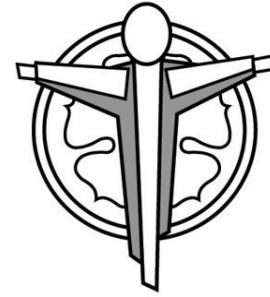


**ST. ANDREWS LINE -  
Pentecost (October 4)  
ST. ANDREWS LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL LCMS  
260 N. NORTHWEST HWY., PARK RIDGE, IL 60068**  
Serving, Sending and Supporting Families in Christ  
WELCOME, AND THANK YOU FOR JOINING US  
TODAY!



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Park Ridge, Illinois

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### **NEWS AND EVENTS:**

**SHARE THE JOY!** Without a doubt, Jesus transcends all cultures. Jesus is not pre-modern, modern, or post-modern. Christ's community is a way of life that challenges any and every culture, in every time, in every place. Throughout history, God has shown Himself relating to people within their own cultural frame of reference. The life and work of Jesus has set a pattern for the church's mission. In the incarnation, God became more than words. The Word Himself entered culture in a specific time and space. We can show the relevance of Christ's message to all people, no matter what their background.

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**MISSION OF THE MONTH:** The St. Andrews Mission of the Month for October is **Exodus World Services**, an organization devoted to the welfare of refugees. A refugee, by definition, is someone who leaves his/her home and country to escape imminent danger to person and family. They are not immigrants. They reach the United States, a place where a different language is spoken and everything is unfamiliar. A refugee's departure is usually sudden and unplanned, so they arrive with little more than the clothes they are wearing. Many struggle with fear and loneliness as they face learning a new culture and making a livelihood. Refugees need to know that they are not alone, and **Exodus** volunteers can make a big difference in making them feel welcome and helping them adjust to a new life.

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**CROP WALK FUNDRAISER:** Please see the attached flyer for the Graziano's fundraiser taking place Wednesday, October 7th.

**NILES/PARK RIDGE CROP HUNGER WALK:** This year's CROP WALK will be on Sunday, October 18. It will be different this year because of the coronavirus. There will be no large gathering for a walk through the community. Instead individual churches will conduct their own walk as they choose. This year everyone is encouraged to give financial support online. This can be done in one of two ways:

- \* Give through St. Andrews with the Vanco electronic giving method at **standrewsparkridge.org**. On the homepage either go to the "Connect" dropdown menu and click on "Donate Online." in the "News and Events" section click on "Donate" on the right side of the screen.
- \* Give on the Church World Service website at **crophungerwalk.org/nilesil**. Either click on "Donate" on the right side of the screen, click on "Team" and type in St. Andrews. Provide requested personal and payment information. or scroll down to "Find a walker or team" and type in St. Andrews. Provide requested information.

Our support for people who suffer from lack of food is one way that we demonstrate our Christian faith. Service to others is also a Christian discipline. Giving to others is not only good, it is good for us.

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**ST. MATTHEWS COAT DRIVE:** The St. Matthew Coat Drive, sponsored by the Board of Service Ministry, will take place from November 1 - November 15. Look for the movable coat rack in the narthex area of the church. Please bring coats on hangers and place them on the rack. The coats will be delivered to St. Matthew on Tuesday, November 17. St. Matthew is located in the Pilsen neighborhood of Chicago.

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**SHARING YOUR DESIRES WITH YOUR FAMILY:** What are your desires for your family after the Lord calls you home to be with Him? As Christians, our primary desire is that our family and friends will continue in their own faith in Jesus Christ. Writing down your confession of faith and sharing it with family is something with which Ray Pagels, our Christian Gift Planning Counselor can help. Contact Ray at 847-262-2262 or ray.pagels@lfnd.org

**GIFTS FROM GOD'S PEOPLE AT ST. ANDREWS**  
**Weekly Giving Report - September 27**

<u>Internal Gifts/ Receipts - General Fund</u>	
White Envelope Giving/Plate Offering	3,745.00
Vanco Electronic Giving	<u>5,872.47</u>
TOTAL	9,617.47

<u>External Gifts/ Receipts</u>	
Synod/Missions	100.00
Lutheran Church Charities	100.00

Other General Funds:

<u>Designated Funds:</u>	
Comfort Dog	98.29
Mission of the Month	20.00
LWR Backpack	100.00
Lutheran World Relief	100.00

<b><u>WORSHIP TOTALS:</u></b>	<b><u>Saturday 9/26</u></b>	<b><u>Sunday 9/27</u></b>	<b><u>TOTAL</u></b>
Attended:	20	145	165
Communed:			150

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11 - REGULAR SERVICE**  
**WORSHIP WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE SANCTUARY, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10**  
**WORSHIP WILL TAKE PLACE OUTDOORS (WEATHER DEPENDENT)**  
**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11 @ 10 AM**

**PRAYERS:** Please keep the following people in your prayers...John Par, Debby Piccoli, George Peterson, Dylan Provenzano, Kathy Duun, Katie Pabon, Mark Castiglia, Judy Giovanelli

**ANNIVERSARIES:**  
6 Sue & Gary Kloess  
10 Delores & Don Brandfellner  
Michelle & Warren Johnson

**BIRTHDAYS:**  
6 Beth Cutler  
7 Carol Mirkin  
Janet Reich  
8 Eric Bauer  
Dave Fredriksen  
Corrine Schreiber  
10 Kristin Lanum  
Jing May  
Henry Schmidt  
Joseph Vitulli  
11 Peter Knapp

If your special day is missing, please contact Nichole in the church office at [nswandel77@gmail.com](mailto:nswandel77@gmail.com)

If you would like to sponsor the flowers in the chancel, please place cash or a check (made out to St. Andrews) in an envelope and drop it in the collection plate. Please indicate "in honor of...in memory of..." and the name on the envelope. Cost is \$40.