

## What You Need to Know For Our Worship Today

We're going to sing, pray, read, preach, and share this morning. Don't worry about where you are at any given point or what comes next in the service. Since God is in charge, we trust that we will be guided to where we need to be.

Feel free to express your praise and worship in whatever way is comfortable to you.

### Greeting and Announcements

Please sign and pass the black folders

### Make a Joyful Noise

*Sing to the King  
Get Together  
Your Love Never Fails*

### Joys and Concerns

#### Prayer

### Children's Worship—11:15 Service Only

Children's Worship is available for children ages 3 through 1<sup>st</sup> grade.

### Remind Me Again What it is We Are Remembering

Matthew 5:38-48

### Offering

*Here Comes the Sun*

### Closing Song

*I Am Free*

### Sending Forth

### Following God's Lead

One of the exciting things about coming to worship is not knowing exactly where God is going to lead us. We come ready to praise God through our music, to commune with God in prayer, to hear the word of God read and interpreted, as well as applied to our daily lives; and we come to continue the offering up of ourselves to the One who has created, redeemed, and sustains us. This morning is no exception.

We invite you to take a moment or two to familiarize yourself with the flow of this morning's worship: mark the scriptures in your Bible; (if you use a hymnal, take time to find the morning's hymns;) take note if there will be a time to share prayer concerns and/or write them down; or grab an envelop out of the black folder for your offering. Most importantly, take a moment to center yourself—as you tune your heart to the Spirit of Jesus Christ, and open your mind to the promises and expectations of God.

If you are just checking us out this morning, then know, as our guest, that you are not obligated to put anything in the offering plate as it comes around.

Children of all ages are always welcome to remain in the service, and activity bags are available at the back of the Great Room.

We also have a professionally staffed nursery. **Ages 3 yrs.—1st Grade** are invited to leave the Great Room during the musical interlude for Children's Worship. *Children's Worship is not offered during the 10 a.m. service. We encourage all children to attend Sunday School at that time.*



*We pray that you have been blessed by being here.  
May Jesus Christ find a way to make you  
His blessing to someone else in the coming week.*

### Sunday School Classes

There are Sunday School classes for all ages at 10:00 a.m. Age appropriate lessons and crafts are planned for the pre-school and elementary age children as well as thought provoking topics and discussions for youth and adults. Adult classes include:

**Know and Grow...** This class is studying the book of Romans. This letter, written by Paul, differs from all of his others. We will discuss how this is different. Join the Know and Grow class in **Adult Classroom 1**. There are several copies of various translations of the Bible available.

**Christian Issues...** This class meets in **Adult Classroom 2**. They focus on current issues and how they affect our Christian lives. This week the topic is *Update on Immigration Reform*. Current reports on immigration reform indicate possible change in immigration policy in our country. What are the issues? How does our faith guide us as we sort through these issues?

**Biblical Foundations of Our Faith...** This class is doing a multi-month study series on the life of the Apostle Paul entitled *The Apostle Paul: The Man, the Missionary, and his Ministries*. This study will meet in **Adult Classroom 3** and will continue throughout the summer.

**Fresh Faith...** How do you handle your most stressful days? Is your first thought to ask God for help? How about on your best days? Do you share your joy with God? Prayer is the focus of this **Fresh Faith** class. We are discussing the classic, *Too Busy Not to Pray* by Bill Hybels. Hope you aren't too busy to join us in **the Intersection** for the last Sunday of this study.

## This Week at St. Andrew

### Sunday—May 26

- 8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 4:00 p.m. CrossRoads Book Study
- 5:00 p.m. Faithfully Fit...No Rider Left Behind
- 6:00 p.m. Sr. High Youth
- 6:00 p.m. Young Adult Group

### Monday—May 27

OFFICE CLOSED

### Tuesday—May 28—Announcements Due

- 9:30 a.m. InTouch Resource Mtg.
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Planning
- 11:00 a.m. Staff Mtg.
- 7:00 p.m. Finance meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Small Groups Team meeting

### Wednesday—May 29

- 6:00 p.m. Waiting 2Wake Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. MidWeek Service
- 7:00 p.m. WINGS Bible Study

### Thursday—May 30

- 5:00 p.m. MidWeek Service Planning
- 6:30 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal
- 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Friday—May 31

- 6:00 p.m. Women's Spring Celebration

### Sunday—June 2

- 8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:00 a.m. VBS Crew leader and Child Protection training
- 11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 4:00 p.m. CrossRoads Book Study
- 5:00 p.m. Faithfully Fit...No Rider Left Behind
- 6:00 p.m. Echoes of the Gospel Book Grp
- 6:00 p.m. Sr. High Youth
- 6:00 p.m. Young Adult Group

The 8:45, 10:00 and 11:15 a.m. Sunday services are broadcast online, live, each Sunday during the service. You may also view them at anytime by accessing "Webcasts" on the church web page.

You can access our web page at <http://andrew-umc.org>  
The CrossRoads web site is <http://thecrossroads-umc.org>

**Greeters for the morning are Judy and Steve Burton**

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St. Andrew United Methodist Church

May 26, 2013

10:00 & 11:15 a.m. service

At St. Andrew,

*God has called us together to become like Jesus  
in authentic community for the sake of the world.*

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