

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

Welcome to Worship at Saint Andrew's!

As we prepare for worship, we invite you to a time of silence and focus.

Please remember to silence all electronic devices.

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

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP *Lord, Be Glorified* ELW Hymn 744
Congregation

WORDS OF WELCOME Pastor Yoos

HYMN *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* ELW Hymn 858

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 [Steven Janco]

HYMN OF PRAISE [Edwin LeGrice, Walter Greatorex]

PRAYER OF THE DAY

(congregation is seated)

A TIME FOR LITTLE DISCIPLES Pastor Wee

WORD

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 50:4-9a

L Word of God.

C Word of Life.

PSALM 116:1-9 *(spoken responsively: A Assisting Minister; C Congregation)*

SECOND LESSON James 3:1-12

L Word of God.

C Word of Life. *(congregation stands)*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

P The Good News of Jesus according to Mark.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL

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

SERMON

Pastor Wee

HYMN OF THE DAY

[Herman Stuempfle, Jr.]

Source of Light That Bathed Creation

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.

**I. BLESSING OF DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES
TEACHERS AND VOLUNTEERS**

II. PRESENTATION OF CATECHISMS

THE PRAYERS

A We are bold to pray:
C Have mercy, O God.

THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C And also with you.

(shared in community)

OFFERING

I. *A Celtic Kyrie* [Susan Naus Dengler;
Chancel Choir Lee Dengler]

II. *Festive Bell Flourish* [Lee G. Barrow]
Handbell Choir

(congregation stands)

OFFERTORY VERSE *For the Fruit of All Creation* ELW Hymn 679

OFFERTORY PRAYER

M E A L

GREAT THANKSGIVING

SANCTUS

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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

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

[Marty Haugen]

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION AND HEALING PRAYERS

Come by Here

We Come to the Hungry Feast ELW Hymn 479

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 845

Voices Raised to You

PRAYER

S E N D I N G

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

Lift High the Cross

ELW Hymn 660

A Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Allegro

[William Boyce]

PARTICIPANTS

Presiding Minister Pastor Drew J. Yoos

Preaching Minister Pastor Shelley M. Bryan Wee

Director of Music Ministries/Organist Dr. Will Simpson

Assisting Ministers (I) Sharon Gurtel (II) Tom Getzinger

Communion Assistants (I) Judy Gowdy (II) Celeste Ackerbloom

Healing Prayer Ministers (I) Mikel Oswald, Karen Grams

(II) Misty Weber, Jill Nichols-Hicks

Acolytes (I) Quinn Myhre (II) Ella Nickel

Altar Guild Signe Wraith and Elmer Neu

Greeters (I) Lois and Lowell Arneson (II) Nancy and Mark Davis

Lectors (I) Bev Anderson (II) Marlie Edde

Ushers (I) Tom Anderson, Brett Nelson

(II) The Carmichael Family

Coffee Hosts Discipleship Ministries Committee

WELCOME to WORSHIP

WE WELCOME PASTOR SHELLEY BRYAN

WEE as our Preaching Minister. Pastor Wee is Assistant to Northwest Washington Synod Bishop Kirby Unti. Previously, Pastor Wee served in Montana and Washington in various capacities, including as an associate pastor, lead pastor, and college campus pastor.

WE CELEBRATE AND THANK

PASTOR MCEACHRAN for 35 years of service as Senior Pastor of Saint Andrew's! Pastor McEachran was installed as Senior Pastor on September 18, 1983. Our congregation and community are thankful for his ministry and leadership.

THE FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Pastor James and Nancy McEachran in grateful thanksgiving to God.

HEALING PRAYERS are offered during the distribution of Holy Communion. Kneelers are provided on the east and west sides of the sanctuary. Trained healing ministers are waiting to receive your requests before or after receiving the Eucharist. It can be especially meaningful to have a laying on of hands and an 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.

