

Yellow cards in the pew pockets are for prayer requests you wish to have the staff hold up in prayer during the week (place in the offering basket). Prayer partners are available to pray with you following the service. **Pink encouragement cards** are also available in the pew pockets.

Sermon Notes. Printed copies of Pastor Kerry's sermons from previous weeks are available at both entrances, or visit www.standrewsduncan.org and click on [Sermons](#).

Our Elders wear blue name tags. If you have any questions, please ask any of them for assistance.

Please call Gladys Johnston at 250.748.1746 or Sandra Kroek at 250.748.7907 with your prayer request for the Prayer Chain.

Ongoing Groups

Craft Group Weekly on Tuesday (except the second Tuesday) at 9:30 am in the Lower Hall. Contact: Una Statham, 250.743.3665.

Ladies Guild Monthly on the second Tuesday at 10:30 am in the Lower Hall. Contact: Charlotte Raketti, 250.748.4968.

Choir The choir meets Tuesdays at 7:15 pm in the Sanctuary. New singers are welcome. Contact: Ann Antonides, 250.748.5752.

Prayer Shawl Ministry Monthly on the first Wednesday at 10:30 am in Jacob's Well. Contact: Libby Hemmons, 250.746.6699.

Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon Monthly on the fourth Thursday at 11:30 am in the Lower Hall. Contact: Jan Cutler, 250.748.8995

Men's Breakfast Monthly on the first Saturday at 7:30 am at The Haida-Way, Chemainus. Contact: Paul Wieringa, 250.748.5752.

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany Communion Sunday

February 5, 2012

9 am & 10:30 am Services



“A community of faith inviting all to real life in Jesus”

Welcome to St. Andrew's.

We are glad the Lord has led you here among us and warmly invite you to share in this time of worship and to join us in fellowship at Coffee Hour following the service.

A handicapped-accessible washroom is available at the rear of the Sanctuary, adjacent the Nursery. The men's and women's washrooms are located off the Lower Hall.

Nursery care for children from birth to two years is provided in the Church Nursery behind the Sanctuary. Sunday School is offered to children from pre-school to grade 12 during the 10:30 am service.



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Parish Nurse	Jan McIntyre (on leave)
Interim Youth Ministry	Blair Middlemiss
Music Co-ordinators	Ann Antonides & Naomi Middlemiss
Administrative Secretary	Sharon Bell

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Agapeland Director	Jeanne Halladay



10:30 am Service

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymn 27 God of mercy, God of grace

Sharing of Praises

Children's Story Blair Middlemiss

Scriptures Read by Anita Fraser
Psalm 119:1-15 (p 598)

Sermon

"Connecting with the Bible"

~ Dr. Lawson Murray

Hymn 85 Great is Thy faithfulness

Sharing Our Gifts and Concerns

Prayers of the People

The Sacrament of Communion

Songs of Praise

Shout to the Lord

Blessed be Your name

Benediction

All hail the Lamb

South Door Greeters Wes and Gitte
Downey

North Door Greeters Roger and Elizabeth
Ironmonger

Duty Elders Jim Drake
Sandra Kroek
Derek Pearce
Frank Statham

Sound Board Bob Gray

Today is Communion Sunday. St. Andrew's welcomes to the Table all who love the Lord Jesus and trust in Him. The practice of the congregation is to come forward to receive the sacrament, although Elders also bring the elements to those who prefer to remain seated. Two stations are provided at the front: one with bread and wine; the other with bread and grape juice. Bread and grape juice are served to those who remain seated.



Good Samaritan Fund

Donation bowls are situated at each entranceway for a retiring offering for support of the congregation's benevolence program, the Good Samaritan Fund.

St. Andrew's Fundraisers



Peaks Coffee This fundraiser gives us more bang for the bean! Try one of the new blends. Please fill out the orange form (at the mailbox table) and submit with payment to the office. Orders are due **Tuesday, February 7.**

Bottle Drive Remember to bring in pop cans, bottles, tetra-paks (juice only; no milk or soy), and juice containers on the **first Sunday of the month** to be recycled. Proceeds go towards reducing our Building Program debt.

FundScrip Cancelled Please note that we are no longer participating in the FundScrip program.

Future Dates

Feb 6 Property Committee Meeting

Feb 7 AGM Reports Due

Feb 7 Craft Group

Feb 13 Mental Health Support Group

Feb 14 Ladies Guild Meeting

Feb 14 Session

Feb 19 Annual General Meeting / Lunch

Feb 23 Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon

Feb 25 Ladies Guild Garage Sale
(start gathering!)

Feb 26 Cairnsmore Place Service

Feb 28 Session

Mar 3 Men's Breakfast Meeting (Haida-Way)
Note: Changed from weekly to monthly

Mar 3 Camp VIP Meeting (TBC)

Mar 29 Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon (not March 22)

This Week

Sunday, Feb 5 – Sunday, Feb 12

(all events at the church unless stated otherwise)

SUN 10:30 am Communion Service
11:30 am Fellowship luncheon *LH*

MON Office Closed

9 am Property Committee *JW*
9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
7:30 pm Men's Fellowship *GH*

TUES 9 am Staff Prayers *NY*
9:30 am Craft Group *LH*
10 am Staff Meeting
10 am AGM Reports Due
7:15 pm Choir *SC*

WED 10 am Bulletin Deadline

9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
9:30 am Boundaries *GH*
10:30 am Mother Goose *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
7 pm Boundaries *AG*
7 pm Healing Care Group *GH*

THUR 10 am Coffee / Q&A with Kerry *JW*
1:30 pm Mother Goose *LH*
7 pm Praise Team Practice *SC*

FRI 9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
7 pm Youth Group *LH*

SAT

SUN 9 am & 10:30 am Services

LEGEND

AG Agapeland *LH* Lower Hall
GH Gospel House *NY* Nursery
JW Jacob's Well *SC* Sanctuary

Please check with the office to reserve space for meetings or events, or to make changes or cancellations. Note: Outside groups held onsite may not always appear in the bulletin.

