



ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Andrew's is dedicated to supporting your spiritual life. Spirituality is how we are in relationship to God, to other people, to the world around us, and to ourselves.

Trinity Sunday June 15, 2025

We are livestreaming the 10am service.

Prelude

Processional Hymn 362 "Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty"

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The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom now and for ever. Amen.

S 278 Gloria in excelsis (front section of hymnal)

William Mathias (1934-1992)

Collect of the Day

Celebrant Together we pray.

People Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

First Lesson: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her

stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to

all that live. The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there,

when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 8

- 1 O Lord our Governor, *
 how exalted is your Name in all the world!
- 2 Out of the mouths of infants and children *
 your majesty is praised above the heavens.
- 3 You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, *
 to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- 4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, *
 the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
- 5 What is man that you should be mindful of him? *
 the son of man that you should seek him out?
- 6 You have made him but little lower than the angels; *
 you adorn him with glory and honor;
- 7 You give him mastery over the works of your hands; *
 you put all things under his feet:
- 8 All sheep and oxen, *
 even the wild beasts of the field,
- 9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, *
 and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
- 10 O Lord our Governor, *
 how exalted is your Name in all the world!

Second Lesson: Romans 5:1-5

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that

suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 516 "Come down, O Love divine"

Down Ampney

Gospel: John 16:12-15

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to the disciples, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to

you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Rev. Adrian Robbins-Cole

Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People

After each bidding the Reader says, Lord, in your mercy.

The People reply, Hear our prayer.

Confession of Sin

BCP p. 360

Peace

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Hymn 325 “Let us break bread together”

Let Us Break Bread

Doxology Hymn 380 “Praise God from whom all blessings flow”

Old 100th

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

S125 Sanctus (front section of hymnal)

Richard Proulx

Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

*All are welcome to receive communion. Ushers will direct the congregation.
Gluten free wafers are available.*

Thanksgiving after Communion

BCP p. 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 366 “Holy God we praise thy Name”

Grosser Gott

Dismissal

Clergy Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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**Please join us in the parish hall for coffee after the service,
hosted today by Julie Koeninger & Peter D’Anieri.**

How to use your smartphone to connect to the listening system



For parishioners who use Bluetooth enabled hearing aids, we use the *ListenWiFi* streaming service to enhance your personal listening. Download *ListenWiFi* from your app store and follow the instructions at the ushers table to connect your app to the church system.



If this is your first time at St. Andrew's, Welcome!

We are happy you found us. Please use this QR code to fill out a *seeker information form* or check with a member of our membership committee in the narthex so that our clergy and members of our congregation can welcome you and help you get engaged with our church.



The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
Elizabeth Arnold Haynes by Carol H. Nelson and family,
James Rigney and Philip Rigney by Sandra Rigney, and
P. Barnard Bergstrom and Peter Carl Bergstrom by Barbara Bergstrom.

Serving St. Andrew's this week

Altar Guild the altar guild
Altar Flowers the flower guild

Serving at 8am

Lay Eucharistic Minister TBD
Ushers Mark Benjamin and Ken Graves

Serving at 10am

Broadcast Tech Volunteer Rob Brandt
Greeters Sandra Rigney and Barbara Bergstrom
Lay Eucharistic Ministers Suzy Littlefield and Ann Johnson
Readers Ann Johnson and Michael Kemp
Ushers David Boghosian, Lisa Howe, and David Osborn

Intercessions from the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

Churches of the Merrimack Valley Deanery
Grace Church, Lawrence
Esperanza Academy, Lawrence
St. Anne's Church, Lowell
St. John's Church, Lowell

Congregations: Lectors, Worship Leaders, Eucharistic Ministers & Visitors



Icon of the Week

St. Mitrophan Tsi Chang

December 10, 1855–June 10, 1900

Tsi Chang was born into an Orthodox Christian family in China on December 10, 1855. His father died when he was a child, and he was raised by his mother Marina and his grandmother Ekaterina. Marina was a teacher at the Orthodox mission school for girls. The mission priest charged his teacher to take great care in educating Tsi Chang, to prepare him for the priesthood. Before reaching 20 years of age, he was appointed to the post of catechist for the Orthodox mission. However, he did not want to accept ordination, saying “How can a person with insufficient abilities and charity dare to accept this great responsibility?” But, under the urging of his priest and the persuasion of his teacher, Tsi Chang obeyed and was ordained to the priesthood.

