# There is Enough for All

### Sunday, September 21, 2025

As we begin our new church year together, we are reminded that Thanksgiving is only one month away. This year, we are going to be "Offering Gratitude, each Sunday for five weeks. Let us give thanks to God, the Creator of all. Come and be a part of our journey together this fall. GRATITUDE!

#### **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.

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 on our website.

#### FIND YOUR PLACE

**WASHROOMS:** A wheelchair-accessible and gender-neutral bathroom is located in the hallway North of the lower auditorium. It can be accessed by the elevator near the office or any of the stairways and is available to all 24 /7. The Childcare and Nursery have full and exclusive use of the washrooms in the lower hallway Monday to Friday 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM. The use of the lower Narthex washrooms is for church use 24 / 7 plus the lower hallway washrooms may be used by all on evenings and weekends when the childcare and nursery are closed.

**Registration forms** are available for Sunday School. Please register your children and youth.

A special thanks to Tyler Snell, the Daycare liaison between the Council and The Daycare, who returned the missing barricades from Celebration Sunday.

**Bible Study** begins Wednesday, September 24, at 9:30am in the lounge. We will be studying together, 1 Timothy 6:6–19 & Luke 16:19-31. All are welcome to attend.

Make sure to subscribe to our weekly eblast to know what is happening in the Church community!

https://standrewsriverheights.com/news-4/newsletter/



**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.

#### Order of service

GATHERING MUSIC: God of grace and God of glory (Cwm Rhondda) arr. Robert Hobby

WELCOME & WORK OF THE CHURCH An update from Council - Rob Siddall

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

INVITATION TO WORSHIP: The Abingdon Worship Annual, 2025, adapted.

Search for the Lord each day.

God waits where we least expect it.

Search for those who seem lost and discouraged.

God wants us walk with them.

Cry out to the Lord in times of distress.

God meets us in the presence of others

MINUTE FOR MISSION: Jocelyn Carlson

HYMN: VU575 I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

**PRAYER** 

CHILDREN'S TIME

HYMN: VU612 There is a Balm Gilead

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: <u>The Minister's Annual Manual</u>, 2004-2005, adapted.

As we come before you now, O God, we come with broken hearts. We have known what is right to do, and have not always done it.

We have known what is right to say, and have not always said it.

We have known what is right to think, and have not always thought it.

We have not always shared our time, talents and monetary gifts as we should. Forgive us, O God. Help us to be the community of faith you have called us to be.

#### WORDS OF ASSURANCE

ANTHEM: Like a River in My Soul (Trad. Spiritual, arr. Tim Osiek)

I've got peace like a river in my soul.

I've got peace like a river, soothing river, calmly flow.

When the world closes in, feel the stillness within.

I've got peace like a river in my soul.

I've got love like an ocean in my soul.

I've got love like an ocean, endless ocean, deep and full.

When you're lost and alone, let the waves bring you home.

I've got love like an ocean in my soul.

I've got joy like a fountain in my soul.

When your hope nearly dies, just remember,

Once again, you shall rise!

I've got joy like a fountain,

Love like an ocean,

Peace like a river, in my soul.

SCRIPTURE READING: read by Rob Siddall This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God** 

SOLO: Susanne Reimer - He Hideth My Soul (Fanny J. Crosby, text; Mark Shepperd, music) A wonderful Saviour is Jesus my Lord, A wonderful Saviour to me; He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock, Where rivers of pleasure I see.

He hideth my soul in the cleft of the rock That shadows a dry thirsty land; He hideth my life in the depths of his love, And covers me there with his hand.

A wonderful Saviour is Jesus my Lord, He taketh my burden away; He holdeth me up, and I shall not moved, He giveth me strength as my day.

He hideth my soul...

With numberless blessings each moment he crowns,

And filled with his fullness divine, I sing in my rapture, "Oh glory to God For such a Redeemer as mine!"

He hideth my soul...

#### SERMON

HYMN: **VU686** *God of Grace* vs.1, 2 & 4 Tune: VU651

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Grant us awareness, loving God. **Help us to be compassionate.** 

THE LORD'S PRAYER: VU916 A Translation Our Father-Mother, who is in the heavens, May your name be made holy, May your dominion come, May your will be done, On Earth as it is in heaven.

