

St. Andrew's Lutheran Church

Time & Talent Pledge Card 2022

*First, a **BIG THANK YOU** to everyone for giving so generously of their time and talent during the pandemic. St. Andrew's is blessed by your service.*

As we work together to spread the Good News of God's love in Jesus in 2022:

I am interested in sharing my time and talent in one or more of the following.

I will be contacted with information and for the days I am available to serve.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Assistant Minister | <input type="checkbox"/> Usher | <input type="checkbox"/> Door Greeter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scripture Reader | <input type="checkbox"/> Communion Prep | <input type="checkbox"/> Communion Server |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sound/AV System Operator | <input type="checkbox"/> Offerings Counter | |

I am interested in sharing my time and talent in an area listed below.

I will be contacted to learn more about how I can serve (See reverse for descriptions):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Service & Learning | <input type="checkbox"/> Stewardship & Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Pine Ridge Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fellowship (& Funeral) | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Concerns | <input type="checkbox"/> Tanzania Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Property | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship & Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personnel | <input type="checkbox"/> Mutual Ministry | <input type="checkbox"/> Council Leadership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extended Ministry Fund | <input type="checkbox"/> Audit | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology Team |

Local Ministries: Edwards Backpack Buddies, Saving Suds, Giving Garden (circle those of interest)

"For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us." Romans 12:4-6



BAPTIZED &
SET FREE

ONE PERSON PER CARD

NAME:

Address:

Phone(s):

Email:

Additional Information:

Service and Learning - Work in close cooperation with Blythe and Pastor Sonja to assist as a “table guide” for conversations during the Service and Learning Hour.
Contact: Blythe Schultz, serviceandlearning@standrewsames.org

Fellowship - Creates, coordinates and assists in strengthening fellowship among members and visitors. Responsible for the kitchen, fellowship time and meals.
Contact: Gayle Osterberg, osterberggayle@gmail.com or JoAnn Kovar, Joannkovar31@gmail.com

Outreach - Invite and inform through advertising (postcards, newspaper, website), and personal interaction (greeters, Welcome Table). We "in-reach" to members through meals, visits, prayer list cards, remembrance gifts and devotional materials. Contact: Steve Loucks, sloucks625@gmail.com

Property - Provides assistance to SALC and its ‘Properties’ relative to maintenance, and improvements, including landscaping and ground keeping.
Contact: Linda Seaverson, seaverson.linda@gmail.com

Social Concerns - Strives to show people the love of Christ through the promotion of social responsibility within the Christian faith of the congregation. We educate the congregation regarding needed action on social problems at the local, state, national, and international levels. Contact: Amanda Kress, ahrensap@hotmail.com

Stewardship & Finance - Monitors/coordinates/communicates church financial status; counts/records income; gathers time and talent information, and helps with the development of annual budgets; conducts fund drives; arranges loans. Contact: Linda Seaverson, seaverson.linda@gmail.com

Worship & Arts - Works closely with the Pastor, music staff and many volunteers to keep our weekly worship experience meaningful and smooth. Volunteers usher, prepare communion, serve communion, read scripture, assist the pastor, operate the sound system and change the worship environment to reflect the seasons of the church year. Contact: Mary Johnson, jsjohnson36@msn.com

Pine Ridge Ministry - In cooperation with various agencies and individuals on the Pine Ridge Reservation, we work in areas of housing, education, health care, and economic development. We seek out ways to be in relationship with people on the Pine Ridge Reservation and at home, exchange culture, and serve faithfully.
Contact: Kris Parsons, kkparsons64@gmail.com

Tanzanian Ministry - Along with our partners in Tanzania, the Hedaru Lutheran Parish, we work together to share our culture, our faith, and a long-standing friendship. We have learned that together, we can do amazing things to improve the lives of the people in Hedaru. Contact: Carol Putz, c.putz@mchsi.com

Extended Ministry Fund (EMF) - Established to collect and administer gifts (memorial and otherwise) to St. Andrew’s that will help carry out the mission of this congregation by accomplishing projects that are not included within the budget. EMF also has oversight responsibilities for the St. Andrew’s Endowment Fund. Contact: David Putz, david.putz@gmail.com

Local Ministries - *Edwards Backpack Buddies* picks up food from the Food Bank of Iowa, fills the backpacks at 9 am Thursday mornings Sept.-May for distribution to children identified as “in need” of nutritional supplements over the weekend. *Saving Suds* is a ministry to provide laundry supplies and coins to people who need assistance to do their laundry at a coin-operated local laundromat. *The Giving Garden* supports Story County Plant A Row for the Hungry. Get involved by growing extra produce, harvesting, and bringing it to church. It will be transported to the collection site. Contacts: Mary Johnson, jsjohnson36@msn.com (Backpack Buddies, Saving Suds); Janeen Christy, janeen.christy70@gmail.com (The Giving Garden)

Technology Team - New ad hoc team to help evaluate technology needs and suggest to Council when updates, etc. are needed.
Contact: Kris Parsons, kkparsons64@gmail.com