St. Andrew Lutheran Church September 2024 Encounter

From Pastor Jenna Pulkowski Pastor's Pen



Dear St. Andrew Family of Faith,

As the summer fades and we welcome the crisp days of September, I'm reminded of all the

beautiful ways that God weaves rhythms of change into our lives. The leaves have already started to take on their autumnal hues and make way for new growth, and it makes me wonder how else God is inviting us to embrace new beginnings.

While I'll be on leave for September, October, and November—welcoming our own new life into the world!—there's a sense of renewal that the church also gets to enjoy. Whether it's the start of a new school year, the return to routines, or the anticipation of upcoming church events, it's a time to refocus, recharge, and recommit ourselves to the paths God has laid before us.

In Ecclesiastes 3:1, we read, "To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven." This verse serves as a powerful reminder that each season of our lives, whether one of joy or challenge, can and will be transformed by God to God's good purposes. As we step into this new season, God invites us to be mindful of the opportunities for growth, learning, and service placed before us.

New beginnings aren't just about starting fresh; they are about building on the foundations of faith, love, and community that we have established together. This month, as we embark on new initiatives and continue with our ongoing ministries, I encourage each of you to consider how you can contribute to our shared mission to be a church where all are welcomed, fed, and nourished in the name of Jesus Christ. Whether

Updates of Particular Note

- DON'T MISS
- Office Closed 9/2 Labor Day
- Rally Day 9/8 Jenny Paddock
- Garden Offerings TODAY
- Main Entry Power Door
- Sunday School 2024-2025 read update
- Boo Bash October 19
- Quilting Ministry Update
- Church & Office Updates

Office Closed in Observance of Labor Day 9/2: The church office will be closed in observance of the Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 2. Pastor Jenna will be available by phone if needed for emergencies.

SALC Calendar: Keep up on everything happening at St. Andrew through our Google calendar. You can find it here—https://standrewmundelein.com/calendar/. To add it to your iCal or Google calendar, click the "+ Google Calendar" in the lower right corner of the calendar

Rally Day 2024:

Rally Day 9/8: A HUGE thank you to Jenny Paddock for taking on the coordination role for Rally Day, but she can not do it alone! A separate email with what we need help with will go out tomorrow. In the meantime, please contact Jenny if you're able to help! Her email is: jasmich09@gmail.com

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Quilters' Crossing

Your St Andrew quilting ministry is one of the longest running ministries of OUR CHURCH!

We were running short on fabric to continue making the quilt tops and sheets to be used for backs... Thankfully, we have recently received a few large donations of both material and sheets "SEW" we can continue to forge ahead! THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

We are also working on our Baby Care Kits and can use more sleepers or pajamas (size 6 to 24 months) and light weight blankets such as the "receiving blanket" type. These donations can be dropped off to the church office or put in the bins at the bottom of the stairs leading to the fellowship hall where we do our work. We continue to be so blessed by the support we receive and the hands that do the cutting, sewing and tying to complete our "gifts" to some of those less fortunate than we all are!

Please watch for an opportunity in the future where you can own one of our creations!

Remember there is always room for YOU if you like to sew, would like to try your hand at sewing or you can tie a knot! We meet each Thursday from 9-12; come when you can and leave when you must. We don't punch a time clock and you can be late (ask me; I usually get there well after 9). We have good conversation, good fellowship and treats! Contact the church office for more information or talk to me, Judy Parriott or Debbie Jacobson on Sunday morning.

Hugs and Blessings! Lyn H and the Quilters

Editor's Notes

Information to share, thank-yous, articles, notes, stories or <u>pictures</u>, (many photographers needed!) please continue to email them to:

dehamm@comcast.net. - Please put <u>ENCOUNTER</u> in the <u>subject header</u>. Next Due Date will Be Monday, September 15th



September 1 -- 15th Sunday after Pentecost Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9 Psalm 15 James 1:17-27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

September 8 -- 16th Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 35:4-7a Psalm 146 James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17 Mark 7:24-37

September 15 -- 17th Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 116:1-9 James 3:1-12 Mark 8:27-38

September 22 -- 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 11:18-20 Psalm 54 James 3:13--4:3, 7-8a Mark 9:30-37

September 29 -- 19th Sunday after Pentecost

Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29 Psalm 19:7-14 James 5:13-20 Mark 9:38-50

Men's Breakfast

Our Men's Breakfast group meets for breakfast at Mauri's Restaurant 510 E.Hawley St., Mundelein,

Every second and fourth Tuesday of the month. We start at: 9:00 AM and end at 10:00 AM

All St. Andrew Men are welcome for faith, food and fellowship.