And forgive us our debts,

As we have forgiven our
debtors:

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And do not put us to the test, But rescue us from evil. For yours is the dominion, and the power, And the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING/OFFERTORY: Fuga Georg Philipp Telemann

OFFERING/OFFERTORY SUNG RESPONSE: There's Enough for All (Words and music: Bryan Moyer Suderman)

↑ There's enough for all if we would learn to share it.

there's enough for all, oh help us to believe. There's enough for all. Let's bring our loaves and fishes,

and offer them to Jesus. There's more than enough for you and me. ♪

OFFERTORY PRAYER

#### **BLESSING**

BENEDICTION: May the Peace of Christ Be with You (words & music by Izumi Shiota, additional text by Lori Tru)

May the peace of Christ be with you.
 May the love of Christ dwell deep in your heart.

May the Spirit enlighten your way.
May you live in the comfort of God's care. ♪

POSTLUDE: Allegro from Concerto in F major (Antonio Vivaldi) adapted by J.S. Bach

## Announcements Remember in Prayer:

- Ron Maier passed away suddenly. He was part of the Guatemala group in 2013. Remember his wife Colleen and sons Jack, Nick, and Scott.
- Rita Swan, who is in the hospital
- Christa Webster, who fell and broke her femur, is recuperating at home
- Phyllis Thomson, who is in the hospital
- Audrey Belyea, who is in the hospital
- Ardelia Burrow, who has been moved to a
   CT LIST nursing home

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

Thank you to our singers, soloist, Susanne Reimer, and our scripture reader, Rob Siddall.

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#### **Announcements**

Are you a reader? Join the St. Andrew's Book Club. Our meeting will be on Wednesday, September 24, at 1:30 pm in the church lounge. We will be sharing what we've read on our own over the summer. At the meeting, we'll pick up the book for the next meeting. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday, September 28th, is Orange Shirt Sunday and Reconciliation Sunday. Wear orange to say, Every Child Matters. Joshua Ward ,who is a Minister at 1JustCity, will be our guest speaker, who is a Minister at 1JustCity.

**Do you want to learn** about your faith, the church, how it came to be, and is supposed to function? Come to Confirmation Classes that are going to be offered in the fall for adults and in the spring for youth. If you are interested, please contact Rev. Karen Lumley.

#### Aaron Hutton Sings the Crooner Bible study (lounge) @ 9:30am Collection

If you enjoy those sentimental favourites popularized by the likes of Tony Bennett, Sinatra, and maybe Bobby Darin, then St. Andrew's has the concert for you. The concert features our very own Aaron Hutton, accompanied by a terrific Jazz pianist. Aaron has performed as tenor lead in the St. Andrew's choir for approximately 5 years and is well recognized throughout the Winnipeg arts and musical community, both in musical theatre and the classical scene.

But in this concert, he will jam to those familiar tunes that will send you home humming your favourites.

It is happening here at St. Andrew's, in our sanctuary, on Saturday, October 18 at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$20. Available after each Service in the narthex or from the Church Office. Or get tickets at the

Walks on Tuesdays with Westworth continue every week at 1pm. If you would like to be informed about the routes of these walks and would like to have your email provided to the organizers, please let the church office know.

#### Coming Up...

#### **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22**

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23**

Wes organ lessons (sanctuary) @ 10am

Rental—Jayden Fraser (sanctuary) @ 4pm

#### **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24**

Rental—River City Sound (auditorium) @ 5:15pm

#### **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25**

Rental—Charmaine Bacon (sanctuary) @ 4pm Choir practice (sanctuary) @ 7:30pm

#### **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

Wes organ lessons (sanctuary) @ 10am

#### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**

Bible study (lounge) @ 9:30am Rental—River City Sound (auditorium) @ 5:15pm

#### 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, through Etransfer by contacting Bill Craddock, our Treasurer at 204-488-1130 just leave a message on the phone and Bill will return it, or can be dropped off at any time through the church office.

Check out our website for more information and forms. The church is very grateful for any and all donations. Thank you so much.

Rental—Joy Cooper (lounge) @ 6:15pm

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2**

Rental—Charmaine Bacon (sanctuary) @ 4pm Choir practice (sanctuary) @ 7:30pm

#### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 6**

Rental—AFG (lounge) @ 7pm

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7**

Wes organ lessons (sanctuary) @

Worship meeting (board room) @ 10am

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

#### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8**

Bible study (lounge) @ 9:30am Rental—River City Sound (auditorium) @ 5:15pm Rental—Joy Cooper (lounge) @ 6:15pm

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9**

Choir practice (sanctuary) @ 7:30pm

