

# ST. ANDREWS LINE -

## Pentecost (September 21)

**ST. ANDREWS LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL LCMS**

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**WELCOME, AND THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!**



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**SCAN HERE TO GIVE TO ST. ANDREWS:**



### **NEWS AND EVENTS:**

We can face competing priorities when we think about planning our estates someday. A big decision about estate gifts centers on whether they should be given all at once or spread over time. Ministry leaders are often interested in lump sum, unrestricted gifts that allow "today" funding in pursuit of ministry vision. A simple bequest can assist and facilitate this if you are confident in a lump sum ministry gift. Our Christian Gift Planning Counselor can assist you in choosing the most appropriate asset to direct to this gift, being especially mindful of avoiding unnecessary taxes. For help, contact Ray Pagels at his cell: 847-226-2262 or [raymondpagels1@gmail.com](mailto:raymondpagels1@gmail.com)

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**FOOD PANTRY UPDATE:** 178 households visited the food pantry at St Paul of the Cross in August. Most needed items are pancake mix and syrup, ketchup ,plain white rice (1-3 lb) and paper towels. Thank you for your continuing support!

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**CHURCH CENTER UPDATES:** We have officially changed over to Church Center for many of our church functions. You can update your profile and join the directory, make your financial contributions and join groups right now. More functionality will be coming soon in the next few weeks/months. Starting September 6/7, we will have assistants at the welcome desk (before Saturday and in between Sunday services) to help get you logged in, answer questions or report issues back to the church office. Instructions for getting started are in the weekly email and giving can be done through the QR codes included in all printed materials.

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**MISSION OF THE MONTH:** Our September mission of the month, the **Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots (LAMP)**, headquartered in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, uses two small airplanes to take missionaries and volunteers to indigenous communities in northern Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and British Columbia. Since 1970 when the organization was founded, **LAMP** has been providing spiritual wellness and nurturing faith with outreach programs that include Vacation Bible School and Christ-centered sports programs for children and youth and Bible classes for adults. Each summer over 5,000 children, youth, and adults are impacted by the ministry of **LAMP**. In addition to transporting missionaries to remote communities, **LAMP** pilots transport religious materials, quilts, and other supplies to the communities it serves.

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**SHARE THE JOY:** The apostle Paul tells us in 2 Corinthians 5:14, "And He died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for Him who died for them and was raised again." Paul points out that we need to arrange our priorities so that our lives become a living testimony to God's love. The way we speak, the way we treat others, and the way we use our resources should all point to the fact that we are redeemed children of God. Share the Joy!

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**KNIT&KNOWHIM (KKH)**

KKH is looking for you! (Knitting skills not required.)

Come fellowship with us!

WHEN: Every Wednesday, 1:00pm-2:30pm

WHERE: St. Andrews "Coffee and..." area.

Park in the Elm St. lot or the community lot east of the church.

DO NOT PARK BEHIND THE SCHOOL.

ENTER: Glass church doors facing Northwest Hwy.

WHAT: We gather together to talk and enjoy each other's company, while we knit, crochet, embroider or engage in any other activity.

Questions: Contact Jennifer Bauer 847-209-2886 or [jenniferbauer924@gmail.com](mailto:jenniferbauer924@gmail.com)

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**MAYBE WE CAN HELP DESK:** Do you need help setting up Church Center or getting logged in? There will be assistants at the Welcome Desk before Saturday services and in between Sunday services through the month of September doing their best to take care of your church center needs.

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OCTOBER 19, 2025  
Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Church  
8624 West Normal Avenue  
Niles  
Registration 1:00 p.m.  
Step Off 2:00 p.m.

St. Andrews is participating in the 2025 CROP Hunger Walk to support Church World Service (CWS) and help families who are struggling with hunger. Please join us - with your steps and your donations - to provide more meals for the growing number of people in our community who need them and create greater food security in communities around the world.

25% of all donations from the Walk will benefit the Maine Township Food Pantry.

To Register to Walk or Donate with the St Andrews team:

<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/crophungerwalks/team/st-andrews-lutheran-church-park-ridge-il-2>

Donations may also be made via electronic donation or in the narthex following worship services on October 4/5, October 11/12 and October 18/19.

The following restaurants will donate a portion of their proceeds to CROP Walk for purchases made on the dates shown below. Additional information will be provided in the weekly LINE prior to the dates.

Thursday September 18 City BBQ, Park Ridge

Tuesday September 30 D'Agostino's, Niles

Wednesday October 8 Portillo's, Niles

Thursday October 16 Harp & Fiddle, Park Ridge

Questions, please contact Keith Grabske at [keith.grabske@outlook.com](mailto:keith.grabske@outlook.com).

**GIFTS FROM GOD'S PEOPLE AT ST. ANDREWS**  
**Weekly Giving Report - September 14**

Internal Gifts/ Receipts - General Fund  
 White Envelope Giving/Plate Offering 3,767.00  
 Electronic Giving 10,231.17  
 TOTAL 13,998.17

External Gifts/ Receipts  
 Synod/Missions 30.00  
 Lutheran Church Charities -----

Designated Funds:  
 Misc. (New Vestments) 400.00  
 Strategic Planning 1075.00  
 Sunday School 10.00

Other General Funds:

<b><u>Worship Attendance:</u></b>	<b><u>Saturday 09/13</u></b>	<b><u>Sunday 09/14</u></b>	<b><u>TOTAL</u></b>
Attended:	75	140+82	297
Communed:			142

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
**RETURN TO TWO SERVICES**  
**September 26<sup>TH</sup> and 27<sup>TH</sup>**

**SATURDAY**

**5:00PM**

**SUNDAY**

**8:30am and 11:00am (Holy Communion)**

**PRAYERS:** Please keep the following people in your prayers...Christine Schap, Barb and Keith Parker, Carol Claybaker, Bunny Hughes, Gigi 29 Breitzman, Livia Grace Gallo, Michael Piccoli, Daniel Avila, Sr., Richard Claybaker, Eleanor Claybaker, Richard Avila, Carol Mraz, Laura Peter, Jeanette Peter

**ANNIVERSARIES:**  
 22 Jean & Bob Ungar  
 29 Jennifer & Mike Bauer

**BIRTHDAYS:**

22 Alexander Benson  
 Laura Boggs  
 23 John Wolf  
 24 Rachel Nash  
 Alyssa Pesce  
 Josephine Ori  
 25 Deborah Hacke  
 26 Anna Wolf  
 27 Erin Ramos  
 Andrew Rowe  
 28 Stephanie Huh  
 Joel Porterfield  
 Calvin Tizura  
 29 Jacqueline Panches