

# WELCOME

## Summer 2018



Summer is a time to be! A time to relax! A time to be with family and friends! Summer is a time to celebrate! Weddings, friends, family, and yes, even Church. We are glad you chose to be here today.

If you are here from Westworth United Church, we are glad to be partnering with you this summer. If you are new to St. Andrew's River Heights, feel free to come anytime! Come relaxed in shorts and a t-shirt. Be comfortable! Let's all connect!

Let's all be together and just be! So enjoy your summer, enjoy your day, and enjoy time together here in this place at this time!

~ Rev. Karen Lumley

### Our Vision

To live as Christ would have us live, in love, with compassion and seeking justice, by sharing God's grace, learning from scripture, growing through the Spirit and being transformed by faith.

**WASHROOMS:** Wheelchair accessible and gender neutral bathrooms are located outside the lower auditorium. They can be accessed by the stairs in the Narthex or the elevator outside the church office.

## FIND YOUR PLACE

There are many ways to get involved at St. Andrew's. Everyone is welcome so please reach out and step into places that inspire you the most. More details found at <http://standrewsriverheights.com/life-work/church-groups/>.

**AFFIRMING:** Our continuing mandate is to encourage ongoing understanding of what it means to be affirming and to evaluate the programs at St. Andrew's for inclusivity. *Tara - mctara@shaw.ca*

**ANNA BLAIR CIRCLE:** Monthly functions that are social in nature and promote fellowship and camaraderie. *bj.kennedy@mymts.net*

**BIBLE STUDY:** We meet Friday mornings at 9:15am in the Lounge. Drop in anytime! *klumley@standrewsriverheights.com*

**BOOK CLUB:** We are a group of book lovers who meet Wednesday afternoons, every 5-7 weeks. Anyone is welcome! *Ruth - mckenzieqrst@shaw.ca*

**CARING COMMUNITY:** We oversee pastoral care in collaboration with the ministry staff. *Ardelia - abburrow@shaw.ca*

**CENTERING PRAYER:** A form of Christian meditation based on an ancient practice of prayer. Newcomers welcome - 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of the month in the lounge. *clark\_brownlee@mts.net*

**CIRCLE OF CARE:** Lay pastoral care-giving and ministry for all ages and stages of the congregation. *klumley@standrewsriverheights.com*

**GUATEMALA:** Senior youth, ages 14 & older, are eligible for our biennial mission trip to Guatemala. *klumley@standrewsriverheights.com*

**MESSY CHURCH:** Once a month gathering where families can enjoy being together. Crafts, stories and potlucks! *klumley@standrewsriverheights.com*

**OUTREACH:** Social justice in our community and beyond. We meet on an 'as needs basis'. *Nancy - neh@mts.net*

**PRAYER/BAPTISM SHAWLS:** Do you love to knit? If so, we could use your talents.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Teachers are always needed. Contact Karen Lumley to volunteer @ *klumley@standrewsriverheights.com* or 204-488-1130.

**STEWARDSHIP:** Encourage stewardship of time, talents and resources throughout St. Andrew's. *clark\_brownlee@mts.net*

**ST. ANDREW'S MUSIC:** Love to sing or play the handbells? Both choirs meet Thursday evenings and welcome new members! *Choir Director - dmorphy1@mts.net*  
*Handbell Choir - carolynlutes@gmail.com*

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We are always looking for volunteers to help out with events, fundraising, outreach, Sunday morning coffee & tea, and the Circle of Care interest groups. If you are interested, email the church office at *volunteer@standrewsriverheights.com*.



**OUR LAND** - We remember, as we celebrate God's presence in Worship that St. Andrew's River Heights United Church gathers in Treaty 1 land, the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe, Cree, Oji-Cree, and Dakota peoples and in the heart of the Metis Nation. As Treaty people, we seek to live with respect on this land, and live in peace and friendship with all our relations.

\*please stand or sit in the spirit

## ORDER OF SERVICE

GATHERING MUSIC

GREETING

\*HYMN

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH

OPENING PRAYER

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE - PRELUDE

\*HYMN

SCRIPTURE READING(S)

SOLO

MESSAGE

\*HYMN

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

\*OFFERING SUNG RESPONSE (VU581 v. 2)

**Through all our living, we our fruits must give.  
Good works of service are for offering.  
When we are giving, or when receiving,  
we belong to God, we belong to God.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER (VU916)

\*CLOSING HYMN

\*BLESSING

\*BENEDICTION (MV214)

**May God's sheltering wings, her gathering wings protect you.  
May God's nurturing arms, her cradling arms sustain you,  
and hold you in her love, and hold you in her love.**

POSTLUDE

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Our heartfelt thanks goes out to everyone who helped with today's service—we couldn't have pulled it off without you!

We welcome those from Westworth United Church who are joining us on July 22 & 29 and Aug 5 & 12!

