

ST ANDREW'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH



St. Andrew's  
Weekly Services

**Sundays**

8:00 am

Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
in the Nave

10:30 am

Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
in the Nave

6:00 pm

Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
in the Chapel

**Tuesdays**

8:00 am

Morning Prayer, Rite II  
in the Nave

**Wednesdays**

8:00 am

Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
in the Nave

5:30 pm

Holy Eucharist, Rite II  
with Holy Unction  
in the Chapel

**Thursdays**

8:00 am

Morning Prayer, Rite II  
in the Nave



**Parent's Night Out:**

Friday, March 14,  
6:00-10:00 pm

Theme: Nature  
The Fox and the Hound  
\$10 per child



**Parent's Morning Out:**

Saturday, April 22,  
9:00-Noon

Theme: Autos  
Movie: Cars

Sign up at the nursery or  
RSVP to Edee Aikman @  
376-6316 ext. 103  
\$10 for 1st child,  
\$5 for each additional child

**Breakfast**

Join us for Breakfast  
Sundays at 8:45 am  
in Parish Hall

Christian Formation at St.  
Andrew's

**Sundays**

9:30 a.m.

Christian Formation  
in Lowndes Hall

**Adult Classes**

Spiritual Journeys Workshop  
in St. Nicholas' Room

Living Our Faith  
in St. Catherine's Room

**Children & Youth**

Ages 3-3rd Grade  
"Weaving God's Promises"  
in St. Francis' Room

Grades 4-5  
"Mustard Seed"  
in St. Elizabeth's Room

Grades 6-8  
"Rite 13"  
in St. Clare's Room

Grades 9-10  
"J2A"  
(Journey to Adulthood)  
in St. Benedict

Grades 11-12  
"YAC"  
(Youth at Church)  
in St. Benedict



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Messenger has arrived!

- *FASO Presents: Katherine Siochi in concert*
- *2017 Holy Week Schedule*
- *Presiding Bishop Visits!*



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**THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

The Most Rev. Michael Curry, *Presiding Bishop*

**THE DIOCESE OF NORTHWEST TEXAS**

The Right Rev. J. Scott Mayer, *Bishop*

**ST. ANDREW'S CLERGY**

The Rev. Dr. Robert Pace, Rector

The Rev. Dr. Jill Walters, Associate Rector

The Rev. Claire Cowden, Curate

The Venerable Chris Wrampelmeier, Archdeacon

The Rev. Dede Schuler Ballou, Deacon

The Rev. Dave Blakley, Deacon

The Rev. Mildred Rugger, Deacon

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**EYC**

**Fundraiser**

**EYC will be selling Easter Lilies  
on April 9th during the breakfast hour.  
Funds raised will help our youth go to  
San Francisco this summer  
for their Pilgrimage**



# The Messenger

April 2017

## Pace's Pilgrimage



The month of April is shaping up to be one of the most memorable and hope-filled months in the church for St. Andrew's. I am so excited about all the many blessings we will have the opportunity to experience together this month!

As the month begins, we start with a FASO Concert on April 2. We are still in the season of Lent. We will finish out our enjoyable Lenten Series on the first Wednesday night of the month and continue our preparation for Holy Week. On Palm Sunday, we will have our wonderful procession of the Palms with the reading of the Passion gospel.

Then, Holy Week begins in style as we have the singular honor to host the Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, the Most Reverend Michael Curry, as he visits this part of the Diocese of Northwest Texas. On Monday, December 10, Bishop Curry and Bishop Scott Mayer will join us for a wonderful meal at St. Andrew's Episcopal School at 5:30 PM. Then at 7:00 PM, we will host a diocesan event in our nave--"The Presiding Bishop Speaks!" At this event, our presiding bishop will speak (and perhaps, preach) for about an hour to all who come. (We'd love to have an accurate idea of how many are coming to the meal and the event, so please call the office or email Barbara Whitton [bwhitton@standrewsamario.org](mailto:bwhitton@standrewsamario.org) to let us know you plan to attend).

During the rest of Holy Week, the worship will be beautiful, meaningful, mystical, and transformative. I always love the power of the Triduum--Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Great Vigil of Easter. Attending all three services tells the story of Christ's final days before the crucifixion, then his death, and then his triumphant resurrection.

