

The Bagpiper



St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

Suffolk, Virginia

December 2025/January 2026

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CHRISTMAS SOCIAL



PW will hold its annual Christmas Social on **December 14** from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Denise McAlpine's home at 100 Brittany Lane, Suffolk. It will be a traditional Potluck dinner.

You may indicate on the PW Facebook post or on the sign-up sheet at the Kiosk what dish you plan to bring so that we can insure some variety. There will be a White Elephant gift exchange. If you care to participate, bring a new, wrapped Christmas ornament costing not more than \$10.

Loyce Bryan, PW Moderator

CHRISTMAS IOY OFFERING

The fourth and last Special Offering of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) for 2025 will be **received at St. Andrew on Sunday, December 21.** 50% of this offering will be used to honor the faithfulness of current and retired church workers and their families by providing financial assistance in their times of need through the Assistance Program of the Board of Pensions. The other half will be used for leadership development and education at Presbyterian-related schools and colleges equipping communities of color.

Please give generously to the Christmas Joy Offering as you are able in support of those who have faithfully served and those who are preparing to do so. When we all do a little – it adds up to a lot.

~Danny Lovell & Rob Estes, Mission

CHILDREN'S WALL

We have about 10 bricks remaining in our Children's Wall (just outside the Sanctuary in our Atrium). You can dedicate a brick to a child (of any age). Our goal is to place one final order to complete the Wall. The cost is only \$50 per brick. Please see **Rob Estes** to have your loved one included. You can email estesdadof3@gmail.com.

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CHRISTMAS CANTATA

Please join us on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>December 21st</u> as the choir presents our annual Christmas Cantata during the

If you're interested in lending your talents to the music ministry at St. Andrew, or would just like some more information, please speak with Al after the Sunday service – see you in worship!

10:00am service.

~Al Reese, Music Director



...AND FROM THE FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

Please join us after the Christmas Cantata on December 21st for **cookies, punch and hot chocolate**. We are asking the congregation to please bring their favorite Christmas cookies to share.

Please reach out to **Angela Martin** or **Amy Gray** with any questions.



CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

Please mark your calendars to join us for one service on Christmas Eve at 5:00pm. Traditional carols and hymns will be sung, including the singing of 'Silent Night' by candlelight.

We hope to see you then!

~The Worship Committee & Al Reese, Music Director

ST. ANDREW PRESBYTERIAN CONGREGATIONAL VISION TEAM UPDATE

SAPC is in a season of study as we prepare to call a new pastor. We want to hear from you — your experiences, hopes, and ideas matter!

Knowing who we are as a church will help us to wisely determine where God is leading us next, including what we want and need in a pastor.

We want all regular church participants to take the survey that was sent out November 7th, 2025. The more people who participate in the survey, the better the information will be. Ideally everyone will want to take the survey so their voice can be heard!

If you have students or others in your family who are away from home, please forward this information to them so they can participate in the survey.

The survey will cover church demographics, congregation and community involvement, future opportunities for St. Andrew and the abilities we hope for in pastoral candidates.

The surveys take about 20 minutes to complete and are mostly multiple choice. There is ample space for writing comments if you want to say more.

The electronic survey works on either a personal computer or a smart phone.

Here is the link. The Youth (ages 8-12) survey link was sent out to parents of children.

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If you'd rather, a paper copy can be made available. They will be at the entrance to the sanctuary following worship or can be mailed out to you. Or, we can conduct an interview with you, if that is your preference. Let us know.

Please share honestly. Your responses will guide our church into the future God is calling us to. Promptly completing your survey is an important way of showing that you are part of the St. Andrew community.

If you have any questions about this process, email Steve Suhring, sfsuhring@hotmail.com

There has been a very good response to the Congregational Survey so far. We will stop collecting survey information on Monday 12/8/25, so please complete your survey right away.

Then what happens? The Vision Team will compile the completed surveys and begin to write the Mission Study report. From there the report is sent to St. Andrew's Session for review and approval. Session will then forward it to PEVA's Commission on Ministry for approval.

At that point, St. Andrew's Nominating Committee will form a Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) for approval by the members of St. Andrew in a called congregational meeting.

The members of the PNC will get trained and begin their search for a new pastor.