### ST ANDREW'S CONTACT LIST

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Service Team Lead	Paul Webster	paulwebster@shaw.ca

## SCRIPTURES

### July 22

Scripture—Read by Merle Andrew (Westworth)  
Ephesians 2:11-22

### July 29

Scripture—Read by Shirley Watts (Westworth)  
John 6:1-21

### August 5

Scriptures—Read by Eunice Pratt (Westworth)  
2 Samuel 11:26—12:13  
John 6:24-35

### August 12

Scriptures—Read by TBA (Westworth)  
2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33  
John 6: 35, 41-51

### August 19

Scriptures—Read by Colleen Watters  
1 Kings 2:10-12, 3:3-14  
John 6:51-58

### August 26 (Rev. Lesley Harrison)

Scriptures—Read by Derek Morphy  
Exodus 32: 1-14  
Matthew 22:1-14

### September 2

Scripture—Read by Diane Bewell  
James 1:17-27

## HYMNS

VU395—Come In, Come In and Sit Down  
VU402—We Are One  
MV145—Draw the Circle Wide  
MV1—Let Us Build a House

VU232—Joyful, Joyful We Adore You  
VU117—Jesus Christ Is Waiting  
VU289—It Only Takes a Spark  
VU481—Sent Forth by God's Blessing

VU401—Worship the Lord  
VU651—Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah  
VU371—Open My Eyes, That I May See  
VU238—O Lord My God

VU245—Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet  
VU376—Spirit of the Living God  
VU684—Make Me a Channel of Your Peace  
VU298—When You Walk from Here

VU249—Rejoice in the Lord Always  
VU356—Seek Ye First the Kingdom  
VU713—I See a New Heaven  
VU642—Be Thou My Vision

VU226—For the Beauty of the Earth  
VU288—Great Is Thy Faithfulness  
VU337—Blessed Assurance  
VU262—A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

VU213—Rejoice, the Lord Is King  
VU595—We Are Pilgrims  
VU509—I, the Lord of Sea & Sky  
VU264—Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

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## SUMMER SOLOISTS

July 22—Fred Cross

July 29— Colleen Watters

August 5— Roman Szczerba

September 2— Jan van der Hooft

August 12— Chris Donlevy

August 19— Jillian Bonner

August 26— Rose van der Hooft

Guest Organist on August 19 & 26—Charmaine Bacon

### YOUR GIFTS MATTER.

Get the benefits of a Tax Receipt for your Donation! Let us know who you are and sign up for PAR. Pre-authorized remittances throughout the year make it easy to donate to the United Church.

Donations are always accepted either through your weekly giving envelopes, the weekly worship offering, or can be dropped off at any time through the church office.

Check out our website for more information and forms.

### COMING UP...

#### SUNDAY, JULY 22

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, JULY 23

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, JULY 26

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

#### SATURDAY, JULY 28

Rental—Kyle du Val (recital) @ 1pm

#### SUNDAY, JULY 29

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, JULY 30

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 2

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Boulton @ 10:15am

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 6—STAT

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

Golden Chords (auditorium) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 9

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Tuxedo @ 10:15am

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 12

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 13

Rental—Ledlow—Auditorium from 8-5pm

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### TUESDAY, AUGUST 14

Rental—Ledlow—Auditorium from 8-5pm

#### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

Rental—Ledlow—Auditorium from 8-5pm

Golden Chords (auditorium) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 16

Rental—Ledlow—Auditorium from 8-5pm

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Parkway @ 10:30am

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 17

Rental—Ledlow—Auditorium from 8-5pm

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 20

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 23

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Tuxedo @ 10:15am

#### SUNDAY, AUGUST 26

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 27

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### TUESDAY, AUGUST 28

Rental—Diehl-Reader practice @ 6pm

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 30

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Rental—Diehl-Reader recital @ 5pm

Westworth Open House & BBQ @ 5:30pm—St. Andrew's has been invited to attend. \$5 per person.

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

Worship (sanctuary) @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3—STAT

AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Worship (lounge) @ 7pm

P&A (board room) @ 7:30pm

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Golden Chords (auditorium) @ 7pm

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Basement Bookstore @ 10am – 5pm

Boulton @ 10:15am

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Celebration Sunday @ 10:30am

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10


AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

### ANNOUNCEMENTS...

**Office Hours:** The church office is closed from July 2—August 3. Andrea is on unpaid leave until July 31 and then taking vacation time for August 1—3. She will be back in the office on Tuesday, August 7. During this time, voice mail messages and emails will be monitored. Hours for August will be posted on the church website, Facebook and voice mail. Thank you!

Westworth United Church is having **Vacation Bible School** on August 27-31 from 9-4pm. The theme is Toad Trip to Bethlehem. You can register through the church office at 204-489-6974.

**Westworth United Church** invites members of St. Andrew's to their "1st Open House and BBQ" on August 30, 2018 at 5:30pm. BBQ food prepared by the Pork Marketing Board. The cost is \$5.00 per person for 'Pork in a bun', coleslaw, drink and dessert.

 **Celebration Sunday:** Mark your calendars! Sunday, September 9 at 10:30am is Celebration Sunday. Outdoor service (weather permitting), BBQ, games & activities for all!

**Harvest Supper:** Mark your calendars! St. Andrew's Annual Harvest Dinner is scheduled for Sunday, October 21, 2018. Tickets will go on sale the Monday following Celebration Sunday. Watch the e-blast newsletter in August for ticket sale information.

**Are you new to St. Andrew's?** Please contact the office at [office@standrewsriverheights.com](mailto:office@standrewsriverheights.com) or 204-488-1130 to make sure we have your correct mailing address, phone number, and email address. If you would like to know what's happening around St. Andrew's, you can also sign up for our weekly newsletter through our website at [www.standrewsriverheights.com](http://www.standrewsriverheights.com).