Announcements

1. We welcome Dr. Lawson Murray, president of Scripture Union Canada to the pulpit this morning. A luncheon follows today's service—all are most welcome. Please use this time as an opportunity to visit with someone new from within the congregation, and especially to welcome and meet today's visitors.
2. **Choir** The choir group will meet Tuesday, February 7 at 7:15 pm in the Sanctuary. New singers are welcome. We will be preparing for the Easter season. Contact: Ann Antonides, 250.748.5752.
3. **Youth Group** Youth Group for Friday, February 10 will be at the church from 7 pm to 9:30 pm. We will be getting up to our usual crazy games, and we will also be looking at a video to get us thinking. Grade 7 and up are welcome to join. Call Blair at 250.732.5909 if you have any questions. Hope to see you there!
4. **Annual General Meeting** Please mark your calendars for **Sunday, February 19** for our annual congregational general meeting to be held at 12:30 pm, following worship and a fellowship lunch. All committee and group leaders, please turn in your annual reports to the office by **Tuesday, February 7**. Wherever possible, email your report (as a Word, Works, or text file) to office@standrewsduncan.org.
5. **Coffee and Q&A with Kerry** We're making a slight change to the weekly Coffee with Staff get-together. It will now be held at 10 am instead of 10:30, run for up to an hour, and be an opportunity to have coffee and chat with Kerry about anything! Come join Kerry and Sharon on Thursday mornings (except when the Nifty Fifty Plus luncheons are being held).
6. **Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon (February)** This month's Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon is Thursday, February 23 at 11:30 am. Cost is \$7. "Under 50s" are welcome, too. Our special speaker will be Steve Wallace of Wallace Driving School. Steve is an expert in the field of seniors and driving. If you are not on a phoning list, please call Jan Cutler at 250.748.8995 to reserve your place.

7. **Garage Sale 2012** The Ladies Guild is already gearing up for this year's Garage Sale, slated for Saturday, February 25. Clean, serviceable items are needed; however, we cannot accept child car seats or cribs (due to safety restrictions). Contact: Charlotte Raketti, 250.748.4968.
8. **Agapeland Job Op** An Early Childhood Education Teacher is needed for September 1, 2012 at Agapeland Christian Preschool. Contact: office@standrewsduncan.org.
9. **Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon (March)** Please note that, due to a scheduling conflict, the Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon will be on Thursday, March 29, rather than March 22. Contact: Jan Cutler, 250.748.8995.
10. **Women's Retreat And So We Wait... Our Spiritual Journey of Transformation.** The Vancouver Island Presbyterian Women's Retreat will be held Friday to Sunday, June 8 to 10 at Capernwray Harbour Conference Centre on Thetis Island. Women of all ages are welcome to attend this retreat. The speaker and facilitator is Sarah Donnelly, B.A., M.Div. (www.sarahdonnelly.ca). During this weekend we will examine the experience of waiting, look at the various stages of this journey, and reflect on sacred stories in both the Jewish and Christian traditions that also echo our own stories of waiting. Early registration is \$165 (before February 29); Regular fee is \$180. Deadline is May 7. Please make cheques payable to Vancouver Island Presbyterian Women's Retreat. For a brochure and more information, please contact Una Statham, 250.743.3665.
11. **Website Updates** Check out the new pages on our website www.standrewsduncan.org. Under the tab [What's Happening](#) is a new page called [Discerning God's future for St. Andrew's](#). Follow the sub-tab to the page [Beginnings](#) for the first report from Session about our vision process. Included on the page is an assessment tool by which to rate the various aspects of our ministry. We'd love to have your responses. Be sure to read the latest on [Kerry's Page](#) and feel free to post comments.

SITW (seen in the wild)



Gentle Reminders – and thank you!

Church Mailboxes Please check your mailbox regularly.

Church Directory If you need to make any changes or add a photo to the Church Directory, please stop by the office or email Sharon at office@standrewsduncan.org.

Lost and Found Have you lost something while at church or at a special event? Please check the Lost and Found box and the coat rack next to the lift. Unclaimed items will be donated to Bibles for Missions at the end of the month.

Housekeeping Moms and Dads, please note that there are specific "diaper buckets" for soiled diapers—one in the Nursery and one in the Ladies washroom (Lower Hall). Please wrap soiled diapers in a plastic bag first, then place in the bucket. Please do not put diapers in recycling or garbage bins.

Doors and Alarm When leaving a building, please ensure that *all doors* are tightly closed, with handles in the locked position, then set the alarm.

Prayer and Care List

Some families and individuals in our church face ongoing challenges. Please pray for them.

ONGOING HEALTH ISSUES

Colin and Eleanor Auld
Joe and Hazel Ball
Joan Burgess
Tom Douglas
Ernie and Donna Einarsson
Letty Evans
Jean Kinney (at Cairnsmore)
Jill and Graeme Lawrence
Sharon Lind
Bruce and Arlene McLean
John and Annie Mae Miller
David Mills
Bill Muir
Dian Tulip
Judy Ward

Ministries and Missions to pray for

Sister Church in the Presbytery
Saanich Peninsula, Sidney; Irwin Cunningham

Other Church in the Community
Brae Road Gospel Chapel

Para-Church Mission Partners
Canada-India Fellowship; Pastor Dai serving both a congregation and leading an orphanage ministry

St. Andrew's Ministries
Library ministry and those serving on the Library team; pray that we may fill our minds with the rich treasures contained within