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February 4, 2018

5th Sunday after Epiphany

**8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion**

St. Luke's — Celebrating 185 Years

1833-2018



St. Luke's United Methodist Church Vision
Welcoming ALL . . .
Caring . . . Serving . . . Growing

If you have a prayer request, please fill out a prayer card and hand it to an usher.
* Asterisk denotes the invitation to stand if able. **Bold text** to be read by the people.

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

8:30 Prelude "Sweet Hour of Prayer" by William B. Bradbury
Sylvia Ward, organ

10:45 Prelude "Trumpet Tune in G Major" by Jeremy Bankson
Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

Lighting of the Candles: *Bringing the Light of Christ Into Our Worship*

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Called to Worship

* Call to Worship

Chorus "On Eagles Wings" UMH 143

Psalm 147: 1-11 (after "Lord's steadfast love" say: **Praise the Lord!**) UMH 859

Chorus "On Eagles Wings" UMH 143

Called to Community

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233

Children's Time Pastor Chuck Layton

"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

8:30 Anthem "This Little Light of Mine" arr. Joyce Eilers
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

10:45 Anthem "Bless the Lord, My Strength and Goodness" by Mary Beall &
Chancel Choir; Roxanne Rollefson, director Lloyd Larson

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Called to Reflection

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 40: 28-31
New Testament Reading: 1 Corinthians 9: 16-23
Gospel Reading: Mark 1: 29-39
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Message "Discipleship Pathway" Pastor Chuck Layton

Called to Communion

Invitation

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin, and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Confession

**O God whose love is the energy of the world,
When we forget that You are our center, the ground upon which we stand,
we can also forget that the people around us are related to
us by a bond more solid than blood.
We are all your children, and are sisters and brothers together.
We confess that too often we experience other people not as dear children of yours,
but as obstacles to some *thing* that we desire.
Then in our impatience or fear we treat them as less than human.
Forgive us, we pray.
By your Holy Spirit, open our eyes to see our sisters and brothers in the light of your love.
And so fill our hearts with that love that we may respond to them as you desire.
We ask this in the name of Jesus, our older brother, our friend, and our savior.
Amen.**

All pray in silence

Hear the good news: Jesus Christ was born, lived and died to make clear that while we were yet sinners, God loved us and broke the power of sin and death that had us bound. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

As a forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

8:30 Offertory "Great Is the Lord" by Michael & Deborah Smith
Sylvia Ward, piano arr. Jay Rouse

10:45 Offertory "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" setting by
Dr. Chuck Barland, organ John Ferguson

* Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94

Prayer of Dedication

Called to Thanksgiving

Taking the Bread and Cup

The Great Thanksgiving Musical Settings: TFWS 2257 (a, b, c, d)

The Lord's Prayer

Breaking the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup

(Communion hymns to be sung as people come to receive communion)

* Communion Hymns "Lord, Speak to Me" UMH 463

"Eat This Bread" UMH 628

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

* Hymn

“Go Forth for God” verse 4

UMH 670

*** Benediction**

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8:30 * Music from the Tower Chime (*please stand*)

Postlude

“Trumpet Air”
Sylvia Ward, organ

by Henry Purcell
arr. Gail Smith

10:45 Postlude and Music from the Tower Chime (*please be seated*)

Postlude

“Prelude and Fugue in F Major”
Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

by Vincent Lübeck

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 February 4 - February 11

Sunday, February 4

8:30 am Sunday Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School / Families in Faith
9:30-10:45 am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:00 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room & Sanctuary
10:45 am Sunday Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary

Monday, February 5

8:00 am Chimes Deadline

Tuesday, February 6

9:30 am Terrific Tuesday at Panera Bread
4:00 pm 4 the People Meeting in the Wesley Room
6:00 pm UMW Leadership Team Meeting in the Conference Room
6:00 pm Dubuque for Refugee Children Meeting in the Wesley Room

Wednesday, February 7

5:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday meal, activities, & rehearsals
6:30 pm Trustees Meeting in the Conference Room
7:15 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room

Thursday, February 8

10:00 am Bible Study in the Parlor
6:30 pm SPPRC Meeting in the Conference Room

Friday, February 9

7:00 am Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
12:05 pm Fabulous Friday Concert in the Sanctuary
Gathering, coffee, and desserts afterwards in the Fellowship Hall

Saturday, February 10

6:30 am Bread Run — Mike & Cheri Loveless
5:30 pm Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 11
6:00 pm Saturday Night Praise in the Fellowship Hall

