

Faith Formation and Religious Education (RE)

Any questions? Contact Jenifer Jefferies at standrew.dre@gmail.com

Adult Faith Formation

- YES! Journey this Tuesday morning and evening! This is our last week!
- BOTW – Join us to read, pray, and discuss the upcoming Sunday Scripture readings. We meet Wednesdays at 9 am in the Library. This past week Deacon Tim joined us – thanks! Come this Wednesday and see who is present. Welcome back, Barbara and Sonny! All are welcome!

Religious Education (RE)

High School	No class until December 3. Enjoy time with your family, friends, and catch up on cleaning your room, homework and college prep!!
Junior High	Monday, November 13, 7 – 8:15 pm. The change in weather has spread the cold bugs! Hope everyone feels better soon. If you want to catch-up, read about Moses and the desert wanderings! Thanks to “Delightful Dianne” for the cake! Yum!
Elementary	Wednesday, November 15, 3:15 – 4:15. Regular class today...no class next week but remember to come to our traditional Thanksgiving liturgy and pie social on Wednesday, November 22. Bring your friends and family!

Buy your family tickets! Family fun, food and learning. Come celebrate our patron saint, Andrew, on Saturday, December 2. Go to Mass and then stay for dinner and a great social! Consider it family RE!

Sunday, December 3 at 12:30 pm. **Protecting God’s Children Class.*** If you have never attended, this is a great opportunity to learn how you can keep children safe. This class is mandatory for all who want to work with children in our parish. Sign-up at www.virtuonline.org ->First-time registrant -> follow steps. Questions: see or contact Jenifer.

Special thanks to the choir members, Nancy and Becky, and of course, Phil, for bringing music to our children’s liturgies this fall! It truly makes a difference! Peace and thanks!

***Protecting God’s Children Class also covers those who work or care for vulnerable adults as well as children.**

This Week at Saint Andrew

November 12, 2017

Website: standrewbc.org

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Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM to 12 Noon and 1 PM to 5:00 PM

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Calendar & Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 11, 2017

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 5 PM **Renate Britton**

Sunday, November 12, 2017

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 8 AM **People of the Parish**

Coffee & Donuts after Mass

Dulce and Kharen Kuniyuki

Mass 10:30 AM

† **Rocco M. Disylvester, Sr.**

Coffee & Donuts after Mass

Matthew & Paula Rios

Monday, November 13, 2017

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, November 14, 2017

8 AM Communion Service

Rosary and Chaplet afterwards

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 8 AM † **Priscila Chua Dayao**

Thursday, November 16, 2017

8 AM Communion Service

Friday, November 17, 2017

Presider: Fr. Tony Hughes:

Saturday, November 18, 2017

Sunday, November 19, 2017

Special Collection (see page 2)

Thanksgiving Mass 7 PM
Wednesday, November 22

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Confessions 4 p.m. Saturday, or by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick at the 8 AM Mass on the first Wednesday of the month, or by appointment.

For Marriage and Baptism information, please contact the parish office.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT “Promise to Protect”
BELIEVE IN THE POSSIBILITY OF HELP AND HEALING.
THERE IS HOPE.**

Your local Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We will listen to your needs and support you. We will help you make a formal complaint and arrange a personal meeting with the bishop, or his delegate, if desired. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. *The Victim Assistance Coordinator in our diocese is: Ron Vallance at (702) 235-7723.*

**OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THANKSGIVING
WEEK: November 20 through 27, 2017**

Message from Deacon Tim

We are looking at bringing a ministry to St. Andrew allowing our young people (16 years and under who are Catholic and have received their 1st Communion) to take on a role and be even more engaged in Mass as an **Altar Server**.

Servers carry the cross the processional candles, hold the book for the priest celebrant when he is not at the altar, present the bread, wine, and water to the priest during the preparation of the gifts or assist him when he receives the gifts from the people, wash the hands of the priest, assist the priest celebrant and deacon as necessary.

We have an **Altar Server Sign-up Sheet** in the Parish Hall for this exciting opportunity to participate in this ministry. We realize that being an altar server requires a commitment on the part of parents as well as our young people. So, we ask that you complete the sign-up sheet together. If there is a Mass time that works best for your family, please let us know that, too.

