

Sharing in Ministry...

	This Morning	Next Sunday
Duty Elder:	Dawna Selby	Clint Gaebel
Duty Manager	Frits & Jim	Jim & John
Greeters	Madeleine ?	Stuart & Isabelle
Readers:	Jamie/Brittany	Beth/Jenna
Fellowship:	Anita & Dawna	Frieda & Louise
Sound Board	Clint	Matt
PC Gift Cards	Brittany	Jenna

UPCOMING AT ST. ANDREW'S

Dec 1 – Choir Practice
Nov 30 – Morning Bible Study – 10:30
Dec 4 – Communion Sunday and Food Bank Sunday
Dec 4 – Evening Bible Study led by Katherine Bretzlaff
Dec 16 – All ages Youth Christmas Party
Dec 18 – Congregational Christmas Pageant
Dec 18 – Lunch following Pageant – “Everyone Welcome”
Dec 21 – Longest night “Blue Christmas” service 7:00
Dec 24 – Children’s Candlelight Christmas Eve Service – 4:30
Dec 24 – Candlelight Christmas Eve Service – 7:30
Dec 25 – Christmas Day Service with Communion

You can't change the past,
so don't ruin the present by worrying about the future.



Food Shelf

As in previous years, St. Andrew's has been asked by the Stittsville Food Bank to commit to supplying Voortman Cookies for the Christmas Hampers. This year's goal is 90-100 packages for those less fortunate. We have been asked to have them here by December 18th.



Next Sunday
“Prepare the Way”
Psalm 85:8-13

Mark 1:1-8 ~ Isaiah 40:1-11

*In the name of Jesus Christ, welcome.
If you are new to our church family, please introduce yourself and sign our New Comers Book in the foyer.
We gather for a time of fellowship downstairs following this morning's worship.*



November 27, 2011
First Sunday of Advent

Teaching Elder: the Rev. Doug Kendall
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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

A caring congregation of Christian faith, welcoming all,

"Yet, O Lord, you are our Farther; we are the clay, and you are our potter; we are ll the work of your hand".

Isaiah 64:8

Prelude

Jeff Stonos

Welcome and Announcements

Dawna Selby

We Approach God in Praise and Prayer...

(☀ indicates please stand as able)

☀ **Introit as the Choir and Bible come forward**

☀🎵110 **Come, thou long expected Jesus**

Lighting of the Advent Candle *the Allard family*

**Hope is a star that shines in the night,
leading us on till the morning is bright.**

**Refrain: When God is a child
there's joy in our song.
The last shall be first
and the weak shall be strong,
and none shall be afraid.**

Gathering Prayer *(followed by the Lord's Prayer)*

Assurance of Forgiveness

Responsive Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19 *Brittany Allard*

☀🎵375 **Fairest Lord Jesus**

Time with Children & Celebration Chest

To Hear the Word of God...

Scripture Readings: Isaiah 64:1-9 *Jamie MacKay*
Mark 13:24-37

☀🎵 **Change my heart, O God; make it ever true.
Change my heart, O God; may I be like You.
You re the potter; I am the clay.
Mold me and make me this is what I pray.**

Message: "Regret & Hope"

Katherine Bretzlaff

To Respond in Faith and Gratitude...

We Present our Gifts

☀🎵 **Doxology:**
**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.
Amen, Amen, Amen...**

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

☀🎵124 **People in darkness**

To Go out into the World and Serve.

☀ **Benediction & 🎵 Sung Benediction as follows – 622**

**Go now in peace; go now in peace.
May the love of God surround you.
Everywhere, everywhere you may go..**

Postlude

Jeff Stonos

Worship is over – Let the service begin.