Next Sunday, February 11 — Transfiguration Sunday

8:30 am Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School / Families in Faith
9:30-10:45 am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:00 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room & Sanctuary
10:30 am Jazz Prelude in the Sanctuary
10:45 am Mardi Gras Jazz Worship Service in the Sanctuary
11:45 am Mardi Gras Luncheon Celebration in the Fellowship Hall



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families
Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers
Cheryl I. Murguia - passed away
Patrick Lansing - passed away
 (Loveless's son-in-law's father)
Barbara Egbert (Rollefson's sister) - hospice
Todd Halverson - passed away
 (Brimeyer's brother-in-law's son)

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com
 Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Feb 11 Transfiguration Sunday**
 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
 10:30 a.m. **Jazz Prelude**
 10:45 a.m. **Mardi Gras Jazz Worship**
- Feb 14 Ash Wednesday**
7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service
- Feb 18** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
 10:45 a.m. Word on the Third
 Contemporary Worship Service

Every Saturday: 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise
 with Communion every first Sunday

Windows of Opportunity



- Communion Steward for 8:30am and 9:30am summer worship. Training provided. Set up communion elements prior to worship each month. Contact Sue H 556-1394.
- Fabulous Friday desserts needed January 26 – March 23. Sign up in the South Hallway.
- Volunteers to record services once a month.
- Volunteers to make recorded DVD'S for distribution to homebound. Contact Bobby Martin or church office. Training provided.
- Volunteers to run the audio and projector during a worship service. Contact Paul Clark or the church office. Training provided.

Mountain T.O.P. Super Bowl Pizza & Cookies



Today is the day to pick up your super bowl pizzas and cookie dough! **Pizzas and cookie dough are ready for pick up downstairs after either service today.**

Mardi Gras Celebration!

Believe it or not – St. Luke's Mardi Gras Celebration 2018 is just around the corner on Sunday February 11. Mark your calendars and invite your friends and neighbors to this day of celebration! It's long time tradition at St. Luke's to celebrate with a 10:30 am jazz prelude and 10:45 am jazz worship service with great music by Ric Jones and Upper Main Street Jazz Band and a festive meal following the service.

This year we will again be blessed by chef Matt Crow preparing lunch which includes Cajun and "non-Cajun" choices. As many hands make light work **please consider signing up** for donation of:



- Corn Bread
- Pecan Pie
- Pineapple Upside down Cake

We also need food preparation help on Saturday Feb. 10, 9am - noon along with setup, serving and clean-up assistance on Sunday Feb. 11.

Sign-ups are in the South Hall. Questions: contact Invitation and Welcome Team co-chairs Chris Kohlmann 563-599-2695 or Lisa Viertel 563-599-2325. Thank you!

Ash Wednesday Service **February 14, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.** **St. Luke's Sanctuary**



We will share in a brief half hour worship service to start the Lenten season, with imposition of ashes.

Summer Camps for All Ages

Camp Guides for Iowa Conference summer camps arrive this month and will be available for distribution. View them online now at:

<https://www.iaumc.org/camps>



There is a camp for everyone. Friends of campers are welcome to attend, too. Scholarships are available. Transportation concerns can be addressed. The earlier application is made the better.

For more information phone Rev. Alice Shirley at 618-367-0922 or visit the website provided above.

Terrific Tuesdays

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

- Feb 6 Panera Bread
- Feb 20 Oak Park Place
- Feb 27 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- Mar 6 Caribou Coffee



Fabulous Friday Dessert Sign-up



We need help with desserts for Fabulous Fridays! Ideally we will have a minimum of four desserts each Friday after the concert which ends around 12:30 p.m. If you would like to provide desserts, **sign up in the South Hall**. For more information contact reception coordinators Char Schmitt or Lynn Kerker.

Red Basket Project

Offer your donation today marked “Red Basket Project” or with the following in the South Hall red basket:

Tampons: Junior, Regular, Super.
Pantiliners: Always Thin Pantiliners, or any brand medium or heavy absorbency pantiliners.



Feb. 4 Super Bowl Sunday 2018 - Like any big sporting event, the **Super Bowl can lead to increased demand for trafficking in persons for labor and sexual exploitation!** United Methodist Women in Minneapolis, MN and members and friends elsewhere are invited to wear RED in solidarity 1) for those victimized from trafficking; 2) to protect those vulnerable to being trafficked; and 3) to prosecute those committing trafficking! United Methodist Women working with NATIONAL Football League (NFL) are creating awareness of human trafficking in the RED ZONE—to *intercept human trafficking!*

Feb. 15 **Kaleidoscope** invites all women to Bethany Home @ 1005 Lincoln at 7:00 pm. Program: **“SACRED SPACE of PRAYER”** lead by Marcia Young. Co-hosts: Ruth Clark and Marcia Young. Enter door under the porch canopy and street parking. Those carpooling contact Laurinda Brimeyer at 557-7341.

