

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Building & Grounds

2022 ANNUAL GIVING



OCTOBER 3, 2021



"I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord!'"

- Psalm 122:1

A return to in-person worship has shined a light on all the work we've completed in the Sanctuary and throughout Parish Hall over the past year. This work, while desperately needed, was in large part paid for by an anonymous gift (Parish Hall) and the Organ Fund (Sanctuary). In addition to these welcome improvements, we've also continued our regular schedule of maintenance to keep the building ready for our return.

While the church is more than a building we recognize the importance of having a safe and welcoming space for our community and the ministry we offer.

We ask you to prayerfully consider how you are able to help maintain our church home and ministries.

2022 ANNUAL GIVING

We have heard from 70% of our Early Givers. A total of 30 families have committed \$252,296 for 28% of the \$900,000 goal for 2022.

What's happening with: Building & Grounds



Refinished and rust proofed the Memorial Garden gate and fence



All of our **exterior doors were repainted**



The **parking lot** was sealed, striped, and cracks were filled



A new **balcony railing** will be installed bringing us up to code



New **ornamental grasses** were planted in the Church School Play Yard and



Replaced multiple sections of **pipes and plumbing**



The **exterior windows** were washed



The sanctuary was given a **deep cleaning and sanitized** before in-person services resumed

Parish Hall Improvements

Thanks to a generous anonymous donation, every floor of Parish Hall has been re-floored for the first time in 70 years and the walls have been given a long overdue coat of paint.

- 1 In addition to new floors and paint, the Lounge has new furniture, blinds, and area rugs
- 2 After last year's extensive water abatement work, the kitchen's back hall looks brand new
- 3 The chairs in the Chapel and Chancel have been reupholstered
- 4 A new adult-size bathroom has been added next to the Morning Glories bathroom



Your pledge dollars at work

For every dollar spent at St. Andrew's 27¢ goes to Building & Grounds



Building & Grounds is 27% or \$272,725 of our budget

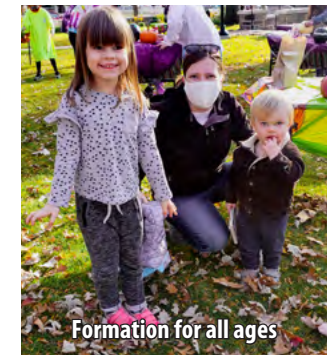
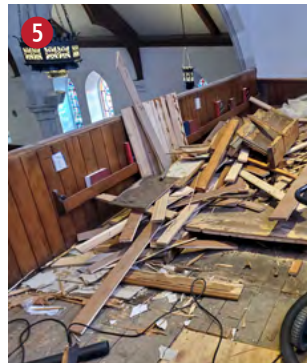
- The church's **building insurance is \$56,000** annually - that's 21% of the entire Building & Grounds budget!
- It costs nearly **\$10,000 annually to plow and salt** the parking lot and sidewalks each winter
- We spent **\$7,500 on a professional deep cleaning and sanitization** of the Sanctuary and Chancel ahead of our August 1 re-entry to in-person services

Building & Grounds pays for: Plumbing & Maintenance repairs · Salt & Plow Property · Building Insurance · Utilities · Housekeeping Salary · Seal, Stripe, and Fill Cracks of the Parking Lot · Tree Trimming · Sanitizing and Deep Clean of the Sanctuary · Lawn Upkeep · Window Washing **and much more!**

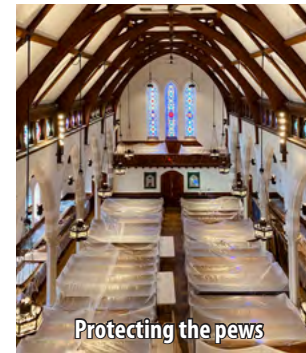
Chancel & Sanctuary Changes

In preparation for the new organ, the Organ Fund has paid for a number of alterations and enhancements in the church. This work has taken over a year and as a result, the layout of the chancel has been reconfigured, new flooring installed, and much more!

- 1 Pews covered to protect them from plaster dust, as seen from atop the Chancel scaffolding
 - 2 Preparing the walls and floors for the new organ
 - 3 The choir desks were removed to build a sturdy new riser in the Chancel
 - 4 The completed riser and reinstalled choir desks
 - 5 The floor of the Balcony is replaced and pews removed*
 - 6 The ramp has been relocated to the south side of the Chancel
- *Paid for by anonymous gift*



Making the choice to support ministry



Don't forget to turn in your Pledge Card!



