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April 23, 2017

2nd Sunday of Easter

The Festival of God's Creation

10:45 a.m. Word on the Third

Contemporary Worship Service

St. Luke's — Celebrating 184 Years

1833-2017



St. Luke's United Methodist Church Vision

Welcoming ALL . . .

Caring . . . Serving . . . Growing

Prayer Requests: If you have a prayer request, please fill out a prayer card and place it in the basket on the back table, hand it to an usher, or place it in the offering plate.

* Asterisk denotes the invitation to stand if able. **Bold text** to be read by the people.

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

Prelude "Majestic" by Lincoln Brewster
Lighting of the Candles: *Bringing the Light of Christ Into Our Worship*
Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Praise and Adoration

* Gathering Prayer (*responsive*)

Christ is with us.

Hallelujah!

The Holy Spirit is in this place.

Ignite our hearts!

Raise your hands! Lift your voices!

God, we are yours!

We are yours, all yours, blessed God, all our lives, all our thanks, all our praise, all our hesitations, all our grumbling, all our fears, we give it all to you, with all our bodies, and minds, and voices.

Yours, all yours!

Yours the blessing, yours the praise from the unimaginable silence before the big bang, beyond the farthest reaches of time and space our instruments may ever find, from infinity to infinity, everlasting to everlasting, you are God, boundless in love and power.

We stand in awe trembling in the light of your glory!

* Song "For the Beauty of the Earth" UMH 92

Called to Community

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233
Children's Time Mary Purdy
"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

The Greening of Our Building and Ministries Paul Clark

Songs of Worship "God of Wonders" by Marc Byrd & Steve Hindalong
"Indescribable" by Laura Story

Called to Reflection

Psalter Reading: Psalm 16: 5-11 (*spoken responsively*) UMH 748
*Gospel Reading: John 20: 19-31
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Visible Wounds" Rev. Robert Armstrong

Called to Prayer

Song "Praise the Source of Faith and Learning" TFWS 2004

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer (trespasses) UMH 895

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

Offertory "The Majesty and Glory of Your Name" Tom Fettke
Chancel Choir; Dr. Jeremy Mims, Director

Prayer of Thanksgiving/Dedication

Sent to Serve

Song "Majestic" by Lincoln Brewster

** Benediction*

* Benediction (*responsive*)

Now go in peace to touch and heal the wounds of the earth.

We go in peace to serve God and protect the planet.

Now go in peace to live in the Garden of God.

We go in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Closing Song "Majestic" by Lincoln Brewster

*Note: Please feel free to use language in worship that is
Inclusive and affirms a diverse imagery for God.*

St. Luke's United Methodist Church
Upcoming Events for Apr 23 - Apr 30

Sunday, April 23 — The Festival of God's Creation

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
10:45 am	Word on the Third Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary

Monday, April 24 — No Events

Tuesday, April 25

8:30 am	Terrific Tuesday Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 am	Sit & Knit Prayer Shawls in the Parlor

Wednesday, April 26

4:50 pm	Wonderful Wednesday meal, activities, and rehearsals
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Thursday, April 27

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Parlor
5:30 pm	Council on Ministries Meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Friday, April 28

7:00 am	Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
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Saturday, April 29

6:30 am	Bread Run — Marcia Young
8:00-11:00 am	Parking Lot Clean Up in St. Luke's Parking Lot
5:30 pm	Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 7
6:00 pm	Saturday Night Praise Service in the Fellowship Hall

Next Sunday, April 30

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
10:45 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Men & Women in Uniform, & Their Families Our Homebound

Aubrey Martin — healthy newborn

(Betty Martin's granddaughter)

Claire Sanders — healthy newborn

(Lara's daughter, Bonnie's granddaughter)

Margaret Johnson — hip pains

Family of Marjorie Tayloe — passed away

Family of Elizabeth Justice — passed away

(Janet Busch's great-granddaughter)

Susan Funke — hospitalized after aneurysm

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com

Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.



United
Methodist
Women

FAITH•HOPE•LOVE IN ACTION

May 1 at 10:00 a.m. — May Friendship Day
Brunch Reservations Due. RSVP: Sue H 563-566-
1394 or Marcia Y 588-4877

**May 5 — May Friendship Day - Church
Women United - *Kindling New Fires of LOVE.***
See below (bottom left) for details!

SAVE the DATE: May 4th at 7:00 p.m. at St.
Luke's. Program: "Mothers in Action." **See below**
for details!

