



ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DENTON, TEXAS

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
May 19, 2019, 10:30 a.m.

Hearing devices and large print Bibles and hymnals are available. Ask an usher.

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

PRELUDE Prelude in e J. S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pad in the pews.

RINGING OF THE BELL James Fite

CALL TO WORSHIP

Adapted from Psalm 71

O God, from my youth you have taught me,
I still proclaim your wondrous deeds.

So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I proclaim your
might to all the generations to come.

Your power and your righteousness, O God, reach the high heavens.

OPENING PRAYER

Lisa Patterson

*HYMN 616

Our God Is an Awesome God

AWESOME GOD

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 139: 1-18

Old Testament, page 545

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

MEDITATIONS

Lilly Glasschroeder
Phoenix Gibson

*HYMN 458

Thy Word Is a Lamp unto My Feet

THY WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

I Corinthians 13: 8-13

New Testament, page 164

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

MEDITATIONS

Brookelyn Lewis
Joseph Fritz

*HYMN 452

Open the Eyes of My Heart

OPEN THE EYES

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 28: 16-20

New Testament, page 32

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

MEDITATIONS

Anna Personius (read by Stephanie Raesz)
Meredith Cole

SPECIAL MUSIC

Rachel Odei

SCRIPTURE READING

Numbers 6: 22-27

Old Testament, page 119

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

MEDITATIONS

Claire Brindle
Jackson Fite

*HYMN 488

I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry

WATERLIFE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison)

Richard B. Culp

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory

*SUNG RESPONSE

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks (Refrain)

Hymn 240

Alleluia, alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord. Alleluia, alleluia! Give praise to his name.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

TAKING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

*SENDING OF SENIORS

*HYMN 69

I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

HERE I AM

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Carillon

Louis Vierne

Bold Text indicates congregational participation.

*Those who are able are asked to stand.

The flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God by Lynn Carrico in honor of our graduating seniors, Olympia Kepke (Lynn Carrico's granddaughter), Claire Brindle, Meredith Cole, Brooklyn Lewis, Rachel Owusu-Odei, Jackson Fite, Joseph Fritz, Phoenix Gibson, Lilly Glasschroeder, and Anna Personius.

The rosebud in the chancel announces the birth of Vera June Goldston born May 11, 2019 to proud parents Kelly and Trent Goldston and proud grandparents Laurie and Steve Goldston. Congratulations!

Katie Brindle is serving as liturgist this Sunday.

Griffon Rentz is serving as acolyte this Sunday.

Annual Youth BBQ/Baked Goods Auction Fundraiser

Today following the Worship Service

In Fellowship Hall immediately following the Senior Sunday worship service. Come for great BBQ and an auction of mouth-watering baked goods provided by the congregation. Donations will be accepted at the door. Special thanks to Independent Bank for donating the use of their smoker for our BBQ for the second year in a row.

Pathfinders Class Screens *The Bible According to Hollywood*

Sunday, May 19, through Sunday, June 9

What 1955 film uproots a parable from Luke and recasts it as an Old Testament epic? Who were the six actors considered for the lead role in the 1959 version of *Ben Hur*? During the 1959 filming of *Solomon and Sheba*, what actor died and was replaced by Yul Brynner sporting artificial hair? Find out by joining the Pathfinders Class for the screening of Phillip Dye's *The Bible According to Hollywood*, an entertaining documentary on Hollywood's film portrayals of stories and characters from the Bible. Each segment will be followed by time for discussion.

NYAP Picnic

Saturday, May 25

Grab your pic-i-nic basket, it's a family picnic! Join NYAP at the large pavilion at North Lakes Park for an afternoon of play on Saturday, May 25 from 4-6pm! We'll have a potluck dinner and enjoy the chance to get to know each other outside of church, while the kiddos get a chance to play.

NYAP (Not Your Average Presbyterian) is a young people and young family Sunday School class led by Karen Laney Jones and Alison Plunkett McStravick.

