

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

G A T H E R I N G

Please silence all electronic devices and prepare for worship.

Join us – there’s plenty of room...please help make our summer services a time of sharing pew space. Encourage your family to move closer together to allow late-arrivers space to sit together.

- C** Congregation
A Assisting Minister
P Pastor

PRELUDE *Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord* [Dietrich Buxtehude]

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DAY Pastor McEachran

HYMN *As We Gather at Your Table* ELW Hymn 522

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 147

HYMN OF PRAISE ELW page 149

PRAYER OF THE DAY

(congregation is seated)

A TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Pastor McEachran

Disciple’s Tool Belt

W O R D

FIRST LESSON 1 Kings 3:5-12

L Word of God.

C Word of Life.

PSALM 119:129-136 *(spoken responsively: **A** Assisting Minister; **C** Congregation)*

SECOND LESSON Romans 8:26-39

L Word of God.

C Word of Life.

(congregation stands)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW page 151

P The Good News of Jesus according to Matthew.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52

GOSPEL

- P** The Gospel of the Lord.
- C** Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Missional Direction

Pastor McEachran

1. The Wisdom of God
2. God’s Provision
3. Ready. Set. Grow.

HYMN OF THE DAY

Blessed Assurance

ELW Hymn 638

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.

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

Let Us Break Bread Together [American Folk Melody
arr. Craig Courtney]

Jon Thorpe, baritone; Erin Simpson, soprano
(congregation stands)

OFFERTORY VERSE

ELW 184

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

ELW page 154

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

<i>Come, Let Us Eat</i>	ELW Hymn 491
<i>What Feast of Love</i>	ELW Hymn 487
<i>Blest Be the Tie That Binds</i>	ELW Hymn 656

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 207

PRAYER



BLESSING

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on
 you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and
 give you peace, in the name of the Father, and of the  Son, and of
 the Holy Spirit. *Numbers 6:24-26*
C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN Give to Our God Immortal Praise!

ELW Hymn 848

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

POSTLUDE

Overture

[George F. Handel]

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 Jon Thorpe
Communion Assistant Art Gurtel
Acolyte Collin Feldman
Altar Guild Jill Nichols-Hicks, Carolyn Haralson
Greeter Louise Tollefson
Lector Fred Clarke
Ushers Mark Davis, Brent Hicks
Coffee Hosts Stewardship Committee

Unless otherwise noted, Scripture readings are from the NRSV.

Please note that now through September 1, the church office hours are 8:00 am - 3:00 pm.

W E L C O M E

TODAY AT SAINT ANDREW'S

† A MEMORIAL CELEBRATION OF LIFE for Dave Kolden is today, July 30, at 1:00 pm.

† 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**.

NEXT SUNDAY AT SAINT ANDREW'S

Ⓘ **WE WELCOME PASTOR SHELLEY BRYAN WEE** as our Presiding and Preaching Minister next Sunday, **August 6**. In June, Pastor Wee joined the staff of the Northwest Washington Synod as Assistant to Bishop Kirby Unti. Pastor Wee has served in Montana and Washington in various capacities, including as an associate pastor, lead pastor, and college campus pastor. She has a deep passion in grappling with questions about what it means to be a Christian church today - in this time, in this place, in this moment. Pastor Wee will be formally installed as Assistant to the Bishop on Saturday, **September 23**, at 3:00 pm at St. John United Lutheran Church in Seattle (5519 Phinney Avenue North.)

Ⓘ **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 between 9:30 am and 10:30 am. Health care professionals from Health and Wholeness Ministry will take your blood pressure and discuss concerns.

Ⓘ **WORSHIP SERVICE CAPTIONING:** Next Sunday, real-time captioning of the 11:00 am worship service is available, making our worship service accessible to those who are hard-of-hearing or cannot be at church. You can use your smartphone, PC, or tablet to access the captioning (the sanctuary has a WiFi connection.) Go to: <https://captionsunlimited.lcapapp.com/event/standrews/> (If you see a login page, the captioning is not yet active. Refresh your browser near the beginning of the worship service.) The website displays real-time captions of what is being spoken in the service, similar to closed captioning on television.