Small Bathroom, BIG remodeling!

Please stop and take a look! The nursery bathroom is fresh, clean, newly painted with a new sink and toilet.

The small bathroom by the nursery, in upper Nelson Hall has had a wonderful make-over. The needed improvements had been noticed by many, but the kick-starting to this needed project was by a generous donation towards its completion.

The bathroom now has a new tile floor, a new full-size toilet (replacing the kiddy size), a new sink and faucet and new paint. A special thank-you to Chris Binversie for volunteering to head up this project and actively working with his talented crew on its transformation.

Although our main bathrooms are located downstairs, this little bathroom is especially convenient with its location next to the nursery. In the meantime, we are looking for a step stool and faucet extender to help make it easier for our littles to wash their hands in the grown up sink. If you have either of those lying around the house, we'll gladly take them off your hands.

Thank you again to all that noticed the needed improvement, the donations to offset the expenses and the talented craftsmen that made it happen!



Flowers for the Altar

If you would like to continue our tradition of sponsoring flowers for the altar, please either email the date and information to Anita or sign up on the flower calendar outside of Pastor's office. The cost is \$20. Sponsors for the eternal candle are \$20 for the month. There are still openings in the next couple of months. Let's continue to beautify and light our church with memories and remembrances and honors!!

Children's Message A special time of our service.



The Children's Message is a special part of our service that is enjoyed by both the children and the adults. We have several great presenters of this children's message that have that gift of connecting with the children and keeping their attention. Bill List, shown here, is connecting with the children with a message that is coordinated with the Bible readings and the sermon for this Sunday.

St. Andrew Garden & Flower Report - Dale Hamblin

Dear Church Members:

Garden keeps getting better, but apologize for cosmos again taking over the front flower bed and my dahlias only growing 2 1/2' tall. (I am trying to find a new color in cosmos!)

Bought and transplanted Irises, I will try to finish planting and moving the mulch to the right spot soon. I am going to do some fall planting hopefully with the CubScouts, with seeds that survive the winter(sunflowers, tomatoes, cosmos, irises, cilantro, etc)

Rabbits are a main problem, gonna cure with a fence next year. Next years garden will incorporate the same basic design and soon I will be having a compost bin at church where I want (need) every waste that's not meat or bones! Look for it in September (maybe by the back door North of AC units)! Next year' we will plant more of the good tomato varieties in groups of 4-6.

At church, in North West corner there 9 CHERRY type tomatoes AVAILABLE for ANY CHURCH member to PICK now! Just contact me that you are picking. Park at Church!

Succession planting worked for zucchini, tomatoes, and beans so should have crops till frost! Cucumbers no! Planted 100 pea seeds got about 10 to germinate so we will have some peas soon.

Anne and I will bring some special dips to snack on these after service

when they're ripe!

Tried cabbage, rabbits said thank you! Tomatoes- 24 in 1 row Tomatoes - 25 in another row Tomatoes, CHERRY northwest corner, - 9- in a row! Tomatoes late ones-7 Peas- 2 kinds Peppers Sweet, Hot, 63 plants Beans, 10 varieties, most ok if fence around them Misc lettuce I forget to pick! Radishes, ok Potatoes, not too good! Onions, ok Marigolds, pulled out 15 I planted thinking they were weeds Swiss Chard- soon Spinach- early in year, took to Cool Kohlrabi- took to Cool Cucumbers- some but not many, last planting rabbits ate all 3! Pumpkins a few Squash- good year, plenty Zucchini- too many problems on early ones, late ones seem better! Have a cover for plants next year to protect against bugs!

Dale, Below Tomatoes went to Cool 2weeks ago!



