



# *St. Andrew Church*

*122 Division Street*  
*Sag Harbor, New York 11963*

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We welcome the opportunity to serve you.  
Parish Office hours are: Monday - Friday, 9:30am to 5:00pm.  
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*1st Sunday of Lent ~ March 5th, 2017*

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:**

Classes: K-5th Grade at 8:45 am on scheduled Sunday mornings. 6th, 7th and 8th Grades at 7:00 pm on scheduled Wednesday nights.

#### **PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY:**

Hours by appointment only.

#### **OUR VISION STATEMENT:**

We, the community of St. Andrew, are called and empowered through our Baptism to share in Jesus' mission of building the Kingdom of God.

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to worship as a community, develop lay leadership and serve the needs of others.

Our prayer is that our dedication to Jesus' mission will be manifested in harmony, growth and love.

#### **OUR MISSION STATEMENT:**

By the grace of God, we bring Jesus' Good News to Life.

#### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

SATURDAY: 9:00 am, 5:00 pm  
SUNDAY: 8:30 am, 10:00 am (Family Mass),  
11:30 am (Youth Mass).  
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY: 9:00 am  
EVE OF HOLYDAY: 7:00 pm  
HOLYDAY: 9:00 am

#### **RECONCILIATION:**

EVERY 1<sup>ST</sup>, 3<sup>RD</sup> AND 5<sup>TH</sup>  
SATURDAY: 4:00-4:45 pm or  
BY APPOINTMENT

#### **BAPTISMS:**

Baptisms are celebrated the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month. Parents are required to attend two preparation meetings. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

#### **MARRIAGES:**

Parishioners arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the ceremony and before arranging the social plans.

#### **DEVOTION:**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on First Friday, immediately following the 9:00 am Mass until 10:30am.



**THE THEME**

The battle between good and evil is writ large in literature, drama and religion. Today's readings- indeed, all of Scripture-reveal a truth we know all too well. Even the best of us has experienced the powerful attraction of what we should not do. Our tradition tells us even more profoundly that the story is larger than temptation or failure. We hear, instead, what is possible: Grace, justification, obedience, righteousness and life are the real end of the story.

**THE READINGS**

**GENESIS 2:7-9, 3:1-7:** Adam and Eve are tempted.

**ROMANS 5:12-19:** Jesus' obedience overcomes sin.

**MATTHEW 4:1-11:** Jesus himself is tempted.

**-SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 11th, 2017**

5:00 PM Mass *Priest Fr. Manuel*  
*Lector - E. Gerecke*  
*E.M.'s- A. Bagnoli, C. Gallagher,*  
*J. Holden*  
*QMHR 4:00-4:45PM*

**SUNDAY, MARCH 12th, 2017**

8:30 AM Mass *Priest Fr. Manuel*  
*Lector - M. Schildknecht*  
*E.M.'s - R. Cipolla, V. Cipolla,*  
*W. Schildknecht*  
 10:00 AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*  
*Lector - Rel. Ed*  
*E.M.'s - L. Koehne, M. Lane,*  
*J. Pino*  
 11:30 AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*  
*Lector - D. Carbone*  
*E.M.'s - R. Kiselyak, R. McNamara,*  
*V. Schiavoni*

**HAMPTON CARE CENTER SCHEDULE FOR EM'S**

*MARCH 5Th- M. Johnsen*  
*MARCH 12Th- M. Lane*

**Moving? Remember to notify us of address or telephone number changes so that our records are always up to date.**

**MASSES AND SCRIPTURE READINGS**  
**OF THE WEEK**

**MASS INTENTIONS** **REQUESTED BY**  
**MONDAY, MARCH 6, 2017**

LEVITICUS 19:1-2, 11-18; MATTHEW 25:31-46  
 9:00 AM *Stanley Balserus* Bill Hughes

**TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 2017**

ISAIAH 55:10-11; MATTHEW 6:7-15  
 9:00 AM *Bernadette Green*

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 2017**

JONAH 3:1-10; LUKE 11:29-32  
 9:00 AM *Arnold McCullough*  
Bill & Mary Schildknecht

**THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 2017**

ESTHER C:12, 14-16, 23-25; MATTHEW 7:7-12  
 9:00 AM *Ed Drohan*

**FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2017**

EZEKIEL 18:21-28; MATTHEW 5:20-26  
 9:00 AM *Mark Reiser* Mary Reiser

**SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017**

DUETERONOMY 26:16-19; MATTHEW 5:43-48  
 9:00 AM *For deceased members of the parish*  
 5: 00 PM *Ann Marie Beroes* Angelo Bagnoli

**SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2017**

GENESIS 12:1-4a; MATTHEW 17:1-9  
 8:30 AM *Betty Lamberti* Diane Brennan  
*Nicholas Hagerty (17th Anniversary)*  
Ginny Hagerty  
 10:00 AM *Ed Drohan* Birthright  
 11:30 AM *Mary Galvin* St. Andrews



**ST. ANDREW'S**  
**is proud to offer for**  
**Public Sale Color Prints**  
**(22" x 28") of "Sag Harbor**  
**Main Street" by local artist**  
**Nidia D'Alessandro**  
**Prints are available to view**  
**and for purchase at the Parish**  
**Center ground floor level Offices**  
**Monday-Friday 10:00AM- 4:00PM**  
**UNSIGNED - \$30.00**  
**SIGNED w/o number - \$40.00**

**From Fr. Peter's Desk**  
**1st Sunday of Lent**

**Dear Parish Family:**



Our First Reading today from the Book of Genesis has three parts; the creation of man, the placing of the man and the woman in the garden, and the temptation and sin of the woman and the man. The focus of the account is on the last activity. Like all temptations, when one gives in, not only is the consequence unexpected, but it brings about a realization that the wrong choice has been made. St. Paul, in his letter to the Romans, draws a comparison between Adam and Christ. Adam is regarded as the one responsible for how sin entered the world; Christ is the one who has brought redemption from sin through the grace of God given to him. Paul's theology gives us the foundation for our Lenten reflection; it is the grace of God that saves us.

