

St. Andrew's  
Lutheran  
Church



Your Take-Home Insert!

Week of Sept. 6, 2009

*For more events and info, pick up the latest Proclaim  
in the kiosks or [www.saintandrews.org](http://www.saintandrews.org)*

# *Welcome Home!* Rally Day

Next  
Sunday!

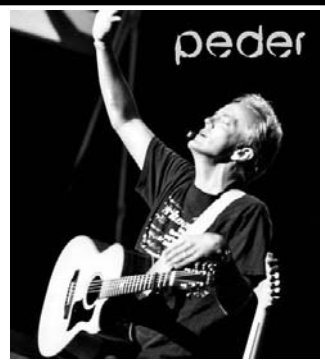
Sunday, Sept. 13, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

- Hot Dogs
- Inflatables
- Candy Floss
- Tractor Rides
- Popcorn
- Cake Walk
- Ministry Fair
- Dogs to Pet
- More!

*In the Great Hall 9:45 a.m. on Rally Day...*

## Peder Eide!

National Singer/Songwriter Peder Eide ministers to over 100,000 students a year throughout all of North America. His love for young people fuels his ministry with the desire to encourage, challenge, and motivate people to a closer walk with Jesus Christ. Peder has 11 recording projects to his name.



## 21 Laws of Leadership

**Wednesdays, Sept. 16–Dec. 9, 6:30 – 7:30 a.m.**  
**Youth & Sports Center Room 7. Cost is \$10.**

This course is taught by Lead Pastor John Hogenson, is based on the book “The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership” by Dr. John Maxwell. Participants will learn basic principles of leadership. Register online at [www.saintandrews.org](http://www.saintandrews.org) or call Lori Goodroad at 651-762-9103. Deadline is Sept. 8.

## Church-wide Bible Study

**Monday mornings,**

9:30-11 a.m., Youth and Sports Center Room 7 **OR**

**Tuesday evenings,**

7-8:30 p.m. Great Hall

**Beginning the week of Oct. 5**

*READ – Read, Encounter, Apply, Discover*

We will be exploring the Old Testament in year one, and the New Testament in year two. Written by Pastor John Straiton, this course will look at the entire Bible through a Christ-centered lens. We will gather in a large group for a time of teaching; and be encouraged as you grow together in fellowship, knowledge and faith in a small group setting. Call to arrange **childcare** at 651-762-9150. Register with envelope available in kiosks or online at [www.saintandrews.org](http://www.saintandrews.org). For information, call Ronda at 651-762-9105.



## Living in Christ 24/7

**Sunday, Sept. 20, 6:30-8:30 p.m.**  
**Sanctuary Room 201**

This six-week class will explore how our Christian faith impacts our daily lives, in our community, workplace, home and world. Pastor John Keller and Mary Vukelich will be teaching.

## Leadership Training

Saturday, Sept. 12, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. in the Great Hall. A large group morning session of learning the basics of the Lutheran tradition, and faith formation. Afternoon breakout sessions focusing on your area of leadership. Use registration envelope in kiosks, online at [www.saintandrews.org](http://www.saintandrews.org) or through your area of ministry. Nursery will be available. Call the church offices at 651-426-3261 for more information.

## Need A Bible?

There are several good translations of the Bible. The New Revised Standard Version (NRSV) is the standard Lutheran Bible and is the translation used at St. Andrew's. Should you need a Bible, we are now offering several NRSV versions:

- 1) Leather Bound – a nice sized Bible to carry. It has no footnotes. \$20
- 2) The New Interpreter's Study Bible - Protestant commentary. Includes the Apocrypha, which is part of the Catholic Bible. We highly recommend this study Bible. \$35
- 3) The New Oxford Annotated Bible – Easy to read, larger print. Another excellent Bible. \$35
- 4) New Lutheran Study Bible – this version, with commentary, came out in 2009. The main editor is Scott Tunseth, a former St. Andrew's member. It was put together by Lutheran pastors, professors and theologians. \$25
- 5) Paper Back – An inexpensive paper-back NRSV Bible Free

## Don't Just Join – Get Connected

Attend Sunday's, Sept. 20, Orientation class at 11 a.m. in the Great Hall Narthex and find out what it means to belong to St. Andrew's. Or, get connected at the Membership class on Sunday, Sept. 27, 6-8:30 p.m., Youth & Sports Center Room 7. For information call Nancy Clunis at 651-762-9120 or e-mail at [nclunis@saintandrews.org](mailto:nclunis@saintandrews.org).