This year, we will celebrate Easter Sunday on April 16. I so look forward to the joyous celebration. And I love our tradition of Easter Brunch as a community gathering to feast in the joy of the Resurrection after the 10:30 service.

Finally, the month of April finishes out with a bang this year. On April 27th is the big FASO fundraiser, which promises to be quite entertaining AND is such a good cause in support of this group that brings so many varied people to our church to experience music and culture. Then, on April 30, Bishop Mayer returns for his official visitation. He will Confirm, Receive, and Reaffirm Baptismal Vows for those who seek it on that Sunday.

I can't think of a better month to be part of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Amarillo! I look forward to seeing you here.

In Christ,  
Robert+

## April Celebrations

### Happy Birthday

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|---|---|--|---|---|
| <b>April 1</b><br>Joshua Chafin<br>Penny Massey<br>Lucy Metz<br>Hunter Sundre                       | <b>April 9</b><br>Robert Kauffman<br>Piper Laur<br>Max McCartt<br>Bryan Wells                     | <b>April 16</b><br>Belva Bennett<br>Richard Partney<br><b>April 18</b><br>Mary Bush<br>Edie DeTommaso<br>Pat Groom<br>Lynn Howell<br>Robert Pace | <b>April 23</b><br>Jenifer Ledbetter<br><b>April 24</b><br>Whitney Kelly<br>Maggie McGee<br>Christy Milton<br>Scott Milton      | Rachel Neumann<br>Mary Rusk<br><b>April 28</b><br>Tamara Steph<br><b>April 29</b><br>Jack Howell<br>Jere Lawrence |
| <b>April 2</b><br>Catherine Ladd<br>Darren Sorrells   | <b>April 10</b><br>Katie Boatler<br>Ford Bobo   | <b>April 19</b><br>Jean Helvy<br>Judith Olsen<br><b>April 20</b><br>Thane Gaut<br>Debra Hotchkiss<br>Gwen Patterson                              | <b>April 25</b><br>Anne Bizlin<br><b>April 26</b><br>Mark Bivins<br>E-Beth Lacy<br>Vanessa Savage<br>Jim Whitton                | Jim Turner<br><b>April 30</b><br>Gary Pfeffer<br>Julia Pierce<br>Lacey Turman<br>Lil Withrow                      |
| <b>April 3</b><br>Brent Clarke<br>Morgan Henderson  | <b>April 11</b><br>Anne Brittain<br>Cole Wrampelmeier   | <b>April 22</b><br>Lori Brister<br>Deanne Matney<br>Florence Morris<br>Phil Mullins<br>Tommie Neeley   | <b>April 27</b><br>Dede Schuler Ballou<br>John Thomas<br>Blanchard<br>Margo Burgess<br>Peter Dallas<br>Ford Dowdy<br>Mack Dowdy |   |
| <b>April 4</b><br>Lizzy Chesnut<br>Collin Wynne   | <b>April 12</b><br>Wendell Davies<br>Elaine Hyer<br>Cindy Reid<br>April Sessler<br>Everett Turman |  |   |   |
| <b>April 5</b><br>Jaci Abbott<br>Meredith Childers<br>Rafe Eubanks<br>Valerie Snead<br>Hallie White | <b>April 13</b><br>Jeremy Hart, Jr.<br>Eddy McCarthy  |  |   |   |
| <b>April 6</b><br>Peggy McGuire   | <b>April 14</b><br>Sara Adamchak<br>Josh Fawell<br>Liah Givins                                    |  |   |   |
| <b>April 8</b><br>Amanda Cutts  |   |  |   |   |

### Happy Anniversary

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|--|---|---|--|
| <b>April 10</b><br>Jay & Deana Craighead | <b>April 13</b><br>Jim & Barbara Whitton      | <b>April 17</b><br>Duane & Susan Wise     | Mark & Debra Tolman                              |
| <b>April 10</b><br>Don & Sally Emerson   | <b>April 16</b><br>Robert & Michelle Kauffman | <b>April 23</b><br>Charles & Emily Wilson | <b>April 30</b><br>Berkely Voran & Shane Vasquez |
| <b>April 12</b><br>Tom & Jan Plequette   | <b>April 16</b><br>Kevin & Lori Golden        | <b>April 23</b>                           |  |