Pastor's Pen - from pg one

it's through prayer, volunteering, or simply offering a kind word to a fellow congregant, your involvement is vital to the life of our church.

As we journey through September, may we do so with hearts full of gratitude for the seasons past and with hope for the season to come. We can embrace the changes ahead, knowing that God walks with us every step of the way.

Peace, Pr Jenna





STEWARDSHIP - WE ARE "TOGETHER FOR JOY"

"I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart; down in my heart; down in my heart.

I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart. Down in my heart to stay!"

I've got the wonderful love of my Blessed Redeemer way down in the depths of my heart; down in the depths of my heart; down in the depths of my heart. I've got the wonderful love of my Blessed Redeemer way down in the depths of my heart; down in the depths of my heart to stay!"

How can we keep from singing? We have been so blessed here at St. Andrew for over 75 years! As we move ahead with a bit of different worship style but TOGETHER, "WITH ONE VOICE" as a place "where all are welcome, fed and nourished in the name of Jesus Christ", let us remember that we are all God's children and we can experience the joy of being part of such a faithful and loving faith community. Soon we will be sending out materials for our fall Stewardship campaign "Together for Joy", where

we will all be invited to continue our commitment to our faith family. Each one of us is an integral part of our family of faith here at St. Andrew. We recently welcomed 3 new families to be our brothers and sisters here - we are all here to support each other, encourage each other, and help each other to grow in our faith so we can experience that JOY of knowing our Saviour and Blessed Redeemer! If you know of someone who has been "missed", please reach out to them; call them and let them know that we have missed them! Thank you to those who have already agreed to reach out to our inactive members and also to those who have been part of our evangelism effort to so openly welcome others!

Please watch and listen for information regarding our stewardship plan and pray as we move toward 2025. What is YOUR PART in our faith life? Please let me know if you would like to share a few words in worship on what St. Andrew means to you and what joy you feel as a part of our community. There are so many amazing opportunities here! We need your financial support so we can be open to all but we also need you to share your time and talents - we are one body but with many parts to work together.

We expect to have all information and materials out to you by the end of September. Commitment Sunday will be October 27 to give the Council and Finance team more time to put together the budget for 2025. Let's continue to PRAY AND SUPPORT each other as we move ahead!

Lord, thank You for allowing us each to bring our own strengths to Your table. Help us use them to encourage others, always. - Amen.

See you in Church!!

Lyn H and the Stewardship Team



New Member Sunday & Potluck:

It was so exciting to welcome 3 new households to this amazing family of faith in worship on Sunday, August 18, and then to celebrate with a potluck after worship!





PRAYER VENTURES September 2024

"It is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: sexual immorality, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, debauchery, envy, slander, pride, folly" (Mark 7:21-22). Recognizing that evil intentions and actions come from the human heart, confess your weakness to God, who is rich in mercy and loves us even in our imperfection.

2 Labor Day Recognize and pray for the work people do to sustain their families and benefit their communities and society. Pray that all will receive fair wages, work in safe environments, be renewed through times of sabbath, and experience joy and fulfillment in their labor. Pray for those who seek employment and for the care, support and well-being of people unable to work.

3 National Suicide Prevention Month Pray for those who feel lonely, depressed and hopeless, that they will find compassion and spiritual renewal in times of darkness and suffering. Ask the Spirit how we might best respond to our neighbors and siblings in Christ who are struggling.

4 Ask the Spirit to help us be doers and hearers of the word of God, looking beyond our own needs and attending to the needs of our suffering neighbors.

5 Give thanks for the thousands of young people who attended the ELCA Youth Gathering in July and raised nearly \$100,000 for Generation Zero-Hunger, supporting ELCA World Hunger in its work to end hunger and poverty and to transform lives, families and communities around the world.

6 Pray for communities and congregations vulnerable to the hurricanes, that they will be prepared, resilient and ready to serve their neighbors impacted by severe weather. Give thanks for the many ways — immediate and long term — that Lutheran Disaster Response gathers resources to relieve suffering, support recovery and healing, and stir hope.