Upcoming Worship Services

Apr 30th 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship

May 7th 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship

Services with **Communion**

May 14th - Mother's Day / Blanket Sunday

8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship

May 21st 8:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service

10:45 a.m. **Word on the Third**

May 28th 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service

Every Saturday: 6:00pm Saturday Night Praise
with Communion 1st Saturdays

May Friendship Day

Friday, May 5 — 9am brunch; 10am program
Shalom Spirituality Center, 1001 Davis Street

Church Women United host May Friendship Day:
"Kindling New Fires of Love." Brunch 9:00-
9:50am (\$6, RSVP needed). Program at 10:00am
with Celebration, Fellowship of the Least Coin &
program speaker: Jamie Theisen of Families First
"Meeting Children's Needs in Dubuque." Every-
one is invited!

RSVP for brunch by May 1st at 563-556-1394
(Sue H) or 563-588-4877 (Marcia Y). Main en-
trance and parking behind building.

Mothers In Action



Thursday May 4, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
St. Luke's Parlor, 1199 Main St.

Do you know? "Every 2 minutes, somewhere in
the world, a woman dies from complications dur-
ing pregnancy or childbirth" (*Healthy Families,*
Healthy Planet reports). Speaker: Hillcrest Fam-
ily Services - WIC (Women, Infants, and Chil-
dren) Clinic & Maternal Health Care. Donations
of toothpaste, shampoo, bar soap, and hand soap
accepted for maternal health care. Laurinda Brim-
eyer will talk on celebrating the role of mothers in
the Bible who saved children's lives! Hosted by
St. Luke's UMW, the heart of UMW has always
been health care for women and children.

Wonderful Wednesday Meal

April 26, 2017



Return of Brinner: scram-
bled eggs, sausage, bacon,
hash browns, french toast,
biscuits and gravy

Meal served from **4:50 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.**
\$6/person, \$15/family; first come, first served

Vacation Bible School 2017



Mon-Fri June 19th - 23rd
Dinner at 5:30 p.m.
Program 6:00-8:00 p.m.
St. Luke's UMC

It's time to start talking about Vacation Bible School again! This year St. Luke's is the host church, and Westminster Presbyterian Church will be joining us. Our theme this year is the Maker Fun Factory!!

It is time to begin looking for volunteers. If you are interested in helping out you can sign-up in two different ways:

Sign-up online at vbspro.events/p/4b46f2 and be sure to note in the comments section where you would be willing to help out; or

Paper sign-up forms are available in the South Hallway. Completed forms can be put in the offering plate or the church office.



Lunch & Learn
at the Monastery
Monday May 8th

Lunch & a tour of New Melleray Abbey, Peosta.

Reservation Deadline: **Mon, May 1st**

Cost: \$7 (transit, lunch, donation)

We leave **Woodlands** at **10:30am**

Contact: **Marcia Dubbels: 582-6634**
marciadubbels@yahoo.com

Packets with information and registration forms can be picked up at the church office.



Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Food items: Rice, ketchup, brownie mix, sugar, graham crackers, ramen, dish soap

Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart.



DACU Meeting

April 25, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
Hillcrest Hadley Chapel, 2005 Asbury Rd

Program: "Foster Care in the Area" with Chris Barnett, Foster Care Involvement in Dubuque County and a youth member of AMP (Achieving Maximum Potential) on impacts on the lives of youth. Guests & community are always welcome!

"I Am Not Your Negro"

Thursday, April 27 — 7-9pm
Free Screening at Mindframe



DDCO is sponsoring a screening of the documentary, "I Am Not Your Negro." The film tells the story of race in modern America from writer James Baldwin's unfinished novel "Remember This House." RSVP at: www.facebook.com/events/346886355705246/

Opening Session: Dr. Jennifer Harvey

Friday, April 28th — 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Wartburg Theological Seminary

Dr. Harvey will offer untold stories about the question, "Now what?" She'll lay out what a reparations framework offers Christians today in a shift from reconciliation. **This free session is open to the public, registration not required.**

Dr. Jennifer Harvey is a professor at Drake University, writer, and adviser to faith communities.

If you shared a dessert with Fabulous Friday please retrieve your pan from the kitchen! Last chance!