More information on this part of the process will be made available in future Bagpiper articles!

KIRK NIGHT RETURNS IN 2026

Save the date: Feb. 4!

Kirk Night will resume for the

Winter/Spring session

from February 4 to April 1, 2026.

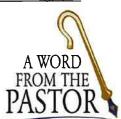
SUFFOLK CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CENTER

Donations due on Dec 21 & Jan 18

(Clothing and shoes, with an emphasis on items for men, as well as blankets, bedding, linens and towels)

Donated items can be brought to St. Andrew on the 3rd Sunday of each month and placed in the same area as the food that is collected and delivered to SCFC. If you have any questions, please contact Danny Lovell or Rob Estes.

The deadline for information for the February issue of the Bagpiper will be January 18th. The Bagpiper



We're entering my favorite season—winter—and what I consider my favorite time of the liturgical year, Advent and Christmas. I will claim and confess that I started listening to Christmas music on November 1. As I saw on a recent Facebook meme,

there is no timeline for joy, and Christmas music brings me great joy. Christmas music is also playing in my office here at the church, so stop by sometime and we'll listen together!

Before I go too much further, I want to say how much we miss Liza Tucker's work on the *Bagpiper*, and we continue to pray for her recovery. Office Manager Beth Martin stepped in so that we only missed one issue, and she has done a fantastic job.

By now you have seen the initial work of the Vision Team. I was incredibly impressed—though not surprised—by the thoughtfulness and intention behind each question on the survey and how quickly it took shape. I hope everyone will contribute their thoughts, whether you are a member of St. Andrew or not. If you are a regular attender, your voice is important too! As I mentioned this past Sunday in worship, the Great Bridge congregation just called their new pastor, and a member of their Vision Team was astounded at how many qualities the new pastor brings that directly align with what the team identified the congregation wanted in a pastor. YOUR VOICE MATTERS!

This year has seen a great deal of change, most—from my perspective, at least—very positive. Here are just a few: we've rearranged the pews, transitioned to the *Glory to God* hymnal, tweaked our order of worship, upgraded our AV equipment for livestreaming, made personnel changes, begun a systematic review of the membership rolls, begun identifying what we want in a pastor and exploring who we are, baptized three little ones, and adjusted procedures in several areas to tighten up processes. We've also added five new members while grieving the loss of two of our own.

If you're like me, even though we're just on the cusp of Advent, your calendar is already filling up. I hope that you will find time during the coming weeks to find some solitude, silence, and serenity to reflect on your faith and the amazing gift of Jesus Christ. (I hope this for myself, too!)

Life at St. Andrew is full and joyful, and it has been an honor and pleasure to be in ministry with you. I look forward to the joys of 2026 with you!

Lou



Get Ready for the Return of **Dinner for 8!**

Friendships are formed around food, and faith grows when people break bread together. Dinner for 8 is beginning again at St Andrew and offers an opportunity for groups of eight people to connect in a casual, relaxed atmosphere around food.

What is it?

Meals can be hosted in participants' homes, a restaurant or wherever the group decides works best for them. Your get-together can be dinner, lunch, breakfast or any event that interests your group.

How Do I Join?

Simply fill out the registration form which will be available in December 2025 through January 15th, 2026, in the Atrium.

What Does the Lead Host Do?

This person contacts the group members and coordinates the location, date, and food sign-ups.

How are the Dinner for 8 Groups Formed?

Once people have signed up, the groups will be formed and will be comprised of couples and singles with the intent to mix everyone together.

Who Cooks?

Usually, the monthly host will make a main dish, and others will bring sides or desserts. Some groups may choose to visit local establishments.

When Do the Groups Meet?

Groups will meet once a month in February, March and April, with a final potluck dinner for all participants in early May.

Contact **Rena Thompson** or **Gwen Elmore** if you have any questions.

~ Congregational Care Committee



There is tremendous comfort that comes from knowing that you are being lifted up in prayer when you or someone you love is in distress. That comfort is magnified when prayers are said by many people united in God's love.

St. Andrew has an active prayer chain, comprised of many people who have made the commitment to pray for others when needs arise. If you would like to be a part of St. Andrew's prayer chain, committing to pray for others, we would love to welcome you into that ministry, too. Contact Susan at susanmcox2017@gmail.com and she will add your name to the email distribution list for prayer requests.

