

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23** | Jesus, you showed the world the many ways to love by your words and deeds. Help me to walk in obedience to your commands. Let me be accepting of other people in my community, and give me the ability to listen, help, give, serve, and love. In your name we pray. Amen. (2 John 6)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 24** | Lord, guide the children and students at St. Andrew from being quick to speak and hasty in their hearts. Give them the wisdom of using discretion in their speech and making their words count for good—even if it means saying less. Amen. (Ecclesiastes 5:2)

**FRIDAY, APRIL 25** | Lord Jesus, you send us out in power to heal the sick and to minister to those who need help. Yet we worry. Will we be up to the task? Let us give freely from our abundance, and trust in the power of the Spirit. In Christ's name, Amen. (Matthew 10:8)

**SATURDAY, APRIL 26** | Dear God, may the Holy Spirit be present in the hearts and minds of the staff at St. Andrew as they lead our congregation. We pray they seek your knowledge and wisdom as they make decisions for our church. May they focus on you as they determine the best way for our church to bring heaven to earth in all they do. Amen.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 27** | Father, you sent your prophet Isaiah to proclaim the hope of a coming Savior to fulfill the promise given in Genesis. Show me how to remain faithful as a follower of your son, Jesus, and to wait in anticipation of the fulfillment of the second coming of Christ as my forefathers did in the time of Isaiah. Amen. (Isaiah)

**MONDAY, APRIL 28** | Dear God, thank you for blessing my life with so many gifts. Please show me the ways in which I can serve you with the special gifts I have. I desire to be your hands and feet and to reach out to others in your name. Amen.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 29** | Lord, you are merciful, a refuge in times of trouble. You are also just. The relationship we have with you is a choice. Thank you for giving your people freedom to choose. May the people of St. Andrew Methodist choose wisely. Amen. (Nahum 1:7-8)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30** | Lord, I pray for those in our community who are lacking resources such as jobs, housing and food. I pray for guidance for them to overcome their situations. I pray they will be filled with your hope, courage and strength. May St. Andrew and The Storehouse be a refuge in times of need. Amen.

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Prayer Calendar

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*As we come together as a church family entering a season of prayer, may these prayer prompts help guide your prayer time.*

**Mondays:** Personal | **Tuesdays:** Church | **Wednesdays:** Community  
**Thursdays:** Children & Students | **Fridays:** Missions | **Saturdays:** Staff

**TUESDAY, APRIL 1** | God, thank you for a sense of community and belonging here at St. Andrew. We come to church to nourish our souls and strengthen our faith. You are our God, and we are your people. Help us to notice newcomers, to perceive their emotions, to fulfill their needs, and to share our joy and abundance. Help us to feel close to you and at peace with our neighbors. In the name of Christ our Savior. Amen. (Jeremiah 7:23)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2** | Dear God, help me to be sensitive to other people, listen to their worries, bear their burdens, and help with words and actions. Help me to be a light in the darkness. Amen.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 3** | Dear God, thank you for being the God of comfort for our children and students at St. Andrew, their very present help in times of trouble. Be near to them and look upon them with the eyes of your mercy. Comfort them with the sense of your presence, shield them from the enemy and give them patience in their afflictions. Lead me to encourage our children and students and give me the words to say and the courage to say them. Amen.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 4** | Dear Heavenly Father, I pray for the missions here in our church. Thank you for those near and far. Be our guide as we seek out new missions. We have a great responsibility to reach out to the world and spread the good news of our salvation in you. Please let us hear your voice and lead us in the direction that is your will. Amen.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 11** | Dear God, help me to be compassionate, to serve with energy, and to be slow to judge. Give me the right words to say to be of comfort. Help me to be extravagant with friendliness when people are lonely or sad. Give me renewed strength when I am tired. Amen.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 12** | Dear God, we want to praise you for the leadership we have in our church. We are blessed with godly men and women who want to serve you. Please equip them with knowledge, wisdom and discernment as they lead your fellowship. Guide our church as we move forward to enable us to reach out to those who are new to our church. Lead us in the direction that you desire for us to go. Amen.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 13 · Palm Sunday** | Precious Lord, I love you. May my heart and actions reflect my commitment to you. May your hosanna remain in me. May I stay the course and worship you in all I do. Amen.