- Pray for ELCA campus ministries across the country as they engage students, faculty, staff and others to experience God's abundant grace through worship, study, fellowship, service and pastoral care.
- 8 "God's work. Our hands." Sunday On this annual day of service, give thanks for the opportunity to celebrate who we are as the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America — one church, freed in Christ to love and serve our neighbor. Give thanks for our partnerships of compassion, service and advocacy with other congregations and ecumenical partners, Lutheran health and human service agencies, and community organizations.
- 9 "I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long" (Psalm 146:2). Thank God for all we have and for God's loving and merciful presence in our lives.
- 10 Remember those who deliver food, goods and other resources by truck, merchant ship or train, across the country and around the world. Pray for their safety and well-being, especially when they are separated from family, friends and community. Pray that their loneliness might be eased by the knowledge that we are always connected, as children of God and siblings in Christ, through a faith that has no bounds.
- 11 Pray for ELCA missionaries and International Women Leaders serving alongside our global companions in the Middle East and North Africa to share the good news of Jesus Christ, advocate for justice and peace, support communities and leaders, and invite all to journey together as children of God.
- 12 Ask the Spirit to strengthen our faith in God's immeasurable power to heal, renew and create hope where there is tragedy, suffering and despair. Pray that God will equip us to respond to our neighbors in need and to bear hope, healing and love into the world.

13 Remember in prayer young adults using their faith, gifts and passion in the church, the work-place, the military, volunteer organizations and community service agencies.

14 Racism and bias are persistent and perplexing problems that infect our society, church, institutions and systems. Ask God to forgive us when we disparage and separate ourselves from children of God whom we perceive to be different and less valued. Pray for the courage, wisdom and humility to confront our biases and to strive for love, respect, equity and unity.

15 *First Day of Hispanic Heritage Month* Give thanks to God for the gifts, contributions and rich cultural diversity of our Latiné neighbors and siblings in Christ. Pray for the growth and vitality of the ELCA's 147 Latiné ministries as they share the gospel, support rostered and lay leaders, promote inclusivity and diversity, and serve their neighbors. Pray for the Spirit to guide and further the work of the ELCA Latino Ministries Association.

16"[Jesus] asked [the disciples], 'But who do you say that I am?'" (Mark 8:29). Pray for the Spirit to help us express our faith in Jesus Christ as Son of the living God — our savior, liberator, teacher, healer and true hope for the world.

17 Give thanks for the Christian Education Network of the ELCA, which connects professionals and volunteers and encourages their mutual care and support as they serve in vocations of lifelong faith formation in congregations and other ministries.

18 "[The Lord has] delivered my soul from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling" (Psalm 116:8). Give thanks and praise to God for hearing our pleas, responding, and accompanying us through every difficulty.

19 Pray that we might honor our Creator by treating people with love and mercy, giving thanks for what we have, practicing generosity, managing natural resources responsibly and telling others of God's amazing power and grace.

20 Recognizing that we each have strengths and shortcomings, pray that we will attend to one another's needs, mindful of God's forgiveness and grace that surround us and of our renewal in the sacraments of Holy Baptism and Holy Communion.

21 Thank God for the ELCA's special relationship with the United Church of Christ, a full communion partner since 1997. Pray for the church, its members and its leaders, that together we will find strength, resources and encouragement for the work of sharing the gospel, serving our neighbor and growing the church. 22Pray for a spirit of humility and attentiveness to the needs of our neighbor, a spirit shaped by the example of Jesus Christ and uninterested in personal recognition, reward or praise.

23 Pray for those gathered in Portland, Ore., for the conference offered by the ELCA Stewardship and Generosity team in partnership with the Presbyterian Foundation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Ask God to bless their time together, to strengthen stewardship leaders, to equip them with tools to encourage congregational generosity, and to cultivate new approaches to supporting Christ's mission in the world.

24 Ask God to bless our synod bishops, presiding bishop and secretary as they gather in Chicago for the Conference of Bishops, that they might support and encourage one another and help identify, invite and equip new leaders in the church.

25 Pray that our actions, words and relationships will reflect the love of God, which stirs humility, joy, kindness and generosity.

