

## BOSCOV'S FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS DAY: OCTOBER 17

This annual event offers local organizations a chance to raise money when you purchase a \$5 coupon and shop with savings on October 17 at Boscov's. There's great shopping, super savings, refreshments, door prizes all while helping to support local non-profit organizations and 100% of your donation goes to the outreach. This year, we have two organizations at St. Andrew's that are selling \$5 coupons for the Friends Helping Friends Day:



**Neighborhood Center in Camden** is wonderful mission of the United Methodist Church that provides support to the residents of Camden such as after-school programs, summer camp, youth sports, community garden and much more in Camden. To support The Neighborhood Center, contact Marcia Schmid (489-1756) or your UMW circle leader.

**Cherry Hill Food Pantry** serves families in the area in need of food and other services. The Pantry has is staffed primarily by volunteers who give their time to stock shelves and assist individuals as they shop "grocery-store" style at the Pantry. To support the Cherry Hill Food Pantry, you can contact Mike Doyle [servepapers13@yahoo.com](mailto:servepapers13@yahoo.com) or Ken Ferguson [Kenneth.brian.ferguson@gmail.com](mailto:Kenneth.brian.ferguson@gmail.com) for coupons.

### HEIFER PROJECT

From September 17th to October 15th, St. Andrews will participate in the Heifer Project. This world missions program provides a variety of animals and resources to people around the world in need of food assistance and continued sustainability of income. Make checks payable to St. Andrews UMC with Heifer Project in the memo. A price list for the animals is available in the lobby. Any questions, contact Valerie Danzey at [Valerie.Danzey@heifer.org](mailto:Valerie.Danzey@heifer.org) or Dave Treen at [davetreenmusic@yahoo.com](mailto:davetreenmusic@yahoo.com).

### READING THE BIBLE TOGETHER

In 2017, St. Andrew's is reading the Bible together. Bible Study resumes on Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm and Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am in the lounge. All are welcome to attend. Daily readings are listed here each week.

#### Bible Reading for the Week of October 1 – October 7

Sunday – Luke 10:1-11:36	Thursday – Luke 17:1-18:43
Monday – Luke 11:37-12:59	Friday – Luke 19:1-47
Tuesday – Luke 13:1-14:35	Saturday – Luke 20:1-21:37
Wednesday – Luke 15:1-16:31	

Do you have a question about something you read this week? Email your questions to the church office ([saumcch@gmail.com](mailto:saumcch@gmail.com)) or Pastor Richard ([richrdwork@msn.com](mailto:richrdwork@msn.com)) or text your question to Pastor Richard at 304-692-7175.

### KEENAGERS

Our next meeting is Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup> at noon in Wesley Hall. Since we had to cancel last month's meeting, we have a lot to catch up on! The menu is meatloaf. Bring a dish to share. The cost is \$5 with a dish to share or \$10 without a dish. This will be a great time for us to reconnect and talk about our summer. See you there!!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

9am – Study Class for Adults – Graf Room  
 10:30am Worship – Nursery Care for infants to 2-year olds – room 201  
 10:45am – 3 & 4-year olds-Room 202; Kindergarten - 1<sup>st</sup> grade-Room 302,  
 2<sup>nd</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade-Room 304; 4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grades-Room 303; 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grades-  
 Room 106; 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades-Room 105

(Please see one of our ushers for location/directions.)

### ACTIVITIES FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday		WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY
	9am	Elizabeth Circle – Conference Room
	Noon	Children's Choir – Room 101
	4pm	Children's Song Concert – Sanctuary
Monday	9:30am	Bazaar Work Day – Wesley Hall
	7pm	Bible Study – Lounge
Tuesday	10am	Anna Circle – Lounge
	7pm	Missions – Lounge
Wednesday	9:30am	Bible Study – Lounge
	9:30am	Bazaar Work Day – Wesley Hall
	10am	Little Hands Little Feet – Room 307
	3pm	Cathedral Kitchen
	7pm	Trustees – Conference Room
Thursday	Noon	Keenagers – Wesley Hall
	6:30pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
Friday	1pm	Bazaar Work Day – Wesley Hall

