

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

306 N. Division Street., Ann Arbor, MI 48104

standrewsaa.org



Good Shepherd, 1902-1903

Henry Ossawa Tanner (1859-1937)

Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it?

Welcome to St. Andrew's

The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist • September 14, 2025

WELCOME!

Please fill out a welcome card, found in the pew rack, then put it in the offering plate or give it to one of the clergy following the service so that we can be in touch with you. For more information about St. Andrew's please visit our website at standrewsaa.org.

If you have a hearing aid equipped with telecoil capability, please note that the church sanctuary has been equipped with this technology. As a courtesy to others, please turn off or silence your cellphone during the service.

The Rev. Paul Frolick, Rector

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TODAY

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist
9:15 AM Family Service (CHAPEL)
9:45 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Holy Eucharist
11:15 AM Coffee Hour (LOUNGE)
11:15 AM Ministry Fair (PARISH HALL)

Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of

THE REV. HENRY LEWIS *by Colby Halloran*

Blood Pressure Screenings

The Episcopal Health Ministers will provide blood pressure screenings in the church office after the service this morning.

Ministry Fair

Please join us for a Ministry Fair in the Parish Hall today following the 10:00 am service! Leaders and representatives from our many ministries will be available to answer your questions and invite you to get involved in a ministry here at St. Andrew's that appeals to you. We'll have some tasty refreshments and enjoy getting to know each other and learning about all of the great things going on in our congregation. See you there!

Fund Drive for Food Gatherers

We are having a Food Gatherers donation drive today. Thank you so much for your tremendous generosity over the years. Your donations to our 2024 drives totaled \$38,296, with the matches, and provided 72,592 meals to those less fortunate in our community.

All donations will be **MATCHED** by a member of the community. The first \$2,000 in donations will be **MATCHED AGAIN** by a generous member of our congregation. So, if you were to donate \$20, that becomes \$40 with the community match and then re-matched by the member of our congregation. So, your \$20 donation becomes an \$80 donation, which would provide 160 meals to those less fortunate in our community.

If you are able to contribute, you can:

- **DONATE AT CHURCH**

before and after all three services today

- **DONATE ONLINE** using

the QR code, or at www.foodgatherers.org/standrews

- **MAIL A CHECK** made out

to Food Gatherers (*with "St. Andrew's" in the memo line!*) to Food Gatherers, Box 131037, Ann Arbor, MI 48113



CHILDREN



Join us for Sunday School at 9:45 AM!

Please register for the upcoming year using the QR code.

A Nursery for infants through toddler age is available during the 10:00 am service, located on the second floor of the Parish Hall. Children and youth in preschool through high school attend Sunday School from 9:45 am until they join their families during the Children's Entrance Hymn. Preschoolers need to be picked up by a parent.

PRELUDE

Postlude pour l'Office de Complies

Jehan Alain (1911-1940)

THE WORD OF GOD

HYMN

Praise my Soul

#410, *The Hymnal 1982* (Blue Book)

Celebrant
People

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

All

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GLORIA

Mass of the Holy Spirit

Susan Calvin Fletcher

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on earth.

2. Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we

wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus

Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. You

take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us; 5. You are seat - ed

at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.

6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,

7. You a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly

Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray. O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

THE FIRST LESSON *Exodus 32:7-14*

The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it, and said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!'" The LORD said to Moses, "I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation."

But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, "O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, 'It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth'? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, 'I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it forever.'" And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 51:1-11



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- ¹ Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; *
in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- ² Wash me through and through from my wickedness *
and cleanse me from my sin. **All Sing Antiphon**
- ³ For I know my transgressions, *
and my sin is ever before me.
- ⁴ Against you only have I sinned *
and done what is evil in your sight. **All Sing Antiphon**
- ⁵ And so you are justified when you speak *
and upright in your judgment.
- ⁶ Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, *
a sinner from my mother's womb. **All Sing Antiphon**
- ⁷ For behold, you look for truth deep within me, *
and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- ⁸ Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; *
wash me, and I shall be clean indeed. **All Sing Antiphon**
- ⁹ Make me hear of joy and gladness, *
that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- ¹⁰ Hide your face from my sins *
and blot out all my iniquities.
- ¹¹ Create in me a clean heart, O God, *
and renew a right spirit within me. **All Sing Antiphon**

THE SECOND LESSON 1 Timothy 1:12-17

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to

save sinners-- of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN

There's a Wideness

#469, *The Hymnal 1982*

THE GOSPEL *Luke 15:1-10*

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

All the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."