If you are in need of prayers, contact **Susan Cox** at susanmcox2017@gmail.com

Thursday & Friday Holiday Office Closures:

Christmas Day, Dec. 25 & 26

New Years' Day, Jan. 1 & 2



Music Notes from Al

Sunday, December 21st as the Chancel Choir will present our annual Christmas Cantata, "Bethlehem's Child" by Victor Johnson and Lloyd Larson during the 10 a.m. service.

The Chancel (singing) Choir rehearses on Wednesday evenings beginning at 7 pm (7:30 when KirkNight is in session).

The Celebration Ringers (handbell choir) rehearses on Tuesday evenings beginning at 7 pm.

Our combo meets at 9 am on Sunday mornings.

If you're interested in lending your talents to the music ministry at St. Andrew, or would just like some more information, please speak with me after the Sunday service, or reach out to me via email @ music.standrewpres@gmail.com – see you in worship!

~ Al Reese

CHRISTMAS MISSION OFFERING

Every Christmas season, PW solicits congregational support for a local and/or international organization that provides services that contribute to the well-being of the most vulnerable in all societies for our Christmas Mission. PW's Christmas Mission Offering this year will be again designated to support Tidewater Pastoral Counseling (TPC). TPC accepts donations to help individuals or families who need counseling support but do not have the means to pay for it.

PW is pleased to announce that Presbyterian Men will partner with us again this year. The Presbyterian Women and Presbyterian Men thank you in advance for the support of this worthwhile service. Checks can be made out to "St. Andrew PW" with notation "Christmas Mission" and placed in the PW mailbox, **Sandy Poole's** personal mailbox, or given to Sandy directly. Cash donations are accepted. You may put your cash donation in an envelope marked "PW Christmas Mission." Donations will be accepted until mid-January 2026.

~ Loyce Bryan, PW Moderator



ANNUAL REPORTS DUE Sunday December 29, 2025

It's time again for the Staff & Committee Year-end reports which will be distributed to everyone before the Annual Congregational Meeting on January 25th. We would like the report to be available for the congregation to review two weeks prior to the meeting date. With this in mind, please email your year—end report as soon as possible, or no later than Sunday, December 29, so that Beth Martin will have time to compile the packet.

Outgoing deacons and elders are asked to work on this with their replacements. If you are a new deacon or elder, the report is a short narrative outline of your committee's activities throughout the year highlighting a few key projects. Please keep it to a single page if possible.

Please **email** the reports to the church office, in Word format, to standrew@standrewpres.us so the Annual Report can be compiled for email and print distribution. Thanks so much!

~ Beth Martin



KIRK NIGHT NEWS FROM THE CE COMMITTEE

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of Kirk Night. Your efforts and dedication made each Wednesday evening a wonderful experience for all involved.

Special Thanks to Our Volunteers

- **Steve Suhring** and **Liz Fachin** for their work with the children in the art class.
- Angie Hillis-Baurle and Amanda Greco for guiding the children in music class.
- David McKercher for teaching the adult class

Our gratitude also goes out to the groups who provided delicious meals every Wednesday night.

Thank you to the following:

- Mission & Service
- The Deacons
- Youth Group
- Presbyterian Men
- Presbyterian Women
- Session
- Beth's Small Group
- The Preschool

Funds raised during Kirk Night supported a variety of mission projects.

Upcoming Spring Kirk Night Season Please mark your calendars

February 4th through April 1st.

~ CE Committee

NEEDED ITEMS FOR FOOD PANTRY

Food Items most often needed: boxed mac & cheese, any pasta noodles, Hamburger Helper box kits, instant mashed potato packs, Ramen (any flavor), packages of individualsized instant oatmeal, packages of individual-sized boxed cereals, shelf stable milk (individual-sized servings), peanut butter, jelly, spaghetti/tomato sauce, canned peas, canned or cups of fruit, canned chicken or tuna.