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES...DURING THE WEEK

⌘ **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):

- **Summer 2018 Mission Trip Information:** Students entering grades 9-12 and parents: Join us on Sunday, **August 13**, at 10:45 am, in 302/Fellowship Hall South, for a discussion on our three high school trip options for the 2018 summer. Families will have an opportunity to cast their vote on their preferred trip by **August 27**.

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 2 to 4 stops. *Three additional 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 **July and August**, we are collecting **canned meats (SPAM, chicken, tuna, salmon, Vienna sausage)**. These are important sources of protein for those facing hunger in our community. 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.
- ♥ **SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR BELLEVUE CHILDREN:** Help us support Bellevue School District students with donations of backpacks and school supplies. Congregations for Kids will collect the supplies and distribute them to students from low income families. See pages 19-20 for a list of needed items, and bring donations to the box in the Narthex before Sunday, **August 13**. For more information, contact Carolyn Haralson.
- ♥ **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.
- ♥ **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.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF...BIHAR, INDIA



Lutheran World Relief

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 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.
- 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, Dick and Debbie Szabo, the Kasper Family (Brady, Joyce, Jakob McInerney, Quinlan, Abby); the Erling/Prasad Family (Marshall, Asha, Alexander, Vishal, Vristhilata); the Holmes Family (Dave, Danielle, Sydney, Jack); Marvin Kananen and Jean Wahlstrom; Joni Barrott, Ann Thorpe, Beverley Watt, 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

✠ **DORCAS CIRCLE:** The Dorcas Circle meets in Fellowship Hall this Tuesday, **August 1**, at 9:30 am. New people are always welcome to join as we sew quilts, school bags, and complete other projects in response to those in need. We also welcome donations of fabric, sheets, crochet or embroidery thread, quilt batting, sewing supplies, and blankets.

✠ **CONGREGATION HIKE:** Enjoy a beautiful summer day, fresh air, and good fellowship on a hike on nearby Cougar Mountain. On Tuesday, **August 8**, Emily Harrow will lead a hike in Cougar Mountain Regional Wildland Park. The group will meet at the Red Town Trailhead at 12:00 noon. This is a 1.5 - 2 hour hike with an elevation gain is about 500 feet. No parking pass is needed for King County parks. More information about the hike can be found at wta.org/go-hiking/hikes/coal-creek. Sign up in the Narthex by **August 1**.

Directions: From I-90, west of Issaquah, take Exit 13 to Lakemont Blvd SE and head south for about 3 miles. Be alert for a blue and white sign on the left proclaiming "Cougar Mountain Regional Wildland Park - Red Town Trailhead," and turn into the large parking lot. There is room for about 35 cars. Portable toilets generally are available near the information kiosk. Because of past mining activities, there is no potable water in the park.



✠ **UPDATED CHURCH DIRECTORY:** An updated church directory will be mailed in late August as part of a Fall Packet of information. If your address, phone number, or email has changed, please send your updated information to Office Administrator Mary Mills, mary@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529, before Monday, **August 14.**

✠ **MID-WEEK SUPPER AND WORSHIP:** Join us for our next evening worship service on Wednesday, **August 16.** We will gather at 6:15 pm on the lawn for supper, fellowship, and enjoyment in the beauty of God's creation. Supper is "bring your own meal." Please bring lawn chairs or blankets to sit on. Then we move to the Memorial Garden for worship at 7:00 pm. In the solitude of this lovely place we will worship God and bring the day to a close with a blessing of music, scripture, and message.



✠ **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, **August 9.** Contact Carolyn McKenna by Monday, **August 7,** if you would like to join us.

✠ **KNITWITS (Knitting as Witnesses)** Sunday, **August 13,** 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.

✠ **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.