Prayer Concerns This Week

Margaret Plunkett

Betty Sue Grandey

Trish Matthews

Chuck Dory, father of Christy Purser

J. B. and Olga Fincher, friends of Barbara Sims

Nancy Morris, friend of Barbara Sims

The family of Carol Pickett

A complete list of the ongoing prayer concerns is available in the Narthex.

Save the Date!

St. Andrew Is Going to Scotland, and You're Invited to Go

Tuesday, June 9 - Wednesday, June 17, 2020

The St. Andrew group will visit Iona, Edinburgh, Stirling Castle, St. John's Kirk of Perth where John Knox preached, St. Andrews, the Scottish Highlands, the Culloden battlefield, the place where St. Columba established the Christian faith in Scotland, and more. Download the informational brochure here. Twenty three people have signed up at this point. The maximum number that can go on the trip is 40 people. If you have any questions, contact Lisa Patterson at lisa@saint-andrew.com.

Give-a-Meal-a-Month

April Results

April was another great month of giving! The congregation donated \$235 and 10 pounds of food. Remember, just \$2.29 or 54 pounds of food feeds one person for a week. Thank you for supporting this Diaconate outreach program that helps feed those in need.

May Give-a-Meal - \$2.29

A monetary donation of \$2.29 feeds a person in need for a week. Donations can be made in your weekly offering, online, or in the church office. Please write Give-a-Meal-a-Month on the envelope or check. If you would prefer to purchase food, suggested items are: Spaghetti and Canned Sauce, Canned Peas, Canned Pears
Optional: Cooking Oil, Baby Food

Please return your non-perishable donations for the Denton Community Food Center to the collection bin in the hallway near Fellowship Hall. Thank You!

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THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

TODAY

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service, Sanctuary
11:30 a.m. Youth BBQ, Fellowship Hall

Monday, May 20

- 6:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry, Room 206/208

Wednesday, May 22

- 7:00 p.m. Session Meeting, Room 206/208

Saturday, May 25

- 4:00 p.m. NYAP Picnic, North Lakes Park

By the Numbers: As of 5/1/19

Income (pledges + other income)	\$275,710
Expenses	\$273,815
Difference	\$1,895

Attendance 5/12/19 301

Give online at:
www.saint-andrew.com/give



St. Andrew Presbyterian Church is a
Stephen Ministry Congregation.

WELCOME!

We proclaim that ALL people are created in the image of God and affirm that each person is a beloved child of God, worthy of God's love and grace. We welcome all, celebrating our differences while finding unity in Christ. No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.

Join us in the Narthex following worship so that we can get acquainted.

If you wish to join St. Andrew today, please speak to one of the ministers.

Children's Chapel

*During the worship service,
children ages three years through kindergarten go to
chapel immediately following the Children's Sermon.*

*Synagogue and the Upper Room
Margaret and Jeff Strowe*

Godly Play seeks to tell the stories of the faith so that children hear and remember these stories and become engaged in them. It also provides a place and opportunities for children to begin exploring the purpose and meaning of worship. Parents may come upstairs to the Children's Chapel to pick children up following the worship service.

Sunday School

CHILDREN, 9:30-10:15am

Nursery	Room 102
Preschool	Room 100
K-5 th Grade	Art Room

YOUTH, 9:30-10:15am

Middle School & High School	The Den
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ADULTS, 9:30-10:15am

Pastor's Class	Lisa Patterson and Richard Culp	Room 207/209
Pathfinders		Room 205
NYAP	Alison McStravick and Karen Jones	Library

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Stephanie Raesz, Youth Director



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of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

SAINT ANDREW SENIORS 2019



CLAIRE BRINDLE: Graduating from Aubrey High School, has attended St. Andrew for 14 years

- ❖ High School Activities/Accomplishments: Theatre, Key Club
- ❖ Plans for next year: NCTC Gainesville
- ❖ Plans for the future: Nursing
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Mo Ranch, Fungosa, working in the nursery



MEREDITH COLE: Graduating from Liberty Christian School, has attended St. Andrew “since the womb”

- ❖ High School Activities/Accomplishments: Lettered in track freshman year, 2nd in State for Art, NHS, AP Scholar award
- ❖ Plans for next year: Colorado State University
- ❖ Plans for the future: Veterinarian
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Fungosa
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “Thank you for the home away from home.”