**MONDAY, APRIL 14** | Dear God, I come to you today and ask that you quiet the noise around me. I know that it is your voice that guides me. Please allow me to clear my mind of the distractions around me and hear what you want to tell me. Open my heart to your desires and let your Holy Spirit reveal your thoughts in me. Amen.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 15** | I thank you, God, for St. Andrew and for the pastors and members who started this church. Because of sermons, connections, and examples, my faith is growing. Thank you, God, for salvation and the new life you continue to give us daily despite hardships and loss. Amen.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16** | Dear God, I pray for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one in our community. Fill their minds with good memories and comfort them with your loving arms. Thank you for the comfort that only you can give them and help them to remember they are not alone. Amen.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 5** | Heavenly Father, we thank you for our clergy who work hard to teach us and guide us on your path. We thank you for their faithful dedication to you and to our congregation. Lord, bless our pastors as they serve you. Let us take their impact on our lives and share it with others. Amen. (Luke 6:40)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 6** | Lord, your promises are abundant throughout the Bible. May I not grumble as the workers in the field did in Jesus' parable of the Workers in the Vineyard but turn my heart to embrace the abundance of grace you have showered over me. Amen. (Matthew 20:1-16)

**MONDAY, APRIL 7** | Heavenly Father, I thank you for your sustaining love and new mercies every day. How can I use my gifts and intellect for your kingdom? Help me to find a quiet time in my schedule today to talk to you and feel your guidance. Amen.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 8** | Lord, today we pray for the church family members of St. Andrew Methodist Church and ask your blessing upon them. We embrace the words in Scripture: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace. Amen. (Numbers 6:24-26)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9** | Heavenly Father, you healed the sick and restored the lame, so I lift up those in our community who are struggling with chronic illness. May the power of your healing hand touch their lives and bring them peace, hope, comfort, and improved health. Amen. (Matthew 9:35)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 10** | Lord God, today we ask you to fill our children and students at St. Andrew with the guidance of your will, so that they may live a life worthy of you, and please you in every way. Help them to bear good fruit and grow in the knowledge of you. Amen. (Colossians 1:10)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 17 · Maundy Thursday** | Gracious Lord, on this night when you knelt to wash the feet of your disciples, teach us the humility that serves, the love that stoops low, and the grace that embraces even those who betray. May we follow your command to love one another as you have loved us, pouring ourselves out in selfless devotion. Amen.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 18 · Good Friday** | Merciful Savior, as we stand at the foot of your cross, we are humbled by the depth of your suffering and the breadth of your love. May your sacrifice pierce our hearts, drawing us closer to the mystery of grace that redeems us, and may we never forget the cost of our salvation. Amen.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 19 · Holy Saturday** | Dear Heavenly Father, we lift up our church staff to you today. Allow them to rest as they prepare for Sunday services. Let them hear your Holy Spirit speaking to them. Be with their families as they share their loved ones with us on Sundays. Give each of them peace knowing they have been called by you. Provide them with wellness, joy and goodness as they perform their Sunday tasks. Amen.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 20 · EASTER** | Risen Christ, you have shattered the grip of death and opened the door to eternal life! Fill our hearts with resurrection joy, that we may live as people of hope, proclaiming with boldness that Christ is risen indeed! Amen.

**MONDAY, APRIL 21** | Dear Heavenly Father, teach me to trust you completely, that I may say "Here I am, Lord, send me." Use my mistakes and failures to teach me more about you, to show mercy and to encourage others. Amen.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 22 · EARTH DAY** | Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. Thank you for ordering our world and for calling it good. May we take care of all the flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild. May we respect your earthly gifts and remember our place in your kingdom. Amen. (Psalm 8)