



An Outreach of
St. Andrew
Presbyterian
Church

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New and Events

From your Transitional Pastor

Education Forum

PW News

**Neighborhood Friends
Donations**

Birthdays/ Lectionary

Calendar

Presbytidings - July 2025

Psalm 100

- ¹ Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.
² Serve the Lord with gladness;
come into his presence with singing.
³ Know that the Lord is God.
It is he who made us, and we are his;^[a]
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving
and his courts with praise.
Give thanks to him; bless his name.
⁵ For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever
and his faithfulness to all generations.

Singing together is one of my favorite parts of church. One of the few specifically designated powers in the Book of Order for the pastor is the choosing of hymns. I enjoy picking from a wide variety of hymns, as many of you have noted. I have also been so impressed by how well this congregation can sing hymns that were unfamiliar. Most have been sung ably, some have become new favorites, some need some practice, and some I will not pick again (for one reason or another).

In the spirit of collaboration, and simply in the hopes of worshipping with fun and singing some of the congregations' favorite hymns, we will be doing a hymn sing on August 24th. You are invited to submit up to five (5) hymns for consideration. You can submit via email to Birgitta or Pastor Eric. We will also have cards in worship throughout July on Sundays that you can fill out and give to Pastor Eric, or place in the office. We will take submissions up until the end of July. Note that we will not guarantee that all submissions will be chosen, as we will craft the service based on the compiled submissions from the whole of the congregation.

"Serve the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing."

Peace,
Eric

THE FUTURE OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

COMMUNITY FORUM

WHEN: SUNDAY, JULY 20, 2025
3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

WHERE: ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN
5301 PONDEROSA NE
ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87110

JOIN US FOR *PIZZA*
after the forum.
Childcare on site

Call 505-881-9626
Tues-Thurs 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM
for more information.



Speakers from:
APS School
Board, teachers'
union and APS
Schools will
discuss the
impact of
BUDGET CUTS
to programs
which serve all
our public
schools:

TITLE I

Ensures all
students have
equal access to
quality education

TITLE III

Bilingual and EL
services

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Every Sunday after a delicious meal, our Neighborhood Friends can get hygiene packets and gently used clothing and shoes. We are especially in need of men's summer clothing. We welcome women's summer clothing as well. Check your closet for those clothes you no longer use. We especially need t-shirts and jeans. We do not need dressy clothing nor pajamas. No winter clothing at this time, as our storage is limited. New underwear and sox are always welcome. Need me to pick up your donations? Call Sharon Craig.



PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN NEWS

Our monthly bible study is on hiatus for the summer but we will begin again on Tuesday, September 9th, at 10:00 am. Our new bible study for the 2025-26 year is entitled: Finding Resilience, Joy and Our Identity in Jesus Christ. We hope you will plan to be there for Lesson One. Our discussion is led by Rev. Catherine Robinson.

Presbyterian Women will celebrate the Birthday Offering with a Potluck Brunch on Wednesday, July 23rd, at 10:00 am. Jessica Carothers is hosting and will have hot and cold beverages on hand. Please bring a dish to share and remember to rsvp to karen.ulack@gmail.com. Jessica's address is 6505 Meoqui Court NW, Los Ranchos.

Also on July 23rd, we will discuss the book How We Learn to Be Brave by Mariann Edgar Budde. We are excited that once again, Catherine will facilitate our discussion! Please plan on joining us for a morning together!





Lectionary Schedule

Sunday – July 6

4th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading 2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalm 30

Second Reading

Galatians 6: (1-6) 7-16

Gospel Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Sunday – July 13

5th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading Amos 7:7-14

Psalm 82

Second Reading

Colossians 1:1-14

Gospel Luke 10:25-37

Sunday – July 20

6th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading Amos 8:1-12

Psalm 52

Second Reading

Colossians 1:15-28

Gospel Luke 10:38-42

Sunday – July 27

7th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading Hosea 1:2-10

Psalm 52

Second Reading

Colossians 1:15-28

Gospel Luke 11:1-13

Calligrapher Needed

Is there anyone in the congregation who is skillful with calligraphy? The record of our pastors in the pulpit bible needs to be updated and it's penned in beautiful calligraphy. If you have this skill, please let Pastor Eric know.



July Birthdays

3	Ramesh Shrestha
5	Gregory Bartlett
9	Esther Irish
16	Erin Gaylor-Bell
18	Sharon Craig
19	Joe Woodworth
22	Beverly Wright

TRANSPORTATION NEEDED

Don and Nancy Burns are looking for someone who can take them to doctor appointments and some shopping. They are now residents of Manzano del Sol but many of their doctor appointments are on the West side and out of the reach of Manzano's transportation services. They are willing to pay for the transportation. If interested contact them at 505-507-1030.





JULY 2025



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 12 pm Lectionary Lunch 5:15 pm Social Justice Committee	2	3 10 am Stroke Club 10 am Spiritual Formation 5 pm Worship Com via ZOOM	4 5:30 Girl Scouts 	5
6 9:30 Worship & Communion 10:30 Fellowship	7 4:30 PNC	8 12 pm Lectionary Lunch	9 4 pm Deacons 6:30 Southwest Sniffers	10 8 am Finance Com via ZOOM 10 am Stroke Club 10 am Historical Jesus	11 7:30 Sci Fi Society 2 pm Outreach Com	12 10 am John Dean Memorial Service
13 9:30 Worship 10:30 Fellowship	14 4:30 PNC	15 12 pm Lectionary Lunch	16	17 10 am Stoke Club 10 am Spiritual Formation	18 5:30 Girl Scouts	19
20 9:30 Worship 10:30 Fellowship 3 pm Social Justice Com Forum on Education	21 4:30 PNC	22 12 pm Lectionary Lunch 6 pm Session	23	24 10 am Stroke Club 10 am Historical Jesus	25	26
27 9:30 Worship 10:30 Fellowship 3 pm Encantada	28 4:30 PNC	29 12 pm Lectionary Lunch	30	31 10 am Stroke Club		