## GriefShare

**Thursdays, Sept. 10-Dec. 10**  
**6:45-8:45 p.m. Sanctuary Building**

GriefShare is a Christ-centered grief recovery support group, Biblically-based and focusing on grief topics associated with the death of a loved one. The class consists of a 13-week video series featuring nationally respected grief experts. Pre-registration is necessary. Participants are welcome to register and start any Thursday. Call Ronda at 651 762-9105. The cost is \$15, which covers all materials. For information, contact Joanne Zehnder at 651-730-9073.

## St. Andrew's Foundation

Feed the hungry forever. The St. Andrew's Foundation can help. Please call Lori Goodroad at 651-762-9103.

## Wednesdays Night Suppers

Do you have the gift of hospitality? If so, we need you on Wednesday nights! Confirmation services hours are available also!

### Wednesday Night Suppers & Open Gym:

Starts Sept. 9! Wednesdays, 3-6:15 p.m. Youth and Sports Center. Spend some quality time together in the gym or youth room. Supper, beverages and treats available for a charge. No registration required. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Contact: Terri Johnson 651-762-9175 or tjohnson@saintandrews.org.

## Children, Youth & Family

### Register Now for Sunday School

Volunteers and children: Registration forms for the 2009-2010 Sunday School year are now available in all buildings. Please bring your completed forms to any Reception Desk. Sign up now to save your place in Sunday School!

### Celebrating Baptism at St. Andrew's

Everyone is invited to celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at St. Andrew's.

- Saturday, Oct. 3, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Youth and Sports Center Room 7 OR
- Tuesday, Nov. 3, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Room 201

No charge; pre-register by one week prior.

Child care is available for older children.

Please call 651-762-9113 for child care reservations. Call Terri at 651-762-9175 to make reservations for the class and to schedule a baptism.

### Mom's Out Morning (MOMS)

Children enjoy craft, snack and socialization in safe and engaging environment. 12 months – 5 years

Sanctuary Nursery Rooms 101 & 102

Tuesdays or Thursdays, 9 a.m.-noon

Cost: \$14/week for members;

\$16/week for non-members

Registration is required; Contact Kristy at 651-762-9150 for information.

## Grand Adults

### GRAND Forum

**Tuesday, Sept. 8**

“World Religions” Pastor Mike Carlson, presenter. Cost \$7. Lunch at 11:30; speaker to follow. Complete in-house registration envelope or contact Dianne Nash at 651-762-9141.

### Funny Money at the Old Log

**Thursday, Sept. 24**

Depart St. Andrew's at 10:30 a.m.; return approximately 4 p.m. Pre-registration/payment required by Thursday, Sept.10. Complete in-house registration envelope or contact Dianne Nash at 651-762-9141.

### AARP Driver Safety Classes

**Monday, Sept. 21**

AARP Driver Safety Program classes refine existing skills and cover defensive driving techniques for those over age 55. The driver then qualifies for a 10% reduction in autoinsurance. The four-hour refresher courses are held on Mondays from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. in Sanctuary Room 205. The class dates are Sept. 21, 2009, Jan. 25, March 15 and May 17, 2010. Dick Murray will be the instructor. Pre-registration and payment is required. Cost is \$18. Contact Dianne Nash at 655-762-9141 to register.

