

ST. ANDREWS LINE -

Fifth Sunday After Epiphany (February 12)

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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NEWS AND EVENTS:

LCMS GIFT PLANNING: WHAT IS AN ESTATE PLAN?

A great estate plan is more than just a will. An estate plan coordinates how investments and insurance will be handled, manages emergency, retirement, and other assets, brings peace of mind to you and your loved ones and keeps you on track to meet financial goals. Timing is everything! Ray Pagels, our Christian Gift Planning Counselor can help you begin surveying your situation and thinking about you goals. Contact Ray at ray.pagels@lfn.org or at 847-226-2262.

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LUTHERAN WITNESS: If you would like to receive Lutheran Witness, please see the back page for instructions.

MISSION OF THE MONTH: Indigenous First Nation communities in northern Canada are typically very isolated. They are difficult to reach, so our February Mission of the Month **Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots (LAMP)** uses two small planes to take volunteer mission teams to spread the Gospel. Each summer hundreds of volunteers from the United States travel to these communities with a ministry that reaches over 5,000 children, youth, and adults. In addition, **LAMP** continues its mission to remote First Nation people during the rest of the year when harsh weather conditions prevail with follow-up continuing ministry through Facebook, Skype, and email.

SHARE THE JOY: Jesus tells us to love our neighbor, PERIOD, with no qualifications, without any restrictions! It makes no difference how the neighbor looks, believes, or acts. The parable of the Good Samaritan sets the record straight about who our neighbor is. Our love for the neighbor and the way we show that love will demonstrate God's love, enabling us to Share the Joy.

MAKING DONATIONS ELECTRONICALLY: There are two ways to donate to St Andrews electronically - you can use either a smart phone app (VancoMobile) or our website (standrewsparkridge.org). The QR code at the top of the front page will take you directly to the website donation page - no need to enter the URL, and no need to use the "Click HERE to Give" link on that page. Both options allow you to make one time donations or to set up regularly scheduled (weekly or monthly) donations, and to designate the purpose of your donation.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS: Thanks to all who faithfully donate to the Food Pantry. Items needed include cookies, pancake syrup, meals in a can, such as spaghettiOs, ravioli, hash, canned ham, chunky soups, mac and cheese, grape and strawberry jelly, 1 & 2 lb. bags of rice, brownie mix, cold cereal, toilet paper and paper towels. Unacceptable items include diapers/pampers, and oatmeal products of any kind.

HEARING ASSISTANCE: St Andrews has a system which amplifies the sound of our pastors, musicians and readers. Two types of receivers are available. One type clips to your ear, the second type is a loop that is worn around your neck and feeds the sound directly to your hearing aids (if they have telecoil capability). The receivers are stored on the pulpit, readily available for use. They're very easy to try. If you'd like to check them out, please ask Pastor Matt, Pastor Sam or John Snow for assistance.

SPECIAL DAYS/CHANCEL FLOWERS: If your special day is missing, please contact Nichole in the church office at 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. The cost of chancel flowers is \$55.00.

GIFTS FROM GOD'S PEOPLE AT ST. ANDREWS
Weekly Giving Report - February 5

Internal Gifts/ Receipts - General Fund

White Envelope Giving/Plate Offering	7,857.00
Vanco Electronic Giving	<u>11,160.38</u>
TOTAL	19,017.38

External Gifts/ Receipts

Synod/Missions	100.00
Lutheran Church Charities	100.00

Designated Funds:

Comfort Dog Ministry	10.00
Endowment	100.00
Feed My Starving Children	20.00
Food Pantry	50.00
Redeeming Life Ministries	10.00
Sunday School	26.00

Other General Funds:

<u>WORSHIP TOTALS:</u>	<u>Saturday 01/28</u>	<u>Sunday 01/29</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Attended:	60	75+170=245	305
Communed:			275
<u>WORSHIP TOTALS:</u>	<u>Saturday 02/04</u>	<u>Sunday 02/05</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Attended:	62	68+92=160	222
Communed:			117

LOOKING AHEAD
REGULAR SCHEDULE
February 18th and 19th
5:00pm
8:30am (Holy Communion) and 11:00am

PRAYERS: Please keep the following people in your prayers... Marina, Tim Young, Merrilee Anhalt, Nora Schiewe, Adrienne Schlake, Debbie Piccoli, Stephanie Kunz, Raymond Frank, Dianna Demke, Katie Albers, Kathleen McGrath, Henry Schmidt, Jean Ungar, Betty Yost

Angelica Tobias

ANNIVERSARIES:
 19 Thomas & Amanda Key

DATES TO REMEMBER:

FEBRUARY 23 - ASH WEDNESDAY

FEBRUARY 26 - LUTHERAN WITNESS DEADLINE

BIRTHDAYS:

13	Patrick Riordan
14	Michael Biela
15	Stefanie Rowe
16	Addison Cholewa
	Giavanna Cholewa
17	Ben Tobias
19	Siobhan Rieger

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