

## ST. ANDREW UMC 2022 NEWSLETTER



- **Special Summer Sundays!** On July 3 and August 7, we will be worshipping at 10:00am in Fellowship Hall, followed by a Potluck. July 3 we will celebrate Independence Day, and August 7 we will have a film screening of "Finding Fellowship," a PBS documentary. There will be a separate film for children. Bring your hearts for worship, your potluck dishes, and the anticipation of wonderful fellowship!
- **Men's Breakfast Saturday July 9 at 9:00am** in Memorial Hall. All men are invited. Sign up outside both worship services.
- **MYF & Youth Unite.** From July 25-29, St. Andrew MYF will spend a week living and working together in mission and service with our peers from Youth Unite. We would like to give back to the community by performing service projects for deserving individuals and organizations. Our teams will be managed by adult volunteers and our capabilities will include basic repairs and maintenance, landscaping, clean-ups, painting, and other tasks requiring many hands. Of course, there is no cost for our work and if materials are required, we can discuss the best way to acquire them. We are looking for projects ranging from a few hours to a couple days. If you know of such projects of individuals that could use some help. please contact J. Scott Susich Email: [jscottsusich@gmail.com](mailto:jscottsusich@gmail.com), Office: 732-290-5684, Cell: 732-236-1474
- **St. Andrew is forming a Missions Committee.** This committee will oversee projects such as the Back to School Supply drive, Food Pantry drives, Operations Christmas Child shoeboxes, Garden Vegetable distribution, Thanksgiving Baskets, and provide assistance with the Christmas Angel Tree and Easter Baskets. The committee will meet monthly. Please contact Pastor Anna if you would like to join the team!
- **The Tanzania Mission Trip is tentatively set for August 1-8, 2023.** We will be working with the Mission Center which is a little bit out of the Dar es Salaam City. This Mission is building a preschool. Construction starts January 2023. We will be working on the preschool as well as some other projects while there. We will also visit 2 local churches in Dar es Salaam. The estimated cost is \$1,500 per person. If you would like to be a member of the mission team, please let Pastor Anna know. An organizational meeting will be set soon. We plan to have fundraisers to help alleviate the cost. Pray about it, you will be making a difference as we improve facilities for ministry.

- **Library News** - There are books available for summer reading! Fiction books are on the left shelf as you enter the library. If you have children, we have DVD's along with books for everyone from non readers thru to teens and young adults. There is a rack with orange labels on the book spine that are free, you may leave a small donation if you desire. You do not return these books. Although the door is closed to the library it is not locked. Turn on the light and take a look around if you have not explored our library. Please sign the card in the back of the book and place it in the box. There is a bag on the library door to return books or use the box in the library. The library is located on the ground floor across from the nursery. Happy reading. Any questions contact Joan Sola 732-240-7516.
  
- **Ushers Needed for Traditional Service** - contact Mary Garreau at [megarr0304@aol.com](mailto:megarr0304@aol.com) or call the church office 732-349-5367. Thank you!