✠ **CHICAGO MISSION TRIP and MISSION TRIP SUNDAY:** Our God Squad (high school) Summer 2017 Mission Trip was July 16-21 in Chicago, where the Team worked with Center for Student Missions (CSM.) Our Mission Team created and led a Vacation Bible School (VBS) program for a group of children living at the Cornerstone Community Outreach Center, a shelter that provides services for families. They also had opportunities to serve and learn more about the city in a variety of ways. **Mission Trip Sunday is August 20.** The Team will help to lead worship and host fellowship following worship. They will share their experiences of mission and serving.

✠ **TIMBER RIDGE GATHERING:** Several members of Saint Andrew's live at Timber Ridge in Issaquah. Bi-monthly worship gatherings at Timber Ridge are planned; the next one is Tuesday, **August 22,** at 1:00 pm. Pastor McEachran and Pastor Wes Telyea from Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah will lead worship. All are invited (members and friends of Saint Andrew's - whether you live at Timber Ridge or not!); inquire at the front desk to Timber Ridge when you arrive and they will direct you to the specific room location.



- ✠ **SAINT ANDREW'S AMBASSADORS:** Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) Trainings: There are three opportunities for training in relation to Saint Andrew's new EOP: 1) CERT Lite-Community Emergency Response Team (light version); The full CERT course is 27 hours. This three hour session will cover essentials of five basic skills: Fire Extinguisher, Disaster Medical, Map Your Neighborhood, Personal Preparedness, Search and Rescue Concepts. This training will be held at Saint Andrew's by the City of Bellevue, Saturday Aug. 26, 9:00 am until noon. 2) Ambassador Training-As part of the new EOP, Saint Andrew's will implement a new Sunday Server position: Ambassador. The job description is to keep a watchful presence in the Narthex during services. You may direct people to the restroom, answer questions about our Ministry offerings, or push a button to trigger a Lockdown and call 911 as the situation dictates. A three hour training will beheld in mid to late August. 3) Congregation EOP training-During Discipleship Hour on Sunday September 10 between services, a training will be held to overview the EOP, what actions it entails, and some emergency preparedness steps you can take at home. This training will be followed by an EOP drill during Discipleship Hour on September 24. If you would like to sign up for either of the first two trainings, please contact Facilities Manager Kurt Lutterman, kurt@SALChome.org.
- ✠ **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 have begun a study of Galatians. After Galatians, we will return to our Reformation focus for the remaining Tuesdays leading to the 500th anniversary. It is a blessing to share this time together in learning and fellowship - please join us!
- ✠ **COMMUNION BREAD:** Everyone is invited to bake bread used in the Eucharist on Sunday mornings. The **August-December** sign-up is now available. 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.

- ✠ **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 are calling upon the actors, musicians, tech savvy (AV), directors, and stage managers of this talented congregation to participate; youth and adults are welcome (age 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*". Auditions for parts are on Sunday, **September 10**, at 1:00 pm. The first rehearsal and read-through of the script is on Tuesday, **September 12**, at 6:30 pm.



- ✠ **TEACHERS, MENTORS, VOLUNTEER TRAINING:** On Sunday, **August 27**, at 10:45 am (following worship), we will provide a teacher, mentor and volunteer training in 302/ Fellowship Hall South. This is for teachers, mentors, and volunteers for Sunday Church School, Affirmation of Baptism/Confirmation, and CrossWalk (high school). The first hour will be spent going over basic protocol, safety, etc. We will also cover protocol during Emily Harrow's leave of absence, and answer any questions. During the second part we will split up into our various volunteer groups. During this time you will receive specific training for the age group you teach/serve, including tips on how to garner attention, some background on development, classroom management, etc. Volunteers and mentors will learn tips on ways to connect with teenagers and suggestions for building meaningful relationships.