### ACTIVITIES WEEK OF OCTOBER 8<sup>th</sup>

Sunday	9am	CELEBRATION OF MISSION
Monday	7pm	Bible Study – Lounge
Tuesday	10am	Needlecrafters – Conference Room
	5:15pm	St. Andrew's Volunteers at the Food Pantry
	7pm	Finance Committee – Lounge
Wednesday	9:30am	Bible Study – Lounge
	10am	Little Hands Little Feet – Room 307
	7pm	Staff Parish Relations Committee - Lounge
Thursday	10am	St. Andrew's Volunteers at the Food Pantry
	11:15am	Esther Circle – Restaurant and Lounge
	6:30pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary
Saturday	9am-4pm	UMW Bazaar – Wesley Hall



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# St. Andrew's United Methodist Church

October 1, 2017 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENECAST 10:30am  
 WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP AND WELCOME TO VISITORS

*(Prepare Prayer Request: You may write a prayer concern or joy on the cards found in each pew. Ushers will collect the prayer cards in the center aisle as the children come forward for the Children's Message.)*

### INTROIT

### \* HYMN NO. 375

"There is a Balm in Gilead"

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

For God is our Maker and our Redeemer;  
 from generation to generation God gives mercy.

**Our souls magnify the Lord!**

Our spirits rejoice in God our Savior!

**The mighty One has done great things for us!**

Holy is God's name!

**Let us worship God.**

### OPENING PRAYER

**God, who are the Most High Lord of all,  
 you have a surprising preference  
 for people who are small and humble  
 and who expect everything from you.**

**Through your Holy Spirit  
 make us aware of the poverty of our hearts,  
 that we may be open to you and welcome you,  
 to be ready to serve you and your plans,  
 and expect everything from you.  
 Come to us and give yourself to us  
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Luke 1:5-24 NT page 56

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### CHILDREN MAY LEAVE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

### CALL TO PRAYER

### MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

### SHARING OUR RESOURCES FOR MINISTRY

**OFFERTORY** "Song of Peace" by Jean Sebelius  
Chancel Choir arr Gary Fry

**\* RESPONSE NO. 94**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ  
whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**SECOND SCRIPTURE READING** Luke 5:17-26 NT page 63  
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE** "Healing Salve"

**CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION** (*prayed together*)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow! With thanksgiving,  
let us celebrate our new life in Christ giving thanks to God  
our creator and sustainer:  
Loving and gracious God,  
thank you for this holy meal. Thank you for Jesus and  
his all-inclusive love for humanity. Thank you for this day  
which we worship and serve you. Amen.**

**\* HYMN NO. 262** "Heal Me, Hands of Jesus"

**\* BENEDICTION**

**\* POSTLUDE**

*\*Those who are able, please stand.*

**Serving our church this morning...**

**Greeters:** Anne and Jack Gallagher

**Acolyte:** Kaitlyn Bianco

**Liturgist:** Karen Bianco

**Ushers:** Jerry Jones, Connie DiRocco, Dan Proulx, Ken Saunders,  
Rob Thompson

**Audio:** Tom Bianco III, Mark Corcoran, Dale Osterman

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

Are given in honor of the 44<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Janet and  
Vince Anderer by Jill, John and Jim Spangler.



We are glad you are here. Please help us get to know you by  
filling out the "Welcome Visitor" brochure found in the pew rack.  
Place it in the offering plate. If you have any questions, please  
ask one of our ushers. Welcome to St. Andrew's.

**NURSERY CARE**

For those of you with children age 2 and under, we have a nursery  
in room 201. (Please see one of our ushers for location/directions.) It is  
professionally staffed by Jennie Armour, a lovely young woman who has  
been caring for children for many years. **In addition, there is a rocking  
chair available in the back of the sanctuary so you can comfort your child  
and remain in the worship service.**

**IN OUR PRAYERS:** Darryl & Maryann Smith, 216 Belle Arbor Drive, Cherry  
Hill, NJ 08034; Vince Anderer, 130 Whistler Green Court, Marlton, NJ  
08053; Barbara Brown, 324 Society Hill, Cherry Hill, NJ 08053; Mary Ann  
Edgerton, 107 Cheltenham Parkway, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034; Dorothy Lauer, 19  
Snapdragon Lane, Marlton, NJ 08053; Martha Shanely, 3234 Hailey Drive,  
Marlton, NJ 08053; Kathryn Phillips, Collingswood Manor, 460 Haddon  
Avenue, Collingswood, NJ 08108; Susan Kruse, 1022 Cheltenham Parkway,  
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002; Eustace Kangaju, 17 Snyder Court, Cherry Hill, NJ  
08002.

