

Third Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

Please silence all electronic devices and prepare for worship.

PRELUDE *Although I Speak With Angel's Tongue* [arr. John Leavitt]

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DAY Pastor McEachran

HYMN *We Are Baptized in Christ Jesus* ELW Hymn 451

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

APOSTOLIC GREETING

A The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C And also with you.

KYRIE ELW page 138

HYMN OF PRAISE ELW page 140

PRAYER OF THE DAY

(congregation is seated)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE *Family* Pastor McEachran

WORD

FIRST LESSON Jeremiah 20:7-13

L Word of God.

C Word of Life.

RESPONSE *Change My Heart, O God* ELW Hymn 801

SECOND LESSON Romans 6:1b-11

L Word of God.

C Word of Life.

(congregation stands)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW page 142

P The Good News of Jesus according to Matthew.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL Matthew 10:24-39

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

- C** Congregation
- A** Assisting Minister
- P** Pastor

Today's Theme

Jesus is clear that when He called His disciples He would one day send them to witness and serve. As those sent, we seek to be faithful in the face of every challenge and opportunity to be faithful in mission.

Little Disciples Tip

Confession and Forgiveness: Whisper to your children that this is when we tell God we are sorry.

SERMON

So go!

Pastor McEachran

1. Faithful and Fearless
2. Commitment and Stewardship
3. Celebration...Couarge...Contentment...Collaboration

HYMN OF THE DAY *Will You Come and Follow Me* ELW Hymn 798

APOSTLES' CREED

A We confess our faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed.

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

THE PRAYERS

A Hear us, O God.

C **Your mercy is great.**

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

(shared in community)

OFFERING

The Lord's Prayer
Tom Getzinger, soloist

[Albert Hay Malotte]

(congregation stands)

OFFERTORY VERSE

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OFFERTORY PRAYER



GREAT THANKSGIVING

SANCTUS

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WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C 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 forever. Amen.

(congregation is seated)

LAMB OF GOD

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COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Borning Cry ELW Hymn 732
Children of the Heavenly Father ELW Hymn 781
Let Us Break Bread Together ELW Hymn 471

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

P May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,
strengthen and keep you in God's loving grace, now and forever.
C Amen.

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE

ELW 204

PRAYER

S E N D I N G

BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN *On Our Way Rejoicing* ELW Hymn 537

A Go in peace and live in Christ.
C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE *Celebration* [John Leavitt]

P A R T I C I P A N T S

- Presiding Minister* Pastor James N. McEachran
- Director of Music Ministries/Organist* Dr. Will Simpson
- Assisting Minister* Dick Swaisgood
- Communion Assistant* Judy Gowdy
- Acolyte* Isabel Weibel
- Altar Guild* Elmer Neu and Signe Wraith
- Greeters* Shirley and Dean Hobson
- Lector* Joni Barrott
- Ushers* Kit and Jan Bowerman
- Coffee Hosts* Outreach and Servant Ministries Committee

Unless otherwise noted, Scripture readings are from the NRSV.

W E L C O M E

TODAY AT SAINT ANDREW'S

† **The SEMI-ANNUAL CONGREGATION MEETING** is TODAY following the 9:30 am worship service. This is a regularly scheduled mid-year meeting to review progress toward congregational objectives. We will hear updates about mission and ministry. Please join us!

† **SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE:** Our summer worship schedule is *one worship service at 9:30 am*, followed by a time of fellowship hosted by various committees and groups. This schedule continues through **September 3**.

SERMON SERIES

† **JUNE SERMON SERIES:** Pastor McEachran's sermons in June have focused on Mission through the words of our mission statement: gather, encourage, equip, send. Readings, hymns, and questions for reflection focus us each week:

G A T H E R	<p>June 4 Acts 2:1-21 John 7:37-39 Hymn of the Day, #400: <i>God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind</i> Why do we gather? With whom do we gather? How do we become an inviting congregation that others might gather with us?</p> <p>CELEBRATION</p>	E N C O U R A G E	<p>June 11 Jeremiah 1:4-10 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20 Hymn of the Day, #412: <i>Come, Join the Dance of Trinity</i> Where have you felt encouraged within our congregation? How do you encourage others?</p> <p>COURAGE</p>
E Q U I P	<p>June 18 Exodus 19:2-8a Romans 5:1-8 Matthew 9:35--10:8 Hymn of the Day, #579: <i>Lord, You Give the Great Commission</i> What does it mean to be called? How are you equipped to serve and to respond by saying "Here I am, send me?"</p> <p>CONTENTMENT</p>	S E N D	<p>June 25 Jeremiah 20:7-13 Romans 6:1b-11 Matthew 10:24-39 Hymn of the Day, #798: <i>Will You Come and Follow Me</i> Mission is God's plan to witness and live in Christ. Where have you been sent? Where do you serve as one sent in mission into the world?</p> <p>COLLABORATION</p>