- ✠ **BABY SHOWER!** Director of Discipleship Ministries Emily Harrow and husband Adam are expecting a child in late September! All are welcome to a baby shower on Saturday, **September 9**, from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm in 301/Fellowship Hall. Deanna Nowadnick is our guest speaker for the shower. She is a published author, and has been a speaker for our Saint Andrew's women's group in the past. Look for a sign up sheet in the Narthex beginning next Sunday. Contact Jill Nichols-Hicks for more information or to volunteer to help
- ✠ **JOIN THE SUNDAY SERVERS TEAM:** Take a plunge into something new and try ushering, lecturing or greeting. No experience needed. Questions? Contact Sherry Grindeland, sherry@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529.
- ✠ **SMALL GROUPS BEGINNING THIS FALL:** We're forming small groups this fall for fellowship and conversation. We'll enjoy getting to know one another by sharing conversation, some God talk and dessert. Groups will meet on either Friday night or Sunday night monthly from **October to May** in someone's home. Meet at 7:00 pm and say farewell at 8:30 pm. The groups will be small in number (6-10) but mighty in spirit. Would you like to be a leader? A host? Or just show up and enjoy? Initially we will try to divide interested people into geographical areas and/or household demographics (young kids, empty nesters, retirees). Sign up in the Narthex bulletin board, or online at smallgroups.SALChome.org, or contact Sherry Grindeland, sherry@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529. Indicate which night works best for you – Friday or Sunday.

DESIGN ADVISORY GROUP PROGRESS

This team consists of Guy Feldman, Judy Gowdy, Dick Lee, Stephanie Lester, Pastor McEachran, John Nelson, Lucy Sannes (Chair), and Dick Swaisgood.

At the Semi-Annual meeting on June 25, drawings and information were shared about DAG's progress towards plans for a potential building remodel. More detailed drawings and building plans will be shared about the remodel in the coming months, with the goal of holding a special congregation meeting in November 2017 to vote on whether to proceed with construction and a capital campaign.

DAG's work has focused on ministry needs and how a remodeled building can help meet those needs. The construction estimate is \$4,800,000.



What to expect in the coming months.....

- DAG will communicate details of its full study process, including the congregation ministry needs that were identified, ministry to our community through building use, and how those needs translated into the building design.
- Detailed drawings, plans, and costs will be shared.
- Financing options will be shared.
- There will be ample opportunities for questions and input from the congregation.

Continue to look for information in *the VOICE* newsletter, Sunday bulletins and *Trendings* eNews. Questions can be directed to DAG Chair Lucy Sannes or Congregation Council President Scott Lester.



OTHER OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

-  **PASTOR DAVID ELLINGSON PADDLE PILGRIM PRESENTATION:** Pastor Dave Ellingson is presenting stories and photos of his kayaking adventure on the Mississippi River at REI locations. His is an epic tale, told with daily travel posts, reflective ponderings, and stunning pictures from his trip. His presentation will be followed by a Q-&-A for those looking to plan their own paddling adventure!
- Thursday, **August 3**, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm at Alderwood Mall REI - reserve your spot at www.rei.com/events/paddle-pilgrim-an-adventure-kayaking-the-mississippi-river/lynnwood/179898
 - Sunday, **August 13**, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm at Bellevue REI - reserve your spot at www.rei.com/events/paddle-pilgrim-an-adventure-kayaking-the-mississippi-river/bellevue/179922.
-  **LUTHERAN CAMPUS MINISTRY UW:** The Board of Lutheran Campus Ministry to the University of Washington (LCM to the UW) is actively seeking an organized individual to fulfill the volunteer position of Board Secretary to help fulfill the mission of LCM to the UW to “Love All, Seek Justice, Practice Faith”. For more information and a more detailed description of the responsibilities, please contact Tricia Donhowe.



DISCIPLEFIT - WALK TO WITTENBERG

Nailed It led by Jon Thorpe, *Voca-Lings*, led by spread sheet master Vanessa Wilkie, and *Luther 500*, led by Dana Nasby all have guided their teams to Wittenberg. We now have **8 teams that have turned the corner and a few more very close.**

Keep up the good work and look for an all teams celebration in September. Everyone is doing a great job to become DiscipleFIT!

