 per month. Our required giving through July is approximately \$140,000; however our actual giving only totals \$132,000. This means our Giving year to date is \$8,000 behind our plan.

January	\$17,312
February	\$20,588
March	\$20,080
April	\$20,307
May	\$20,208
June	\$17,945
July	\$15,743
Total Giving to Date	\$132,183
Average Giving per month	\$18,883

On the spending side, our year to date expenses through July are slightly greater than planned. Due to the combination of Giving and Spending challenges, my message to you is that we are running behind our cash needs by about \$2,500 so far this year. Remember that in addition to our 2019 expenses we also need cash to cover our mortgage principal reduction. While Congregational giving during the summer months is normally lower than pre-summer or fall, we should be in reasonable shape assuming giving returns to the budgeted monthly average and we have no significant unexpected expenses during the balance of the year. Know that your Council will continue their efforts to manage and control our spending.



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My second message item is much shorter and to the point. Your Council is working to complete its review of our current Church Constitution and alignment with current Synod recommendations. In early September timeframe you can expect a Council proposal for Constitutional updates to be considered during a Congregational meeting in early November. More to follow on this topic in the coming months.

Please reach out to any or your Church Council members or me with any questions or concerns.

May God continue to bless our church and congregation.

Rick Helms  
Council President.



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**Christian Education Report**

The last day of Super Summer Sunday School will be August 18. Ms. Beverly has enjoyed teaching the kids this summer.

Rally day for Sunday School will be September 8th. There will be fun things for the kids to do while parents fill out the registration forms. Remember even confirmation students need to fill out registration forms and they can help with the younger kids when they are done.

High school students-please come and fill out registration forms also so we know how many we have. Then you can stay and help with the kids.

We can't wait for the beginning of Sunday School.

Blessings,  
Michele Savage  
Melissa Baughman



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### Outreach Ministry Team

Open  
Hearts



Helping  
Hands

Outreach has some events coming up in August. I hope you got a chance to give at the Carter Blood drive on Sunday, August 4. The summer brings time for family vacations and it also brings a shortage of life-saving blood for those who need it. Please give any time you can whether it is at church or if you go by a Carter Blood center near you. Our last blood drive will be Sunday, **December 1<sup>st</sup>**.

On Saturday, August 3 we had our movie night at church. The movie was "Back to the Future" and an 80's theme. I don't have attendance numbers at this writing, but I hope all of you who went had a good time. I want to thank the Outreach team for setting this up.

We are currently working on the Craft Fair for this year. I sent out letters to our vendors from last year and I am happy to say at this time we have most of them coming back for this year. I have a few spots left inside our church and I hope we get more vendors for outside in the parking lot. If you know someone you think would like to join our craft fair, please have them get in contact with the office so they can get an application. Their space will be assigned once we receive their application and check. I will have banners set up outside on the church grounds, advertising for vendors starting around the first of August. We are hoping our Craft Fair will be lots of fun for the shoppers and our vendors. It will be on September 21<sup>st</sup>, so mark your calendar now, so you can come out to support our vendors and get some early Christmas shopping done.

Blessings to all of you,



Pam Stout – chairperson Outreach ministry

### Fellowship Ministry Team

No report this edition of the Fishnet

Blessings,

Kathy Hamp  
Chairperson



### **Financial Report For 2019**

	January	February
Giving	\$17,312.00	\$20,695.66
Expenses	\$17,366.43	\$15,034.72
	March	April
Giving	\$20,130.30	\$20,357.00
Expenses	\$17,224.88	\$19,014.75
	May	June
Giving	\$20,258.26	\$18,304.96
Expenses	\$23,203.52	\$18,262.85
	July	August
Giving	\$15,692.62	
Expenses	\$19,847.89	

Average giving for year to date is \$18,964.40.  
Average giving needed based on Budget on 12 months \$20,259.58. Total Giving YTD \$132,750.80  
Total Expenses YTD \$129,955.04

Thank you and God Bless  
Gerald Stout, Treasurer



### **Bible Verse**

"He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God."

