# Surrirrier Guide ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH www.saint-andrew.com

# Sunday School

Nursery | All Summer Room 102, 9:30-12:00pm

#### Summer Sunday School for Children and Youth May 29-July 31 | 9:30am in the Media Room

Children ages kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade will join the youth in viewing various movies and videos and discussing their relationship to our everyday lives. This class will be a fun way for the kids and youth to spend time together this summer learning and growing as God's covenant people.

Adults May 29-July 31 | 9:30-10:15am

#### Breakfast Club and Pathfinders, Room 205

These two lively discussion-based Sunday school classes will meet together through July. Each class session will stand alone and will be led by class members, covering topics about a wide range of subjects.

#### Pastor's Class, Room 207/209

Over the summer *(June through August)*, the Pastor's Class will be studying the Book of Romans which is Paul's longest and most theological letter.



Casual Summer Sundays at St. Andrew

*May 29-July 31* 9:30-10:15am Sunday School

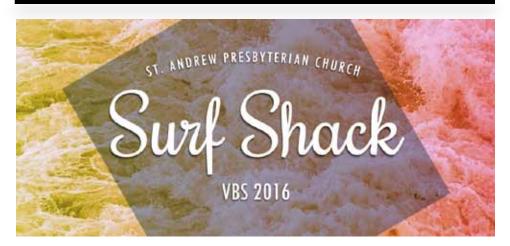
10:30am Worship Service Casual attire is encouraged.

August 7-September 4
10:30am
Worship Service
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encouraged.



9:00am-2:00pm Monday-Friday Tuesday, May 31-Friday, September 2

# Vacation Bible School



#### Vacation Bible School, June 27-July 1, 9am-noon

Vacation Bible School at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church will be June 26-July 1 for preschool-5<sup>th</sup> grade from 9:00 a.m.-noon. This year's curriculum is titled "Surf Shack: Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love!" At the "Surf Shack" kids encounter God's awesomeness through Bible stories and learn how we're meant to experience the adventure each day. The children will study stories of the Bible that will teach us how to experience God's amazing love, explore God's mission for our lives, encounter powerful water stories from the Bible, and discover ways to live out God's amazing love. We are all looking forward to a fun week!

Mission Quest
Coming this July!
Watch for details in the Shield and bulletin!

### Youth

#### Sunday School

#### 9:30-10:15am

Meets each Sunday in June and July. All youth meet in the Media Room. No class in August.

#### Fungosa

#### June 5-10 - Pagosa Springs, Colorado

As soon as school finishes, our middle school students travel to Pagosa Springs, CO for a week of high adventure and fun. Activities include river rafting, kayaking, hiking, horseback riding, capture the flag, a mission project and more!

#### Sr. High Celebration at Mo Ranch

#### June 26-July 1 - Mo Ranch

Each day is filled with time with the keynote speaker, small groups, free time, Back Home Group time and recreation events. Small Groups are a key feature of this conference providing youth with a chance to build community with people from other churches. In small groups, youth are guided by adult leaders who facilitate building community, Bible study and discussions on matters of faith and life.

#### **Vacation Bible School**

#### June 27-July 1 - St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

All youth are needed to help lead groups, classes, music and recreation during the week of VBS. Come help our children enjoy their week of learning and fun!

#### Mission Trip

#### July 5-July 10 - Quest Ranch, Wimberley, Texas

All our youth will join in with youth from Grace Presbytery as we bring some working hands and loving hearts to the flood-ravaged area of Wimberley, Texas.

#### Presbyterian Youth Triennium

#### July 19-23 – Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

Presbyterian Youth Triennium is a gathering for high-school-aged youth from the Presbyterian Church (USA) and the Cumberland Presbyterian Church that occurs every three years. The 2016 event is July 19-23, 2016 at Purdue University. The theme for the 2016 event is "GO".

#### Synod Youth Workshop

#### July 26-31 – University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Synod Youth Workshop is a unique conference for high school youth at the University of Tulsa in Oklahoma. Time is balanced between small group activities, large group activities, service and discussion designed to give space to encounter God and others.

