

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

GATHERING

Please silence all electronic devices and prepare for worship.

PRELUDE *Our Father by Whose Name* [Ralph Vaughan Williams]

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DAY Pastor Telyea

- P** Alleluia! Christ is risen.
- C** Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

HYMN *In Christ Alone* bulletin page 16

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.

HYMN OF PRAISE ELW page 149

PRAYER OF THE DAY

(congregation is seated)

II. SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Jeffrey and Lindsay Wilkinson present their child to receive the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. Sponsors are Page and Kristin Smith.

A TIME FOR LITTLE DISCIPLES Pastor Telyea

WORD

FIRST LESSON Acts 1:15-26

- L** Word of God.
- C** Word of Life.

PSALM 1 *(spoken responsively: [A] Assisting Minister; [C] Congregation)*

SECOND LESSON 1 John 5:9-13

- L** Word of God.
- C** Word of Life. *(congregation stands)*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW page 151

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

P The Good News of Jesus according to John.
C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL

John 17:6-19

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

SERMON

Pastor Telyea

HYMN OF THE DAY *Be Thou My Vision*

ELW Hymn 793

I. 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.

**RECOGNITION OF SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL,
 AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM/CONFIRMATION, AND CROSSWALK
 TEACHERS and VOLUNTEERS**

THE PRAYERS

A God, you are gracious to us.
C Hear our prayer.

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C And also with you. *(shared in community)*

OFFERING

I. *From Everlasting To Everlasting* [Julie Turner]
 Handbell Choir

*"Blessed be the Lord God of Israel from everlasting to everlasting:
 and let all the people say, Amen. Praise ye the Lord."*
 Psalm 106:48 (King James Version)

II. *A Prayer of St. Columba* [Richard Shephard]
 Chancel Choir

(congregation stands)

OFFERTORY VERSE

ELW Hymn 686

OFFERTORY PRAYER

M E A L

GREAT THANKSGIVING

SANCTUS

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

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Lord, Who the Night You Were Betrayed ELW Hymn 463
I Come with Joy ELW Hymn 482

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 Hymn 840

PRAYER

S E N D I N G

BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN

Sent Forth by God's Blessing

ELW Hymn 547

A Alleluia! Christ is risen.
C Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!
A You are the body of Christ in the world.
 Go in peace, and live his life.
C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary

[J.S. Bach
 arr. by Charles Callahan]

PARTICIPANTS

Presiding Minister Pastor Wesley C. Telyea
Director of Music Ministries/Organist Dr. Will Simpson
Assisting Ministers (I) Jean Wahlstrom (II) Dana Nasby
Communion Assistants (I) Diane Hogle (II) Art Gurtel
Acolytes (I) Emily Elien (II) Quinn Myhre
Altar Guild Mary Jo Nelson, JoAn Eklof, Linda Powell
Greeters (I) Lois and Brett Nelson (II) Ann and Larry Berglind
Lectors (I) Vrishtilata Erling (II) Isabella Martin
Ushers (I) Lois and Curt Eckley
 (II) Adam Harrow, Bill Brueggemann
Coffee Hosts Dean and Shirley Hobson

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WELCOME to WORSHIP

WE WELCOME PASTOR WESLEY TELYEA as our Presiding Minister. Pastor Telyea is Lead Pastor at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah. He was Associate Pastor at Saint Andrew's from June 2011 - June 2016. Pastor McEachran is Presiding at Our Savior this morning in a "Pulpit Exchange."

BAPTISM: Jeffrey and Lindsay Wilkinson present their child to receive the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 11:00 am worship service. Sponsors are Page and Kristin Smith. Grandparents are James and Ginger Wilkinson.

