



ST. ANDREW'S

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Reformation Sunday – October 25

Join us as we celebrate Reformation Sunday! We invite everyone to wear red, the traditional color of the day, as we celebrate our Lutheran faith and heritage.

All Saints Sunday Nov 1st – Remembering Our Loved Ones

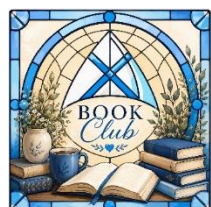
On All Saints Sunday, St. Andrew's Lutheran Church will remember and honor those who have gone before us in faith. We invite you to submit the names of loved ones who have passed away since November 2, 2025, so they may be remembered during our All Saints worship service. If you would like to include someone, please contact the church office with their name. As we gather in worship, we give thanks for the lives of those we love and find comfort in God's promise of eternal life.



Coffee Hour is more than refreshments — it is a meaningful time of fellowship, connection, and community within our church family. Hosting is a simple and rewarding way to serve God by creating a warm, welcoming space where parishioners can gather, meet new friends, and strengthen bonds of faith after worship. If you would like to sign up to host a Coffee Hour, please contact Donna Meystrik at 631-265-2288

ALTAR FLOWERS

Flowers have been placed on the altar in loving memory of Anthony & Helen Alessio, the grandparents of Donna Meystrik.



St. Andrew's Book Club

Book club, will meet on **Tuesday, October 20 at 7:00PM**

We are reading **Theo of Golden** by Allen Levi

The story begins when Theo arrives unexpectedly in Golden. At a local coffeehouse, he discovers 92 pencil portraits of townspeople. He begins purchasing them one by one and gifting them to the individuals depicted, asking only for their personal stories in return.

This simple act sets off a chain of revelations, friendships, healing moments, and life changes throughout the community.



Prayer Group BEHOLD...

A Monthly Gathering of Prayer & Reflection of Sacred Art

Come away from the busyness of life and make space for God. Behold is a monthly gathering offering a peaceful time of prayer, reflection, & sacred art—an opportunity to slow down, listen, & experience God in a new way. Wednesday, October 28 • 7:00 PM St. Andrew's Church Library, Come with an open heart. All are welcome.

November is St. Andrew's month to provide volunteers for the Smithtown Emergency Food Pantry, and it's an especially busy time of year! There will be many food drives, & the participating churches will be helping prepare Thanksgiving boxes for families in need.

We need volunteers for regular pantry food pick-up & support on **Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturdays from 10:00 AM–12:00 PM**. We will also need volunteers to help distribute Thanksgiving boxes on:

- **Saturday, November 21:** 10:00 AM–1:00 PM
- **Monday, November 23:** 10:00 AM–12:00 PM
- **Tuesday, November 24:** 10:00 AM–12:00 PM

Please consider giving a little of your time to help our neighbors in need this Thanksgiving season. **Every volunteer makes a difference!** Please sign up using the sign-up genius, or Text Dorothy Graf at 631-682-4023 <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0D4FA4A72DA20-66575404-food#/>



St. Andrew's Memorial Tree

Honor, remember, celebrate, or give thanks with a lasting engraved leaf. Each \$350 leaf supports St. Andrew's Endowment Fund. Forms are available in the church entryway. Honor a memory.

Celebrate a life. Leave a legacy.

Needed: cereal, pasta, canned beans/vegetables, tuna, chicken, rice, mac & cheese, baked beans, tomato sauce, peanut butter, jelly, and soup. Extras: toothbrushes/toothpaste, soap, shampoo, laundry detergent, dish soap. Dorothy: 631-265-2288.





