



St. Andrew's Evangelical Lutheran Church
August 5, 2018
11th Sunday after Pentecost

9:30am

ELW Service of Holy Communion
Setting 8



A Warm Welcome to St. Andrew's Evangelical Lutheran Church

We welcome you to St. Andrew's; we hope you hear God's word and have a good worship experience today. Please sign the guest book with name and address and introduce yourself to the Pastor. If you do not have a church home, please consider St. Andrew's. Nursery is provided during the worship service - please ask an usher if you need directions. School-aged children are encouraged to participate in the worship service.

This Facility is equipped with a hearing assistance system. Please ask an usher for a receiver.

"Believing in the real presence of Christ, this church practices Eucharistic hospitality. All baptized Christians are welcomed to Communion when they are visiting..." (From the ELCA's sacramental practices statement). Children not yet receiving communion are invited to come forward for a blessing. All those communing should fill out a card located in the pew rack.

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"Welcoming generations to grow in Christ as disciples through our faith, worship, fellowship and service."

Welcome, Announcements and Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Attendance

Silent Preparation

Prelude:

“Balm in Gilead”- arr by H. T. Burleigh ~ Milo Morris

**Please stand, as able.*

*Gathering Song: “O Day of Rest and Gladness”

Hymn 521

*Confession

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

C: **Amen.**

P: Trusting God’s promise of forgiveness, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

Please sit or kneel as able. Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Eternal God our creator,

C: **in you we live and move and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

P: Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit given to us. In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we still were sinners; and for his sake, God ☩ forgives you all your sins.

C: **Amen.**

*Greeting

P: 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~ The assembly sings the refrain; a leader sings the verses.

Refrain



Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.



Ky-ri - e e - lei - son, ev-'ry day.



- 1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
- 2 That we may live out your im - passioned re - sponse to the
- 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . . for
- 4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you cen - ter our lives in the



u - ni - ty of all; for
hun - gry and the poor; that
friends and fam - i - ly; for
wa - ter and the word; that you



this ho - ly house, for all who wor-ship and praise,
we may live out truth and jus - tice and grace,
life and for love, for our work and our play,
nour-ish our souls . . . with your bod - y and blood,



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

Refrain

*Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

O God, eternal goodness, immeasurable love, you place your gifts before us; we eat and are satisfied. Fill us and this world in all its need with the life that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

You may be seated.

First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

2The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. 3The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

4Then the Lord said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not."

9Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, 'Draw near to the Lord, for he has heard your complaining.'" 10And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. 11The Lord spoke to Moses and said, 12"I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.'"

13In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. 14When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. 15When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat."

The Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Musical Selection:

“Wade in the Water” - arr by Randa Kirshbaum ~ Milo Morris

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-16

¹I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, ²with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, ³making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

⁴There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, ⁵one Lord, one faith, one baptism, ⁶one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

⁷But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ’s gift. ⁸Therefore it is said,

“When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive;
he gave gifts to his people.”

⁹(When it says, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? ¹⁰He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) ¹¹The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, ¹²to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, ¹³until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. ¹⁴We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people’s trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. ¹⁵But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, ¹⁶from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body’s growth in building itself up in love. The Word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**Please stand, as able.*

***Gospel Acclamation**

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

***Gospel: John 6:24-35; C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

²⁴When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were [beside the sea,] they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

²⁵When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” ²⁶Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. ²⁷Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.” ²⁸Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” ²⁹Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” ³⁰So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? ³¹Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” ³²Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. ³³For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” ³⁴They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.”

³⁵Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

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

You may be seated.

Sermon

**Please stand as able.*

* Hymn of the Day: “What Feast of Love”

Hymn 487

***Apostles Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
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,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come 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:**

P: Trusting in our loving and almighty God who abundantly provides the bread of life to all who hunger, let us pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need. *A brief silence.*

Each petition ends:

A: Lord, in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

After the final petition:

P: Almighty and loving God, we look to you in hope and trust, knowing that you will do far more than we can ask or imagine, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

P: The Peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

All may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Offering

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cell phone browser and select tithely.



Anthem: “All My Hope” – David Crowder & Ed Cash ~ Milo
Morris

Meal

**Please stand, if able.*

*Offertory Response:

“Take My Life, That I May Be”

Hymn 685 (vs. 1&6)

*Offering Prayer:

A: Merciful God, you open wide your hand and satisfy the need
of every living thing. You have set this feast before us. Open
our hands to receive it. Open our hearts to embrace it. Open
our lives to live it. We pray this through Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

