

Religious Education (RE) and Adult Faith Formation

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

It is a busy week as we are back in full swing! Feeling the winter blahs and holiday let downs? Well, check out what's going on so you don't miss anything and be with and meet parishioners!

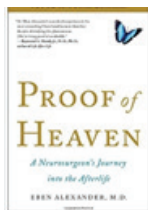
Religious Education (RE)

High School	Yes, this Sunday, January 21 at 7 pm. If you have been thinking about checking it out, come tonight. We haven't met in so long everyone will seem new! The Knight of Columbus Scholarship is now available for high school seniors who will be graduating in 2018. The due date is Sunday, February 25. You can get the application from the office, Bob Hartman, or Jenifer.
Junior High	Junior High – Yes! We are back! This Monday, January 22 at 7 pm! Hope to see your smiley faces there.
Elementary	We met last Wednesday and will continue to meet every Wednesday until Spring Break / Holy Week. Class officially begins at 3:15 and concludes at 4:15. Mark your calendars for Ash Wednesday Mass at 3:30 p.m. on February 14th.

*** Please note – we will be covering *Touching Safety* in all youth classes beginning January 28.

Adult Faith Formation

We are back to quality time together and our Sunday Scripture! All are welcome. No books or sign-ups necessary. **Wednesdays at 9 am in the parish library - see you January 24, 2018!**



This Thursday! We will discuss the book *Proof of Heaven*! You can come in the morning at 9 am or in the evening 7 pm. It is a fascinating read. I am amazed how many of our parishioners have read this book previously. Come and share and discuss.

Please sign-up in the hall after Mass so we have an idea of how many to setup for and you know, we always have snacks! ☺

THIS Wednesday evening - January 24, 2018 at 7 pm.

“What is keeping you awake at night?” We will share our worries and/or the issues our families are dealing with. If you will be there, please sign-up in the hall. This might be a good opportunity to meet someone new, and find out that we are walking similar roads with the same pot holes and boulders! SIGN-UP Now! Jenifer

This Week at Saint Andrew

January 21, 2018

Website: standrewbc.org

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

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Calendar & Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 20, 2018

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 5 PM **People of the Parish**

Sunday, January 21, 2018

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 8 AM

† **Maggie Brown-Shoosmith**

Coffee & Donuts after both Masses:

Hosted by Kharen & Dulce Kuniyuki

Mass 10:30 AM † **Nick Rosola**

Coffee & Donuts after both Masses:

Hosted by Hope & Cindy Blatchford

Monday, January 22, 2018

Tuesday, January 23, 2018

8 AM Communion Service

Rosary and Chaplet afterwards

Wednesday, January 24, 2018

Presider: Fr. Toan

Mass 8 AM † **Tony Wirtz**

6:45 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 25, 2018

8 AM Communion Service

Friday, January 26, 2018

Saturday, January 27, 2018



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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.*

Little Black “Lenten” Books

\$2.00 regular \$3.00 Lg. print

On SALE in PARISH HALL (after Masses)

The Gospel Lens

Mark 1: 14-20

Jesus began his ministry by calling simple fishermen to be his most trusted coworkers. The Twelve were scholars, however, Jesus saw beyond their unpolished simplicity to call forth from them their faith, sincerity, and goodness. As Mark's gospel unfolds each Sunday this year, the first disciples will misunderstand Jesus, desert him, and even deny and betray him—but Jesus maintains his trust in them.

In this rabbi from Nazareth, the day of the Messiah has dawned; but newness demands change: a “turning away” (repentance) from life as usual to a complete trust in the life and love of God.

The abandoning of nets and family is total trust.

Who are Jesus' most unlikely disciples among us today?

Blessings,
Deacon Tim

Special Collection

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

On January 27/28th, our diocese will be taking up the national collection for the Church in Latin America and Eastern Europe.

In Latin America, although the people are faith-filled, the needs in this region are great and can often seem insurmountable. The distance in rural areas and deteriorated roads makes it difficult for some communities to have Mass regularly. But with your support, pastoral agents have received training to bring the Gospel to these areas and neighborhoods. Your support has helped bring people to the Church and the Church to the people, through evangelization efforts and the repair of church buildings. This has given them hope and the joy of the Gospel.