BY MAIL

Place your signed and completed pledge card in the included envelope, add a stamp, and drop it in the mail.



BY EMAIL

Snap a photo of your signed and completed pledge card and email it to pledge@standrewsaa.org



ONLINE

Visit standrewsaa.org/stewardship.html to fill out an electronic version of the pledge card

How can you help keep St. Andrew's a source of steadfastness in our world and in each of us? It is your continued financial support to the parish which allows us to maintain the level of ministry and worship we currently enjoy.

Ingathering Sunday is October 17 but you can also submit your pledge early by mail, email, online, or putting it in the offering plate.

WELCOME TO SAINT ANDREW'S
*Whoever you are and wherever you find yourself
 on the journey of faith, you are welcome here.*

Please fill out a welcome card, found in the pew rack, then put it in the offering plate or give it to one of the clergy following the service so that we can be in touch with you. For more information about St. Andrew's, speak to the volunteer at the Information Table in the Chapel lobby.

If you have a hearing aid equipped with telecoil capability, please note that the church sanctuary has been equipped with this technology.

THE EUCHARIST

The celebration of the Holy Eucharist is an act of joy and praise, which draws its principal meaning from the Easter proclamation of the resurrection. All who are drawn to God and seek Christ are welcome to receive communion.

Wafers will be used for the communion bread. Wine will not be offered. Communion will be distributed at the foot of the chancel steps for those wishing to partake. Ushers will direct you to form a single line down the center aisle as you approach the altar.

CHILDREN

A Nursery for infants through toddler age is available during the 10:00 am service, located on the second floor of the Parish Hall. Children and youth in preschool through high school attend Church School from 9:45 am until they join their families during the Children's Entrance Hymn.

TODAY

The 24-hour news cycle can let us believe that problems go away once they're off our screens. But we know that's not true. Racism is as real and powerful now as it was in the summer of 2020, and we need to continue our efforts to combat it in ourselves, our city, our country, and our church. Presiding Bishop Michael Curry has called us to remake our church in the Way of Jesus, severed from our connections to empire and racism. The Social Justice

Ministry recognizes that we all still have work to do, so with the Vestry's blessing we have created a banner that proclaims our commitment to that work and to each other. A large banner saying "Black Lives Matter. We have work to do" will be hung on the front of the parish house later this week. We also have yard signs with this message for you to take home. We are sponsoring a series of events this year dealing with a range of issues and offering a variety of actions. Watch the bulletin and *The Network* for details in the upcoming months and join us in this vital work.

Members of the SJM will be available after both the 8:00 and 10:00 am services today for anyone who has questions about our work or would like to talk further.

47TH Ann Arbor CROP Walk: Today at 2:00 pm at Bethlehem UCC. *CROP Walk helps the hungry both globally and locally including the Breakfast at St. Andrew's.* This walk is a wonderful family event to participate in. *Donate at:* <https://bit.ly/21-StA-CropWalk>

Blessing of the Animals: In honor of St. Francis of Assisi, our annual Blessing of the Animals will take place today at 4:00 pm on the lawn (weather permitting). All animals (or photos or stuffed toys) are welcome!

Music for Meditation, Program One: *Art Songs of Peter Cornelius*, tonight at 7:15 pm. Fr. Alan Gibson, Baritone, and Dr. Deborah Friauff, piano, collaborate to present a recital of *Art Songs* by German composer Peter Cornelius (1824-1874).

Compline will be sung in the Church at 8:00 pm.

Offering plates have been placed in the aisle to receive your offering as you come to communion or you can **give online at:** standrewsaa.weshareonline.org



GIVE ONLINE!

Music citations are for the 10:00 am service.
 The service customarily begins in silence and in prayer.

Prelude: *Largo (Xerxes)*..... Georg Frederic Handel (1685-1759)

THE WORD OF GOD

Processional Hymn: *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* Hymnal, no. 657

Opening Acclamation Prayer Book, page 355

Gloria: *Festival Eucharist*..... Craig Phillips (b. 1962) (10:00 am only)
 Prayer Book, page 356 (8:00 am only)

May be sung in English or Spanish

Glo - - - - ry. glo - - -
 Glo - - - - ria, glo - - -
 - - ry to God in the high - - - - est.
 - - ria a Dios en el cie - - - - lo.

