



We hope you are
joining us for
music this fall!

There is great music planned that we think you'll like!
(And, the people are pretty special, too!)

PLUS! We are excited to welcome Laura Kastens and Nelda Wittig as our new directors!

Monday Rehearsals begin September 10

6:15 – 7:00 Woodwind Ensemble (Jr. High – Adult) *led by Lee Rabe*

7:00 – 7:45 Brass Ensemble (Jr. High – Adult) *led by Lee Rabe*

Tuesday Rehearsals begin September 11

6:00 – 7:00 Agape Singers (Jr. High – Sr. High vocal) *led by Matthew Penning*

7:00 – 8:00 Laudate Ringers (Sr. High- Adult) *led by Matthew Penning*

& Jubilate Ringers (Jr. High/Sr. High) *led by Lee Rabe*

Wednesday Rehearsals begin September 12

6:00 – 7:00 Cantate Choristers (Grades 3-6 vocal) *led by Matthew Penning*

6:00 – 7:00 Resound! handbells (Adults) *led by Laura Kastens*

7:00 – 8:30 Logos Choir (Adult vocal) *led by Matthew Penning*

7:00 – 7:45 Alpha Ringers (Grades 3-6 handbells) *led by Laura Kastens*

Sundays beginning September 16

9:45 – 10:45 am Grace Notes (K-2 music) *led by Nelda Wittig*

It's going to be a fabulous year! Join us!

Why should you join a church music group?

1. We teach you to sing (and ring and skillfully play instruments). Children who cannot yet follow a melody or adults and youth who have trouble navigating a piece of music CAN learn to – if they regularly attend rehearsals. Those who can sing or read music will learn additional skills that will stay with them throughout their lives.
2. We train all ages to be worship leaders. Many who feel their presence in a music ensemble is important to God, the church, and their families, continue to center their lives in worship long after their early choir experiences are over. We are building the church and musical leaders of tomorrow.
3. We enhance your Christian discipleship. Scripture, praise, and prayer that are set to music last a lifetime.
4. We offer the opportunity for all ages to learn first-hand about serving God with their time and talent.
5. Everyone is busy these days, but those who set aside time for music reap later rewards.
6. Singing and playing in front of others builds confidence that transfers to all areas of life.
7. There is no cost! Because the congregation sees this as an important part of our faith life, we are supported with resources to equip us for lives of worship and the sharing of the gospel through music.

Source: Linda Mitchell (adapted)

Other ways to participate!

In addition to our ensembles, there are other opportunities for making music at St. Andrew! *Including . . .*

Guitar playing

Percussion/drumming

Vocal solos

Instrumental Small Ensembles

Special Occasion Choirs and Bands

Add your name to the list, or talk to Matthew Penning, Director of Music.