THANK YOU: Today during worship, we thank and recognize our Sunday Church School, Affirmation of Baptism/Confirmation, and CrossWalk (high school) teachers and volunteers for their year of dedication to our youth:

Karin Eklof	Ben Johnson
Amy Myhre	Kendra Mills
Livi Myhre	Mark Thorpe
Sara Carmichael	Beth Donahoe
Karen Laub	Scott Lester
Sue Z Trudell	Mary Davis
Lisa Gamrath	Erika Cottrell
Katrina Rindy	Mark Cottrell
Nona Gram	Andy Wilkes
Sarah Newsum	Suzanne Wilkes
Jessica Allen	Emily Harrow
Ann Ross-Clarke	Miriam Kroschel
Marshall Erling	Jennifer Johnson
Ashalata Prasad	Pastor McEachran
Jill Nichols-Hicks	

The last day of classes is Sunday, **May 20**.

TODAY ~ MAY 13

DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM

May 13**I-90 Ministries**

Presenter: Pastor Wesley Telyea
301/Fellowship Hall North
 Pastor Telyea will lead us through a discussion on ministry within our communities along the I-90 corridor. With fewer Washington residents claiming any religion at all, what advantages do we have in mission? How do we share the light of Christ in the land of the "nones"?

May 13
**STEPPING INTO ADULTHOOD
 (Faith Stepping Stones for Parents of
 High School Seniors)**

Facilitators: Lois Nelson, Kari Henderson
322/Conference Room
 Ongoing discussions include how to support high school seniors in their faith journey as they transition to college or the workplace. We look forward to meeting with our parents to talk about the next steps for their children as they get ready for life after high school. High school seniors are blessed and presented with a quilt/gift from their family on **June 10**, during the 9:30 am worship service.

SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL (SCS) classes welcome children age 2 through grade 5. All classes are downstairs in South Hall. The SCS office is located on the lower level near the Narthex stairs. Students who are new to our congregation are asked to come to the SCS office to register and be welcomed to your class.

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM/

CONFIRMATION (ABC) classes are geared toward youth in grades 6-8. "Jesus of Nazareth" (6th grade) meets in Room 121, "A Question of Ethics" meets in room 122, and "ABC Prep" meets in room 119. Those students new to our congregation are asked to contact Director of Discipleship Ministries Emily Harrow or Pastor McEachran for more information.

CROSSWALK is focused on high school age youth, grades 9-12. Got questions? Join us each Sunday for coffee, cocoa, donuts, and conversation. On the last Sunday of each month, gather in the youth room for Oasis, a time for our high school students to rest, color, and enjoy a movie.

LITTLE LAMBS FELLOWSHIP

(children birth - age two and their parents):
 Sunday, **May 13**, 9:45 am, 210/Nursery
 Please join us for fellowship. The youngest Sheep and Shepherds families are invited for snacks and coffee, visiting, and play time. We meet once each month, usually on the second Sunday. Come for all or some of the time.

KNITWITS (Knitting as Witnesses)

Sunday, **May 13**, 9:45 am
302/Fellowship Hall South
 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.

EQUAL EXCHANGE FAIRLY TRADED COFFEE

AND MORE: Support our Global Outreach by purchasing fairly traded coffee, tea, hot cocoa, and chocolate bars (in the Narthex between services). By purchasing these items, you help the coffee and cocoa bean farmers in impoverished countries receive more money for their crops by eliminating the middle man's cut.

SIGN-UP....

- to participate in or volunteer for Vacation Bible School, **July 9-13**. Information and forms are in the Narthex or at vbs.SALChome.org.

FELLOWSHIP

PUSHING THE ENVELOPE...for MONTANA: The 2018 God Squad Mission Team is Pushing the Envelope for Montana during the month of May! Help support the team to reach this fundraising goal of \$5,050 by purchasing envelopes displayed on the bulletin board in the Narthex. The team will offer 100 envelopes for purchase, numbered 1-100. You pay the number on the outside of the envelope. Want to donate \$30? Grab envelope #30! Alternatively, you may split a large numbered envelope with another congregation member. When all the envelopes are purchased, we will raise \$5,050! Thank you for supporting our students in mission as they prepare to serve and learn on the Blackfeet Reservation this July.