As a priest, he assisted in translating and editing the Bible, the service books, and writings of the Church Fathers into Chinese. For 15 years, he tirelessly served God and the faithful entrusted to his care. Fr. Mitrophan had a reputation as a very humble, quiet, and peaceful person. Together with his wife, children, and the people of his parish he was murdered on June 10, 1900, during the Boxer Rebellion.

His feast day is June 11.

We pray for your faithful martyrs who gave their lives spreading your Word. Lord, we are mindful that so great is our love for you that even though we walk in a world where speaking your name can mean certain death, your faithful still speak it. Help us work for a world where all may speak their creeds and pray their prayers without fear of violence. Hear the prayers of those who abide with you in dangerous times and in dark valleys, and who die with your name on their lips. Draw them quickly to your side where they might know eternal peace. Amen.



Notices and Announcements

Note: all staff email addresses are on the second to last page. Deadline for materials is noon on Tuesdays for both the bulletin and the e-Pistle.

B-SAFE Summer Camp

Summertime means sun, fun, and play. Here at St. Andrew's, it means B-SAFE: supporting St. Stephen's Youth Programs (SSYP) with their summer enrichment program for elementary-aged kids. We will be hosting this summer camp **from July 28 to August 1**, providing a nutritious hot lunch three days and arranging a very fun presentation by [The Whalemobile](#)! This interactive learning experience will include a 30-foot inflated whale in our parish hall and educational programming to foster a love for whales and the ocean. But we need you to make it a success. View the event on Realm and register to help cook or serve for a couple of hours, or to interact with the kids here. We really appreciate your participation!

9am Adult Christian Learning

9am Christian learning classes have concluded for the program year. Please join us when we resume in September. — [Margaret Schwarzer](#)



Gratitude

Diaper Drive

Thank you, St. Andrew's parishioners. All expectations were exceeded with over 4008 diapers contributed to the Mothers Day diaper drive for Bridges to Moms.

Vestry

Any member of the vestry can be emailed at their ministry address. All addresses are on our website: <https://standrewswellesley.org/about/vestry/>

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Youth Formation Pamela Grossetti

Staff

- In an emergency, please contact Adrian on his cell phone, 603/831-4938. Additional clergy cell phone numbers are: Margaret Schwarzer, 617/733-0661, and Sarah Robbins-Cole, 603/831-4711.
- The clergy are available to assist you if you email or call them if you or a member of your family expects to be in the hospital and wishes to be visited.
- Please let the clergy know of names that should be added to our prayer list.

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Weekly Calendar

- The **Holy Eucharist** is celebrated on **Sundays at 8am, 10am** (*also online*). **Morning Prayer and the 5pm service** are on vacation until after Labor Day. (*Use the QR code for a link to our YouTube channel.*)
- **Parish office hours** are **Monday through Thursday, 9am to 4pm** (the doors are locked at 1pm) and **Friday, 9am to 12pm** (church access by appointment) unless otherwise announced. **Tuesday at noon is the deadline for all materials** for the e-Pistle and the bulletin, for the following Sunday.
- After **Sunday, June 29**, the parish office will be open **Monday through Thursday, 9am to 3pm** (the doors are locked at 1 pm), and **Friday, 9am to 12pm** (church access by appointment). In August the hours will be **Monday through Friday, 9am to 12pm**.
- **12-Step Programs** Men's AA, Wednesdays at **8pm**; Women's AA, Thursdays at **7pm**; Emotions Anonymous, Saturdays at **9:30am**; Sober Sisters AA, Saturdays at **10:30am**.



Regular weekly meetings and gatherings, unless otherwise announced below
Sundays • 11am coffee hour

Tuesday, June 17

10am pastoral care team meeting
7pm stewardship

Saturday, June 21

8am men's Bible study

Thursday, June 19

Juneteenth, Parish Office Closed
10:30am North Hill Holy Eucharist



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