Clothing & Shoes – with an emphasis on items for men, as well as blankets, bedding, linens & towels.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN



December's meeting will be December 9 at 10:00 a.m. in the Atrium. **Gloria Womble** will present Lesson 4, *The Prodigal Child, the Eldest Child, and the Devoted Parent*. **Denise McAlpine** will provide the devotional.

January's meeting will be January 13, 10:00am in the Atrium. **Martha Shephard** will present Lesson 5, *The Gift of the Woman Who Was Poor*. **Gwen Johansen** will provide the devotional.

Plan to come early to grab some coffee and visit a while. ~ Loyce Bryan, PW Moderator

PRESBYTERIAN MEN

The Presbyterian Men's Group will pause this December – there will be no December meeting. We thank all Presbyterian Men who have participated throughout the year a wish you a very Merry Christmas!

For our first gathering of 2026 on January 12th, we will hold a business meeting to thank Lin Hanbury for his leadership as moderator in 2025, and welcome our new moderator, Andy Chapman. We'll also discuss our 2026 activities. As always, dinner will be provided for \$10.

Watch for the sign-up sheet in the Atrium. If you have any questions or suggestions for future speakers, please contact, Lin Hanbury, Andy Chapman, John Gillis, or Bob Thompson.

~ Bob Thompson



SOUP KITCHEN

Thursday, January 15, 2026
Salvation Army; Bank Street, Suffolk
Cupcakes needed at
St. Andrew by 9:30am

(NO Soup Kitchen in December!)

The Finance Report is posted on the Office Workroom next to the Atrium. Questions? See Russell Richards.

UPDATES FROM FINANCE

Total income for October was \$41,777, about \$7,000 more than the September income. Our total expenses were \$40,708. Therefore, we show a net income for October of \$1,070. Year-to-date, our net income increased to \$27,950 as of the end of October. Our endowment funds also showed increases in current value, now totaling \$781,680. Our net income (current assets minus current liabilities) is a healthy \$203,634. St. Andrew is currently in good financial shape.

Our pledges for 2026 are short of our target.

If you have not yet returned your "Estimate of Giving" card, please do so as soon as possible so that we can finalize our 2026 budgets.

~ Finance and Stewardship Committee

NOTES FROM RECEIVING TREASURER

INCOME TAX STRATEGY

Making charitable donations <u>directly</u> from a taxable individual retirement account (IRA) when age related mandatory distributions are required is a legitimate way to reduce your taxable income. Such a check must be deposited by the Church before 31 December to qualify.

CONTRIBUTION REPORT & STEWARDSHIP STATUS FOR 2026

The third 2025 Report of Contributions, which shows donations through the end of November, will be placed in your church mailbox in early December. At the bottom of this report will be a note showing your new offering envelope (or other account) number for 2026. Your recorded Estimate of Giving for 2026 will also be provided.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Because postage for small parcels is about as high as the cost of the envelopes, I will place the 2026 boxes of offering envelopes in the church member mailboxes (across the hall from St. Andrew Hall) after they arrive in December for each household which used their envelopes in 2025 and any others who indicate to me a desire to have them either before the December distribution or at any time through 2026 while the original supply holds out. Please use your new 2026 account number on the memo line of checks not contained in offering envelopes. Mailing checks inside an appropriate 2026 offering envelope will also help me accurately record donations.

~Whit Tucker, Receiving Treasurer (757-482-2284)



PRAYERS & SQUARES QUILTING

In November, 45 quilts were blessed during worship. The quilts were made for and given to 35 children and youth as part of their Angel Tree gifts, as well as 10 quilts for the Silver Bells. There were Batman, Superman, trains, animal fabrics, 'I Spy Quilts,' flower prints and more. A huge thank you to the women who helped create these quilts!

Prayers and Squares will meet once on Dec. 5. We will sew and work for an hour and then have a short social time.

January meetings will be **Friday**, **January 9 and Friday January 23** at 10am in St Andrew Hall. Come enjoy time with other St. Andrew women and help make prayer quilts. If you've been attending before, please bring whatever project you have and are working on. If you are interested in learning about quilts and sewing, come see what we are doing in January.