WALK TO WITTENBERG

Team Progress as of
7/14/2017

Team Name	Captain		Seattle Washington	Edmonton Alberta	Fort McMurray Alberta	Tadoule Lake Manitoba	Salluit Quebec	Nuuk Greenland	Reykjavic Iceland	Edinburgh Scotland	Hamburg Germany	Wittenberg Germany
		Return	10414	10181	9621	9127	8319	7569	6683	5834	5289	5207
		Miles	0	560	793	1287	2095	2845	3731	4580	5125	5207
Team Alpha	PR Jim McEachran	3,636										
Team CROSS sporting club	Scott Lester	7,539										
Davis Carmichael Team	Davis Carmichael	3,212										
Deep Steppers	Dan Johnson	5,321										
Ferris Wheels	Hal Ferris	7,332										
Hannah Wilcox Team	Hannah Wilcox	5,360										
Kendra Mills Team	Kendra Mills	4,014										
Luther 500	Dana Nasby	5,625										
Martin's Marchers	Mary Davis	1,483										
Nailed It	Jon Thorpe	5,573										
Path Finders	Mark Thorpe	2,755										
The Resistance	Jill Nichols-Hicks	3,195										
Saints 500	Dick Swaisgood	4,301										
Voca-Lings	Vanessa Wilkie	5,332										
Walk of Ages	JoAn Elkof	5,386										
The Walk Arounds	Carl Erickson	4,123										
We Are The Fit Witts	Jakki Parks	3,602										
Built On A Walk	Joni Barrott	2,715										
The Wittie Walkers	Erika Cottrell	2,493										

WTW.... Luther Fun Fact

Charles V issued the Edict of Worms against Martin Luther that banned his writings and declared him a heretic and a danger to the state.

#25 from Edict of Worms: "Accordingly, in view of all these considerations and the fact that Martin Luther still persists obstinately and perversely in maintaining his heretical opinions, and consequently all pious and God-fearing persons abominate and abhor him as one mad or possessed by a demon...we have declared and made known that said Martin Luther shall hereafter be held and esteemed by each and all of us as a limb cut off from the Church of God, an obstinate schismatic and manifest heretic."



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)



*Bellevue congregations and local organizations helping
Bellevue Public School children and their families*

GOOD START BACK TO SCHOOL

Goal: To provide a “Good Start Back to School” for 1500 Bellevue school children from low income families through donations of new backpacks and school supplies

How:

- 1) Shop for supplies, using this updated list (see next page)
- 2) Make a donation via check payable to “Saint Andrew’s” and clearly marked “CFK Back to School” or payable to “Congregations for Kids/EISCC”. These will be used to buy additional supplies.

Bring items to the collection box in the Narthex, through August 14, 2017

Contact for Questions: Carolyn Haralson



**Help a child make a
Good Start Back to School!
Thank You!!!**

Congregations for Kids 2017 Needed Back to School Supplies

Sturdy Backpacks for all grade levels

- no slings or wheels
- padded backs for grade 4 through High School
- for Middle School and High School: large size, with laptop compartments
- for High School, solid colors only

Composition Books (College Rule)

Erasers (Standard Size Pink)

Glue Sticks

Yellow Highlighters

Markers, Boxes of 8-10,

Thin, Non-Washable, *Crayola Classic Colors*

Markers, Boxes of 8-10,

Wide, Washable, *Crayola Classic Colors*

Pencils, Colored, Boxes of 12 (Crayola Brand)

Pencils, Sets of 10-12 (Ticonderoga Brand)

Report Covers (Folders)

with Pockets and Brads

Scissors, 5" Blunt (ages 4+) (Fiskars Brand)

USB Memory Sticks, 8GB+ (USB Flash Drives)

No gift cards

Checks made payable to Saint Andrew's clearly marked "CFK Back to School"

or

checks made payable to Congregations for Kids/EISCC

www.congregations4kids.org

**Please check with your employer about matching gifts
to Congregations for Kids**