Micah 6:8 NIV



WELCA return on September 21<sup>st</sup>.

No report this edition of the Fishnet.

Amy Lemire, Leader  
Beverly Britton, Secretary



No report this edition of the Fishnet

Ron Berkbigler  
Property Ministry Team  
Chair & Council Liaison



St Andrew has a public Facebook page. Go, look, like us. Contact Sandra Stojanovic for assistance. The link is [www.facebook.com/St.AndrewLutheranChurchOfHurst](http://www.facebook.com/St.AndrewLutheranChurchOfHurst)



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### ***Fishnet on the Web***

The *Fishnet* is printed in black & white.

The *Fishnet* is always available also (*in color!*) on the St. Andrew website -- [www.standrewministries.org](http://www.standrewministries.org)

***Check out other things on our website too!***

Thank you to Faith Blaylock for maintaining our website!

### **Please keep all Service Men & Women in your Prayers**

Airman Jeffrey T. Williams  
Marine Private/First Class Jon Church  
S/Sgt. John Chad Cassle  
LCpl Michael Miraglia  
Sergeant Max de los Santos  
Army Zackery McCulley  
Col. Phil Swinford  
Petty Officer 2nd Class Brian Kelley (USCG)  
Gerald Wilson  
Bedford Officer Lane Simmons  
Army Specialist Igor Stojanovic  
Dallas Police Officer Doug Gorman  
Danny Irland  
All Police officers everywhere





## St. Andrew Committee Meeting Schedule

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Council President	Rick Helms	Second Sunday of each month
Fellowship	Kathy Hamp 817-269-2021	Meetings are scheduled as needed. Please contact Kathy Hamp for the date for the next meeting
Outreach	Pam Stout 817-581-8920	Meetings are scheduled as needed. Please contact Pam Stout for the date for the next meeting
Property	Ron Berkbighler	Meetings will be held the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7pm in the parlor. Please contact Vern McFarland for the date for the next meeting
Christian Education	Michelle Savage	First Sunday of each month
Finance	Gerald Stout 817-581-8920	Meetings are scheduled as needed. Please contact Gerald Stout for the date for the next meeting





# St. Andrew Lutheran Church

August

2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Jul 28</b> <i>Lectionary 17</i> 8:30,10:30AM <b>Worship</b> 9:30 Sunday School	<b>29</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>Aug 1</b>	<b>2</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>3</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon
<b>4</b> <i>Lectionary 18</i> 8:30,10:30 AM <b>Worship</b> 9:30 Sunday School	<b>5</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 12PM AlAnon	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>10</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon
<b>11</b> <i>Lectionary 19</i> 8:30,10:30 AM <b>Worship</b> 12:30 PM Council Meeting	<b>12</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>17</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon
<b>18</b> <i>Lectionary 20</i> 8:30,10:30 AM <b>Worship</b> 9:30 Sunday School	<b>19</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>24</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon
<b>25</b> <i>Lectionary 21</i> 8:30,10:30 AM <b>Worship</b> 9:30 Sunday School	<b>26</b> Al-Anon	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>31</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon
<b>Sep 1</b> <i>Lectionary 22</i> 8:30,10:30 AM <b>Worship</b> 9:30 Sunday School	<b>2</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 12:00 PM Al-Anon	<b>7</b> 10:30 AM Al-Anon  <b>N.E.E.D August donations</b> "A"pplesauce "A"ny fruit, "A"ny cereal