COMMEMORATIONS:

- Cyprian**, *Bishop of Carthage, martyr, died around 258* September 16
Cyprian served as a bishop during a time of great persecution of Christians. He insisted on receiving back those who had left the faith under duress. He also provided medical care during a severe epidemic.
- Hildegard**, *Abbess of Bingen, died 1179* September 17
A mystic who was widely influential within the church, Hildegard advised and reproved kings and popes, wrote poems and hymns, and produced treatises in medicine, theology, and natural history. She was also a musician and artist.
- Dag Hammarskjöld**, *renewer of society, died 1961* September 18
A Swedish diplomat, Hammarskjöld served as the second Secretary General of the United Nations until his death in a plane crash while trying to negotiate peace in present-day Zambia. His journal, published as *Markings*, revealed the depth of his Christian faith.
- Nelson Wesley Trout**, *bishop, died 1996* September 20
A native of Ohio, Trout served parishes in several parts of the United States before being elected bishop of the South Pacific District of the American Lutheran Church, the first African American Lutheran to serve in such a capacity.
- Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist** September 21
Matthew (or Levi) was a tax collector in Capernaum for the Roman government. Tax collectors were frequently despised for dishonesty and for assisting the occupiers. Jesus nevertheless showed love for them, and chose Matthew to be a disciple.

TODAY ~ SEPTEMBER 16**EARLY SUNDAY MORNING DISCIPLESHIP****EARLY SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:** Sundays, **September 16 - November 18**7:15 am, *322/Conference Room*

Facilitators: Jean Wahlstrom and Marvin Kananen

Journey with us through the book of AMOS this fall at the Early Sunday morning Bible Study. The prophet Amos brought a message of responsibility in an affluent time.

DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM**September 16****DIGGING INTO TRANSITION IN THE MINISTRY TEAM**

Presenter: Pastor Shelley M. Bryan Wee
301/Fellowship Hall North

Pastor Shelley M. Bryan Wee, Assistant to Bishop Kirby Unti, will share information about the collaboration of the Synod in partnership through the transition following Pastor McEachran's resignation in January.

September 16**STEPPING INTO AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM (Faith Stepping Stones for Parents of Sixth Graders)**

Facilitators: Lois Nelson, Kari Henderson
322/Conference Room

This session focuses on the faith development of middle schoolers. Students are presented with a Catechism at the 11:00 am worship service today,
September 16.

September 16**AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM/ CONFIRMATION (ABC) MENTOR TRAINING**

Presenter: Pastor Drew Yoos
Room 212

During the first half of the Discipleship Hour, the Affirmation of Baptism/Confirmation (ABC) mentors who will be leading small groups this year will gather for a brief training.

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.

Meet in 302/Fellowship Hall South

- TODAY, **September 16**, Pastor McEachran leads our topic of "What is Baptism?" Those students new to our congregation are asked to contact Interim Director of Discipleship Ministries Pastor Drew Yoos or Pastor McEachran for more information.

CROSSWALK is focused on high school age youth, grades 9-12. Got questions? Join us each Sunday in 319/Youth Room for coffee, cocoa, donuts, and conversation. On the last Sunday of each month, gather for "Oasis", a time for our high school students to rest, color, and enjoy a movie.

FELLOWSHIP

ALTAR GUILD

12:15 pm, 322/Conference Room

Altar Guild invites everyone to consider joining them as a new way to serve at Saint Andrew's! Working in teams of two, Altar Guild members prepare the elements and set the altar for communion. Each member chooses when to serve and usually serves several times a year. It takes about 1 hour on Saturday, 1/2 hour between services, and 1 hour after second service. Come to our next meeting TODAY, **September 16**, at 12:15 pm to find out more. If you have questions, please contact Altar Guild chair Linda Powell. Thanks!

SIGN-UP...

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| <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> to provide a dinner meal for men served by Congregations for the Homeless, October 2-14. Sign up in the Narthex.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> to attend the Taizé service at Saint James Cathedral in Seattle on October 5. Sign up in the Narthex.</p> | <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fire Force youth (grades 6-8), for the Fall Retreat on October 19-21. Sign up in the Narthex. Sign up by October 1.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> for Dinner with Young Adults on October 10. Contact Carolyn McKenna.</p> |
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THIS WEEK ~ SEPTEMBER 17 - SEPTEMBER 22

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

TUESDAY MORNING MEN

Every Tuesday, 6:30 am, Room 212

Facilitator: Dick Swaisgood

We have read through the Gospel of Mark, and have just begun a study of **Mark** with "Immersion Bible Studies" by Emerson B. Powery. This study series invites prayerful reading, reflection, and engagement with Scripture, including how to put it into practice in our lives. Invite a friend and join us any Tuesday!

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY is taking a view into the **Book of Ruth**. It is meant to be a bridge writing between the First Testament and the New. It is a unique writing which, unlike many books in the First Testament, engages us in themes of love and marriage, simple faith, and the tilling of the land. In a time of strife, the key is that common people live common lives with meaning and in hope.

- **September 18** - Ruth meets Boaz and Ruth 2 and 3
- **September 25** - Boaz and Ruth marry and Ruth 4

Come and share the time as we check into the Davidic Line and the roots of all that we celebrate with a later time birth in Bethlehem.

O.W.L.S. (Older Wiser Lutheran Saints):

Publish that Book or Novel: Noted humorist, scholar and author **Marvin Kananen** will entertain and enlighten the O.W.L.S. on Tuesday, **September 18**, with "How To Book It," a lesson in book writing and publishing. The O.W.L.S. meet the third Tuesday of the month at **11:45 am** in 301/Fellowship Hall North. No reservations or RSVP needed. If able, please pitch-in with a potluck dish for the luncheon. For more information, contact Fellowship Coordinator Sherry Grindeland, sherry@salchome.org or 425-746-2529.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

TIMBER RIDGE WORSHIP GATHERING: Several members of Saint Andrew's and Our Savior Lutheran Church in Issaquah live at Timber Ridge in Issaquah. Pastor McEachran and Pastor Wes Telyea from Our Savior lead worship gatherings at Timber Ridge on the third Wednesday of the month, at **1:00 pm** in Multi-Purpose Room A. Pastor McEachran leads the next worship gathering on **September 19**. All are invited (members and friends of Saint Andrew's - whether you live at Timber Ridge or not!). Inquire at the front desk when you arrive and they will direct you to the room location.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

SOCK SAMURAI: On Saturday, **September 22**, at 6:00 pm, all God Squad (grades 9-12) and Fire Force (grades 6-8) youth are invited to come play our favorite Saint Andrew's game, Sock Samurai! No sign up needed. Meet in 319/Youth Room.

NEXT SUNDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 23**WORSHIP****Sunday, September 23: Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

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

Servers for September 23

Presiding Minister: Pastor Timothy Weber

Assisting Ministers:

(I) Jean Wahlstrom (II) Dick Swaisgood

Communion Assistant: Art Gurtel

Acolytes:

(I) Emily Elien (II) Josie Marti

Altar Guild:

Bev Anderson, JoAn Eklof

Greeters:

(I) Roger and Deanna Oeffner

(II) Stella Nieman

Lectors:

(I) Deanna Oeffner (II) Carolyn McKenna

Ushers:

(I) The Lester Family

(II) The Clarke/Ross-Clarke Family

Coffee Hosts:

Building and Property Committee

EARLY SUNDAY MORNING DISCIPLESHIP**EARLY SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: Sundays, through November 18**

7:15 am, 322/Conference Room

Facilitators: Jean Wahlstrom and Marvin Kananen

Journey with us through the book of AMOS this fall at the Early Sunday morning Bible Study.

The prophet Amos brought a message of responsibility in an affluent time. This ten-week unit will cover the nine-chapter book. Coffee and light refreshments provided.

DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM

**September 23 and September 30
DIGGING INTO MISSION IN BELLEVUE**

Presenter: Pastor James McEachran
301/Fellowship Hall North

- **September 23:** Pastor McEachran will work through the call and mandate of Jesus and the earliest Church in mission through the lens of the New Testament and the witness of the Early Church. Teachings from Scripture and the writings of the earliest Church in spreading the Gospel.
- **September 30:** Pastor McEachran will discuss Mission on the I-90 Corridor. Through his work with the City of Bellevue, Pastor McEachran will share 12 insights into what it will mean for Saint Andrew's through the growth and development of Bellevue. He served on the Human Services Commission for 10 years, was one of 15 who developed the City Council Plan for affordable housing, and was a member of the Wilburton Citizen's Advisory Committee that built the plan for the development of this neighborhood in Bellevue.

September 23 and September 30 STEPPING INTO THE BIBLE (Faith Stepping Stones for Parents of Third and Fourth Graders)

Facilitators: Lois Nelson, Kari Henderson
322/Conference Room

The first session will be a parent-child workshop, led by teachers Sarah Shaw Newsum and Nona Gram, on using the Bibles which will be presented on Sunday, **September 23**, at the 8:30 am worship service. The Bibles are a gift of the Faith Stepping Stones Ministry on behalf of the congregation. The second session includes a brief study of the life of Martin Luther and a discussion of our basic Lutheran beliefs. The third and fourth grade students will be studying Luther's life during this year.

SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL (SCS) CLASSES

South Hall

**AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM/
CONFIRMATION (ABC)**

302/Fellowship Hall South

- **September 23:** "How to Read the Bible," led by Pastor Drew Yoos.
- **September 30-October 7:** "Introduction to Old Testament"

CROSSWALK

319/Youth Room

COMING UP

DISCIPLESHIP HOUR...9:45 AM

**OCTOBER 7
VISION INITIATIVE**

Presenter: Vision Initiative Team

301/Fellowship Hall North

Two Visioning Workshops were held in July. There was great participation, a lot of excellent discussions were had, and ideas were shared. An abundance of data and input was collected. Since the workshops, the Vision Team has been very busy correlating the data and working on synthesizing clear, concise statements that captures your concepts. The team continues to meet weekly. On Sunday, **October 7**, during Discipleship Hour, the team will share the results of the first two workshops for your review and feedback. The Vision Initiative Team is Dick Szabo, Jean Wahlstrom, Ann Thorpe, Dana Nasby, and Marvin Kananen.

FELLOWSHIP

A GLOBAL MISSION MOMENT WELCOMING PASTOR FAWSI KHALIL:

Saturday, **September 29**, 10:00 am

301/Fellowship Hall

Pastor Fawsi Khalil is one of the pastors of Kasr El Dobara Evangelical Church in Egypt. They worship 10,000 on a weekend and have strong social ministry among Muslims in their downtown Cairo neighborhood. Pastor Fawsi is one of their outreach leaders to Muslims in Syria, Iraq, and Libya. He and his wife, Haidy, have a heart to minister to Yazady women and Syrian refugees. Kasr El Dobara Church is also partnered with True Vine Evangelical Baptist Church in Beirut, Lebanon (<http://truvinelb.org/the-church/>). Pastor Fawsi will be at Saint Andrew's on Saturday, **September 29**, sharing inspiring stories of his work in the refugee camps, their church's outreach to their Muslim neighbors, and surprising growth of the church in the Middle East. Learn more about Kasr El Dobara Church at www.kdec.net/en/

JOIN THE SAINT ANDREW'S FAMILY: We will be welcoming new members to Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church again on Sunday, **September 30**. If you're interested in becoming a member – with voting privileges – please contact Fellowship Coordinator Sherry Grindeland, 425-746-2529 or sherry@SALChome.org

2019 MISSION TRIP INTEREST MEETING:

All God Squad youth and parents (including current 8th graders) who are interested in hearing more about the 2019 high school mission trip are invited to meet in the 319/ Youth Room after 11:00 worship on Sunday, **September 30**. This informational meeting should last about 30 minutes.

PROVIDE DINNERS FOR CONGREGATIONS FOR THE HOMELESS:

From Tuesday, **October 2**, through Sunday, **October 14**, Saint Andrew's is providing dinners for the men served by Congregations for the Homeless. Volunteers are needed to prepare, deliver, and serve the meals at Eastshore Unitarian Church near Factoria. Deliver the meal at 6:30 pm; serving begins at 7:15 pm. Volunteers are welcome to join in the meals with the men. This is a wonderful outreach opportunity for individuals, small groups, families and friends. Sign up in the Narthex.

DORCAS CIRCLE: The Dorcas Circle meets in 302/Fellowship Hall South Tuesday, **October 2**, at 9:30 am. Everyone is always welcome to join as we sew quilts, school bags, and complete other projects in response to those in need.

PLASTER HOUSE FUNDRAISING EVENTS:

The Plaster House, a part of the Arusha Lutheran Medical Centre in Tanzania, is a rehabilitation center for post-surgery children. On Tuesday, **October 2**, two fundraising events for the Plaster House will be held locally.

- A luncheon at the Women's University Club (Seattle) starting at 11:30 am.
- At 6:30 pm, a bites and beverages event will be held at the Barbee Mill Community Beach Club.

Presentations at both events will include a video showing the building expansion and the work of the Plaster House, and presentations from recent visitors. Consider attending one of these events and/or making a donation in support of this life-changing ministry. Visit <https://plasterhouse.rsvpify.com> to RSVP to either event and for more information Contact Jean Wahlstrom with questions.

W.E.B.S. (Women's Evening Book Study):

Wednesdays, **October 3 - November 14**, 7:00 pm, 322/Conference Room

Our book for this Fall Session is ***Everything Happens for a Reason*** (and other lies I've loved) by Kate Bowler. Pastor McEachran recommended this book and he will join us for the first and last meetings of this session, talking about the Prosperity Gospel and sharing his views on the book. *All women are welcome* for in-depth discussion, sharing, laughter, and prayer. Contact Cheryl Jurrus or Marlyn Thorpe for information.

TAIZÉ SERVICE: Join us for a trip to Saint James Cathedral in Seattle for a Taizé Prayer Service on Friday, **October 5**. A Taizé service involves sung and chanted prayers, meditation, a period of silence and liturgical readings. We will meet at Saint Andrew's at **5:00 pm** and car pool to Saint James (804 Ninth Avenue) for the 6:30 pm service followed by a no-host dinner at a site to be determined. Sign up in the Narthex or contact Fellowship Coordinator Sherry Grindeland, sherry@salchome.org or 425-746-2529.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS: In gratefulness for God's creation we will gather on Sunday, **October 7**, at 4:00 pm with our special pets for a service to give God thanks and praise along with prayers and blessings for our animals. Please make sure your pet is leashed or caged and in control. Alternatively, you can bring a photo of your pet. Following the service, the humans will gather for a potluck dinner in 301/Fellowship Hall North.

YOUNG ADULTS (*those who have graduated high school and older*): Young adults of Saint Andrew's get together for dinner on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm. Our next dinner is **October 10** at Crossroads Mall Food Court. Contact Carolyn McKenna by Monday, **October 8**, if you plan to join us.

FLU SHOT CLINIC: Flu shots will be available here at Saint Andrew's on Sunday, **October 14**, from 8:00 am to 11:00 am. The shots will be administered by the Seattle Visiting Nurse Association. A sign-up sheet and additional information will soon be in the Narthex. For more information, contact Parish Nurse Beverley Watt.

ORCHESTRA: The Saint Andrew's Orchestra will play during both worship services on Sunday, **October 14**. Rehearsal is Saturday, **October 13**, at 10:00 am. To participate or for more information, contact Dr. Will Simpson, will@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529.

VISION INITIATIVE WORKSHOP - VALUES: We held two Visioning Workshops in July with great discussions and ideas. On Sunday, **October 14**, from **12:30 pm to 3:00 pm**, we will have a third workshop. This workshop will be on our **values** – why we do what we do. A light lunch and child care will be provided.

FIRE FORCE FALL RETREAT: Youth in grades 6-8, plan to go on the Fire Force Fall Retreat at Warm Beach Camp in Stanwood Friday-Sunday, **October 19-21**. Our weekend theme will be "*OMG! God and the Internet*" where we will explore all the ways and places that God shows up (and doesn't show up) online. Sign up in the Narthex by **October 1**. Contact Pastor Drew Yoos, drew@SALChome.org or 425-746-2529, for more information.

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

CORNER OF BLESSING/HOPELINK: Each month, we collect food in the Corner of Blessing. All donations are given to Hopelink to help feed those in our community. In **September**, we are collecting **butter** for baking (1 pound packages of 4 sticks each). We are also collecting **egg cartons**. Hopelink gets fresh eggs in bulk and uses the cartons to repackage the eggs for clients. For more information, contact Debbie Szabo.

LATTES FOR THE LORD: Thank you for your donations to help Hopelink feed children this summer! We gave enough to provide food for **1973 healthy meals**.

FOOD BANK OFFERING: We invite you to participate in our monthly offering for Hopelink through the pew envelope. Our monthly goal is \$500. Mark your checks for "Hopelink" on the memo line. Any non-perishable food donations can be placed in the Corner of Blessing in the Narthex.

COMMUNION BREAD: Everyone is invited to bake bread used in the Eucharist on Sunday mornings. You can sign up online for a specific Sunday (**the sign-up for all of 2018 is available.**) 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.

SCHOLARSHIP NEEDS FOR STUDENTS IN TANZANIA: Scholarships are needed for students at MaaSAE Girls Lutheran Secondary School (MGLSS). We continue to also need funding 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 Scholarship” in the memo line. Funds will be forwarded to Operation Bootstrap Africa (OBA). If you wish to sponsor a student with a full- or half-scholarship, contact the church office.

YOUTH REGISTRATION FORMS: We ask that all families complete a Youth Registration Form **each year**. This form gives us the medical information and permissions needed to help keep children safe while participating in all Saint Andrew’s activities for 2018-2019. Complete one form per family. It covers all youth from age 2 through Grade 12.

- Paper copies of the form can be found in the Narthex near the church office, in the Sunday Church School office, and in classrooms. Return completed forms to the church office.
- The form is also ONLINE as an interactive PDF form; find it along with information on completing and submitting it, at www.ce.SALChome.org.