NEXT SUNDAY AT SAINT ANDREW'S

🕒 **NAME TAGS:** The first Sunday of the month is the time to wear name tags. This is a wonderful way to get acquainted and greet those around you.

🕒 **BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK:** Come to Room 212 following the 9:30 am worship service. Health care professionals from Health and Wholeness Ministry will take your blood pressure and discuss concerns.

🕒 **WORSHIP SERVICE CAPTIONING:** Please note that next Sunday's worship service will not be captioned. Our next captioned service will be Sunday, **July 16**, at 9:30 am.

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES...SUNDAYS

Please note the dates, times, and locations for this class

☞ **EARLY SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: PROPHETS: ELIJAH, ELISHA, AND OBADIAH??**
Sundays, **through July 30, 8:15 am**, 322/Conference Room

Facilitators: Jean Wahlstrom and Marvin Kananen

Come join us as we look at the role of the prophets in general. Then we narrow our focus to two well-known prophets: ELIJAH and ELISHA in the BOOK OF KINGS as to their unique roles and impact on the History of Israel. In the midst of these (on the one week Jean will be gone) studies, we consider the message of one of the deservedly so lesser known prophets, OBADIAH. Always, pondering their potential influence on our world today. You are welcome for one or all of the studies; coffee and 'something for the other hand' will also be available.

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES...DURING THE WEEK

☞ **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Monday-Friday, **July 10-14**, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon each day at Saint Andrew's
Mark your calendars for "**Maker Fun Factory**" VBS: a world where curious kids become hands-on inventors who discover they're lovingly crafted by God.
This year for VBS, we will partner with the congregations of Our Savior Lutheran Church and Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church (both in Issaquah).

- Classes are for 4-year-olds to youth entering 7th grade in Fall 2017.
- Older youth and adults are key to the success of VBS by volunteering to help with teaching, games, crafts, music, and more! Help is also needed before VBS to prepare materials. Sign up to help with an email to Emily Harrow or online at www.vbsvolunteer.SALChome.org.
- The cost is \$15 per student age 4 through Grade 4; \$25 per student in Grades 5-7; with a \$35 family maximum. These prices increase after July 1.
- Visit www.vbs.SALChome.org or check the table in the Narthex to register and/or volunteer. Contact Director of Discipleship Ministries Emily Harrow, emily@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529, for more information.



☞ **TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

Presenter: Pastor McEachran

Every Tuesday beginning **September 12**, 10:00 am, 322/Conference Room

We will resume again on Tuesday, **September 12**, for a ten week study over-viewing the Gospels. How did we get them? Why are they different? Are there more than four?

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES...YOUTH

- * **GOD SQUAD** (youth in grades 9-12): Our **Summer 2017 Mission Trip** is **July 16-21** to Chicago to work with Center for Student Missions (CSM). Our students will learn, minister, and be exposed to new situations, opportunities and physical surroundings that will challenge their stereotypes and assumptions. Our next Mission Trip Team meeting is Sunday, **July 9**, at 10:45 am. Speak with Emily Harrow, emily@SALChome.org, for more information.

OUTREACH AND SERVANT MINISTRIES

- ♥ **SHORT-TERM COMMITMENT...SUMMER and SUBSTITUTE DRIVERS FOR CHICKEN SOUP BRIGADE:** Saint Andrew's is a distribution hub for weekly deliveries of meals for Chicken Soup Brigade (Lifelong). Meals and groceries are picked up at Saint Andrew's on Thursdays and delivered to homebound chronically ill individuals on the Eastside. The delivery time is 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm on **Thursday** afternoons with around 4 to 5 stops. *More volunteers are needed, especially for the summer months*, to be substitute drivers and to cover weeks where regular volunteers are on vacation. You will need to attend an orientation. If you are interested in serving in this way, contact Outreach and Servant Ministries committee chair Marlyn Thorpe.
- ♥ **CORNER OF BLESSING/HOPELINK:** Each month, we collect one food item in the Corner of Blessing. All donations help feed those in our community who are hungry. In **June**, we are collecting "**peanut butter**" and **jam/jelly**. Alternate butters like almond butter, etc. are also very welcome! Jars sized approximately 16 ounces of the butters are best...either glass or plastic AND we'll happily take the natural kind. Also, average sizes on jam/jelly are preferred...not the warehouse sizes, please. For more information, contact Debbie Szabo.
- ♥ **COLLECTIONS:** Dorcas Circle, Health and Wholeness Ministry, and Outreach and Servant Ministries welcome your contributions for Lutheran World Relief, Compass Housing Alliance, Congregations for the Homeless, and The Sophia Way. Lists of needed items are in the baskets near the elevator in the Narthex. Donations can be placed in the same baskets
- ♥ **SCHOLARSHIP NEEDS FOR STUDENTS IN TANZANIA:** We continue to need funding for students at MaaSAE Girls Lutheran Secondary School and for the MGLSS Post-Secondary Scholarship fund, used for the students who qualified for university study, nursing school, and teacher training. Full year funding for a student at MGLSS in Forms 1-4 is \$1000; in Forms 5-6, \$1200. **ANY AMOUNT** given is helpful. Make contributions by check to "Saint Andrew's" with "MGLSS Post-Secondary Scholarship" in the memo line. All funds will then be forwarded to Operation Bootstrap Africa (OBA). You can also contribute directly to OBA online or by mail.
- ♥ **SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR STUDENTS IN TANZANIA:** The Olson family (Erik, Michele, Kendra, Kate, Michael) and their extended family - 14 in all - are traveling to Iringa, Tanzania to dedicate two wells in Erik's dad's name. They also will be traveling to Arusha. They will bring toys to the Plaster House, AND school supplies for MaaSAE Girls Lutheran Secondary School (MGLSS). The family has the toys they need but welcomes donations of school supplies. Drop donations in the basket in the Narthex before Sunday, **July 16**. Needed items are: pens, pencils, sharpeners, rulers, math sets (compass, etc.), wide-rule composition notebooks, red pens, soft chalk (from stationery store).
- ♥ **THE SOPHIA WAY:** The Sophia Way helps homeless women journey toward independence and a home of their own. Volunteers are needed at the Day Center (at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 3030 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue) to sort donated items they receive, and to help ensure the women there have the clothing they need. To volunteer or for more information, contact their volunteer coordinator Tara, 425-463-6285.

OUTREACH AND SERVANT MINISTRIES



Lutheran World Relief

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF...BIHAR, INDIA

Bihar is a global mission outreach which will engage us in significant outreach in Northeastern India, as part of a sponsored mission through Lutheran World Relief (LWR).

- Our **SPARE CHANGE FOR WATER AND SEEDS** water feature is in the Narthex. Loose change is being gathered to help our Bihar, India community plant and grow vegetables, which in turn help expand their diet, increase year-round food security, provide additional income for their children's education and improve their family and communities economic situations. The water pump display includes stories and pictures of four families from Bihar and how growing these vegetables are so vital to the success and livelihood of themselves and their communities. We invite everyone to bring in spare change for LWR Bihar that will contribute to these agricultural communities. If you wish to donate by check, make it payable to Saint Andrew's and note "Spare Change - Bihar" on the memo line. Please join us and watch how our change provides seeds for wonderful growth for all.
- This global outreach has a lifespan of four years, or more, and will engage 76 villages in three districts, and 4000 families.
- The goals are agricultural improvements, year-round food security for the family, empowering women in the community, and increasing incomes for families. This matches the core values of our Outreach and Servant Ministries: homelessness, food security, and education.
- If you are interested in joining our Bihar Working Group contact Marlyn Thorpe.... To date, Joyce and Brady Kasper, Dick and Debbie Szabo, Marshall Erling and Asha Prasad, Marvin Kananen and Jean Wahlstrom, David Holmes, Jan Monroe, and Marlyn Thorpe have expressed interest in serving.



Remember in prayer this continuing outreach ministry.

Contributions can be made with "Bihar-LWR" in the Memo Line. To date \$7484.32 has been received.