**SHUT-IN IN OUR PRAYERS** Joanna Burris  
558 Sentinel Road, Moorestown, NJ 08057

We will lift up a shut-in member each week. We hope you will pray for  
them, give them a call, send a card or drop in and visit them. If you know  
anyone who could be on our list, please contact the church office.



The Bell Choir is looking for some new members!! No  
experience necessary. It is helpful if you can read music.  
Please contact Ellen Barton at bartonep98@comcast.net.

Children's Choir has started their new season! All children are welcome to  
join us after Sunday School each Sunday in the Choir Room (downstairs  
across from the kitchen). Contact Katharine Baer  
katharinebaer@gmail.com or Ellen Barton at bartonep98@comcast.net for  
more information.

**FIRST FRIENDS OF MUSIC CONCERT THIS SEASON**

**TODAY at 4pm**, we will host local children's choir ChildrenSong directed by  
Polly Murray. They will perform their "Fall Sampler" program, including  
music of many genres with accompanied and a cappella selections. Come  
support these wonderful young people in their performance including our  
very own: Joanna Barton and Justin Malec!

**UPDATE: UMW BAZAAR AND CRAFT FAIR, SATURDAY OCTOBER 14<sup>th</sup>**

Now that the cooler weather has arrived, it's much easier to clean out  
the attic, garage and basement. Please think of our UMW Bazaar and Craft  
Fair which will be held on **October 14th**. as you clean. Please place your  
donated items on the stage in Wesley Hall. The absolute last day donations  
will be accepted for Trash & Treasures, the Gift Boxes and Jewelry will be  
Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>. Donations for the Sweet Shoppe and the Garden of  
Eatin' can be brought in beginning on Thursday, October 12.

Homemade items such as cookies, brownies, pies, cakes, sweet rolls,  
quick breads, candied nuts, chocolate covered pretzels, brittles, etc. are  
desired for the Sweet Shoppe. Diabetic baked goods are also welcome. For  
those of you who can your own pickles or jams, we would love to have those,  
too. **Please include a list of ingredients for all food donations.** Bring dessert  
items in bulk or whole—we'll do the packaging! **Questions? Contact Marcia  
Schmid at 856-489-1756 or Betsy Griffis at 856-220-5476.**

We would appreciate donations of **homemade soups** and  
volunteers for the Garden of Eatin'. **If you would like to donate soup or be  
a kitchen volunteer, please contact Lois Stawicki at 856-768-3011 or Ester  
Falcone at 609-410-7486.** Thank you for all the bazaar donations we have  
already received!

**ATTENTION YOUTH!!**

"Flashlight Friday" at Springdale Farms! Join us Friday, October 6th  
at 7pm as we explore the cornfield maze at Springdale Farms (1638 South  
Springdale Road, Cherry Hill). Cost is \$10+tax per person. Please bring your  
own flashlight. We will meet at Springdale Farms at 7pm, we should be  
done no later than 9pm. Parents can pick up at Springdale Farms. Please  
contact Ron Ordonez if you have any questions at 856-524-9177. Don't miss  
this fun event!!

**SIGN UP FOR RISE AGAINST HUNGER EVENT HERE AT ST. ANDREW'S**

On Sunday, October 8, 2017 church is going to be very different.  
Yes, there will be singing and praying – but we will also be packing 10,152  
meals which will be sent to a developing nation! You will also have the  
opportunity to discover more about the varied missions of St. Andrew's.  
There is a place for all God's children of every age part in this event. The  
packing event will be followed by a meal – provided by the Missions  
Committee! We will be partnering with "Rise Against Hunger" – you can  
check them out online ([www.riseagainsthunger.org](http://www.riseagainsthunger.org)). Sign up for the event  
at <http://events.stophungernow.org/StAndrewsUMCOct2017>.