### Weekly Schedule at St. Andrew's

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
8:00 am* Holy Eucharist, Rite I	1:30 pm Parkinson's Caregiver Support Group (2nd Monday)	8:00 am Rite II Morning Prayer	8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II	8:00 am Morning Prayer, Rite II	10:00 am Black Belt Bible Study	9:00 am Altar & Flower Guild
8:45 am Sunday Breakfast	6:00 pm Centering Prayer	12:00 pm Rector's Bible Study	9:30 am Daughters of the King (2nd Wednesday)	1:00 pm Pack a Lunch (2nd Thursday)	12:00 pm Men's Prayer and Fellowship	
9:30 am* Christian Formation	6:30 pm EfM	5:00 pm Tai Chi	10:00 am Tai Chi	5:00 pm Spanish	7:30 pm Empty Sky Contemplative Prayer Group	
10:30 am* Holy Eucharist, Rite II	7:00 pm DBSA (1st Monday of the month)	6:30 pm PASO (2nd & 4th Tuesday)	10:45 am EfM	6:00 pm Sweet Adelines		
1:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous		6:30 pm Daughters of the King (3rd Tuesday)	5:30 pm* Holy Eucharist, Rite II with Holy Unction	6:30 pm EfM		
6:00 pm* Holy Eucharist, Rite II		7:00 pm Chess Club	5:30 pm EfM			

## April Calendar

Childcare is available every Sunday,  
7:30 - noon, unless otherwise noted

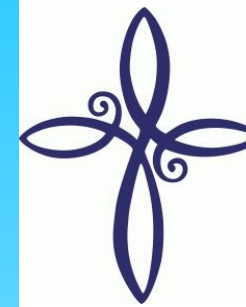
\*childcare will be available for this event

The Parish offices will be Closed on Monday, April 17th

April, 2017	2	9	16 <b>EASTER</b>	23	30
<b>8:00 am Rite I</b> Usher/Greeter	Wendell Davies	Bill Smith	Don Patterson	Phil Mullins	Richard Partney
Reader/Chalice	Wendell Davies	Courtney Jones	Richard Partney	Mary Emeny	Will Severn
Acolyte	Ford and Brody Bobo	Courtney Jones	Richard Partney	Mary Emeny	Will Severn
<b>10:30 am Rite II</b>					
Children's Chapel	Colleen McCall	Lacey Turman	<b>NO CHILDREN'S CHAPEL</b>	Haley and Kenneth Brown	Margaret Jenkins
USHERS	Don Emerson Dick Ford Cory Scott Charlie Henderson	Leon Swift David Stidham Lori Golden Joe Bob McCartt	Bruce Baca Randall Heck Leon Swift Rodney Steph	Michelle Wilt Lori Golden Vic Maza Tammy Breitbarth	Richard Ladd Bruce Baca Dick Ford Jay Craighead
Angel Usher: 8:00 10:30	Bill Aikman Mike Abdo	Doug Voran Kevin Golden	Jay Craighead Charlie Henderson	David Stidham Kevin Golden	J.B. Lane Tammy Breitbarth
GREETERS	Debbie Wynne Denise Warren	Denise Warren Bruce McAda	Doug Voran Larry Wolff	Tammy Breitbarth David Stidham	Neil Quattlebaum Nate Stidham
CHALICE BEARERS	Mariada George Miriam Scott Martha Russell Donna Miller	Laurie Cizon Tammy Breitbarth Courtney Jones Jerry Allsup	Georgia Swift Cliff Craig Courtney Jones Robert Kauffman	Sharon Stones Taylor Withrow Leesa Wood-Calvi Darren Sorrells	Doug Voran Victoria Morris Heather Voran Alan Kee
LECTOR EPISTOLER Prayers of the People	Mariada George Miriam Scott Martha Russell	Sally Emerson Don Emerson Courtney Jones	Georgia Swift Cliff Craig Courtney Jones	Sharon Stones Taylor Withrow Leesa Wood-Calvi	Sharon Milligan Victoria Morris Kay Craighead
OBLATIONERS	Cristy and Jack Miller	Robin and Randy Dryden	Margaret Jenkins and Mike Abdo	Heather and Doug Voran	Kela and Charlie Henderson
ACOLYTES Crucifer Torch Torch Server <i>Acolyte Master on Duty</i>	Adrian Scott Leni Scott Cal Aikman Sterling Elza <i>Richard Ladd</i>	Ethan Adamchak Berkei Lewter Baylei Lewter Johnna Gandy <i>Tiffany &amp; Johnathan Laur</i>	Perry Steph Conrad Morrison Madi Mosely Layne Steph <i>M.J. Coats</i>	Kai Lancour Mirabella Lancour Max McCartt Will McCartt <i>David Hart</i>	Ellery Craighead Leyton Craighead Piper Laur Phoebe Laur <i>Richard Ladd</i>
LEV Lay Eucharist Visitors	Patricia Maddox Nate Stidham	Lil and Taylor Withrow	Judith Evans Mariada George	Miriam Scott Kimberly Carter	Heather and Doug Voran
Vestry Offertory Service	Leon Swift Joe Bob McCartt	David Stidham Michele Kauffman	Courtney Jones Helen Benten	Annette Mullins Lori Golden	Sally Emerson Margaret Jenkins