**Aug**

**2019**

Worship Service		Aug 4	Aug 11	Aug 18	Aug 25	Sep 1	Sep 8	
Liturgist	10:00							
	10:30	David Woodend	Rick Helms	Bill Rhyan	David Woodend	Rick Helms	Bill Rhyan	
Reader	10:00							
	10:30	Rebecca Casanova	Donna Fitch	Rebecca Wolf	Rick Helms	Beverly Britton	Merry Bagwell	
First Reading		Eccles 1:2,12-14 2:18-23	Gen 15:1-6	Jer 23:23-29	Isa 58: 9b-14	Prov 25:6-7	Deut 30:15-20	
Second Reading		Col 3:1-11	Heb 11:1-3,8-16	Heb 11:29-12:2	Heb 12:18-29	Heb 13:1-8, 15-16	Philemon 1-21	
Gospel		Luke 12:13-21	Luke 12:32-40	Luke 12:49-56	Luke 13:10-17	Luke 14:1,7-14	Luke 14:25-33	
Communion Assistants	8:30	Connie Crews	Dawn Howard	Norma Yucnick	Tracy Church	Connie Crews	Dawn Howard	
	10:00							
	10:30	Bob Bardo	Debbie Helms	Cheri Sinn	Madeline Taylor	Bob Bardo	Merrily Martin	
Acolytes	8:30							
	10:30							
Ushers	10:30	Merrily Martin Hal Weicht	Merrily Martin Hal Weicht	Merrily Martin Hal Weicht	Merrily Martin Hal Weicht	Tommy Taylor Hal Weicht	Tommy Taylor Hal Weicht	
Greeters	8:30	Deneen Temple	Connie Crews	Connie Crews	Dylan Temple	DeneenTemple	Connie Crews	
	10:00							
	10:30	Mike Carmen	Debbie Helms	Bob Bardo	Joy Bardo	Mike Carmen	Earl Wolfe	
Sound Tech	8:30	Al Smith	Al Smith	Al Smith	Al Smith	Al Smith	Al Smith	
	10:00							
	10:30	Tom Petrushka	Tom Petrushka	Tom Petrushka	Tom Petrushka	Tom Petrushka	Tom Petrushka	
Counters	11:00	Faye Benezue	Barb Rizzardi	Connie Crews	Jack Stanley	Faye Benezue	Barb Rizzardi	
		Vern McFarland	Danette Rizzardi	Gerald Stout	Pam Stout	Vern McFarland	Danette Rizzardi	

If you cannot serve as scheduled, **please find a replacement** and notify the church office at 817-282-3607.



**Staff**

Pastor ..... Willard McKiver, Jr.  
Music Minister ..... Jennifer Kolmes  
Choir Director..... Rebecca Aune  
Contemporary Worship Coordinator..... Behka Hartmann  
Sunday School & VBS Director..... Michelle Savage  
Youth Chairperson.....  
Sexton..... Ljubenko Stojanovic  
Church Clerk ..... Faith Blaylock  
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**Council**

President.....Rick Helms  
Vice-President..... Amy Lemire  
Recording Secretary .....  
Treasurer/Financial ..... Gerald Stout  
Fishnet..... Lisa Hollowell  
Christian Education ..... Beverly Britton  
WELCA ..... Amy Lemire  
Fellowship..... Beverly Britton  
Property ..... Ron Berkbighler  
Worship and Music ..... Rick Helms  
Youth Liaison ..... Deneen Temple  
Revelations Database ..... Lance Margheim  
Youth.....  
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Outreach                  Amy Lemire

**Ministry Team Members**

**Christian Education**

Beverly Britton- Council Liaison  
Michele Savage - Sunday School  
Director  
Deneen Temple – Council Liaison  
Tanya Freimark  
Melissa Baughman  
Laurie Petrushka  
Tracy Church  
Sandra Stojanovic

**Fellowship**

Kathy Hamp - Chairperson  
Beverly Britton - Council Liason  
Tanya Freimark

**Outreach**

Pam Stout – Chairperson  
Connie Crews–  
Faye Benezue  
Becky Casanova  
Jerry Church  
Amy Lemire - Council Liaison  
Deneen Temple  
Bill Yuknick  
Norma Yuknick

**Finance**

Gerald Stout – Treasurer  
– Financial Secretary

**Worship & Music**

Rick Helms – Council Liaison  
Gerald Feuge

**Property**

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Bill Ryan

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