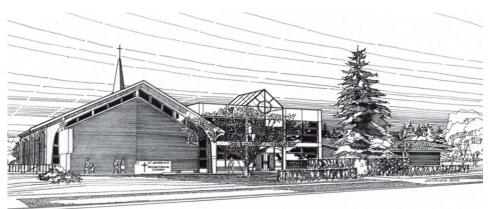
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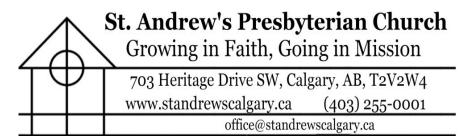
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Welcome to our church family, We're glad that you could come We're honoured to share this day with you As we worship God's risen Son We hope that God touches your life As we worship side by side And that you leave this place today With the peace of God inside. © By M.S.Lowndes

If this is your first visit to St. Andrew's, we welcome you! We hope you enjoy your time with us. Feel free to say hello to whomever is standing at the Welcome Desk. They can

provide you with lots of information about the congregation as a whole, as well as the various groups and activities held here. Please don't be shy, that is why the Welcome Desk is there!

We also welcome you to fill out a buff coloured card found in the pew so that we can contact you (if so desired). That way, we can provide you with further information or spiritual care, whatever you are interested in. Just fill the card in, and place it in the collection plate—and we will get back to you!

Stay for a while after the service, and join us for coffee and fellowship in the Karl English Lounge, which is the room off the foyer, directly across from the Sanctuary.

Welcome to St. Andrew's !!!





WELCOME TO ST. ANDREW'S!

We want to get to know you, so please introduce yourself to a minister on the way out of the service.

Here is some information that may be helpful

Guest Book – found in the foyer – we appreciate having you sign.

For children and their parents:

Worship Bags just inside the sanctuary doors contain toys suitable for infants and toddlers. Please put the bag under the Usher's table when leaving.

- Activity Packages and children's bulletins are available from Ushers or on the back table in the Sanctuary. Please leave the package on the Usher's table when leaving.
- **Nursery available during both Services**—Speak to an Usher or the Welcome Desk, or anyone wearing a name tag or a "Shepherd" tag, if you are unsure where the Nursery is located.
- **Bible processing and ushering** If your child or youth would like to take part in ushering or processing the bible, please add their names to the sign-up sheet at the sign-up centre in the foyer.

Sunday Morning Programs

Church School at 9:30 am service:

Kingdom Kids class for children aged 3-7 is using the Dwell curriculum "Imagine", which is designed for younger children and is published by Faith Alive Christian Resources.

Faith Finders class for children aged 8-12 is using the Dwell curriculum designed for older elementary students, which is published by Faith Alive Christian Resources.

Church School at 11:15 am service:

Worship Wonders class for children aged 3-12 is using the Dwell curriculum "Imagine" with adaptations for older elementary children, which is published by Faith Alive Christian Resources.

Adult bible study will be held at 9:30 am in the Inner Hall. If you are interested in leading a bible study at 11:15am, please contact the office, or speak to a minister.



THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

will be observed **October 1st**

Please wait until everyone is served, so that we can partake together. This format for communion is one of several ways that communion is practiced within The Presbyterian Church in Canada. For those people with wheat sensitivity, there are rice crackers available on the usher's table at the back of the Sanctuary. Please feel free to take one. **Our next communion will be held on Sunday, November 5, 2017 at both services.**

Everyone is welcome to partake in communion.

Do You Need Some Information or have a Question?

Visit the Welcome Desk in the foyer,

Ask an Usher at the back of the Sanctuary,

Fill out the buff coloured **contact card** in the pew and place it in the offering plate

Would Large Print be helpful?

Large print scripture readings, hymns and hymn books, as well as hearing devices are available from the Ushers standing at the table at the back of the Sanctuary.



THE LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.....

.....is "Nametag Sunday".

The last Sunday of the month is October 29. On

that day, please feel free to bring a name tag from home, or use one of the tags provided on the tables in both the Karl English Lounge, and in the foyer. Wearing the tag helps us all put names to faces, as we "Pass the Peace of Christ" (shake hands).



Prayer Opportunities



Norma Carrow—Rockyview Hospital— No Visitors

Our sympathies to the family and friends of Judy Waldron, on the death of her father Jerry Adams on September 7th.

Our sympathies also go to the family and friends of Suzanne Drennan, on the death of Suzanne's brother-in-law Gary Chopik, on Monday September 18th.

Please let the ministers or the office know of anyone who is sick or in the hospital.

If you are aware of someone that you feel needs our prayers, please place them on the 'prayer chain', one of our active and important ministries. This is a group who actively pray for others who are going to hospital, having surgery, lost a job, who may be homebound, have had an accident, or even someone just going through some tough times. If you have a prayer request to pass on to the prayer chain, please contact one of the ministers, the Church Office at office@standrewscalgary.ca or directly to Judie Coleman @ judieco@yahoo.ca.