So he told them this parable: "Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

"Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Rev. Paul Frolick

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from

the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE *Please stand or kneel.*

Trusting in the God who seeks out the lost and delights in showing mercy, let us pray for the Church, the world, and all in need. *A brief silence* God of life, we give thanks for the gifts of creation, for the sun that lights our day and the moon and stars that shelter the night. May our eyes be open to the beauty around us. Help us to protect and nurture your creation and ever proclaim its wonders.

People **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of grace, you search for the lost and rejoice when they are found: help us to be ever mindful of those who have been left behind, those who slip through the cracks of our social safety nets, and those who are easy for us to overlook. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of peace, we pray for nations and leaders, that they may turn from pride and violence and seek reconciliation and peace. We remember especially places scarred by war, oppression, and injustice—Ukraine, Gaza, Sudan, and all who yearn for safety and freedom. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of mercy, who delights in reconciling what is broken, we pray for our country amid deep polarization and mistrust. Forgive us when we harden our hearts against one another. Seek us out when we are lost in anger, fear, or pride. Restore in us a spirit of humility, patience, and hope, that we may learn again to live as neighbors and work together for the common good. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of abundance, we give you thanks for Food Gatherers and for all who labor to provide nourishment for the hungry in Washtenaw County. Bless their ministry of gathering and giving, and bless our own Breakfast Program, which is strengthened by their generosity. Stir up in us thankful hearts and open hands, that as we receive your abundance we may also share it freely, so that none of our neighbors may go without daily bread. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of wholeness, we pray for all who are lost, alone, or afraid. Bring healing to the sick, hope to the despairing, and comfort to the grieving. We remember especially those on our prayer list and those whose needs are known to you alone. *Pause* Let your compassion be known through caregivers, advocates, and friends. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of resurrection, we remember before you all who have died, trusting in your mercy. We remember The Rev. Henry Lewis, in whose memory the flowers are given this morning, and all those dear to each of us. *Silence* May they rest in your peace and rise in your glory, as we await with them the joy of your kingdom. **Merciful God, hear our prayer.**

God of all, in Christ you search for the lost and rejoice when we are found. Hear the prayers we offer this day, forgive us our sins, and renew in us the joy of your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. *Silence*
People **Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS



OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The Lord is my Shepherd (Requiem)

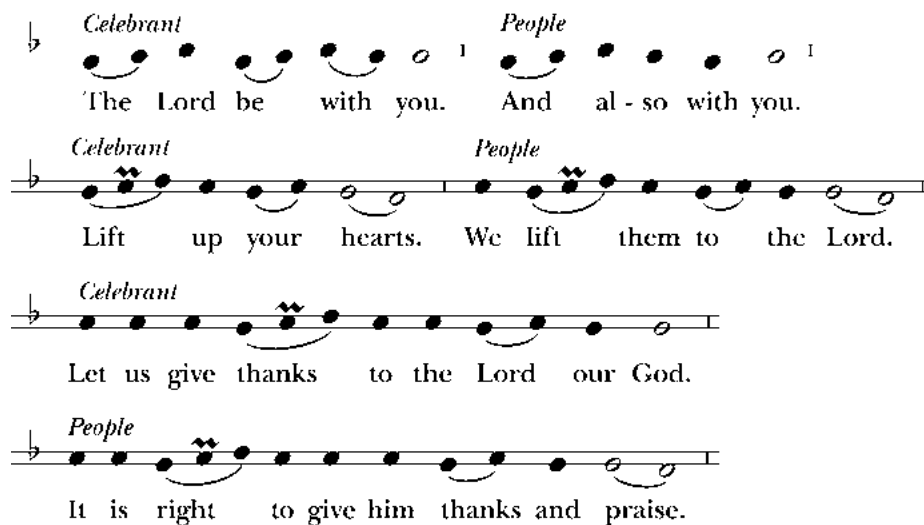
The St. Andrew's Adult Choir
John Rutter (b. 1945)

The Lord is my shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing. He shall feed me in a green pasture, and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort. He shall convert my soul and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness; for his Name's sake. Yea, though I walk thro' the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me: thy rod and thy staff comfort me. Thou shalt prepare a table for me against them that trouble me: thou hast anointed my head with oil and my cup shall be full. But thy loving kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord; for ever.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A



Celebrant *People*
The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Celebrant *People*
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People
It is right to give him thanks and praise.