Feb. 28, March 7, 14, and 21 **Lenten Study “Living in a Covenant Community.” 1:00- 2:30 pm.** Hosted at Grand View UMC (accessible) All are welcome.

Busy Bees made 36 bed quilts in 2017 for residential youth living at Hillcrest Family Services. **Thank you so much!** Next meeting will be March 5th at 1:00 pm.

Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Peanut butter, jelly, canned meats, ramen noodles, hot chocolate mix, shampoo, laundry soap, garden produce

Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart





Parking Spots Available

The church parking lot has two recently expanded spots available for rent at \$35 per month. Rental is for weekdays 8am to 5pm. Please spread the word! If someone you know would like to rent a spot, have them give their license plate, car make/model, and contact information to the church office at:

563-582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com

The Good Life Redefined

Sunday, February 18, 2018

2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sisters of the Presentation

2360 Carter Road, Dubuque, IA

Less Stuff. Live More. Find Joy! Learn how our STUFF contributes to climate change. Reflect on what our faith traditions say. Make a plan to create a more joyful life that is easier on the planet. This workshop is free thanks to generous sponsors. Registration required. Find out mor information and register at: <https://iowaipl.org/act/good-life-redefined/> Sponsored by the Covenant Congregations of the Dubuque Chapter of Iowa Interfaith Power and Light, Dubuque Area Congregations United and Sisters of the Presentation.

Weather-Related Cancellations

St. Luke's will make every effort to notify you of any cancellations due to weather through the following methods listed here:

**KCRG TV 9
WDBQ 1490 AM
KDTH 1370 AM**

St. Luke's Facebook page



If there are no notifications showing, you may call these people **as a last resort:**

Pastor Chuck 712-420-5963
Dan Jacobsen 319-480-0921
Sue Hattel 563-599-4497
Paul Clark 563-590-0158

Dubuque's Memory Café

February 8, 2018 - 10am to Noon

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

1755 Delhi Street, Dubuque



Discover a safe, supportive, and engaging environment designed specifically for individuals with memory loss from Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia and their caregivers, a place for friendship. Join us in a friendly place where people can interact, enjoy social time, find support, share and celebrate without feeling misunderstood.

No fee to attend. Pre-registration not required. For more information, contact Rev. Dr. Jade Angelica at jadeangelica@gmail.com or **563-582-4724**

Lectionary Bible Study

Thursdays at 10am in the Parlor



Meet with Pastor Chuck Thurs at 10am in the Parlor to discuss scriptures for the upcoming Sunday.

Easy Home Composting



We try to compost all our food scraps at St. Luke's, but did you know you can compost at home? If not, please take a look at the display from Iowa Interfaith Power & Light in the South Hallway on how you can sign-up to compost with the City of Dubuque. Have questions? Find a Green Team member.

Dubuque Senior Center

Open Monday through Friday

10:30pm to 12:30pm

St. Matthews Church, 1780 White St.

Enter through the alley behind St. Matthews



The Dubuque Senior Center serves a hot lunch every day. It is recommended you reserve your meal in advance by calling before noon on the previous day. Patrons over 60 may leave a donation while those under 60 pay \$8.28. For more information call:

Colleen at 563-543-7065

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>February 4, 2018</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>February 4, 2018</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Gary & Kathy Reid
Ushers	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Gary & Kathy Reid
Acolyte	Sara Albert	—
Children's Time	Pastor Chuck Layton	Pastor Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Sue Hattel	Ruth Veley
Liturgist	Sue Hattel	Keith Cook
Communion Steward	Sue Hattel	Lori Boughton
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart	R.R.S. Stewart
Slides	Susan McGovern	Susan McGovern
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Matthew Hull
Videographer	John Hessler	—
Worship Driver	—	Rich Young
	Saturday, February 3	Saturday, February 10
Bread Run	Michael Rusch & Marcia Young	Mike & Cheri Loveless
Food for the Soul	Team 10	Team 11

Music Directors

St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe

Chancel Choir — Roxanne Rollefson

Bell Choir Director — David Patterson

Word on the Third Praise Team — Roxanne Rollefson

Lead Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland

Children's Music — Heather Williams

Chimers — Larry Loeppeke

Wind Ensemble coordinator — Sue Hattel

Pianist/Organist: Sylvia Ward