SIGN UP AT THE VOLUNTEER CENTRE

Current needs are for:

Nursery Volunteers

Side by Side Bakers-Muffins

Satellite Food Bank Volunteers

Children & Youth Bible Processors & Ushers

Ladies Guild Canning

Stewardship Fall Dinner Help

Photo Directory Help

CareShare Update Signup

Heritage Srs. Housing

Coffee Hosts Side by Side Bakers-Cookies Men's Fellowship Breakfast & Usbers



Deadlines - please mark these very important dates October 15 for November's News from the Pews

October 22 for November's Monthly Bulletin

Get your information in to the office early! If anything you feel is important gets missed somehow, we will put the information on the announcement loop that plays before the service, and if possible, on the back of the Order of Service.





The office will be closed for Thanksgiving on Monday, October 9, 2017 and will reopen on Tuesday, October 10, at 9:00 am.



Prayer Partnership Pamphlets for October now available at the Usher's table at the back of the Sanctuary.

Please watch the Loop of Announcements showing at the front of the Sanctuary before and after service. You can also watch this loop in the foyer on the television set up high in the corner next the office. This is the place to catch up on anything new, or to find a reminder of upcoming events!

A Bible Study, "Coffee & Conversation" is held on Tuesdays at 9:45am in the Karl English Lounge. Everyone is welcome.



Thanksgiving Sunday October 8: There will be a harvest procession to begin our service. Donations of fall produce can be left in front of the Welcome Desk for the procession.



News from the Adult Library

The Adult Library renovations are now complete and many thanks are extended to Lorne Kelly for the all work he undertook on the bookcases. The adult library is now consolidated in the Karl English Lounge.

Thanks also go to Loran McVittie and Ed Braun for their assistance to Lorne in transporting the bookcases back and forth during the renovations, and to Craig Murray who supplied the many boxes needed to temporarily store the books.

A two-step stool has been provided for ease of reaching the books on the higher shelves. When using the stool, please do not grip the shelves but rather the bookcase sides for stability, if required.

Watch out for newer books being added in the weeks ahead.



Surge Youth Group – The Bible Project

Youth nights have moved to **Thursday evenings**, **6:30-9pm in the upstairs small Youth Room**. We will meet every Thursday, with the exception of holidays. This fall we will be using a video series through the group The Bible Project, <u>www.thebibleproject.com</u>. We will be having a few Friday night fun events through the year as well, watch for those in upcoming bulletins. Contact: Carolyn Jerrard at <u>cdjerrard2@gmail.com</u>



	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Octo	ber	NOTES:	" KEL " refers to Karl English Lounge " LFS " refers to Lower Fireside Room " YL " refers to Youth Lounge	This calendar does not show all church book- ings. Please call the Office at 403-255-0001 if you wish to book a meeting.		
1 Bible Study 9:30am Sunday Services 9:30 & 11:15am Sudanese Serv.1:30pm	2 Canning for Bazaar TH 3pm Christian Education Team LFS 7pm	3 KEL Coffee & Conversation 9:45am Bereavement Team presents 'Grieving the loss of a Spouse" 7:30pm KEL	 4 Side by Side 9:45am KEL Worship Team 7pm KEL 	5 Youth Bible Study YL 7pm "Apostles Creed" Bible Study" 7pm KEL Chancel Choir 7:30pm Trinity Hall	6 First Foodbank Delivery 9am TH	7
8 Bible Study 9:30am Sunday Services 9:30 & 11:15am Sudanese Serv.1:30pm		<i>10</i> KEL Coffee & Conversation 9:45am Ladies Afternoon Guild 1:30pm KEL/Personnel Team 1:30pm LFS /Stew- ardship LFS 7pm /2pm Photos begin	11 Side by Side 9:45am KEL S&P Team 7pm LFS 3pm Photos begin	12 Youth Bible Study YL 7pm Chancel Choir 7:30pm Trinity Hall 2pm Photos begin	13 Deadline for November News from the Pews Model Railroaders 2pm Photos begin	14 Model Railroaders 10am Photos begin
15 Bible Study 9:30am Sunday Ser- vices 9:30 & 11:15am/ Sudanese Serv.1:30pm/ Concert 3pm Sanctuary	16 Ladies Evening Guild 7:30pm KEL	17 KEL Coffee & Conversation 9:45am Session 7pm TH 2pm Photos begin	18 Side by Side 9:45am KEL 3pm Photos begin	19 Youth Bible Study YL 7pm Chancel Choir 7:30pm Trinity Hall	20 Foodbank Delivery 9am TH Deadline for November Bulletin 2pm Photos begin	21 Heritage Srs. Housing Event 9am TH 10am Photos begin
22 ^{Theff} Hymn Sing Before Services Bible Study 9:30am Name Tag Sunday Services 9:30 & 11:15am Sudanese Serv.1:30pm	23	24 KEL Coffee & Conversation 9:45am Mission Team 7pm KEL 2pm Photos begin	25 Side by Side 9:45am KEL 3pm Photos begin	26 Youth Bible Study YL 7pm "Apostles Creed" Bible Study" 7pm TH / Chancel Choir 7:30pm Sanctuary/ 2pm Pho- tos begin	27 Foodbank Delivery 9am TH 2pm Photos begin Take 150—TH	28 Men's Fellowship Breakfast – TH 8:30am 10am Photos begin
29 Bible Study 9:30am Name Tag Sunday Services 9:30 & 11:15am Sudanese Serv.1:30pm	30	31	Happy Thanksgiving			

