

International Friendship at Purdue

Do you enjoy meeting people from other countries and learning about their customs and culture? If so, check out International Friendship at Purdue.

The International Friendship Program (IFP) of Purdue University is an opportunity for community residents to share meals, holidays, local outings, or other events with a friend from abroad.

The IFP matches these residents in a friendship relationship with Purdue international students.

There are no legal, financial or housing obligations. The only requirement is the willingness to befriend a student interested in meeting you!



Any questions? Please contact Marcus Hammack or Nancy Montague by phone at 496-7528 or by e-mail at friendship@purdue.edu. More information is available also at this site: www.iss.purdue.edu/Programs/IFP/.

The IFP is organized and implemented by the Office of International Students & Scholars at Purdue.



Calling All Carpenters!

Do you like to work with wood? If you have gifts and talents in the trade of carpentry, we'd love to hear from you. Some special projects are in the works that will require this type of skill. Please let Pastor Tim, Trent Watkins, or the office know if you can help with this valuable ministry.



Can You Help?

There are 30-40 new international students (freshmen) coming in August who are currently on a housing wait list to live in a residence hall. The International Student Services Office at Purdue has begun looking for temporary housing options close to campus for these students. Are you willing to house or do you know of anyone who might be able and willing to house a student temporarily (4-5 days)? The students are waiting for an on-campus housing space to open up (or decide to search for an off campus rental situation). If you can help out, please contact Beth Tucker at btucker1@purdue.edu.



Maybe it's time for a **CHANGE...**

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Welcome

We warmly welcome our visitors who are worshipping with us today. Our worship is more complete because you are here. We pray that your time with St. Andrew has blessed you and that you will return to worship with us again. If there is anything you might need, please ask an usher. Also, make your presence known to us by filling in the registration pad as it is passed during the offertory.

Worship Services at St. Andrew

At St. Andrew, we are pleased to offer four worship opportunities. Our **8:45 a.m.** service on Sunday provides a blend of the great hymns and traditions of the faith along with an informal attitude of caring and warmth. Our *Unplugged Praise* worship at **10:00 a.m.** features contemporary music played on acoustic instruments in an intimate setting, combining prayer, preaching, and praise to glorify God. The **11:15 a.m.** praise worship relies on high energy contemporary music, dramatic vignettes, and relational preaching. The Mid-Week Service is a passionate, fun, welcoming and intimate worship experience. Come on in, grab a cup of coffee and grow with us! The service is **Wednesdays at 7 p.m.** in the Intersection. It's our hope that one of these inspiring worship experiences will help connect you to the living God.



For Our Guests

If you are a guest with us today, you are invited to receive a Welcome Packet from a greeter or at the Welcome Center, if you have not received one already. In The Commons, there is a gift for each guest family from our Front Porch Ministry. Please stop at the Welcome Center after the service to pick up your gift, and you can drop off the completed visitor card that you will find in the Welcome Packet. We are glad you chose to worship with us today.

Coffee in Commons

You are encouraged to come and enjoy fellowship along with coffee, tea, or juice, and donuts. Coffee in The Commons begins about 9:45 and continues through 11:15. There is a selection of goodies and coffee available at the kitchen window also, so you can pick up some refreshment on the way to your class.



August Center Stage Luncheon

Please join us at the home of Jim Mullen and Susan Karcher (3212 Elkhart Street, WL) on Sunday, August 21 at 12:30 PM with a dish to share and plan for a wonderful meal and a great time fellowshiping with fellow St. Andrew-ites. Jim and Susan would appreciate your RSVPs to: 418-3921 or karcher@purdue.edu. Hope to see you there!



CareNotes Card Making – Monday, August 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the Adult 2 classroom We took July off, but we're now back and ready to make some more cards. Please join us for our next card making session. **Everyone is welcome.** All the supplies and instruction needed will be available for you. Bring a friend!

Midweek Service

Please join us this Wednesday, **August 10, at 7 p.m.** for our Midweek Worship Study experience! Next week, in our study of *The Book of Acts: Blueprints and Building Blocks*, we will study Acts 13. All are welcome—we'll save you a seat!



save the date!

Please put **August 28 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.** on your calendar for an All-Church Planning Event. More details to follow.

Grace UMC & Habitat

Grace United Methodist Church is helping on a Habitat for Humanity house and could use help to finish the house. If you have a Saturday soon that you could help out, they would be happy to know about it. You can contact Jim Hartwick at 447-1013 or Bob Watson at 589-7524. They would appreciate the help.