# Summer Activities

#### Ladies' Discussion Group Wednesdays in August at noon in Room 206-208

Join this lively discussion group during the heat of the summer to read, discuss and learn. All are welcome, and visitors and sack lunches are encouraged. Please let Lisa Patterson know if you will be attending by emailing her at lisa@saint-andrew.com.

#### Presbyterian Women

The St. Andrew Presbyterian Women's Association meets monthly on the second Tuesday of the month (except July and August). Meetings are held in the church parlor or in the homes of members. Meetings begin at 9:30 a.m. with refreshments and a short business meeting, followed by a Bible study that lasts until about 11 a.m. All women of the church are invited to participate. For more information contact Jo Cassell, Moderator (940) 367-7000 or Linda Heilig, (Moderator-elect) (940) 381-9934.

Theology on Tap
6:30pm, East Side Social Club
May 23, June 13, 27 and July 11, 25
Watch the Shield, bulletin and Facebook for updates.

#### Women's Summer Retreat in Pagosa Springs At the church cabin in Pagosa Springs, CO July 16-22

Calling all ladies of St. Andrew, join us for a wonderful, relaxing week at the church cabin in Pagosa Springs, Colorado July 16-22. Optional activities will include hiking, water activities like rafting or tubing, shopping, movies and more! Sign up with Brandi (brandi@saint-andrew.com) by June 1. Cost will be \$200.

#### Summer Choir

The Chancel Choir will continue to sing in June and July. Rehearsals will be on Sunday mornings at 9:30am. If you are interested in singing in the choir, but have been unable to attend Wednesday evening rehearsals, now is the perfect time to give us a try!

If you have questions, please contact Music Director Jeff Snider at: jeff@saint-andrew.com. We have a robe in your size!

# Make a Difference

#### The After-Worship Fellowship Time

The Fellowship Time after worship will continue through the summer. The Membership Committee asks each church member to contribute two dozen cookies or a fruit platter served on a disposable plate on the date that corresponds to the first letter of your last name. If you are going to be out of town on that date, feel free to bring your goodies on any Sunday. This is a wonderful opportunity to greet our members, as well as to meet our visitors each Sunday.

June 5 – A	July 24 – O, P
June 12 – B	July 31 – Q, R
June 19 – C	Aug 7 – S
June 26 – D, E, F	Aug 14 – T, U
July 3 – G, H	Aug. 21 – V, W, X
July 10 - I, J, K, L	Aug 28 – Y, Z
July 17 – M. N	_

#### **Community Outreach Committee**

This diaconate committee provides opportunities for members of St. Andrew to assist with community needs. Activities for the summer include:

**Apple Tree Project** – Pick an apple from the tree, sign the list, and purchase two outfits to be returned with the apple. Gift cards may also be purchased which will be used to purchase shoes or school supplies.

Give-a-Meal Food Collection – check the list for the month in the Narthex and bring non-perishable food, or contribute monetarily by marking your check or envelope "give-a-meal".

#### Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministers will meet on June 20, July 18 and August 15 for the Summer of 2016. Anyone who is in need of a Stephen Minister can contact Lisa Patterson or the church office.

# Become a Member

Membership at St. Andrew is the first step in what we consider a life-long process of discipleship, and we invite you to join us on this journey. Becoming a member affirms your faith in God and love for God's people. Membership is a commitment to this particular part of God's family, where we nurture growth in faith, worship, and service to others. We hope you find the simplicity of our membership process an engaging introduction to our life together.

There are four steps to becoming a member of St. Andrew:

- 1. Fill out and turn in a New Member Information Form. You will find the forms on the Visitor Information table in the narthex.
- Come to the parlor after the worship service. The Session, our governing body, formally receives new members at that time. We receive new members in one of the following ways: Letter of Transfer (can be requested by our church office), Reaffirmation of Faith, or Profession of Faith and Baptism.
- 3. Join us during the worship service the following Sunday when we recognize our new members during the service.
- 4. We encourage all new members to participate in an Inquirer's Class, which is offered periodically during the year.

### FALL DATES

Sunday, September 11, 2016 Rally Day Fellowship Hall 9am, Potluck Breakfast 10:30am, Worship

September 7, 2016 Super Wednesday Begins Meal in Fellowship Hall @ 5:30pm

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