

Announcements

WBS will meet this Tuesday, October 28, at 10:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Join us for Wednesday Night Live Dinner at 6 p.m. The cost is \$10 for adults, with reduced prices for children. Please RSVP by 11:45 p.m. on Monday. Next week's menu features pulled pork, salad, a side dish, and dessert.

A **called Session meeting** is scheduled next Sunday, November 2, following the worship service to elect elders, trustee, and nominating committee members.

One Love's next "bag day" is November 5. Items needed to make this month a success include peanut butter cups, tuna pouches, chips, and one-gallon zip-lock bags. Thank you for your generous support.

Recently, we, our denomination, prioritized anti-racism work and decided that all PC(USA) churches and mid-councils are required to have some form of an anti-racism policy. It is part of a collective commitment to become a more just, equitable, and faithful Church. Meet with Rev. Laura Walters, Coordinator of Community Engagement and Public Witness, on **November 9**, following the worship service, to discuss:

What an anti-racism policy IS and what it is NOT. Reflect on why we need an anti-racism policy in this time and place. Discover a shared language through terms like shared humanity, systematic racism, race, marginalization, and privilege. Determine the needs of your community and craft the next best steps (not the final step) for you all towards racial equity and justice.

To reserve your place and to ensure lunch accommodations, please email the church office at admin@standrewpres.org



Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church

October 26, 2025

Please register your attendance.

CUMC, use the QR code below.

St. Andrew, mark your attendance
on the Friendship Registers.



***Community United Methodist Church
St. Andrew Presbyterian Church
Longview, Texas
October 26, 2025***

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS John Hargrave
PRELUDE “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus” Joanna McAtee

*UNITY SONG (to tune of *The Church’s One Foundation*)
**In Unity we gather, to worship and rejoice.
From our own faith traditions,
we pray with one strong voice. Lord help us love each other
and serve all those in need, and live as your disciples –
in heart and word and deed.**

*CALL TO WORSHIP
By awesome deeds you answer us with deliverance,
O God of our salvation;
**you are the hope of all the ends of the earth
and of the farthest seas.**
By your strength, you established the mountains;
you are girded with might.
You silence the roaring of the seas,
the roaring of their waves, the tumult of the peoples.
**Those who live at earth’s farthest bounds are awed by
your signs; you make the gateways of the morning
and the evening shout for joy.**

*PASSING THE PEACE
The Lord be with you!
And also with you!

(Let us offer to each other signs of peace and reconciliation)

*HYMN #451 UMH “Be Thou My Vision” SLANE

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 885 *A Modern Affirmation*

*GLORIA PATRIA #70 UMH MEINEKE

JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD’S PRAYER

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION: Jenna Hargrave
**LORD, OPEN OUR HEARTS AND MINDS BY THE POWER
OF YOUR HOLY SPIRIT, THAT AS THE SCRIPTURES ARE
READ AND YOUR WORD PROCLAIMED, WE MAY HEAR
WITH JOY WHAT YOU SAY TO US TODAY. AMEN.**

SCRIPTURE READINGS:
Psalm 65, 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

HYMN #357 UMH “Just as I Am, Without One Plea” WOODWORTH

SCRIPTURE READING:
Luke 18:9-16

SERMON Rev. Stanley Larson

*HYMN #488 UMH “Jesus, Remember Me” REMEMBER ME

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Ceaseless Praise” Joanna McAtee

* *All who are comfortable doing so, please stand*