## Men's Ministry

### Breakfast and Speaker

**Saturday, Sept. 19, 8-9:30 a.m.**

Join us for the next Men's Breakfast in the Great Hall featuring a fantastic meal and dynamic speaker. Cost: free-will offering. Friends are free and they get an extra helping.

### Bible Study and Prayer Group

St. Andrew's guys of all ages are invited to the Men's Bible Study every Tuesday from 6:30-7:30 a.m. in the Great Hall (includes coffee and rolls) and Men's Prayer Group every Monday from 7-8 p.m. in the Atrium Lounge (Sanctuary building). These are valuable ways to connect with Christ and other guys. For more information about Men's Ministry, contact Ronda Sowada at 651-426-3261 or visit saintandrews.org.

## *Serve! – Within Our Walls*

### Welcome Home Baskets!

You can help welcome a previously homeless family into a home of their own! We will be collecting household cleaning supplies & equipment during the month of September (1 - 30) and assembling housewarming baskets of cleaning supplies and a message of God's love for them, and our message of hope and inspiration for the new chapter of their lives.

Our goal for this quarter is to provide 100 sets, which will be presented to families moving into transitional housing, through YWCA (40), East Metro Women's Council (40) and other families/new immigrants that are referred to The Alley Shoppe (20). Our congregation has been invited to personally deliver this Housewarming Gift to many of the families, as they arrive at their new home...or you can simply donate some supplies and our St. Andrew's assembly and delivery teams will assemble them into a basket and deliver your gift.

You can help by:

- 1) Donating Cleaning Supplies by dropping them off Sept 1 - 30 in the Donation Box in the narthex area of the Great Hall or Sanctuary buildings. (Laundry Baskets, Buckets, Detergent, Dish Soap, Sponges, Scrub Brushes, All Purpose Cleaners, Dish Towels, Bathroom Tissue, Mops, Brooms, Dust Pans)
- 2) Assembling Baskets or Creating Cards of Hope & Inspiration Wednesday mornings throughout September in the Great Hall (9am - 11am) and Saturday, Oct. 24, 2009 during "Make A Difference Day" (Register Online or call Kellie Cardinal)
- 3) Collection, sorting & delivering...join our team! Call Kellie Cardinal at 651-762-9124
- 4) Pray for God's love & guidance for these families, that their needs will be met, and that they might see the love Jesus has for them through us.

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### Hospitality Desk at Great Hall

St. Andrew's could use your help. We are looking at setting up a regularly scheduled volunteer team to provide service at the Hospitality Desk at the Great Hall Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. This would include greeting people, answering phones and light office work. Please contact Mary Pat Moutrie 651-762-9138 or e-mail to [HR@saintandrews.org](mailto:HR@saintandrews.org) should you be interested in volunteering.

### Bus Drivers

We need two volunteer bus drivers to help transport senior citizens to church services on Sunday mornings. This would involve driving one Sunday each month on a rotating basis.

It is helpful if you already have a Commercial Driver's License. However, we will train you and assist you in obtaining a CDL. Our drivers use the HSI buses that you see around the church campus on Sundays. Please contact Pete Bjurstrom for more information: Home 651-653-5870; Cell: 651-325-7743.

### Maplewood Family Center Meal

Thank you to all of the volunteers that have provided meals to residents of the Maplewood Family Service Center! The next meals will be served Saturday, Sept. 26, Tuesday, Sept. 29, and Wednesday, Sept. 30, all 5-7 p.m. This is a great way to serve together and make a difference in the lives of those in our community that are struggling. If you would like to help or have questions, please contact Catherine Schoenherr at 651-730-7133 or Kellie Cardinal at 651-762-9124 or [kcardinal@saintandrews.org](mailto:kcardinal@saintandrews.org).