Bread: Whitney Kelly  
Altar Guild: Cristy Miller

Wednesday LEMs: 5th– Nancy Novak  
12th– Whitney Kelly  
19th– **NO SERVICE**  
26th– Vic Maza



## Reflections with Mother Jill

We are entering such a busy and exciting time in the life of our church. April will be filled with all kinds of celebrations. Two of my favorites occur during Holy Week—Maundy Thursday and Easter Vigil. I look forward each year to the solemnity and reflection that is part of Maundy Thursday. During Maundy Thursday, the altar is stripped and all the lights of the church are extinguished. There is no reserved sacrament in the aumbry as there is the rest of the year and the sanctuary lamp that keeps the light of Christ over the aumbry whenever there is consecrated bread and wine is put out as well. It is a reminder of what the world would be like without the light of Christ or the Church. It is sobering and hard to imagine.

We reverently contemplate the crucifixion and death of Christ on Good Friday. Then comes the Easter Vigil on Saturday night! Once the sun has set, we enter the still darkened church. A deacon brings the light of Christ back into the church, and we all share in the light as bells ring and we are filled with joy! The light has returned because Jesus has risen from the dead! The world seems right again and there is hope for the whole world! I hope you will join us for the services during Holy Week. No matter how many times I experience them, I am transformed. I wish you a Holy Week that renews your senses and fills your heart and life with the resurrected Christ!

Mercy and grace,  
Mother Jill+

## A Note From the Curate

*Almighty God, we thank you that by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ you have overcome sin and brought us to yourself, and that by the sealing of your Holy Spirit you have bound us to your service. Renew in your servants the covenant you made with them at their Baptism. Send them forth in the power of the Spirit to perform the service you set before them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen. The Book of Common Prayer, p. 309*

On April 30 our bishop will pray this prayer over those who will be Confirmed or Received into the Episcopal Church. These persons come to us from a lovely variety of Christian backgrounds, bringing inspiring curiosity & commitment to our way of being Christian. As is customary in Episcopal worship, the blessing of the Holy Spirit will be mediated through our collective prayer and through physical touch as the bishop lays his hands upon each person renewing their dedication to Christian life & service. We rejoice & give thanks for each of these persons! Please welcome them warmly, as you do so well.

Claire +



**Committee Meeting  
Dates to Remember**

4/9 @ 6:00 pm  
Properties Committee

4/16 @ 6:00 pm  
Finance Committee

4/23 @ 6:00 pm  
Vestry

**Reconciliation of a Penitent (Sacrament of Confession) During Lent**

During the season of Lent (March 1-April 14), the priests will be taking appointments from anyone desiring to participate in the Sacrament of Confession. Reconciliation of a Penitent is not "required" of anyone in the Episcopal Church. However, it is often useful to take advantage of this opportunity, especially during Lent, to "confess all sins troubling the conscience" and "give evidence of due contrition..." The sacramental nature of individual confession can be quite freeing. You may make an appointment with Father Robert at [rpace@standrewsamarrillo.org](mailto:rpace@standrewsamarrillo.org); Mother Jill at [jwalters@standrewsamarrillo.org](mailto:jwalters@standrewsamarrillo.org); or Mother Claire at [ccowden@standrewsamarrillo.org](mailto:ccowden@standrewsamarrillo.org). Or you may call any of them at the church at 376-6316.