Choir: and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. **[Congreg. Refrain]**

Choir: Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. **[Congreg. Refrain]**

Choir: For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus, Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. **[Congreg. Refrain]**

Collect of the Day Prayer Book, page 234

First Lesson: Genesis 2:18-24

Psalm 8..... Prayer Book, page 592

All Sing Antiphon

O LORD our Gov - er - nor, how ex - alt - ed is your Name in all the world!

Out of the mouths of infants and children * your majesty is praised above the heavens. You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries. * to quell the enemy and the avenger. [ANT.]

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers. * the moon and the stars you have set in their courses. What is man that you should be mindful of him? * the son of man that you should seek him out? [ANT.]

You have made him but little lower than the angels; * you adorn him with glory and honor; You give him mastery over the works of your hands; * you put all things under his feet: All sheep and oxen, * even the wild beasts of the field. The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, * and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea. [ANT.]

Second Lesson: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12

Sequence Hymn: *When Jesus Left His Father's Throne* Hymnal, no. 480

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

Sermon The Rev. Sally Boelter
 Nicene Creed Prayer Book, page 358
 Prayers of the People (*Form VI*) Prayer Book, page 392
 The Absolution and the Peace Prayer Book, page 360
 Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem: *Though I Speak with the Tongues* Edward C. Bairstow (1874-1946)

St. Andrew's Adult Choir

Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal. And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge: and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing. And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing. Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up. Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail: whether there be tongues, they shall cease, or whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away. For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then I shall know ev'n as I also am known, and now abideth faith, hope and charity, but the greatest of these is charity.

Children's Entrance Hymn: *Jesus Loves Me* LEVAS, no. 218

We will repeat this hymn for a month to better allow our Church School members to participate in the Children's Entrance Hymn.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A Prayer Book, page 361



Sanctus: *Festival Eucharist* Craig Phillips

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
 God of pow - er and might, heaven and earth are
 full of your glo - ry. * Ho - san - na in the
 Ho : san - na en el
 high - est. Blessed is the One who comes in the
 cie - lo.
 name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Ho - san - na en el cie - lo.

* The "Hosanna" may be sung in English or Spanish

The Lord's Prayer (Contemporary) Prayer Book, page 364

Fraction Anthem: *Christ Our Passover (Festival Eucharist)* Craig Phillips

Organ	Congregation
	

The Choir sings the verse "Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us" after which all repeat the refrain.

Music during Communion:

Anthem: *Children of the Heavenly Father*arr. Paul Sjoland (b. 1935)
St. Andrew's Adult and Junior Choirs

Children of the heav'nly Father safely in his bosom gather; nestling bird nor star in heaven such a refuge e'er was given. God his own doth tend and nourish, in his holy courts they flourish. From all evil things he spares them, in his mighty arms he bears them. Praise the Lord in joyful numbers, your protector never slumbers; at the will of your defender ev'ry foe man must surrender. Though he giveth or he taketh, God his children ne'er forsaketh; loving solely to preserve them pure and holy. Our protector never slumbers.

Hymn: *And Now, O Father* Hymnal, no. 337

Postcommunion Prayer Prayer Book, page 365

Blessing

Closing Hymn: *Now Thank We All Our God* Hymnal, no. 397

Dismissal

Postlude: *Allegro* G.F. Handel



Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for

JOAN POLONCHEK
by *Dennis & Jeanie Powers*

LEADERS IN TODAY'S LITURGY

Altar Guild III: Anna Dutton, Felicity Thompson, Susan Wakefield, Robert Westveer

8:00 am
Celebrant: Sally Boelter
Preacher: Sally Boelter
Acolyte: Elizabeth Calhoun
Lectors: Paul Wise (*Both Lessons*)
Intercessor: Mary Porter
Ushers: JoAn Wetzell

10:00 am
Celebrant: Sally Boelter
Preacher: Sally Boelter
Assistant: Walter LaBatt
Director of Music & Organist: Deborah Friauff
Choir Accompanist: Minji Kim
Acolytes: David Hunsche, Chris Rochman, Luke Thompson
Lectors: Rodger Piehl, Suzanne Schluederberg
Intercessor: Carol Bennett
Ushers: Stephanie Barker, Elaine Mouradian

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday, October 3

8:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
9:15 am Family Service (Cpl)
9:45 am Church School Classes
10:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
2:00 pm CROP Walk (Off Site)
4:00 pm Blessing of the Animals (Lawn)
7:15 pm Music for Meditation 1 (C)
8:00 pm Compline (C)