JACKSON FITE: Graduating from Denton High School, has attended St. Andrew for 14 years

- ❖ High School Activities/Accomplishments: Drumline, Varsity Golf captain and treasurer, Key Club, NHS, Branding and Steering Committee for the new DHS
- ❖ Plans for next year: Florida State campus in Florence, Italy
- ❖ Plans for the future: Working for the PGA
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Choir with Mrs. Hindman, Fungosa, youth lock-ins, Mo-Ranch, Synod Youth Workshop
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “Thank you for all of the wonderful years I have had in this wonderful church. Never have I felt unwelcomed or cast out, and that is a testament to the overall lovingness of each person in this congregation. I love y’all 3000 (Avengers reference).”



JOSEPH FRITZ: Graduating from Denton High School, has attended St. Andrew for 13 years

- ❖ High School Activities/Accomplishments: Band Drum Major, Jazz Band, Soccer goal keeper, Soccer District Honorable Mention and voted team MVP, NHS, Texas Boys State, Branding and Steering Committee for the new DHS
- ❖ Plans for next year: Oklahoma State University
- ❖ Plans for the future: Commercial airline pilot
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: “When Jackson Cook got a wedgie on his bunkbed at the cabin at Fungosa.”

PHOENIX GIBSON: Graduating from Braswell High School, has attended St. Andrew for 1 ½ years

- ❖ Plans for next year: Collin County Community College
- ❖ Plans for the future: Nursing
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Lock-ins



LILLY GLASSCHROEDER: Graduating from Krum High School, has attended St. Andrew “my whole life”

- ❖ High school activities/accomplishments: Varsity tennis, Advanced Women’s Choir, NHS, Scored a “5” on the AP English Language test
- ❖ Plans for next year: St. Edwards University
- ❖ Plans for the future: High school English teacher
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: The beautiful music, attending all the church camps and activities such as Fungosa, Synod Youth Workshop, and mission trips
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “I am so beyond blessed to have such a loving second family here at St. Andrew. The whole congregation has been standing with me since my baptism and I feel so much comfort in the thought that you all will continue to stand with me as I take the next big steps into my future.”

OLYMPIA KEPKE: Graduating from Guyer High School, has attended St. Andrew “my whole life”

- ❖ Plans for next year: North Central Texas College
- ❖ Plans for the future: Psychology
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Going on church trips, singing in the choir
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “Thank you for supporting me all these years!”



BROOKELYN LEWIS: Graduating from iSchool High Entrepreneurial Academy, has attended St. Andrew “as long as I can remember.”

- ❖ High school activities/accomplishments: Varsity choir
- ❖ Plans for next year: Austin College
- ❖ Plans for the future: Counseling/Psychologist
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Synod Youth Workshop variety shows, VBS-both leading and following, Music Camp at Mo Ranch



RACHEL OWUSU-ODEI: Graduating from Ryan High School, has attended St. Andrew for 14 years

- ❖ High school activities/accomplishments: Orchestra, Girl Scouts, Talent Search, NHS, French NHS, Received the Denton African American Top Scholar Award, Dean’s Excellence Scholarship, and Terry Scholarship
- ❖ Plans for next year: University of North Texas
- ❖ Plans for the future: Audiologist
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Mo Ranch, Youth Sunday
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “Thank you for being my second family. I will miss you, and I wouldn’t trade my experience with this church for the world.”



ANNA PERSONIUS: Graduating from Founders Classical Academy, has attended St. Andrew for 7 years

- ❖ High school activities/accomplishments: Volleyball, Soccer, Theatre, NHS
- ❖ Plans for next year: Wheaton College
- ❖ Plans for the future: not positive
- ❖ Favorite memories of St. Andrew: Gym leader for VBS, Mission trips to Wimberley and Houston, Fungosa, all the lock-ins
- ❖ Special words for the congregation: “Thank you so much for making my church life great ☺”