**DOMINICAN REPUBLIC HOUSE  
BUILDING FUNDRAISER FOR 2018  
MISSION TRIP!  
HELP A DESERVING FAMILY RECEIVE A  
HOME & JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON  
OF FUN & FELLOWSHIP!**



**DATE:** Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

**TIME:** 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

**COST:** \$12 for children 12 and under  
\$15 for adults  
\$60 per lane of 6 bowlers

**LOCATION: The Big Event**

1536 N. Kings Highway  
Cherry Hill, NJ 08034  
856-429-0672

**EACH LANE INCLUDES:** One cheese pizza, Unlimited soda, bowling shoes  
**PLEASE SEE MARY, DAVE OR KEVIN LAYTON FOR TICKETS, LIMITED  
SPACE AVAILABLE!!!**

**CHERRY HILL FOOD PANTRY NEWS**

St. Andrew's volunteers are needed to staff the Food Pantry on:

Tuesday, 10/10 5:15pm to 7:30pm Thursday, 10/12 10am to 1pm

Tuesday 10/17 5:15pm to 7:30pm Thursday, 10/19 10am to 1pm

Please contact Ken Ferguson at [Kenneth.brian.ferguson@gmail.com](mailto:Kenneth.brian.ferguson@gmail.com) to sign  
up or if you need more information.

❖ **Celebrate the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Cherry Hill Food Pantry!**

October 14<sup>th</sup> join us for an Open House at the Food Pantry for  
festivities beginning at 10am, including a big raffle drawing and  
refreshments. We have come a long way in 10 years! Come celebrate!

❖ **Cherry Hill Food Pantry at the Fall Festival**

October 15<sup>th</sup> stop by the Cherry Hill Food Pantry table at the Cherry  
Hill Township Fall Festival at Croft Farm from Noon to 4pm. We could use  
the help of a few volunteers to help hand out information. If you are  
available, please contact Mike Doyle at [servepapers13@yahoo.com](mailto:servepapers13@yahoo.com).

## Invitation

Christ invites us all to this Holy Feast.

As we gather this morning,  
we remember our sisters and brothers  
from above and below the equator,  
from the North and from Down Under,  
from every time zone around the globe.

As today's sunlight inches across land and sea,  
Christians gather to celebrate their place in God's family.

All are invited and all are welcome.  
Come, for the meal is ready!

## Prayer of Preparation

To God be the glory:

**great things God has done!**

To prepare ourselves to partake of this Holy Meal, let us pray:

Healing God, we come before you  
broken, yet seeking wholeness, isolated, yet seeking community, overwhelmed,  
yet seeking simplicity, shamed, yet seeking grace:

**God, we yearn for the healing you promise.**

God of Justice,  
we come before you  
selfish, yet seeking a generous heart,  
arrogant, yet seeking humility,  
responsible for injustices, yet seeking forgiveness:

**God, we yearn for the justice you promise.**

God of Peace, we come before you  
afraid, yet seeking assurance,  
agitated, yet seeking serenity,  
angry, yet seeking a forgiving heart:

**God, we yearn for the peace you promise.**

Knowing that through Christ all things are made new,  
we come to this communion table  
to be recreated through the bread and cup,  
and to be renewed in our faith and commitment.

**God, we submit ourselves to renewal through you.**

**This we pray through Jesus the Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.**

## Thanksgiving

Loving and gracious God who summons galaxies into being,  
we give thanks and blessing to you.

We bless you for our world.

The diversity of our planet amazes us  
from the prairies and pampas of the Americas  
to the dusty deserts of Africa and Asia,  
from the majestic mountains of Europe to the vast outback of Australia.

We give you thanks for the multiplicity of humanity  
with our complexity of color and culture  
yet called into oneness-of-being through Christ. With many tongues, yet with  
one voice, we honor your saying:

**Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

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#### **Words of Institution**

##### **Blessing of the Elements**

On the night in which he gave himself up for us,  
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God, may this bread connect us more closely with you  
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**Bless this bread, we pray.**

When the supper was over, he took the cup,  
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“Drink from this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
poured out for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
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May this fruit of the vine remind us of the inter-connectedness of people around  
the world.

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May this simple meal bring us into union with you, your people and your world  
united in the One Body of Christ

And in remembrance of these your might acts in Jesus Christ,  
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving  
as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us,  
as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,  
and on these gifts of bread and wine.  
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,  
that we may be for the world the body of Christ,  
redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other,  
and one in ministry to all the world,  
until Christ coms in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church,  
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gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:  
“Drink from this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
poured out for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it,  
in remembrance of me.”  
May this fruit of the vine remind us of the inter-connectedness of people around  
the world.

**Bless this cup, we pray.**

May this simple meal bring us into union with you, your people and your world  
united in the One Body of Christ

And in remembrance of these your might acts in Jesus Christ,  
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving  
as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us,  
as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,  
and on these gifts of bread and wine.  
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,  
that we may be for the world the body of Christ,  
redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other,  
and one in ministry to all the world,  
until Christ coms in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church,  
all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**