Please see me after Mass for any questions or concerns.

Special Collection: November 19, 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, In the United States, more than 46 million people are living in poverty. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) assists those living in the margins by giving them the tools through their anti-poverty program to find hope and a way to a more secure life.

CCHD's philosophy emphasizes empowerment and participation by assisting the poor in participating in the decisions and actions that affect their lives and communities, they "help people help themselves" to move beyond poverty. Your support of this collection can change the lives of people living in poverty across the United States.

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development is made possible by the generous support of Catholics in the United States, mainly through this annual collection. CCHD grants are awarded to local anti-poverty efforts in the community in close partnership with the local Catholic diocese and require the explicit approval of the bishop.

When considering your donation to CCHD, please keep in mind that grant funding for anti-poverty efforts has come back to our diocese and our local community in the form of grant money. The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of today's modern society. Thank you for joining in this worthy cause to empower people with the skills to end the cycle poverty.

Assuring you of my continued prayers, I remain --

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Joseph A. Pepe, D.D., J.C.D.

Bishop of Las Vegas

Pray For

Jeanne Clark Evelyn Davis
Mary Ralph Susan "Pixie" Wilkinson
and all those we continue to remember in our prayers on the PRAYER SITE list (www.standrewbc.org and select the PRAY FOR US tab), the Tiltons in Kinshasa, all deployed military who are serving our country, those recovering from the series of natural disasters, fire storms, the mass shooting in Las Vegas, and for all who have recently lost a friend or loved one; especially, Sadie "Sally" Jenista (*A funeral service will be held for Sally at St. Andrew in the spring*), and Lenny Stefanski. Funeral arrangements pending.



Sanctuary Flowers

Donor: Anonymous

In MEMORY of the DECEASED members of our St. Andrew community

*Flower arrangements are by BC Florist
Owners & parishioners Kris & Dan Thompson*

Christmas Sanctuary Flowers

We will again be taking donations for sanctuary flowers (poinsettias) again this year for Christmas in memory or honor of a loved one.



Weekly Offering and Attendance

Offering	Last Year	Current Year
November 5, 2017	\$6,129.00	\$6,825.00

Registered Families: 573 Attendance: 386

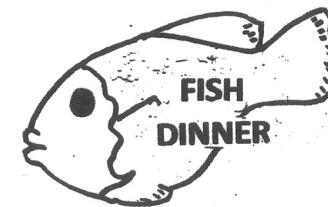
At St. Andrew

SIGN-UPS in the HALL
to bring a **PIE** to our annual
THANKSGIVING PIE SOCIAL

Wednesday, November 22nd
following **7 p.m. MASS**
(one pie per family attending)

Social Committee:
Chairperson - Rita McKay

Family
Friendly
Social



Saturday,
December 2, 2017 6 p.m.

*Go to Mass
stay for dinner and entertainment*

Tickets \$10 ON SALE NOW!

TASTE OF CHRISTMAS
Bake Sale and More ...
After Masses **December 16 & 17**

*Social Committee Chairpersons:
Helen Breeden, Anna Clark,
and Paula Rios*

SIGN-UP NOW TO BRING
Baked "Goodies"

Look for details next week!



Blessings and Peace

Week of November 12, 2017

Sunday: Wisdom 6: 12-16/Psalm 63: 2-8/1Thessalonians 4: 13-18/Matthew 25: 1-13

Monday: Wisdom 1: 1-7/Psalm 139: 1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/Luke 17: 1-6

Tuesday: Wisdom 2: 23-3: 9/Psalm 34: 2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Luke 17: 7-10

Wednesday: Wisdom 6: 1-11/Psalm 83: 3-4, 6-7/Luke 17: 11-19

Thursday: Wisdom 7: 22b-8: 1/Psalm 119: 89, 9-, 91, 130, 135, 175/Luke 17: 20-25

Friday: Wisdom 13: 1-9/Psalm 19: 2-3, 4-5ab/Luke 17: 26-37

Saturday: Wisdom 18: 14-16; 19: 6-9/Psalm 105: 2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Luke 18: 1-8

Next Sunday: Proverbs 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Psalm 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5/1Thessalonians 5: 1-6/
Matthew 25: 14-30