*Great Thanksgiving

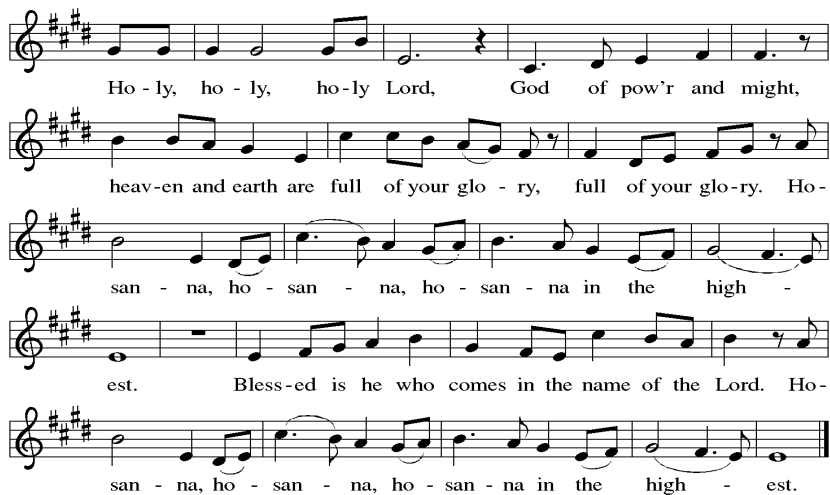
P: The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts. **C: We lift them up to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all
times and in all places give thanks and praise.....we praise
your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
 heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho -
 san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -
 est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

P: In the night in which he was betrayed,
 our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
 broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
 Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
 Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
 and gave it for all to drink, saying:
 This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
 shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
 Do this for the remembrance of me.

*Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name,
 thy kingdom come,
 thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.**

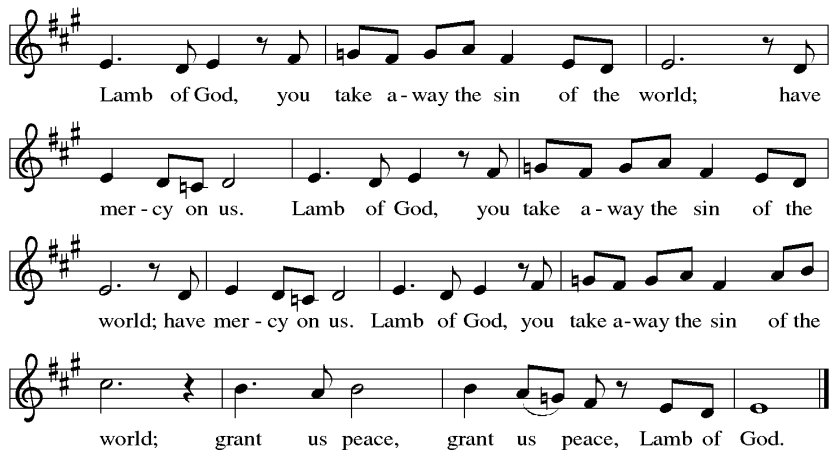
**Give us this day our daily bread;
 and forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 forever and ever. Amen.**

Communion today will be continuous.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the sacrament.

Please notify a communion assistant if you need a gluten free wafer.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

Distribution Hymns: 474, 477

**Please stand, if able.*

**Post Communion Prayer*

A: Jesus Christ, host of this meal, you have given us not only this bread and cup, but your very self, that we may feast on your great love. Filled again by these signs of your grace, may we hunger for your reign of justice, may we thirst for your way of peace, for you are Lord forevermore. **C: Amen.**

Sending

**Blessing*

P: May God, whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine, grant you the gifts of faith and hope. Almighty God, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. **C: Amen.**

**Sending Hymn:*

“God Be with You Till we Meet Again”

Hymn 536

**Dismissal*

A: Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.

C: Thanks be to God.

*Thank you Milo Morris for sharing your gift of music and
Fred & Taffy Schea for making this possible.*

IN OUR PRAYERS:

John Belloff, Linda Benfield, Micky Berchok, Family of Eugene Bouc, Mary Ellen Bouc, Lexi Cable, Family of Dick Cadwallader, Jackie Cadwallader, Dale Caya, Kaitlyn Cressman, Keira Drissel, Ernie Feusner, Sheri Freed, Robert Frymoyer, Jackie Gebhard, Otto Geyer, Family of Martin Gutzweiler, Marie Hartley, Joanne Heckler, Kathryn Ketterer, Carson Kimmach, Family of Tracy Knapp, the Kozrad Family, Zachary Kraekel, Madelyne Lafferty, Family of Ethel Leatherman, Erica Lingerman, Dolores Los, Amy Mandik, Justin Marles, Joe McDonald, Ian Menzies, Mary Miller, Brendon Moyer, Virginia Moyer, Linda Overholt, Family of Fred Patton, Lyman Pelkey, Alice Rauschenberger, Cooper Schea, Madel Scheible, Kristina Schmidt, Shirley Schoelkoph, Bentley Seachrist, Betty Seagreaves, Phil Seagreaves, Jay Sowers, Family of Karen Stanlaw, Jim Steeley, Ed Stepnowski, Apphia Stephen, Parvez Stephen, Ashlyn Summers, Viaya Sundaresan, Jessie Sweeney, Jason Tomchak, Gerry Truman, Lester Tyson, Art Walter, Jeanette Walter, Family of Craig Wenhold, Judy Yochum, Mildred Yoder. *Please call the church office with additions and/or deletions.*

Attendance at last Sunday's 9:30am service was 89. Receipts for the General Fund were \$4485.00 and \$2505.00 for Releasing Our Potential. Budgeted receipts needed weekly for General Fund in 2018 are \$5740.00.