The best source of updated information is at www.lwr.org/bihar

SAINT ANDREW'S OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

✠ **CHICAGO MISSION TRIP:** Our God Squad (high school) Summer 2017 Mission Trip is **July 16-21** to Chicago to work with Center for Student Missions (CSM.) Our mission team has been preparing their hearts for service in the city since January. The team has worked together to create a Vacation Bible School (VBS) program to lead for a group of children living at the Cornerstone Community Outreach Center, a shelter that provides services for mothers and their children, and entire families. Leading VBS will be the main service site for our team in Chicago, but they will have opportunities to serve and learn more about the city in a variety of ways. Please pray for the team as they prepare to leave in July.

✠ **PUSHING THE ENVELOPE....FOR CHICAGO:** Thank you to our supportive congregation! With the "Pushing the Envelope" fundraiser helped us meet our total fundraising goal of \$10,500! The team is ready to serve in Chicago this July. thank you for your donations and prayers.

✠ **GRADUATES:** Each year, we like to recognize those who are graduating from high school and college, and note what their plans are for the next chapter of their lives. Send the information about your graduate to Communications Specialist Susan Hegedus, susan@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529, by Monday, **June 26**, and we'll include it in the next issue of *the VOICE* newsletter.

- ✠ **YOUNG ADULTS** (those who have graduated high school and older): Young adults of Saint Andrew's get together for dinner on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. Our next dinner is Wednesday, **June 28**, at the home of Emily and Adam Harrow. They will serve tacos, and invite everyone to bring a side dish (not a requirement!). As usual, BYOB. Feel free to bring your kiddos, there is plenty of space outside to play. Contact Emily for the address and/or directions. Contact Carolyn McKenna by Monday, **June 26**, if you would like to join us!
- ✠ **TUESDAY MORNING MEN**
Facilitator: Dave Marcrander
Every Tuesday, 6:30 am, Room 212
All Saint Andrew's Men (SAM) are welcome for study, faith growth, prayer, and conversation. We continue our year-long focus on the REFORMATION, in recognition of the 500th anniversary in 2017. We are reading and discussing *My Conversations with Martin Luther*, by Tim Lull. It is a blessing to share this time together in learning and fellowship - please join us!
- ✠ **KATIE LUTHER, THE MUSICAL**
To mark this 500th year of the Reformation, we will welcome Pastor Sara Yoos as a guest artist-in-residence early this fall to partner with our congregation to bring *Katie Luther, The Musical*, to life. Pastor Yoos will lead us through acting, dancing, storytelling, and music that will culminate into performances at Saint Andrew's on **October 20 and 21**. We need you! We are calling upon the actors, musicians, tech savvy (AV), directors, and stage managers of this talented congregation to help us make *Katie Luther, the Musical* a reality! Youth and adults are welcome to participate (ages 5+). To sign up, either complete a form (found in the Narthex) and return it to the church office, or sign up online: visit home.SALChome.org and scroll down to the link for "*Katie Luther, the Musical*".
- ✠ **KNITWITS (Knitting as Witnesses)**
Sunday, **July 9**, 10:45 am, 322/Conference Room
The KnitWits are a fellowship group whose primary mission is to provide items of comfort that are knit or crocheted. All are welcome to join us anytime! Contact Dianne Chong for more information.
- ✠ **JOIN THE SUNDAY SERVERS TEAM:** Take a plunge into something new this summer and try ushering, lecturing or greeting. No experience needed. Sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the narthex – pick your date! Yes, we still need our stalwart regulars, too. Add your name to the dates you want to serve. Questions? Contact Sherry Grindeland, sherry@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529.
- ✠ **COMMUNION BREAD:** Everyone is invited to bake bread used in the Eucharist on Sunday mornings. You can sign up online for a specific Sunday. Links to the sign-up and to the recipe for Luther Bread can be accessed on the Saint Andrew's website: www.worship.SALChome.org. Contact coordinator Jill Nichols-Hicks for more information.
- ✠ **ALL-CHURCH RETREAT:** Our annual All Church Retreat is Friday-Sunday, **August 18-20!** Enjoy the company of family and friends and spend time focused on God. We have reserved group tent spots again at Cougar Rock Campground at Mt. Rainier National Park. For those who do not wish to tent camp, we recommend reserving other lodging as soon as possible. RV spots at Cougar Rock or rooms at the National Park Inn at Longmire, <http://mtrainierguestservices.com/accommodations/national-park-inn/>, may be available. Sign up to let us know you're coming, either in the Narthex or online at www.retreat.SALChome.org.