*Brent Lancour & Nate Stidham  
making pancakes for  
Shrove Tuesday fundraiser*



*EYC helpers at  
Shrove Tuesday  
Pancake Supper Fundraiser*

# Deacon's Corner

*"The light of Christ....  
Thanks be to God...."*

*Rejoice now, heavenly hosts and choirs of angels, and let your trumpets shout salvation for the victory of our mighty King...."*

If the liturgical role of the Deacon is to proclaim the Good News, then The Great Vigil of Easter is the pinnacle of Diaconal proclamations! This liturgy between sunset on Holy Saturday and before sunrise Easter morning reminds us that on that night, as we recount our people's history with God, Jesus is transitioning **from death into life** and fulfilling the prophecies made centuries before to overcome death and secure our salvation forever!

For most of the years since my ordination to the diaconate, I have been humbled by the opportunity to proclaim these words. Carrying the newly kindled fire into a dark nave as the congregation lights their candles and seeing the light of Christ spread throughout the nave always gives me feelings of awe and joy. The dark days of Lent have finally come to an end. In the words of the Exsultet – REJOICE!

During Deacon formation, many of my classmates were terrified at the idea of chanting "the Exsultet" (making Boogie Man sounds!) However for me, it is when I chant this beautiful ancient hymn that I embrace the gift of my voice, to literally sing in thanksgiving that earth and heaven are now joined and we are reconciled to God!

I hope that you will join the community of St. Andrew's April 15 at 8:30 p.m. to experience the wondrous liturgy that is The Great Vigil of Easter, to celebrate the first service of Easter Day, and to rejoice in saying together once again – Alleluia! Alleluia!

Faithfully,  
Deacon Dede Schuler Ballou

## Youth Pilgrimage Update . . .

St. Andrew's EYC (Episcopal Youth Community) has had two very successful fundraisers this winter: the Epiphany Pageant Spaghetti Supper and the Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper. Thank you so much to all who came to these events!

The high-school-aged youth continue to plan and raise funds for their pilgrimage which will take place after school is out in May. Our next fundraiser will be the sale of Easter lilies in the Parish Hall on Palm Sunday. If interested in an Easter lily, please see Edee Aikman or one of the youth on Palm Sunday. We will also have a bake sale / craft sale / car wash on the Sunday, May 7th.

Perhaps you're asking yourself "What does a Youth Pilgrimage look like"? The Journey to Adulthood (J2A) curriculum has this to say about youth pilgrimages:

1. A pilgrimage is not a vacation or a sightseeing tour or a mission trip. Vacations create time or relaxation and refreshment. Sightseeing tours are a time for taking in the wonders of a distant land and culture. Mission trips are principally a chance to share in spreading the Gospel. A Pilgrimage is all of that and more – it is time we set aside to journey in the footsteps of the faithful Christians who have gone before us. By mindfully walking in their footsteps, we put ourselves in touch with our tradition, our roots, our God.
2. A pilgrimage is a time for seeking and finding God in new ways. Once normal activities, relationships, and obligations which sustain our day-to-day lives are removed, individuals are free to look again at their understanding of God and their need for God's grace and presence in their lives. It is important to note here that every moment of pilgrimage does not have to be meaningful, nor should it be. There must be time for play, laughter, quiet, and rest. But somehow, even in the lighthearted activities which enhance our relationships, there is something afoot. God is moving in the hearts of these pilgrims in ways which are undeniable.
3. The blessings of pilgrimage can take time. It is not always while we are on pilgrimage that its true effects show. Certainly the very fact that we are away together for a week helps. This is long enough for even a free spirit to begin to long for familiar food and the comfort of their own bed. But what happens on pilgrimage has to be processed in the life to which we all must return. Some pilgrims may say very little while traveling and even in the weeks and months that follow, but time will show that the long-term effects are profound. It is not only a trip that will never be forgotten: it is a journey which changes lives.