Monday, October 4

No Events Scheduled

Tuesday, October 5

No Events Scheduled

Wednesday, October 6

7:00 am Holy Eucharist (Cpl)
4:30 pm Cherub Choir (CL)
4:30 pm Junior Handbell Choir (C)
5:15 pm Junior Choir (CL)
6:00 pm Evensong (Cpl)
6:30 pm Handbell Rehearsal (C)

Thursday, October 7

10:00 am Bible Study (Zoom)
7:15 pm Adult Choir (CL)

Friday, October 8

12:15 pm Holy Eucharist (C)

Saturday, October 9

No Events Scheduled

Sunday, October 10

8:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
9:15 am Family Service (Cpl)
9:45 am Church School Classes
10:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
1:00 pm Out of Darkness Walk (Off Site)

(C): Church; (Cpl): Chapel; (Lib): Library;
(L): Lounge; (PH): Parish Hall

UPCOMING EVENTS

Walk About Happenings: Our Youth Group is excited to participate in two community walks this fall. Support our team's efforts - help raise funds for our St. Andrew's Youth Group team with an online donation or check out our information table out on the front lawn after the 10:00 am service today.

- Out of the Darkness Ann Arbor Walk:** October 10 at 1:00 pm at Hudson Mills Metropark. *This walk supports life-saving research, education, advocacy, and support for those impacted by suicide.* Sponsored by the local American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP). *Donate at:* <https://bit.ly/21-StA-AFSP>

Save the Date for Flu Shots: Huron Visiting Care will provide Flu Shots and Drug Dump on Sunday, October 17, 8:30 to 11:00 am, in the Lounge. More information can be found in the current issue of *The Network*.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2022 Church Calendars for Sale:

Regular and ordo "Church Calendars," are available for \$6 by the Memorial Garden door.

Altar Flowers: The church is once again offering the opportunity to give Altar Flowers in honor or in memory of your loved ones for a cost of \$85 per Sunday. If you'd like to make a request, please email Kathy McPherson at kmcpherson@standrewsaa.org.

Acolytes Needed: We are in great need of additional acolytes (age 9+) for both the 8:00 and 10:00 am Sunday services. If you or someone in your family might be interested in participating in this activity, please speak with any of the clergy or Scott Gerstenberger (734-678-0914) to discuss what's involved. Assignments are scheduled in advance and dates are flexible.

Fall Baptisms (All Saints'): We will have baptisms during the 10:00 am service on Sunday, November 7. A preparation session for parents and godparents will be held on Zoom at 10:00 am on Saturday, October 30. To register, please contact Kathy McPherson at kmcpherson@standrewsaa.org by Sunday, October 24.

MUSIC NOTES

Hymn 657: *Love Divine, all loves excelling* Charles Wesley (1707-1788), the author of this text, may well be the most prolific hymn-writer of all time: he wrote more than 800 hymns both to teach and to encourage worship. Hymn-singing was a hallmark of the Methodist movement, which spurred the nineteenth-century revival of amateur singing in Wales, where this tune was written. Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887), composer of the tune, was the grandson of a famous bard and was active in that renewal of singing and choral music in Wales. This tune, whose name means "joyful," was written in 1830. -- *Donna Wessel Walker*

Though I Speak With the Tongues of Men and of Angel (Bairstow)

This morning's anthem is the only setting in the English cathedral repertoire of the entire text from 1 Corinthians 13. Edward Bairstow (1874-1946), organist at York Minster in England from 1913 until his death, set all his texts 'with a beauty which makes one never able to think of the words without recalling the music', as the Dean of York wrote on the occasion of his seventieth birthday. Musical interpretation was of the utmost importance to him. He believed that whatever meaning lies behind the notes must be brought out and given its fullest expression. -- *Dennis Powers*

Worship with us!

Sunday
8:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
9:15 am Family Service (Cpl)
10:00 am Holy Eucharist (C)
8:00 pm Compline (C) (*1st/3rd Sundays*)

Virtual Service Options

Join us online every Sunday morning on our YouTube channel for a livestream of the 10:00 am Holy Eucharist!



Wednesday
7:00 am Holy Eucharist (Cpl)
6:00 pm Evensong (Cpl)

Friday
12:15 pm Holy Eucharist (C)