CareShare Refresh

If you would like to provide an occasional meal, part of a meal, bake, or transport someone to a medical appointment, please contact me by phone or email, so that a brand new CareShare contact list can be created. We are particularly looking for



volunteers who regularly check their emails. Please include: your name, address, email address, and phone number(s). If you already are a volunteer, please contact me with the above to reconfirm your interest in continuing to help us and to be on the new CareShare list. (you may also sign up in the foyer) Joan Rowe, CareShare

403-281-6243 mjrowe@telus.net

To ensure that all in attendance and/or members of the congregation are aware of this information, we will be publishing the following key message on a regular basis:

"If you identify that someone is in need of medical attention during a service, please raise your hand to indicate to the Minister that assistance is needed."

Take 150

Family Ministry is once again offering **Take 150**, a program for parents and children (ages 6-12 years only), where both groups get to take 150 minutes for themselves. On Oct 27th (6-8:30pm) parents can bring their kids to St. Andrew's, where they will be well cared for by familiar volunteers in the church. They will have dinner together and enjoy dinner and quality programming. Parents - You will have that time to yourselves! You can go on a long overdue date with your spouse, hang out with friends, grocery shop - do what you want to do, knowing your children are well cared for and having a great time.

What: "Take 150" (Dinner and fun activities, ALL just for kids) Who: Parents (night out) and kids ages 6-12 only (night in) Date: **Friday, Oct 27th Drop off: 6:00 p.m. Pick-up: 8:30 p.m.** Location: St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (Trinity Hall) Sign up! FREE tickets are available until Wednesday, Oct 25th at <u>http://bit.ly/take150</u>

It's Bazaar time!

Time to start your fall sorting for the "**Second time treasures**" room. Items need to be clean, in good working order, and in like new condition. We are accepting: small household items, kitchen, décor items, picture frames, jewelry etc. We cannot accept: any electronics, stuffed animals, or large items such as bicycles or skis. Please be discerning and only send us your treasures...not your discards. Watch the bulletin for dates you can drop off items...in the meantime: Happy sorting! Questions? Email Sheri Coutts...sheri@coutts.name

Baked Goods:

Now is the time to start thinking about what you can bake for the bazaar too! We need lots of cookies, jams, jellies and relishes, cakes and pretty Christmas squares. You can bake and freeze so it's not too early to start. Questions? Email Ida du Toit....jadutoit@shaw.ca



St. Andrew's is doing a new **PHOTO DIRECTORY!**

Don't forget to sign up for your sitting! Our directory won't be the same without you!

Family Ministry Parent/Adult Study – The Apostles Creed

Rev. Jared has put together an amazing study on the Apostles Creed that he will be offering on the first and fourth Thursday evenings of each month from October to April. This study is geared towards parents, but open to anyone, to take the Apostles Creed and break it down to explain Christianity and our faith. Each night covers two different topics and can be taken independently so if you can't make them all or stay so late, that's okay! Check out the list and come out to what works for you. The nursery will be open with a movie playing for little kids and youth still happening upstairs. The first night is **Oct 5th**, **7-9pm in the Karl English Lounge**. If you are dropping off your youth feel free to come visit with other parents at 6:30-7pm. Oct 5 (7-8pm) – To say "I believe" - A study on faith & doubt Oct 5 (8-9pm) – To say "in God" - A study on the nature of God Oct 26 (7-8pm)(Trinity Hall) – To say "The Father, Almighty" - A study on the character of God

Oct 26 (8-9pm)(Trinity Hall) – To say "Creator of Heaven & Earth" - A study on creation



Our Bereavement Team Presents: GRIEVING THE LOSS OF A SPOUSE Tuesday, October 3, 2017 7:30pm in the Karl English Lounge



The Bereavement Team, in conjunction with Alberta Health Services Grief support program will present a video summarizing the journey of two women and two men after the loss of their spouse.

The presentation will outline each persons story of loss, coping with grief and finally moving forward with their lives.

We will have a small group discussion after the video, followed by refreshments.