26 Pray that God will strengthen and guide us in the essential work of ending poverty, hunger and homelessness, here and around the world, for the sake of humanity and to honor God as our creator and source of life.

27 Give thanks that God is our help and strength in every situation, and that our faith will be sustained through the work of the Spirit and the care we receive from our siblings in Christ.

28 "Could it be that we are called for such a time as this?" (All Creation Sings 1003). In this time of unrest and uncertainty we may feel that we have nothing of significance to offer. Pray that we will hear and respond to God's call to use our unique gifts, experiences and wisdom to be an active, compassionate and faithful presence in the world.

29 Rejoice and give thanks to God for empowering us to gather our strength and resources as communities of faith, serving our neighbors in need in ways we could never imagine on our own.

30 Pray for the new members of your congregation, that they will feel included in a faith community that responds to their need for spiritual growth, shares in their joys and sorrows, and welcomes their diverse gifts for doing God's work in the world.

PEOPLE POWER – SEPTEMBER 2024

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| Sunday, September 8 | 9:30 a.m. | |
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Scouting News

Our older scouts, Bears & AOLs, were lucky enough to enjoy a tour of our local waste water treatment facility this morning! We appreciate our community and village employees teaching our scouts about the waste water process and for taking this time out of their weekend!

We enjoyed learning the scientific process behind how our waste water is processed. The kids especially enjoyed learning about the microorganisms that help process the sludge!

A very special thanks to Don Tunison & Roger Wickersheim for giving us this awesome tour!



Social Media and Pack Activities Amy Dattalo

In the last year, Pack 98 has grown from 9 scouts to 20 scouts. We added our first girl Cub Scouts in June 2024 (siblings). We have a very active pack that has two pack meetings and a minimum of 1 special weekend activity per month (usually more). Participating in the council's popcorn fundraiser (for the first time in 4 years) has allowed the pack the ability to expose the scouts and their families to new exciting experiences!! We have also tried to connect and participate in more community events and connect to our community. Which, I believe has aided in our growth.

This last month, the council and the pack helped a family that needed financial assistance to participate in scouting. This year, during popcorn fundraiser, the pack has a goal to establish a budget for scholarships and community projects.

In June, we hosted a FREE bike rodeo to teach kids about bike safety. We had 60 kids sign up to participate. This summer we had three scouts go to Makajawan for Akela camp. This is the first time someone from our pack has attended in several years.

Last year, with the funds from popcorn sales, we were able to make t-shirts and sweatshirts for the pack to show are unity and pride.

We appriciate the church's continued support and charter of our pack. I am sorry we don't express that more.

Thank you, Beth Schulman Pack 98 - Committee Chair

For Information about Pack 98... pack98standrews@gmail.com.



Pack 98 Activities and Adventures



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September 2024

New Power Door

As part of our work to be a welcoming congregation, we recognized that even entering the building can be a barrier to some folks. To that end, the Council has worked to provide and install a front entrance power door for our main building entrance (the west parking lot), and it is up and running! Thank you Rich Rieck for the excellent installation, and Steve Payne for providing the materials.

To enter the building when the door is unlocked: You will have to push the power button to the right of the far right door. The button is located on a post in the garden bed. You cannot pull the door open, even if it's unlocked.

When the door is locked: To enter, you will need to use your key to enter the building OR ring the doorbell. To exit, push the door open as you normally would.



To exit the building when the door is unlocked: Simply walk up to the door, and the interior sensor will open the door!

High School Youth | Children, Youth,

Calling all 8th-12th graders! We're excited to be partnering with Grace Lutheran this year to offer regular youth group gatherings and fellowship. To help us plan, we're asking that families register their 8th-12th graders here: https://salcmundelein. breezechms.com/form/HSYG.

SALC Bible Study

We meet next week on Wednesday, August 21st at 10am as we continue our journey through the book of Genesis! All are welcome at any time. If you are unable to join us in person, we also have a Zoom link available for you. - SALC Bible Study Zoom

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8236006 2458?pwd=dFZDbXV6RFE2Qzl2d 1Y3cEt0TFVKdz09

Meeting ID: 823 6006 2458 Passcode: 355302

People Power

"People Power", i.e. Volunteers for Sunday Worship Service: Please see information in the narthex explaining volunteer opportunities to help within worship services (altar guild, communion assistant, usher, lay reader, assisting minister, media tech, etc). A sign-up sheet is also available, if you'd like to lend some help! If questions, please see Anita or talk to Pastor Jenna.