THIS WEEK ~ MAY 14 - MAY 19

MONDAY, MAY 14

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. Please let us know! Send the information about your graduate to Communications Specialist Susan Hegedus, susan@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529, by Monday, **May 14**, to be included in the next issue of *the VOICE*.

TUESDAY, MAY 15

TUESDAY MORNING MEN

Facilitator: Dick Swaisgood
 Every Tuesday, 6:30 am, Room 212
 No matter what stage of life you're beginning, you can bet God has a plan for you. The Tuesday Morning Men's group has just begun reading and discussing "**Calling & Clarity: Discovering What God Wants for Your Life.**" Author Doug Koskela is the son of long-time Saint Andrew's members, Kay Lynne and Roger Koskela. Writing books is a sideline for Doug. He is a professor of theology and associate dean for undergraduate studies at Seattle Pacific University. The men's group gathers for coffee, conversation, some prayer and early morning snacks at 6:30 am each Tuesday. Questions? Contact Dick Swaisgood.

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Presenter: Pastor McEachran
 Every Tuesday, 10:00 am, 322/Conference Room
 We continue with an overview of Hebrews: "**Jesus is the Way into the Truth that is Life.**" We are Word-Diggers seeing the connections between the First Covenant and the New Covenant. There are those who say that "the old is in the new concealed and the old is in the new revealed." Bring your favorite translation and invite a friend! We continue this Tuesday with Hebrews 12-13.

O.W.L.S. (Older Wiser Lutheran Saints) is a fellowship of members and friends of the congregation who meet on the third Tuesday of every month for friendship and a delicious potluck.

May 15: Discard, Donate or Dollars! Find out how to declutter your office, home, garage and life with expert Katie Munoz. Katie, founder of Moving Forward, Inc., will have you laughing while teaching you tricks to get a handle on 'your stuff.' Whether you're getting ready to move or just cleaning your closets, her humorous talk will give you the tools to take control or the process. Potluck and social begin at 11:45 am in 301/Fellowship Hall. No sign-up or RSVP required. Just come and if you can, bring a dish to share.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16

WOMEN'S EVENING BOOK STUDY (W.E.B.S.)

Facilitator: Cheryl Jurrus

Wednesdays, **through May 23**

7:00 pm, 322/Conference Room

For its Spring Session, W.E.B.S. is reading another book about India! Please join us for lively discussion, prayer, laughter, and inspirational readings. Our book is *Secret Daughter* by Gowda. "*Asha, adopted out of a Mumbai orphanage, is the child that binds the destinies of two women. We follow both families, invisibly connected until Asha's journey of self-discovery leads her back to India.*" All women are welcome!

FRIDAY, MAY 18

GOD SQUAD (youth in grades 9-12): **Holden Village:** We are headed back to Holden Village **May 18-20, 2018** for an unplugged weekend of fun and fellowship. Please pray for this group of young people as they engage in service and build community.

SATURDAY, MAY 19

ALTAR GUILD LUNCHEON: The Altar Guild is holding its annual off-site luncheon and meeting at JoAn Eklof's house on Saturday, **May 19**, at 12:00 noon. JoAn will provide the main dish. Please bring something to share. Meet at the church at 11:15 am to carpool. RSVP to JoAn or Karin Eklof. Thanks!

NEXT SUNDAY ~ MAY 20

WORSHIP

DAY OF PENTECOST: Next Sunday, **May 20**, is the Day of Pentecost. We invite you to wear RED to celebrate the liturgical color of the day.

HEALING PRAYERS are offered during the distribution of Holy Communion on the third Sunday of each month. Trained healing ministers will receive your requests before or after receiving the Eucharist. It can be especially meaningful to have a laying on of hands and anointing of oil, if desired. It is appropriate to bring ANY request or concern that you may have for yourself or someone else. These may be prayers for emotional, spiritual, or physical healing. It can be a peace that brings wholeness, according to God's will, in a number of ways. If you are unable to walk to the kneelers, please ask an usher to assist or move to the bottom of the stairs on the East side of the sanctuary (near the pulpit) and the Healing Minister will come to you.