**Changemakers
YOUTH IN MISSION**

***Note next meeting is Friday, Oct 23rd at 7:00 pm**

**This program is for all Youth interested in community service and mission projects. Invite your friends!
Jr. Changemakers: 6th-8th grade Sr. Changemakers: 9th-12th grade.**

CONFIRMATION CLASS

November 1st, immediately after worship



Wednesday, Oct 21st 7pm

Learn to Crochet & Give Back!
All are welcome! Whether you're a beginner or an experienced crocheter, join us as we make hand warmers for our Soup Kitchen guests for Christmas. Yarn provided. Size J/10 crochet hooks will be available if needed. **Questions or need a hook? Contact Mary Fjellstad at 631-513-2001.**



Knitting Together / Crafting Group

Bring knitting, crochet, watercolor, needlework, or any craft you enjoy. Come create, chat, share ideas, and enjoy fellowship. No experience necessary. All are welcome!
Thursday, October 22nd 1-3pm in the library



FUN PASTA FUNDRAISER — HELP REFRESH OUR PRESCHOOL PLAYGROUND!

St. Andrew's Preschool is raising funds to refresh and improve our playground! Enjoy colorful, creatively shaped Fun Pasta for family dinners or gifts, and every purchase helps create a fun, welcoming outdoor space for our children to play and grow. Scan the QR code to order and support our preschool!



Pride for Youth

PFY is a division of Long Island Crisis Center and an advocate for LGBTQ+ youth. Their mission is to provide safe and supportive services through education, wellness classes, and personal development. .Donations may be placed in the labeled basket at the church entry: toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, floss, face wash, wet wipes, deodorant, soap, shampoo, conditioner, hair products, feminine hygiene products, and school supplies for middle and high school students.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING

Shannon Breinmann, Fred Schmidt, The Diehl family, John Dugan, Jimmy LaSurdo. David Schwack, Amanda Haeffer, Ruth Clark, Helen Gronus
Paul Mchugh, Xavier Wilson, Alex & Nicolas Hoffmann [Hoffmann family]
Xavier Taylor; Crew Fritz; Lisa; Noah; Lilly [Joy Suffis]
Jackson Robinson [Rick Madarasz]
Pat Gasparo, Margie Monaco, Tom Moebus [Meystrik family]
Kit, Linda, Jeffrey, James [Anastasia Glasheen]
Giuseppe Fontana [Lauren Fontana]
Richard Delaney [Cookie Delaney]
Martha Hahn, David Palmer, Peter Gambitsky, Debbie Bartfield [Pastor Jean]
Skobla family, Frances Sanzone [Sanzone family]
Elena Quandt [Doreen Flanagan]
Vanessa Marie Lahann, Gavin Lahann [Violet & Donnalee]
Allie Abruzzi, Tania Dufour [Ashley & Maria Gyscek]
Tom Wray, Mike Cento, Jimmy, Richard & George Mengert
Bruce Logan, Betty Perlsh [Carolyn Gabelman]
Deirdre Reilly, Jeanne McCurdy, Belinda Busaca, Zeitlin, Margo Naranjo [Barbara English]
Nita Samulevich, Mel Flaherty, Elizabeth Flaherty [Amanda Flaherty]
Family of Richie Cardoza [Bill Moser]
Fran Favara [Liz DeLuca]

Joseph Wannemacher, Anita Ahrens, Craig Keil [Janis Raineri]
Lyla Suffis [Jen & Brett Suffis]
Karen Crimi, Jeffrey Gilmore, Rev. Wayne Gollenberg [Jill Breimann]
Debbie, Kimmie Lacci, Ivy [Mary Fjellstad]
Carolyn Martin [Linda Overton]
Marissa Evers, Lauren Cravotta [Joe & Margie Costello]
Mary Ellen Tiffany [Klouda Family]
Judy Daley, Jennifer Meisenkothen, John Sullivan [Dorothy & Jim Clavell]
Carolyn Bennett [Jill Spage]
Judy G., Nancy M., [Cindy Davis]
Emily Richardson, Betsy Johnsrud, [Leslee & Steve Mathieson]
David Travis [Richard Travis]

THOSE IN MILITARY SERVICE

Sgt Eric Hodosky • Lt Col Lenore Livingston née Fortin • Corporal August Detting • LT Col William Fortin • Sgt Jack Dougherty • Sgt Jasmine Dougherty