### Loaves & Fishes - Dorothy Day

Thank you to the many volunteers that help serve meals at the Dorothy Day Center! Just a reminder that the next Meal Serving Date is Tuesday, Sept. 22, , 2:30 - 6pm. Let us know if you would like to help! Rice Krispie Bars are also needed. If you can supply these, please deliver them to the church kitchen by 11:30am. Thank you!!! Contact Chris Egge at 651-426-3731 or Kellie Cardinal at 651-762-9124 or [kcardinal@saintandrews.org](mailto:kcardinal@saintandrews.org) if you would like to help or have any questions.

## Save The Date - Make A Difference Day!

"Make A Difference Day" is Saturday, October 24th 9am - 12noon. Come and join us in a variety of service projects and activities that will make a difference to those in our community! We will be inviting individuals & families in our community to come and join us here at St. Andrew's...so mark your calendars and start telling your friends...together we can Make A Difference!

**Note:** Early activities you can start doing at home include collecting household cleaning supplies, small household tools (hammers, screwdrivers, pliers, wrenches, nails, screws, duct tape), personal hygiene items, toys, books, towels, washcloths, sponges/brushes/brooms/mops for cleaning, birthday cake mixes, frosting, birthday candles, gift bags (to assemble birthday kits), party favors & treats, small gifts (under \$5) for children in shelters & our new college bound kids, devotionals, Bibles, & picture frames (4x6 or 5x7). You may place your donations in the Local Missions Donation Bins in the Great Hall or Sanctuary narthex area. If you have any questions or would like to help co-ordinate donations or Make A Difference Day activities, please contact Kellie Cardinal at 651-762-9124 or [kcardinal@saintandrews.org](mailto:kcardinal@saintandrews.org).

## Treasure Hunting for Volunteers

We are treasure hunting for people to be:

Worship Hosts at the Current

Hospitality

Video Operators

First Responders

Greeters

Communion Servers in the Great Hall

We would love to discuss these opportunities to serve with you at our booth on Rally Day. Stop and see what treasures we have for you.

## Cleaning Your Closets?

Children and adults living in poverty in our community would love to receive your gently used coats, mittens, gloves, hats, snow pants and blankets. Donation bins are located in the Great Hall and Sanctuary. If you have any questions or would like to help with the sorting & delivery of these items, please contact Kellie Cardinal at [kcardinal@saintandrews.org](mailto:kcardinal@saintandrews.org).

## Women's Ministry

### Everything Must Change

Come Join Pastor Sarah Breckenridge as we discuss, "Everything Must Change" by Brian McLaren. If you are hungry for a fresh vision of what it means to be a person of faith, this book applies the good news of Jesus to a world in need, igniting a revolution of hope that can change everything. Beginning with you. Beginning now.

This class will be in the Sanctuary Atrium Lounge 7-8 p.m. Wednesdays, Sept. 23 - Nov. 18. The cost is \$10 and includes the book. You can pay and get the book the first night. Nursery is available for \$2 per child, with pre-registration at 651-762-9113.

For more information or to sign up, contact Pastor Breckenridge at 651-426-3261 or [Sbreckenridge@saintandrews.org](mailto:Sbreckenridge@saintandrews.org).

### Kindred Sisters

*Fellowship, Dessert, and a Speaker*  
**Thursday, Sept. 10; Bible Study Expo, 6:30-8 p.m. in the Great Hall Fireside Lounge**

*Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. Psalm 119:105*

Featuring Pastor Paul Berge and Women's Ministry Director Carrin Mahmood. St. Andrew's offers many opportunities to dig into God's Word. Join us for this Bible Study Expo to find out which one is right for you. Early Registration \$5 by Monday, Sep. 7; \$7 at the door. Register online at [www.saintandrews.org](http://www.saintandrews.org) or with a registration envelope available in all St. Andrew's Information Kiosks. Questions? Contact Joan McCormick at 651-653-1716 or [joanmccormick@comcast.net](mailto:joanmccormick@comcast.net).

### Girlfriends' Conference

A weekend of worship music, teaching, prayer and renewal.