For Sunday, May 20: Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

Presiding Minister: Pastor James McEachran

Assisting Ministers:

(I) Dick Swaisgood (II) Tom Getzinger

Communion Assistants:

(I) Judi Miller

Acolytes:

(I) Ian Maland (II) Ella Nickel

Altar Guild:

Linda Powell, CJ Tatum, Janan Twito

Servers for May 20
Greeters:

(I) Joanne and Ron Baker (II) Beverley Watt

Lectors:

(I) Vishal Erling (II) Marli Edde

Ushers:

(I) Diane and Andy Hogle

(II) Jan and Kit Bowerman

Coffee Hosts:

Sherry and Dave Grindeland

DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM
May 20
Trivial Pursuit: Sunday Server Style

Facilitator: Sherry Grindeland

301/Fellowship Hall North

Join us for a trivia game about Sundays at Saint Andrew's. We'll play an interactive game to find out what's involved in putting our services together and the secrets behind what you see and do. *Note:* This replaces the scheduled Sunday Servers training. Questions? Contact Fellowship Coordinator Sherry Grindeland at 425-746-2529 or sherry@salchome.org.

SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL, AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM/CONFIRMATION, AND CROSSWALK (HIGH SCHOOL) CLASSES

South Hall

*Please note that **May 20** is the last day of classes until September.*

COMING UP
DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM
May 27
Fellowship

Coffee, chatting, confections!

301/Fellowship Hall North

May 27
Constitution Bylaw Change Discussion

322/Conference Room

In preparation for a vote on proposed Bylaw changes at the Semi-Annual Congregation Meeting on Sunday, **June 10**, Art Gurtel and Linda Powell will be facilitating a discussion regarding the changes. The proposed changes include a new Bylaw which modifies the Council member election procedures and a committee name wording change.

FELLOWSHIP

BOOKS ABOUT INDIA: What would happen if everyone in our congregation read a book about India between now and **May 31**? Would we have more conversations about India? Would we make connections with other members? Let's try it and see! See the poster in the Narthex for suggested books. Sign up for the book you are reading to get conversations started.

SYNOD GATHERING: In lieu of a Synod Assembly, the Northwest Washington Synod is holding two gatherings. One is at Saint Andrew's on Saturday, **June 2**, beginning at 8:30 am. With the theme of "Who Is My Neighbor?" the day features three forum times with a variety of topics to help us discover and explore being "neighbor." The cost for the day is \$40 which includes materials and lunch. **Anyone** can attend. Be fed. Be inspired. Be sent. Register by **May 15** and find more information at www.lutheransnw.org/2018-Synod-Gatherings.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE: Our summer worship schedule -- one worship service at 9:30 am, followed by a time of fellowship hosted by committees and groups -- begins Sunday, **June 3**.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING of the Congregation is Sunday, **June 10**, at 10:45 am (following the 9:30 am worship service.) Updates on ministries and initiatives will be shared, and proposed changes to the Saint Andrew's Constitution will be discussed and voted upon. A quorum is needed and every voice and vote counts. Please plan to attend.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS):

God's Gardeners:

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Respond

Monday-Friday: **July 9–13, 2018**

- For 4-year-olds (birth date between 9/1/2013 and 8/31/2014) through youth entering 7th grade.
- There are plenty of volunteer opportunities available!
- VBS will be held at Saint Andrew's and is co-sponsored by Saint Andrew's and Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah.
- See pages 10-11 for more information. Registration and volunteer forms are in the Narthex and online at vbs.SALChome.org.
- Questions? Contact Emily Harrow, emily@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529.