Nursery Support:

Please help us to keep the nursery tidied! We'd appreciate your help in keeping that space tidied and cleaned up. (Come see the new *bathroom make-over*). Thank you for your help!

& Family Ministries

Confirmation 2024-2025

If your kid/s will be in Confirmation this year, please register them here: https://salcmundelein.breezechms.com/form/269fe5. An email has already gone out to all identified families with the necessary information and calendar for the year. If you haven't received that, please contact Pr Jenna ASAP.

Sunday School 2024-2025

the first day of Sunday School will be Sunday, September 15th! For families with children PreK through 6th grade, please fill out the registration form here: https:// salcmundelein.breezechms.com/ form/SundaySchoolReg90.

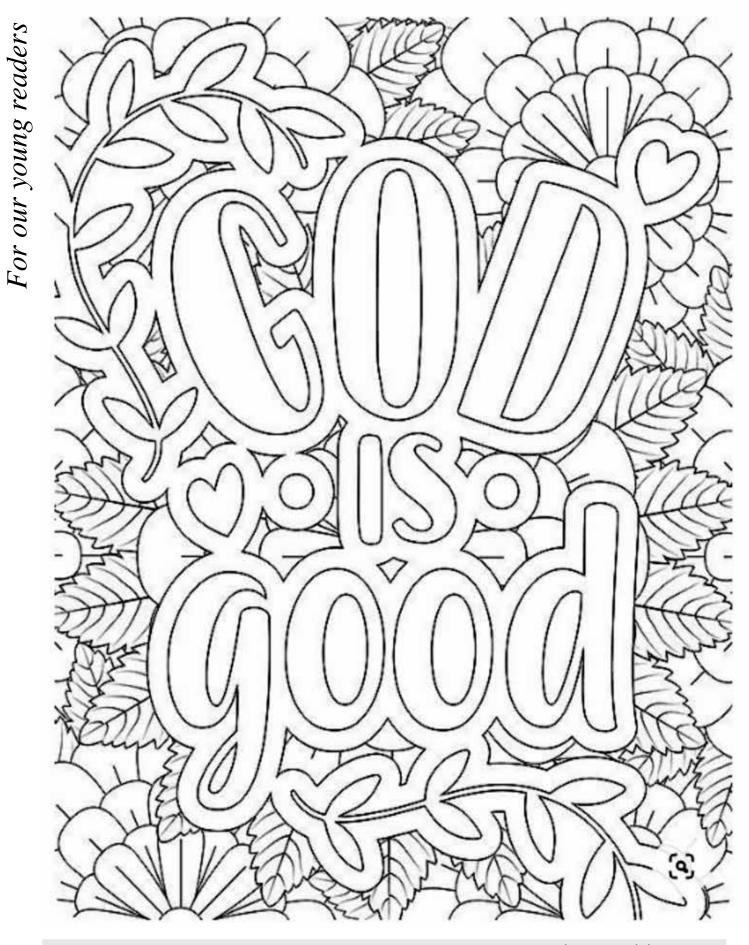
We are also looking for donations to help make the Sunday School environment fun and safe during the school year. If you wish to donate any supplies or snacks, please consider signing up for an item and dropping off to the Sunday School office by September 15th:

https://signup.com/go/WYRmXxo

TREASURER'S REPORT

July 2024

Total Income: ...\$23,142.82 Total Expense:..\$25,720.24 Net:.....\$-2,577.42



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All are Welcome...

The Sunday Morning Worship Schedule is:

Worship will be one blended service, held at 9:30 AM.



Sunday Service can be viewed at www.standrewmundelein.com

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Summer Worship Schedule!

Summer worship schedule has moved to a oneservice worship schedule for the summer.

Worship will be at 9:30 am each week, and will generally alternate worship styles.



St. Andrew Quilters donated over 300 quilts to Lutheran Workld Relief

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