

## STAFF

### *Pastor*

Rev. Chuck Layton

### *Children/Youth Ministry*

Jessica DuBord (interim)

### *Administrative Assistant*

Ora Uzel

### *Custodian*

Caprice Jones

## CHURCH COUNCIL

### *Chair*

Nancy Hessler

### *Admin Committee Chairs:*

#### *Lay Leadership/Nominations*

Rev. Chuck Layton

#### *Finance*

Rich Young

#### *Board of Trustees*

Mike Loveless

#### *SPPRC*

Dave Kubik

### *Council on Ministries*

#### *Facilitators:*

#### *Invitation & Welcome*

Chris Kohlmann &

Lisa Viertel

#### *Worship & Celebration*

Sue Hattel

#### *Care & Compassion*

Marcia Dubbels

#### *Spiritual Growth/Discipleship*

Nancy Hessler

#### *Witness & Service and*

#### *Community Outreach*

Jennifer Crow

#### *Conference & Global*

(Vacant)

#### *Social Justice*

RRS & Terry Stewart

#### *UMW*

Marcia Young

#### *Certified Lay Ministers*

Kathy & Steven Lamb

# St. Luke's

## United Methodist Church

1199 Main Street, Dubuque, Iowa 52001

Website: [www.stlukesumcdbq.org](http://www.stlukesumcdbq.org)

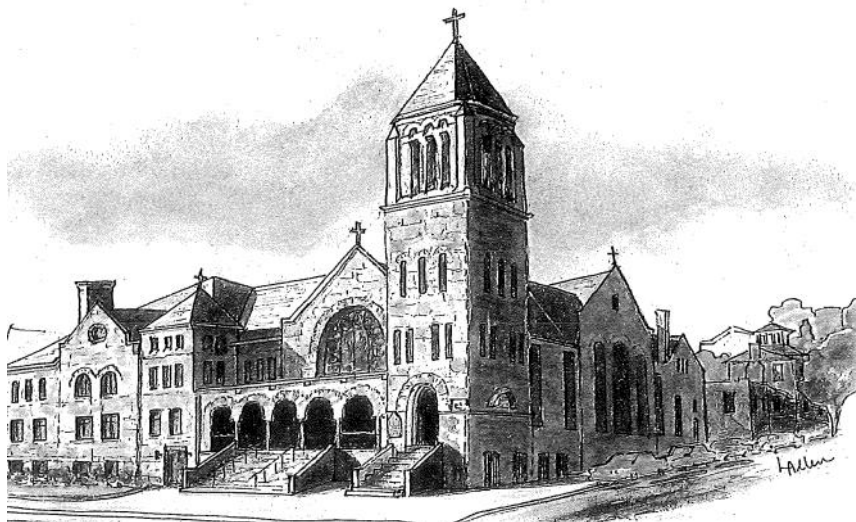
Email: [dbqstluke@gmail.com](mailto:dbqstluke@gmail.com)

Fax: 563.582.2307

Phone: 563.582.4543 Ext 101 Administrative Assistant

Ext 102 Pastor

Ext 103 Youth Coordinator



**April 23, 2017**

**2nd Sunday of Easter**

**The Festival of God's Creation**

**8:30 a.m. 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.*

Wind Quintet: Susan Williams, flute; Sue Hattel, clarinet;  
Paul Stephany, bass clarinet; DeLano Cain, oboe; Jean Cheever, French horn

### **Preparing Our Hearts for Worship**

Prelude (Wind Quintet) “For the Beauty of the Earth” by Kocher (arr. Jozefowicz)  
Lighting of the Candles: *Bringing the Light of Christ Into Our Worship*  
Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

#### \* **Called to Worship**

\* 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!**

\* Hymn “For the Beauty of the Earth” UMH 92

#### **Called to Community**

Music (Wind Quintet) “Menuetto and Trio” from *Octet in F Major* Haydn (arr. Voxman)

“Where Children Belong” TFW5 2233

Children’s Time Mary Purdy

“Jesus Loves Me” (chorus only) UMH 191

Special Music (Wind Quintet) “Beautiful Savior” Seiss (arr. Jozefowicz)

**Called to Reflection**

Psalter Reading:	Psalms 16: 5-11 ( <i>spoken responsively</i> )	UMH 748
Music (Wind Quintet)	“Amazing Grace”	traditional (Newton/Walker)
*Gospel Reading:	John 20: 19-31	
<i>And all God’s people said:</i>	<b>Thanks be to God!</b>	
Sermon	“Visible Wounds”	Rev. Robert Armstrong

**Called to Prayer**

* Hymn	“Praise the Source of Faith and Learning”	TFWS 2004
Sharing Our Joys and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer/Lord’s Prayer (trespasses)		UMH 895

**Called to Share**

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives		
Offertory (Wind Quintet)	“Dona Nobis Pacem”	Anonymous
* Doxology	“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH 94
Prayer of Thanksgiving/Dedication		

**Sent to Serve**

*Carrying the Light of Christ to the World*

* Closing Hymn	“Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness”	TFWS 2120
----------------	--------------------------------	-----------

**\* 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.**

\* Music from the Tower Chime (*please stand*)

Postlude Dr. Jeremy Mims, organ

*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
---------	------------------------------------------------------

**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
---------	--------------------------------

**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](mailto:dbqstluke@gmail.com)

Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.



**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." Everyone is invited!

**RSVP for brunch by May 1st** at 563-556-1394 (Sue H) or 563-588-4877 (Marcia Y). Main entrance 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 during pregnancy or childbirth" (*Healthy Families, Healthy Planet reports*). Speaker: Hillcrest Family Services - WIC (Women, Infants, and Children) 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: scrambled 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](http://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](mailto: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/](http://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.
<b>Greeters</b>	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Gary & Kathy Reid, Marcia Dubbels, Kathy Michel
<b>Ushers</b>	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Gary & Kathy Reid, Marcia Dubbels, Kathy Michel
<b>Acolyte</b>	Sara Albert	Sara Albert
<b>Children's Time</b>	Mary Purdy	Mary Purdy
<b>Offering Depositor</b>	Sue Hattel	Nancy Hessler
<b>Liturgist</b>	Green Team	Green Team
<b>Communion Steward</b>	NA	NA
<b>Organist/Pianist</b>	Dr. Jeremy Mims	Dr. Jeremy Mims
<b>Chimer</b>	Larry Loepke	NA
<b>Slides</b>	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
<b>Projectionist</b>	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
<b>Videographer</b>	Bobby Martin	Ron Liskey
<b>Worship Driver</b>	—	—
	<b>Saturday, April 22</b>	<b>Saturday, April 29</b>
<b>Bread Run</b>	Dan Jacobsen	Marcia Young
<b>Food for the Soul</b>	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