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Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS

Mass of the Holy Spirit

Susan Calvin Fletcher

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of pow - er and might, hea - ven and earth are

full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Blessed is the one

Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the

Lord, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name,

your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those

who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial,

and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,

and the glory are yours,

now and for ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEM

Mass of the Holy Spirit

Susan Calvin Fletcher

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world: have

mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of

God, you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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Please come forward and stand or kneel at the rail. The priest will place the bread in your outstretched palm (Consecrated rice wafers are available for those with wheat allergies - simply ask the priest). You may dip (intinct) the bread in the wine in the small cup held by the first Eucharistic minister, or drink from the large chalice held by the second Eucharistic minister.

Please know that Christ is fully present in both the bread and the wine - there is no requirement to receive both. If you do not wish to receive communion, you may come forward, cross your hands over your chest, and receive a blessing.

MUSIC AT COMMUNION

Élévation (Trois Élévations)

Marcel Dupré (1886-1971)

COMMUNION HYMN

What Wondrous Love is This

#439, *The Hymnal* 1982

COMMISSIONING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People **We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.**

COMMISSIONING OF SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Celebrant Let us pray.

People **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN

Savior like a Shepherd

#708, *The Hymnal* 1982

The young people are invited to come forward to offer the dismissal after the choir processes out.

Young people Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

Organ Sonata VI

ii. Fuga, sostenuto e legato

Oliver Steissberg, Organ
Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

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Leaders in Today's Liturgy

Altar Guild: Kristine Wise, Paul Wise, Ann Scott, Carmela Brown, Judy Woods, Carol Himelhoch

Bread Baker: Elaine Mouradian

10:00 AM

Celebrant/ Preacher: Paul Frolick

Assisting: JoAnn Kennedy Slater

Director of Music & Organist:
Deborah Friauff

Organ Scholar: Oliver Steissberg

Acolytes: Henry Miller, Ann Scott, Sam Halgren, Addison McCreadie

Lectors: Phil MacBride, Aileen Gatten

Intercessor: Robert Westveer

Eucharistic Ministers:

Marty Gillen, Robert Westveer, Kathryn Barnes, Leonard Chown

Ushers: Rodger Piehl, Elaine Mouradian

Bell Ringer: Marty Gillen

Lay Eucharistic Visitors:
Dennis Powers

Coffee Hour Host: Sarah Inwood

Prayer List

We're grateful to be able to pray for our parishioners, family members, and friends who are in need, and we think it is important to make these concerns known to our community. We generally keep people on this list for about four weeks, unless we're aware of a continuing need. If we've removed a prayer request which should still be active, please contact Fr. Paul or the church office. Thank you for your good help in bringing prayer requests to our attention.

Margaret Bennett, Bry Dennison, Richard Engdahl, Leslie Henry, Hilli Hockett, Luke, Nunu Lysloff, Tish Neidhardt, Virginia Nordby, Jean Peirce, David Powers, Teres Raglow, Veena Kulkarni-Rankin, Mary Richards, Ann Staiger, Nancy Stanley, Marcia Stillwagon, Nan Sudia, Larry Tweedle, Carlotta Wilson, Leslie Stainton, Deborah Fries, Dan Berry, Charlie Gillen, Megan Fuqua, Matilda, Bertha Blount, Nancy Borgeson, Anne Zwart, Tim, Peggy, Shannon Alexander, Agnes Pearson Reading, Maureen Zatirka, Suzanne Schluederberg, Charles Witke, Bill Colsman, Kari Paetzold, Judy Garton-Zavesky, Sean O'Keefe and family, Merilynne Rush, and Jennifer Whiteford

Anglican Cycle of Prayer

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for *The Anglican Church of South America*.

In our own diocese we pray for the clergy and people of *Trinity Church (Monroe)* and *St. Philip's (Rochester)*.

We pray for the clergy and people of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America.

And we pray for all those throughout the world who suffer for their faith.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Centering Prayer & Psalms: Please join Paul on Wednesday mornings at 10:00 am in the Chapel. We will spend about twenty minutes in silence, read and reflect on a psalm together, and then return to silence. If you are unable to join us in person in the Chapel, you can join us on Zoom (Meeting ID: 881 1661 6360 Passcode: 508660), or sit in silence at home. On Wednesday, September 17, we'll read and reflect on Psalm 137, found on page 792 in the *Book of Common Prayer*. All are welcome.