## Amarillo Heart Songs

You are invited to an evening of  
Rachmaninoff, Sondheim, Puccini and Gershwin  
Performed by Celebrated Amarillo Artists  
Thursday, April 27, 2017 - 6:30 pm  
St Andrew's Episcopal Church

Friends of  
Aeolian-Skinner  
Opus 1024

Tickets \$35 each  
Tickets online: [FASOAmarillo.org](http://FASOAmarillo.org)  
or  
Call (806) 376-6316 x105

Mary Jane Johnson, Soprano  
RnR Fusion, Organ & Virtual Orchestra  
Sandy Storey, Jazz Singer  
Jim Gardner, Jazz Piano & Organ

6:30 pm Heavy Hors d'oeuvres & wine  
7:30 pm Concert

### FASO Presents: Katherine Siochi, Harpist



Praised by the New York Times as "excellent," 22-year old **Katherine Siochi** is an award-winning classical harpist residing in New York City. Ms. Siochi is the 2016 gold medalist of the 10th USA International Harp Competition, and she is only the second American to win the prize since the competition's inaugural year in 1989. Katherine has also received many awards in national harp competitions, including first prize in the American Harp Society's Young Professional division, earning her the title of AHS Concert Artist for 2015-2017. As Concert Artist Ms. Siochi is touring the US, presenting recitals and masterclasses. Her other honors include first prize in the junior division of the American String Teachers' Association. She was winner of the Anne Adams Awards, winner of the Aspen Music Festival harp competition, and first prize in the Advanced Division of the American Harp Society. She has appeared twice on NPR's radio program "From The Top" in 2009 and 2010. This year her solo performances were featured on New York Public Radio for WQXR's "Young Artist Showcase."

Active as an orchestral and chamber musician, Ms. Siochi has performed in major venues such as Carnegie Hall, Avery Fisher/David Geffen Hall, Alice Tully Hall, Harris Theater (Chicago), and Orchestra Hall (Minneapolis). She has played with The Juilliard Orchestra, New Juilliard Ensemble, the New York Philharmonic, New World Symphony, and Ensemble ACJW. During her summers, Ms. Siochi attended the Aspen Music Festival in 2012 and 2013, the Tanglewood Music Center in 2014, and received the two-year harp fellowship for Aspen Music Festival's 2015 and 2016 seasons. While in Aspen last summer, she performed Debussy's Sonata for Flute, Viola, and Harp on American Public Media's radio program "Performance Today."

Performing the final  
concert of  
FASO's 2016-2017  
11th Concert Season is the  
classical  
concert harpist,  
**Katherine Siochi** of New  
York City on Sunday, April  
2nd, 2017 at  
7:30 PM!

Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$10 for students. To order tickets, please visit our website,  
[www.FASOAmarillo.org](http://www.FASOAmarillo.org) or call  [\(806\) 376-6316 ext.105](tel:(806)376-6316).

Tickets will also be available in the Parish Hall one hour prior to the concert.



The Most Rev. Michael Curry and  
The Right Rev. Scott Mayer

## Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, The Most Reverend Michael Curry, Visits St. Andrew's

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Amarillo, is excited to host a diocesan visitation from The Most Rev. Michael Curry on April 10th. Our diocesan bishop, The Rt. Rev. J. Scott Mayer, will accompany the Presiding Bishop on his visits to the Diocese of Ft. Worth and the Diocese of Northwest Texas. Bishop Curry will be at the Church of the Heavenly Rest in Abilene on April 9th, then he and Bishop Mayer will travel to Amarillo on April 10th. The schedule of events is as follows:

**April 10th @ 4:30 p.m.—Conversation with Diocesan Clergy, St. Catherine's Room**  
**April 10th @ 5:30 p.m.—Dinner at St. Andrew's Episcopal School**  
(Everyone is invited and the meal is free.)

**April 10th @ 7:00 p.m.—"The Presiding Bishop Speaks," St. Andrew's Episcopal Church**  
The meal and the evening service are open to everyone and there is no cost for either event.  
**Please RSVP** to Barbara Whitton at [bwhitton@standrewsamario.org](mailto:bwhitton@standrewsamario.org) or call the church at 376-6316. However, if you forget to RSVP, please don't let that stop you from joining us for an unforgettable evening.