Friday, Oct. 16; 6:30-9 p.m. and

Saturday, Oct. 17; 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

\$25 Early Bird Tickets available through Oct. 1; Oct. 2-15: \$35. Ticket Line 651-762-9138, on-line at [saintandrews.org](http://saintandrews.org), or registration envelope.

### Save the Date!

*Girlfriends' Conference: Sacred Moments*

Friday, Oct. 16, and Saturday, Oct. 17

## **Middle School / Confirmation**

Wednesday, Sept. 9, 7 p.m.  
in the Great Hall

Students and parents will participate in the call of promise milestone for families responding to their baptismal promises. This is a night of celebration, orientation to CrossWinds and blessing of the faith developed thus far. All CrossWinds students and a parent are expected to attend.

### **Leadership Day**

Saturday, Sept. 12, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Great Hall. Marilyn Sharpe from the Youth and Family Institute in the morning, lunch and then group training in the afternoon. All who are leading groups are asked to join us on this day.

### **Blast Family Night/ Orientation Night**

Sunday, Sept. 13, 6-8 p.m. in the Sanctuary. **Peder Eide**, national singer, songwriter and speaker, will kick off our Blast Family Nights in a powerful way. Through his highly interactive "Taste Worship" experience, families and individuals will be equipped with practical tools that will transform their lives of faith and daily worship. Get ready, this Blast Family Night will rock the heart of your entire family! This is required of Confirmation students and at least one parent or guardian.

### **Candy Shoppe**

Come to the Candy Shoppe of Christ to learn about all the ways you can spread God's Sweet Love to Youth.

- Small group leaders and Village hosts still NEEDED! Training on Saturday, Sept. 12, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Not sure but interested? Volunteer to sub or co-lead a group! Contact us for more information.

- Confirmation registrations due. Register now! You may have missed the early deadline, but it's never too late to register. Please help us out by turning yours in now.

## **High School Ministry**

**\*No Dock wroship service tonight Sept. 6.**

### **High School Game Night**

Thursday, Sept. 17, 6 to 9 p.m. in the Youth & Sports center. Come hang out, play games, laugh a lot and blow off some steam. Friends welcome.

### **Boys & Girls Club**

Tuesdays from 3:15 to 5:45 p.m., meet at the Youth and Sports Center. We will not be going Sept. 7. Come serve youth at the Westside Boys & Girls Club in grades 1-6 by reading, playing games or just hanging out with them. Contact must be made with Mary Post by Monday noon so we can arrange transportation at 651-762-9131 or [mpost@saintandrews.org](mailto:mpost@saintandrews.org)

- Adults wanted to lead small groups and/or to be present at events. Please contact Erin Morris if you are interested in helping out.

- Scholarships are always available for any of our camps or events.

- For more information on any of the events listed above contact Erin Morris at 651-762-9135 or [emorris@saintandrews.org](mailto:emorris@saintandrews.org),

# PROCLAIM JESUS CHRIST, LIVE IN CHRIST, SERVE!

## Event Sign-Up September 6 & 7, 2009

Please use this form to sign up for activities/events at St. Andrew's. Fill out the form, include the fee or deposit amount, if any, and return the form to the church office or drop it in the offering plate. If you are interested in any event or activity that is not listed, write it in the space provided and a staff member will contact you.

I would like to sponsor the **Sunday Cookie Fellowship**. Participants donate \$50 (or more) to help cover cookie costs:

Given by [your name(s)]:

Given for [name(s) and/or memorial/special occasion]:

Sunday Date:

If you would like to donate **Altar Flowers or Cookies** for worship to honor or memorialize people or events, please call the church office at 651-426-3261 or fill out the Cookie Signup on this page. Donations are \$50 for each.

Thanks to **Betty's Pies** for donating the communion bread every week at St. Andrew's.

### By the Numbers

#### Attendance

Saturday & Sunday, Aug. 29 & 30.....1,510

\_\_\_ Join a Meals on Wheels Delivery Team

\_\_\_ Join our Clothing & Food Shelf Donations Delivery Team

Our Volunteer Teams usher, greet, serve communion, make coffee or serve cookies once every 5 weeks.