Don't miss the **Outreach and Social Justice meeting** next Sunday, September 21 at 11:15 am in the Chapel. Join us for a fall kickoff as we discuss plans for the year. We will have short presentations about International Samaritan by Dennis Powers, the Diocesan Reparations committee by Luke Thompson, and Support for Palestinians. The meeting will also cover the CROP Walk schedule and other updates.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 14

Blood Pressure Screenings

- 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (C)
- 9:15 AM Family Service (Cpl)
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (C)
- 11:15 AM Coffee Hour (L)
- 11:15 AM Ministry Fair (PH)

Tuesday, September 16

- 6:00 PM Finance (L/Z)

Wednesday, September 17

- 7:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Cpl)
- 10:00 AM Centering Prayer & Psalms (Cpl/Z)
- 4:30 PM Junior Handbell Choir (C)
- 4:30 PM Cherub Choir (CL)
- 5:15 PM Junior Choir (CL)
- 6:00 PM Evensong (Cpl)
- 6:30 PM Handbell Choir (C)

Thursday, September 18

- 10:00 AM Bible Study (Z)
- 12:15 PM Division Street Pipes:
Oliver Steissberg (C)
- 7:15 PM Adult Choir (CL)

Friday, September 19

- 12:15 PM Holy Eucharist (Cpl)
- 7:00 PM Alcoholics Anon (PH)

Friday, September 20

- 11:00 AM Memorial Service for
Betty Mogensen (C/PH)
- 4:00 PM Memorial Service for
Brian Campbell (C)

Sunday, September 21

- 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (C)
- 9:15 AM Family Service (Cpl)
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (C)
- 11:15 AM Coffee Hour (L)
- 11:15 AM Outreach Meeting (Cpl)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coventry Supper sign-ups still open: Want to enjoy fellowship with other members of St. Andrew's? Join Coventry Suppers! If you missed last Sunday's kickoff event, contact Susan Wakefield (susan.e.wakefield@gmail.com) for more information or to join a group.

Actors Needed for *Our Scottish ConneXion*! In five vignettes, the play touches on some of the connections between Scotland, St. Andrew (the person), the Episcopal Church, and our very own St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. There are many parts for all ages. The play will be presented during the 10:00 am service on Sunday, November 9, with four Saturday rehearsals starting on October 18 at 11:00 am. For more information, contact Norm Richert at nrichert@comcast.net.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Division Street Pipes returns to St. Andrew's! *Thursdays at 12:15 pm in the Church, through December 4.* Each recital will feature talented students and faculty of the U-M Organ Department. These 30-minute performances are free and open to the public.

Join us this Thursday, September 18, for a **performance by our very own Organ Scholar, Oliver Steissberg!** Oliver's set will include *Organ Sonata VI* based on "Vater Unser im Himmelreich" by F. Mendelssohn, and *Prelude on 'the Lone Wild Bird'* by the living American composer, George Baker.

MUSIC NOTES

Hymn 645: *The King of Love my Shepherd is*

One of our most beautiful hymns is this paraphrase of Psalm 23. In its words Sir Henry William Baker (1821-1877), a devoted High Church vicar in western England, captures God's joy in finding and retrieving us, which Jesus describes in today's gospel lesson. The word "rejoicing" in the third verse makes us pause to reflect that Jesus, our Good Shepherd, has sought us out and is glad to carry us home. Friends reported that this was the last thing Sir Henry said before he died. -- Donna Wessel Walker

***The Lord Is My Shepherd* (Rutter)**

John Rutter (b. 1945) studied music at Clare College, Cambridge. He was Director of Music there from 1975 to 1979. In 1981, he founded the Cambridge Singers as a professional chamber choir primarily dedicated to recording. He is a Fellow of the Guild of Church Musicians, established by the Archbishop of Canterbury in 1888 to encourage high standards of church music, and an honorary Fellow of Westminster Choir College in Princeton, New Jersey. This morning's anthem, a setting of Psalm 23, was originally composed as a stand-alone work but later incorporated into his *Requiem* as Movement VI. -- Dennis Powers

(C): Church; (CL): Choir Loft; (Cpl): Chapel; (L): Lounge; (PH): Parish Hall; (Z): Zoom
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