Everyone who has experienced a loss is welcome to join us as grief is a natural response to losing someone or something that's important to you.

Men's Fellowship Breakfast–Sat. October 28 at 8:30am

All St. Andrew's men and guests are invited to attend our Men's Fellowship Breakfast being held on Saturday October 28th, in Trinity Hall starting at 8:30 am. Please join us for a delicious breakfast, warm fellowship, and a great speaker. Our special guest speaker has not yet been confirmed. Please check all posters at the start of October.

We are sure the speaker will be an interesting person.

Cost is only \$5.00 per person. Please pre-register at the sign-up Volunteer Centre in the foyer and please invite your guests to join us. Come out and join us for an entertaining and informative morning.

This is our second breakfast after a hot summer break so we look forward to you all returning. See you then!



SAVE THE DATE!



ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2017

10:00am – 2:00pm

Craft Items - Books & Media Second Time Treasures Bouncy Castle -Toys - Candy Tea Room - Bake Table Baking - Preserves

Welcome donations of gently used items including books, CDs, DVDs, children's toys, collectibles & bake goods

(No text books, encyclopedias, Readers Digest condensed books or magazines please)

Volunteers needed. Sign up coming soon.

The Ladies Guild is looking for new ideas for crafts for the bazaar. If you know of something that they could use, please contact either Judy Roberts 403 251 1024 or Kathy Slimmon 403 256 5074.



Greeters for October

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	9:30am	11:15am					
Oct. 1	Clayton & Shirley Howe	Pauline Evans, Bill King					
Oct. 8	Denis & Lynne Holmes	Roger de Graff					
Oct. 15	Pat MacEwen	Marlene LaMontagne					
Oct. 22	Don Young	Kathleen Tomie, Betty Burtch					
Oct. 29	David & Gillian Currie	Jim & Suzanne Drennan					
Ushers for October							
Oct. 1	Elders	Elders					
Oct. 9	Alfred, Lynn & Jacob MacRae	Rene & Gail Prevost					
Oct. 15	Fran Koenders, Brenda Pudwe	ll David & Jo-Anne Platt					
Oct. 22	Jerry & Jean Spotowski	Cam & Nancy Brown					
Oct. 29	Noel White & Marianne Attridge	June Goddard, Val Hall					
At the Welcome Desk							
	9:30am	11:15am					
Oct. 1	Emma McIntyre	Terry Zimmer					
Oct. 9	Carol Olton	Gail Prevost					
Oct. 15	Eleanor Art	Shirley Allen					
Oct. 22	Linda Ripley	Emily & Bill McKenzie					
Oct. 29	Sylvia Provan	Barb English					
Shepherds for October							
	9:30am	11:15am					
Oct. 1	Darwin Harnack	Cathy Miller					
Oct. 9	Errol Bosman	Rob Pollard					
Oct. 15	Loran McVittie	Sean Pepper					
Oct. 22	Alfred MacRae	Steve MacDonnell					
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Oct. 29 Craig Murray

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HERITAGE SENIORS

(Registration \$20 – September to August)

Monday, October 2–Luncheon at 12 noon

Monday, November 6–Luncheon at 12 noon

WELCOME !!

Tickets available from John or Ron



Contact John Y. or Jan K. for further details if required.

November 2nd will be our Remembrance Day luncheon with the Music Makers providing the entertainment.

SENIORS HOUSING TRANSITIONS



Saturday, October 21, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Starting at 10 am, speakers will discuss:

- understanding housing options for seniors such as long term care, assisted living, income based and affordable options;

- advance care planning & "Creative Aging"

Information booths will be open from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Hosted by Heritage 50+ Seniors and the Calgary Seniors Housing Forum Society, the event will take place at St. Andrew's, in Trinity Hall.

Please call 403-255-0001 to register or sign up at the Volunteer Corner! RSVP before October 16, 2017.



DO YOU LIKE TO BAKE?



Side by Side could use your help. We are in need of 2 dozen muffins and 2 & 1/2 dozen cookies each week. Please see the signup sheet at the Volunteer Centre. Call Kathleen Tomie at 403 251 2991 with any questions. Many thanks to those who have already contributed. Your baking is an important addition to our fellowship times.



Scripture Readers for Oct.

	9:30am
Oct. 1	Audrey Cole
Oct. 8	Lauren Cole
Oct. 15	Shelby Cole
Oct. 22	Brent Harding
Oct. 29	Brian Hawco

11:15am David Platt Jo-Anne Platt Gail Prevost Mark Rowe Sylvia Shaw

Heritage Food Bank Depot will finally be opening its door here at St Andrew's on October $6/7^{th}$

Friday shifts: 8:30 am - 10 am

Saturday shifts: 1 – 4 pm

To volunteer or find out more information, please contact Bill Judd at 403-278-5904 or Liza Fuenning at 403-259-4108.