Our Gospel for the First Sunday of Lent is always the story of Jesus' temptations in the desert. Matthew places his account right after Jesus' baptism. The significance of this arrangement is that the tempter mocks Jesus' identity with the words, "If you are the Son of God...". All temptations attack our sense of who we are, or who we think we are. Jesus' response to each of the temptations was affirmation of who He was and a rejection of the identity the tempter offered.

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ, the one sure thing that we can know about ourselves is that we are always the beloved sons and daughters of God. Lent is the time to bring us back into the right relationship with God, to change what needs to be changed in our lives so that we can be worthy of His love. Temptations abound but, in the knowledge that God loves us so deeply, let us live our lives in gratitude of that love.

*God Bless You All,*  
*Fr. Peter*




**STEWARDSHIP**  
*Stewardship Reflection*

What temptations lure us from the path of discipleship? Possessions? Pride? Power? Oh Lord, create for us a clean heart and renew a steadfast spirit within us.

*Living Stewardship*

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who embrace their discipleship, using the ashes as a reminder to share their own gifts at home, work, school, our parish and in the wider community.

*Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary*  
**Weekly goal for 2/26/17 - \$5,000.00**  
**Actual collection for 2/26/17— \$3,563.00**  
**Faith Direct Weekly Donations - \$1,050.00**



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**  
*Most recently:* Andrea Guidici, Nora Cosgrove, Joseph Carbone, Frank Swierad, Rose Varulo, Teddy Koch, Barbara King, Gloria Bennedetto, Tom Butonow, Al Altschaeffl, Rachel Brown, Robert Federico, Joan Griffin, Larry Darcey, Donald Kelly, Cheryl McMahan, Grail Mahoney, Rita A. Smith, Charlie & Kathy Greene, Barbara Federico, Joe Miller, Anita Brown



Lord, Hold these men and women in your loving hands and protect them as they protect us and bless them for their selfless acts. We pray for peace in our world and an end to war. Amen. Serving in the armed forces: **David McMahan, Ben McMahan, James Calfa, Michael Borgese, Nick Allen, Darren Babula, Clint Kelly, Rudy Lunk, Cherl Scarlato, Daniel Brook Harnett, Darryl Treadwel, Peter Wojciechowski, Radrefa Patterson, Maxwell Yardley, Bonnie O'Brien, Russell Little, Victoria Selkirk, Jonathan Severance, Dylan Andrada, Ryan S. Gioel**

### **Faith Direct**

Fast, Pray. Give up your Envelopes! We invite you to help your parish save money by giving up your offertory envelopes this Lent! Enrolling with Faith Direct will provide St. Andrew Catholic Church with consistent support and simplify your giving without the wasteful envelopes. Join us in giving up envelopes this Lenten season! Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our Church code: NY296. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

**God Bless You,  
Fr. Peter**

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### **Celebration Dinner**

Join us for a celebration dinner honoring St. Patrick and St. Joseph on Saturday, March 18th, 2017 from 6pm-9pm. The menu: Corned Beef and Cabbage and all things Irish. Plus: Antipasto, Lasagna, Salad and all things Italian. Refreshments will be served. Good conversation, good food, live music in the parish center. Advanced seating: \$50 per person. At the door \$55 per person. Seating is limited so get your tickets at the Parish Center. For additional information, call the parish office at 631-725-0123.

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### **Living Healthy Workshop Series**

Living Healthy Workshop will be held at the Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Parish Center every Tuesday from 10:30am to 1:00PM from April 4th through 25th and from May 2nd through 9th. This is a Free six week program. This program seeks to educate seniors 50+ and to provide self management skills to enable you to feel better and improve your quality of life. Take care of your chronic conditions such as diabetes, arthritis, high blood pressure, heart disease, orthopedic conditions, chronic pain, anxiety, etc. A reference book and relaxation CD will be provided. There is no cost to attend but we ask that you attend for the full 6 weeks. Space is limited so reservations are required by March 20th. Please call Lisa at 631-537-0156 ext. 10.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

*Stations of the Cross at 12Noon on Fridays during Lent.*

*March 18th Saturday– Celebration Dinner Honoring St. Patrick & St. Joseph, 6-9PM in the Parish Center. Advanced seating \$50 per person, at the door \$55 per person. Please see bulletin insert for more information.*

*Please see the future bulletins for more information on upcoming events.*

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**2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal**

As we begin our 2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal, we thank all who have been so generous in the past to the CMA. Your donation not only helps the needy right here on Long Island, but also helps your parish as well. Our parish receives 20% of all monies collected once we reach our goal and 80% of all monies collected over our goal. We ask every parishioner to please consider making a donation to this years Catholic Ministries Appeal. For your convenience, envelopes are located at the entrances of the church and, as always, thank you for your kindness.

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