VBS EXTENDED CARE: Extended Care for the week of Vacation Bible School (**July 9-13**) is available from 7:00 am - 5:00 pm for members of Saint Andrew's. Extended care is intended for families whose parents work full time. Please refer to the extended care form in the Narthex for more information or contact Emily Harrow. Cost: \$100 per child.

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

CORNER OF BLESSING/HOPELINK: Each month, we collect food in the Corner of Blessing. All donations are given to Hopelink and help feed those in our community who are hungry. In May, we are collecting **baby food** and **size 6 diapers**. For more information, contact Debbie Szabo.

SCHOLARSHIP NEEDS FOR STUDENTS IN TANZANIA: Scholarships are needed for students at MaaSAE Girls Lutheran Secondary School (MGLSS), and for the MGLSS Post-Secondary Scholarship fund, used for the students who qualified for university study. **ANY AMOUNT** given is helpful. Make contributions by check to "Saint Andrew's" with "MGLSS or MGLSS Post-Secondary" in the memo line. Funds will be forwarded to Operation Bootstrap Africa.

SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL OFFERING: The students of Saint Andrew's have voted to have their Sunday offerings go to support Lutheran World Relief (LWR) with the funds being designated for Bihar, India.

CONGREGATIONS FOR THE HOMELESS: CFH (Congregations for the Homeless) Day Center is open year-round providing services to homeless men. Once a week they distribute clothing and currently need more donations. If you have any gently used men's clothing, please put them in the basket marked "CFH" near the elevator in the Narthex. Items needed are: jeans, belts, new underwear, t-shirts, light jackets, sweatshirts, fleece jackets, socks, athletic shoes, casual pants and shirts, towels for showers, sweat pants, and sleeping bags.



God's Gardeners: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Respond

July 9-13, 2018 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Extended Care at Saint Andrew's is available from at 7:00 am-5:00 pm for members of Saint Andrew's. Extended care is intended for families whose parents work full time. Please refer to the extended care form for more information.
Cost: \$100 per child.

Programs for 4-year-olds through entering 7th grade:

4-year-olds: Birth date between 9/1/2013 and 8/31/2014 (for VBS 2018)

Students entering 5th, 6th, and 7th grade will be involved in VBS Camp and will be leaving Saint Andrew's to various places in the area (transportation provided).

Costs	Before July 1	After July 1
4-year-olds to 4th Grade	\$15	\$20
Camp (5th-7th Grade)	\$25	\$35
Family maximum	\$35	\$45

Financial assistance available upon request.

Complete a VBS Registration form found in the Narthex and return it to the VBS box in the Narthex with payment

Or complete the Online form found at vbs.salchome.org

VBS is co-sponsored by Saint Andrew's and Our Savior Lutheran Churches.

Questions?

Contact Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church's Director of Discipleship Ministries, Emily Harrow (Emily@salchome.org or 425-746-2529)

If you are interested in VOLUNTEERING, complete a form in the Narthex or online.

Our Savior and Saint Andrew's Lutheran Churches'
Vacation Bible School

God's Gardeners

Reduce · Reuse · Recycle · Respond

July 9—13, 2018
MONDAY—FRIDAY

There are plenty of volunteer opportunities available!
Please indicate where you can help.

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email address: _____

I can help BEFORE VBS:

- Help Decorate Prepare/ purchase snacks
- Prepare Craft projects (cutting, making patterns, etc.)

I can help DURING VBS:

- Teacher...Grade preference (if any) _____
- Teacher Assistant ... Grade preference (if any) _____
- Camp Leader (5-7th grade) Craft Helper
- Registration Table Games
- Music Assistant Music Director
- Snack Coordinator Snack Helper

Please return this form to the VBS box in the Narthex or the church office of
Saint Andrew's (2650 148th AVENUE SE, Bellevue, WA 98007).

Questions? Contact Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church's
Director of Discipleship Ministries Emily Harrow
(Emily@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529)