Nursery will be provided beginning at 5:30 p.m. (meal included).

**Please RSVP** to Edee Aikman at [eaikman@standrewsamario.org](mailto:eaikman@standrewsamario.org) for the nursery.

### FINANCIAL REPORT January 1, 2017 - March 19, 2017

Annual Budgeted Pledge, Contribution & Plate Income	\$ 909,554.00
Budgeted Pledge, Contribution & Plate Income YTD	\$ 209,897.04
Actual Pledge, Contribution & Plate Income YTD	\$ 185,458.02
	—\$ 24,439.02

### INQUIRERS' CLASS - 2017

**WHO IS THIS CLASS FOR:** ALL people (Adults and Youth) who enter the doors at St. Andrew's, whether new to the Church or long-time confirmed Episcopalians.

**WHEN AND WHERE DOES IT MEET:**

The Inquirers' Class meets in the Children's Chapel in Lowndes Hall on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 10:15.

**WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS CLASS:** To help participants learn more about the distinctive traditions of the Episcopal Church and St. Andrew's. Who are we as Episcopalians? What do we believe? What do we do?

**IS IT NECESSARY FOR ME TO BE CONFIRMED OR RECEIVED TO BE A MEMBER OF ST. ANDREW'S?:** The short answer is no, it is not. However, it is necessary in order to serve on the Vestry or be elected to positions of leadership in the parish and diocese.

**Schedule of Sessions:**

April 2—Discovering Your Ministry and Gifts

No Class on April 9 (Palm Sunday) or April 16 (Easter)

April 23—Rehearsal for Baptism, Confirmation, or Renewal of Baptismal Vows

April 30 —Visitation of Bishop Scott Mayer

# Holy Week Schedule

*Join us for Holy Week at St. Andrew's as we remember and celebrate the passion, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Holy Week is the culmination of the season of Lent and the most important week of the Christian liturgical year as we walk with Christ on his way to the cross and prepare to experience the glory of his triumph over sin and death in our Easter Celebration.*

## *Sunday, April 9 - The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday*

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I\*  
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II\*  
6:00 pm Holy Eucharist, Rite II \*

## *Monday, April 10 - The Most Reverend Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop Speaks*

5:30 pm Dinner served at St. Andrew's Episcopal School  
7:00 pm Presiding Bishop Speaks at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church\*  
RSVP to Barbara Whitton [bwhitton@standrewsamarrillo.org](mailto:bwhitton@standrewsamarrillo.org)

## *Tuesday, April 11 - Evening Prayer, Rite DD*

5:30 pm- Evening Prayer  
(Children's Chapel)

## *Wednesday, April 12 - Holy Wednesday*

5:30 pm Holy Eucharist, Rite II with Holy Unction\*  
(Children's Chapel)

## *Thursday, April 13 - Maundy Thursday*

7:30 pm Maundy Thursday with Holy Eucharist, Rite II\*  
(Nave)

**Prayer Vigil begins at 9:00pm on Thursday  
through Friday at noon**  
(This service in in the Nave)

## *Friday, April 14 - Good Friday*

12:00 pm The Liturgy of Good Friday  
(Nave)

5:30 pm Stations of the Cross  
(Nave)

## *Saturday, April 15 - Holy Saturday/The Great Vigil of Easter*

8:30pm Great Vigil of Easter with Holy Eucharist, Rite II\*  
(Nave)

## *Sunday, April 16 - Easter Day: The Feast of the Resurrection of Our Lord*

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I\*  
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II\*  
No Christian Formation classes or Children's Chapel  
No 6:00 pm service

*\*indicates nursery care is available.*

# Join us for Easter Sunday

8:00 am Rite I with Holy Eucharist  
10:30 am Rite II with Holy Eucharist

Easter Brunch and Egg Hunt following the 10:30 Service  
(Kids, don't forget to bring your Easter baskets!)

The Church will provide meat, bread and drinks.  
Please bring sides, salads, and desserts to accompany.



*Holy Eucharist at 8:00 am & 10:30 am*



*Egg Hunt for kids of all ages!*



*Good food and good fellowship  
are hard to beat! Bring a friend!*



*Volunteers to help with  
brunch always welcome!*