\_\_\_ Join a Worship Volunteer Team  
The Current (9:45 in Great Hall)

\_\_\_ Join a Worship Volunteer Team  
The Sanctuary (8:30, 9:45 & 11:00)

\_\_\_ Join a Worship Volunteer Team  
The Gathering (Saturdays 5:00)

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Daytime Phone

Evening Phone

Fee/deposit (specify amount)

Event/Program

## *Sports & Recreation*

### **Soo Bahk Do Karate**

Classes run in 12 week sessions  
Tuesday Nights –  
Beginners 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Advanced 7:30-8:30 p.m.  
Training Sessions –  
Thursdays, 6:30 – 8 p.m. Y&SC Gym  
\$95 for 1st person; \$55 second family member;  
\$35 third. Uniforms required & available through  
the instructor. Registration required.

### **Wednesday Family Nights**

Starts Wednesday, Sept. 9  
Bring the whole family to spend some quality  
time together in the Youth & Sports Center gym or  
youth room. Then join us for fun family dinner with  
pizza (\$2/slice), salad, snacks and drinks! No need  
to register, so show up each Wednesday between  
4:30-6:15 p.m. to enjoy a fun evening and create  
great family memories!

### **Youth Open Gym Time**

Starts Wednesday, Sept. 9  
3-4:45 p.m. Free of Charge  
Join others for fun games in the gym! No  
registration required. Children under 12 must be  
accompanied by an adult.

### **Ways to Serve...**

Volunteers for Wednesday Family Nights:  
Starts Wednesday, Sept. 9. Serve up pizza for a  
couple of hours; this qualifies for service hours for  
confirmation! Adults, help make this a fun and safe  
environment. If you are interested in helping out,  
please contact Terri at [tjohnson@saintandrews.org](mailto:tjohnson@saintandrews.org)  
or 651-762-9175.

### **Futsal**

Start date is Saturday, Nov. 7, 1-5:15 p.m. in the  
Youth and Sports Center. Advance registration  
required; use registration envelopes/online.  
Contact: Sally Hanson – 651-762-9130 or  
[shanson@saintandrews.org](mailto:shanson@saintandrews.org).

### **Adult Floor Hockey**

Thursday, Dec. 3, 2009 – April 1, 2010, 8-10  
p.m. Come and play floor hockey! Pick up style  
floor hockey in the Gym. 16 years of age and older.  
No Cost. To register, please fill out a registration  
envelope available in each building. Call Terri at  
651-762-9175 for more information.

### **ROCK Basketball**

For Children in Kindergarten – Grade 2  
Practices start on December 5 from 9-11 p.m.  
in the Youth and Sport Center Gym. Rock  
basketball practice starts Dec. 5-16, 2009, with  
games being held from Jan. 9 – Feb. 13, 2009 -  
8:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. \$30 per player – includes t-  
shirt Advance Registration required; use  
registration envelopes/online. Coaches needed!  
Contact: Sally Hanson – 651-762-9130, or  
[shanson@saintandrews.org](mailto:shanson@saintandrews.org).

## *Vision Slovakia*

### **Housing for Slovak Grad Students**

Two graduate students, one male and one  
female, from the University of Zilina in Slovakia are  
coming to study at Globe University. Terry and  
Kaye Myhre, members of St. Andrew's and  
president and vice president of Globe University,  
have been instrumental in furthering our  
partnership with the Bible School in Martin and  
their partnership with the University of Zilina  
where they are faculty members. As a result we  
have the opportunity to provide housing for these  
students. Host families are needed to provide 5  
1/2 weeks of housing from Nov. 13 to Dec. 18. If  
you wish to participate in this enriching  
experience for a student and you as a host family,  
please contact Paul Berge, Director of Vision  
Slovakia, at church: 651-762-9143 or email:  
[pberge@saintandrews.org](mailto:pberge@saintandrews.org)