If you would like to request a prayer quilt for a friend or family member, please complete a request form and put in **Frances Jornov's** box or contact **Frances Jornov** (<u>francesjrnv@charter.net</u> or 757-646-8955). There are many completed quilts in our closet ready to be dedicated and given. Also there are Pocket Prayer Squares in the Atrium that you may take to include in a card or give to someone. Say a prayer, tie a knot and pass it to your friend or relative. They will fit in a pocket or purse and the person can take your prayers everywhere with them.

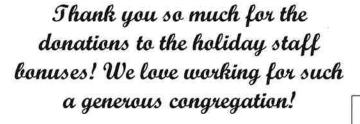
There are three sewing machines in the Prayers and Squares closet. If you are 12 years old or older, give Frances a call to let her know of your interest in learning to sew or if you need a review to use your sewing machine. Frances would like to have a beginners sewing class. You may use one of our machines or bring your own. A first project would be to make a square pillow.

Come join us--you don't have to sew--we need help putting the ties into the quilts, pressing fabric and straightening the fabric shelves. And don't forget we do enjoy the visiting! Looking forward to seeing your smiling faces!

~ Frances Jornov









DECEMBER

5	John & Leigh Gillis
21	Aaron & Sandra Carnegie
21	Joshua & Hannah Emert
24	Marc & Margaret Richardson
26	Jim & Julia Pratt
27	Bob & Rena Thompson
28	Howard & Julie Anderson
30	Joe Justice & Michelle Malverr

JANUARY

5	Joan & Steven Jenser
14	Shaun & Becky Nagy



DECEMBERVanessa Buehlman

Lilian Wonpat	2
Kevin Gray	5
Avery Nicole Spires	6
James O'Reilly	9
Joyce Poe	12
Brenda Lovell	14
Kim Smith	14
Whit Tucker	14
Philip Goodwin	15
Will Haverty	17
Amanda Phelps	17
Janice Brooks	19
Becky Nagy	20
Jeremy Mushero	21
Ryan Schoenberg	21
Virginia Stephenson	22
Jordan Hillis	23
Kelly Holcomb Lucas	23
Kathleen Pietrasanta	24
Irene Whitfield	25
Joshua Emert	26
Carol Davis	27
Wayne Prince	27
Leslie Hamrick	28
Chris Prince	29
Ralph Steinert	31

JANUARY

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Courtney Gartman	1
Tricia Haverty	1
Jody Luck	3
Bert Senter	4
Rhonda Gordon	5
Sally Johnson	5
Joy Luck	5
Margee Milliser	5
Rhys Franklin	7
Sarah Lemon	8
Joe Luck	8
Deborah Sessoms	8
Peyton Ellenor	9
Maureen Higgs	9
Frank Womble	11
Jennifer Coston	12
Diane Bondurant	12
David Lemon	17
Philip Golding	18
Patrick Missel	18
Colby Parrish	18
Kathleen Czerwinski	19
Russell Richards	19
Carter Hamrick	20
Shaun Nagy	20
Gloria Womble	21
Katherine Caggiano	24
Andrew Chapman	24
Stephen Steele	27
Debbie Walker	27
Lindsay Milliser	28
Ross Roberts	28

*Christian Education Building (CEB) *Renaissance School for the Arts (RSA) *St. Andrew Hall (SAH) *Suffolk Christian Fellowship Center (SCFC)

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7 2nd Sunday of Advent 10:00 Worship 11:00 Church School for all ages	8 9:00 Yoga SAH* 10:00 Stitching, CEB* 6:00 NO dinner for Presbyterian Men, 7:00 AA & Al-Anon, Alateen – CEB*	9 10:00 Presbyterian Women Circle, Atrium 7:00 – 8:15 Celebration Bells	10 9:00 – 10:00 Yoga SAH* Noon Widows Walk, Library 7:00 Chancel Choir	11 11:00-1:00 12 Step Lunch CEB*	12 St. Andrew Volunteers Deliver Meals on Wheels	13 8:30 – 10:30 12- Step Program, CEB*
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"A free service for St. Andrew members Provided by the St. Andrew Presbyterian Men.

at 757-238-3550. the church office

Call Russell Richards at 757-538-0515

For details about help,

Not able to get around much anymore? Need a hand with painting, yardwork, general maintenance? transportation,

SAM's Helping Hands (SAM - St. Andrew Men)

- And much more!
- December & January church calendars
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