Stewardship and Finance Update

Contributions and Expenses – 2017 Operating Fund Financial Report: ending May 2017

	<u>May Actual</u>	<u>April Actual</u>	<u>2017 Year-to-Date Actual</u>	<u>2017 Year-to-Date Budget</u>
Contributions/Income	\$ 82,396	\$ 93,825	\$ 374,867	\$ 353,032
Expenses	<u>75,686</u>	<u>77,749</u>	<u>361,374</u>	<u>367,637</u>
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ 6,710	\$ 16,076	\$ 13,493	\$ (14,605)

May contributions continued to be strong and May and year-to-date (YTD) expenses are in line with the budget. These factors have combined to give us a YTD surplus of \$13,493.

Your continued support and gifts to Saint Andrew's for our mission and ministries are greatly appreciated. Thanks be to God!

Your Finance Committee,

John Andresen

Joni Barrott, Congregation Treasurer/Council Liaison

Brady Kasper, Finance Committee Chair

Russ Stark, Staff Accounting Assistant

Jeff Stedman

For Sunday, July 2: Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 28:5-9; Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:40-42

Servers for July 2

Presiding Minister: Pastor James McEachran

Assisting Minister: Sharon Gurtel

Communion Assistant: Art Gurtel

Acolyte: Alden Johnson

Altar Guild: Mary Jo Nelson, Donna Nellist

Greeter: Carol Muecke

Lector: Vishal Erling

Ushers: George and Judi Miller

Coffee Hosts: Finance Committee

DISCIPLEFIT - WALK TO WITTENBERG

The number of miles our teams accumulate in a week continues to be amazing. We now have three teams over 4000 miles and closing in on Wittenberg. Check out the current standings in the Narthex. Everyone is doing a great job to become DiscipleFIT!



WTW.... Luther Fun Fact

Martin Luther was constantly amending his translations. He prepared five original editions of the whole Bible. The last was in 1545, a year before his death.

WALK TO WITTENBERG

Team Progress as of
6/16/2017

Team Name	Captain		Edmonton Alberta	Fort McMurray Alberta	Tadoule Lake Manitoba	Salluit Quebec	Nuuk Greenland	Reykjavic Iceland	Edinburgh Scotland	Hamburg Germany	Wittenburg Germany
		Miles	560	793	1287	2095	2845	3731	4580	5125	5207
Team Alpha	PR Jim McEachran	2,154									
Built On A Walk	Joni Barrott	1,675									
team CROSS sporting club	Scott Lester	4,475									
Davis Carmichael Team	Davis Carmichael	2,121									
Deep Steppers	Dan Johnson	3,542									
Ferris Wheels	Hal Ferris	4,403									
Hannah Wilcox Team	Hannah Wilcox	4,076									
Kendra Mills Team	Kendra Mills	2,603									
Luther 500	Dana Nasby	3,221									
Martin's Marchers	Mary Davis	1,483									
Nailed It	Jon Thorpe	3,363									
Path Finders	Mark Thorpe	1,713									
The Resistance	Jill Nichols-Hicks	2,252									
Saints 500	Dick Swaisgood	2,836									
Voca-Lings	Vanessa Wilkie	2,871									
Walk of Ages	JoAn Elkof	2,766									
The Walk Arounds	Carl Erickson	2,240									
We Are The Fit Witts	Jakki Parks	1,948									
The Wittie Walkers	Erika Cottrell	1,144									

WTW.... Luther Fun Fact

Martin Luther was born in Eisleben, Saxony Germany on November 10, 1483. He was the first child of Hans and Margarethe Luther. He was baptized the next day, on Saint Martin's day, and was named in honor of that saint.

Our goal is for *every team* to reach Wittenberg by **September 4**.

KEEP ON TRUCKIN'!

Worship Service Summary

You are invited to use this as a tool to encourage a new kind of engagement as we gather in worship before we are sent into the world!

Season of the Church Year: _____

Preaching Minister: _____

What stood out to you in the lessons for the day?

List the major points of the sermon:

Name at least two ways this sermon applies to your life:

What questions would you like to have answered about the Scripture lessons, the worship service, or the sermon? Contact Pastor McEachran (jim@salchome.org/ 425-746-2529 ext. 12)