The Church in Eastern Europe suffered greatly during the time of communist reign, in many countries practicing the faith became illegal, church buildings were confiscated, and people were forced to hide and secretly share the truths of the Gospel. After decades of institutional oppression and persecution, Catholics still struggle to rebuild not only their physical places of worship but also their church ministries and communities. With your support of this collection, the Church is providing resources to these communities to breathe new life into the faith once again.

We are called to share our faith with all, and this collection is a prophetic and bold way to do so. Please take this opportunity to share your faith with many families in Latin America and Eastern Europe. Thank you and may God bless you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Reverend Joseph A. Pepe, D.D., J.C.D
Bishop of Las Vegas

January 21, 2018

Sunday: Jonah 3: 1-5 10/Psalm 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/1 Corinthians 7: 29-31/Mark 1: 14-20
Monday: 2 Samuel 5: 1-7, 10/Psalm 89: 20, 21-22, 25-26/Mark 3: 22-30
Tuesday: 2 Samuel 6: 12b-15, 17-19/Psalm 24: 7, 8, 9, 10/Mark 3: 31-35
Wednesday: 2 Samuel 7: 4-17/Psalm 89: 4-5, 27-28, 29-30/Mark 3: 31-35
Thursday: Acts 22: 3-16 or Acts 9: 1-22/Psalm 117: 1bc, 2/Mark 16: 15-18
Friday: 2 Timothy 1: 1-8 or Titus 1: 1-5/Psalm 96: 1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10/Mark 4: 26-34
Saturday: 2 Samuel 12: 1-7a, 10-17/Psalm 51: 12-17/Mark 4: 35-41
Next Sunday: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20/Psalm 95: 1-2, 6-9/1 Corinthians 7: 32-35/Mark 1: 21-28

Pray For

Barbara Randell Barbara Hart
Mary Gail Reinbold Mary Glaccum
Marilyn Bagovich

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) all deployed military who are serving our country, all those who are suffering from respiratory and flu type illnesses during this season, and for all who have recently lost a friend or loved one; especially, the loss of Nick Rosola.



Funeral Service will be at the Veterans Cemetery on **Tuesday, February 6th at 11:20 a.m.**

Weekly Offering and Attendance

Offering	Last Year	Current Year (1/14/18)
January 14	\$5,967.00	\$6,742.00

Registered Families: 584 Attendance: 423

St. Andrew Funding Project/s

Project	Goal	\$\$ Donations
Parking Lot	\$200,000.00	\$14,145.06

2017 Tax Preparation - St. Andrew Donations

If you received a letter for tax purposes last year of donations to St. Andrew, you will automatically be mailed a tax letter in mid-January. If you did NOT receive a letter for 2016 donations, but you would like to receive a letter for 2017 taxes, please contact the parish office at 702-293-7500.

Cindy Blatchford, Bookkeeper

Upcoming at St. Andrew



Breakfast (after Masses)

✓ February 11

Lenten Retreat

✓ February 16 6:30-8:30 p.m.

✓ February 17 9 - 2 p.m.

St. Patrick's Dinner

✓ March 17 6 p.m.

Easter Sunday Brunch (after Masses):

✓ April 1

Poor Man's Parish Picnic

✓ Sunday, April 15

Cinco DeMayo Mexican Potluck/Dinner

✓ Friday, May 4 5 p.m.

Look for more details in future bulletins!

The family of Maggie Shoosmith extends a sincere and heartfelt thank you to all our friends at St. Andrew. We appreciate your kindness and support as we made our way through this difficult time. Please pray for us as we adjust to life without Maggie.

Kevin & Barbara Smith

Beyond the Parish

**Married Couples Jubilee Mass
Sunday, February 11, 2018 2:30 PM**

Celebrated by Bishop Joseph A. Pepe

Guardian Angel Cathedral

302 Cathedral Way, Las Vegas

If you would like to attend, please contact our parish office before February 5th. Be prepared to submit contact information, date of marriage, the Roman Catholic Church where you were married, and the anniversary that you are celebrating in 2018.