The **FLOWERS** are sponsored this week by Jamie & Lynne Wescott in celebration of their 49th Wedding Anniversary.

The **BULLETINS** are sponsored this week by Ernie & Mary Ellen Bouc in celebration of their 55th Wedding Anniversary.

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER WORSHIP HOURS- Our summer 9:30 am worship services will run through Labor Day Weekend. There will be only **ONE** service per week at 9:30am all summer.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS- through August 31st, the church office will be closed on Fridays.

UPDATE ON SALE OF LOT AT VIRGINIA AND CHESTNUT-

At our meeting on July 10, the church council reviewed the appraisal and comparables on the lot at the corner of Virginia and Chestnut. The council decided to move forward with the sale of lot and will be listing the price as \$125,000. Bids should be submitted to Colby S Grim at Grim, Biehn and Thatcher 104 S 6th Street Perkasié, PA 18944. We will be making the sale of the property known to the public. We are anticipating having all bids submitted prior to the Council's September meeting (September 11, 2018). If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Pastor Krey, Rhonda Geyer or Karl Fallstick.

SCHOOL KITS NEEDED – LWR Project Promise

A display in the Narthex shows samples of basic school items needed for *Lutheran World Relief's Project Promise* and will run through August 12. A complete list is included in the *handout* on the display table. (Specific quantities and items are requested, so please review the *handout*.) *Drawstring bags will be used instead of backpacks* so it will be less expensive for the Synod to ship the kits to their world partners everywhere – *near and far*. **Note:** The required drawstring bags are being donated by a member of the *Social Ministry Committee*...**so just the supplies are needed**. *Last year* after all the items were collected, they were unexpectedly diverted to areas in Texas, Florida and Puerto Rico to help with the *Lutheran Disaster Relief* efforts due to the hurricanes. School supplies are on sale now everywhere and the items requested are very reasonably priced.
Thank you.

ESPERANZA- August 7, 8, & 9; This is an opportunity for ages 13 through adulthood to work together on minor home repairs in the Philadelphia area. Each group will consist of two adults with required clearances. Each day will run from approximately 7:00am-4:00pm. Lunch is provided. Contact the church office if you want to volunteer. Please commit to serving others in a new way.

BIBLE STUDY- Our monthly daytime Bible Study group will meet on Thursday, August 9 at 11:00 a.m. in the Augsburg Room. Join us for study, prayer, and fellowship.

OCEAN CITY SHORE TRIP FOR TEENS- August 16th; we will leave church at 9:00am and return by 10:30pm. Bring money for meals and a beach tag. Sign up is necessary! Please let Rachel know if you are planning to attend.

THEOLOGY ON TAP- will meet at Free Will Brewing Co. on Tuesday, August 28th at 7:00pm. Please bring a snack to share.

LADIES GROUP The ladies group is reading Pastor Jack's novel, *Accidental Saviors*. We will be meeting with Pastor Jack on September 20 at 7pm in the library at to discuss the book. All are welcome to attend!

SIGHT AND SOUND- There will be a trip through Perkiomen Tours on October 20th to the Sight and Sound Theatre in Lancaster to see the evening performance of "Jesus." Dinner at Hershey Farm Restaurant & Inn is included. The cost is \$135/person for adults and \$85 for children (12 & under.) The bus will depart church at 3pm. Please sign up in the Narthex or call the church office. The trip is limited to 52 participants. A \$35 deposit/person is due at sign-up, \$15 deposit for children.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S...

- Sunday, 8/5:** 9:30am- Holy Communion, Milo Morris
 6:00pm- Adult Class Planning Get-together
- Monday, 8/6:** 7:00pm- Lil Peeps Board Meeting
- Tuesday, 8/7:** 6:30pm- Yoga
 7:30pm- Worship & Music
 7:00pm- AA
 8:30pm- AA
- Wednesday, 8/8:** 8:00pm- AA
- Thursday, 8/9:** 11:00am- Bible Study
 1:30pm- Coffee and...
- Friday, 8/10:** *Office Closed*
- Sunday, 8/12:** 9:30am- Holy Communion

THOSE SERVING TODAY

ASSISTING MINISTER	Sarah Moyer
ACOLYTE	Caden Hamman
ALTAR GUILD	9:30am set-up: Taffy Schea Clear & Flowers: Lonnie McDonald
COOKIE PATROL	Evelyn Webb
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS	Jon Kinnach, Ed Los, Rick & Cindy Eberts
COUNTERS	Ed Los (L), Steve Schmidt, Jean Pelkey, Brooke Germann
DELIVER ALTAR FLOWERS	Jim & Janie Ahlum
GREETERS	Tom & Sandy Moore
COUNCIL SENDER	Ed Los
NURSERY	Tara Detweiler, Abigail Yost
LECTOR	Sandy Moore



Happy Birthday to our members who are
celebrating Birthdays this week:

7	Jean Pelkey	8	Carol Spaninger
8	Ashley Schea	8	David Walker
9	Tim Schea		