Terrific Tuesdays

(All at 9:30 a.m. unless noted)

- Apr 25** 8:30am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- May 2** Charlotte's Coffee House
- May 16** Café Fraiche
- May 23** 8:30am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00am Sit & Knit in the Parlor

Prescott Elementary & St. Luke's Blood Drive

Monday, May 8th, 2017

1:00pm to 6:00pm

Neighborhood Resource Center
at Prescott Elementary



To sign up, call Prescott School at 563-552-4200 or Mike Loveless at 563-584-9235. All donors must bring photo ID. Eat before donating and bring photo ID. Last date you donated elsewhere must be before March 13, 2017.



Save the Monarchs!

Remember when the trees were filled with monarchs? The monarch butterfly is in trouble. Their numbers are down 90% of what they were in 1992. Milkweed plants are the only source of food for the monarch caterpillar, but these plants are rapidly disappearing, due to the loss of habitat stemming from land development and the widespread spraying of weed killer on the fields where they live. We want to promote the recovery of the monarch population now. You can make a difference. One milkweed at a time.

Parking Lot Cleanup

Saturday, April 29th — 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
St. Luke's Parking Lot

St. Luke's Edible Landscape, made possible through a grant received from Sustainable Dubuque, kicks off with a parking lot clean up! Come as your schedule allows, all hands welcome. Bring work gloves, shovel or trowel.



Red Basket Project

Support the Red Basket Project with donations in an envelope marked "Red Basket Project" or donate any of the following in the red basket in the South Hallway: **Tampons:** Junior, Regular, Super; **Pantiliners:** Always Thin Pantiliners, or any brand medium or heavy absorbency pantiliner

Easter Lilies

In Honor of or in Memory of



Margie Breese in Memory of
John & Alice Breese
Margie Breese in Memory of
Alan Breese
David & Barbara Bonnett in Memory of
Our Parents
Julie Borgwardt in Memory of
Bob & Lolita Steele
Kathy & Gary Reid in Memory of Our Parents
Arnie Van Etten in Memory of Anne Van Etten
Lori Boughton in Memory of
parents Roy & Betty Rieder
Coni Stephenson in Memory of parents Dick &
Marie McCarthy and grandmother Hazel Hull
Alice Shirley in Memory of
Walter & Marion Shirley
Betty Phillips in Memory of Caroll Phillips
Marilyn Conklin in Memory of Dr. E.V. Conklin
Marilyn Conklin in Memory of
John Perry Conklin
Sue Lane in Honor of Betty Martin
Greg, Deb, & Sara Albert in Memory of
Glenn Schreiner and Kenny Albert
Laura Carstens in Honor of mother Betty Farcas
Cheryl Vahl in Memory of Ruth & Bill Vahl
Alan Hattel in Honor/Memory of my family
Sue Hattel in Honor/Memory of my family
Alan & Sue Hattel in Memory of John Duggan
Keith & Peg Unangst in Honor of
Salvatore Iannazzo
Jody Ludowitz in Memory of Shirley Ring
Dale Nederhoff in Memory of Shirley Nederhoff
Robin O'Connor in Memory of my parents
Robin O'Connor in Honor of my husband & kids
Biederman Family in Memory of
Tami Biedermann-Redmond
Lynn Kerker in Memory of Earl Kerker



Lectionary Bible Study Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Meet with Pastor Chuck in the Parlor to talk about scriptures for the upcoming Sunday.

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>April 23, 2017</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>April 23, 2017</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Gary & Kathy Reid, Marcia Dubbels, Kathy Michel
Ushers	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Gary & Kathy Reid, Marcia Dubbels, Kathy Michel
Acolyte	Sara Albert	Sara Albert
Children's Time	Mary Purdy	Mary Purdy
Offering Depositor	Sue Hattel	Nancy Hessler
Liturgist	Green Team	Green Team
Communion Steward	NA	NA
Organist/Pianist	Dr. Jeremy Mims	Dr. Jeremy Mims
Chimer	Larry Loepke	NA
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Videographer	Bobby Martin	Ron Liskey
Worship Driver	—	—
	Saturday, April 22	Saturday, April 29
Bread Run	Dan Jacobsen	Marcia Young
Food for the Soul	Team 4	Team 7

Music Directors

Chancel Choir — Dr. Jeremy Mims **Children's Music** — Heather Williams
St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe **Chimers** — Larry Loepke
Bell Choir Director — David Patterson **Word on the Third** — Praise Team
Wind Ensemble

Lead Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland