

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>Jan. 17, 2016</u> @ 8:30 a.m.	<u>Jan. 17, 2016</u> @ 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Margie Breese	Coni Stephenson, Ruth Veley, Nicole Beau, Cheri Loveless
Acolytes	Sara Albert	B. Beau, S. Stephenson
Liturgist	Susan McGovern	WOT
Ushers	Margie Breese	Coni Stephenson, Ruth Veley, Nicole Beau, Cheri Loveless
Children's Time		
Chimer	Heather Williams	Heather Williams
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Matt Hull
Announcements/Slides	Matt Hull	N/A
Videographer	Ron Liskey	N/A
Organist/Pianist	Dr. Jeremy Mims	WOT
Worship Driver	N/A	Mike Loveless
Offering Depositor	Sue Lane	Ric Jones
Communion Steward	Deb Albert	Lori Boughton
	Saturday, Jan. 16	Saturday, Jan. 23
Bread Run	Jacobsen/Sanders	McGovern
Food for the Soul	Team 10—Beacham	Team 11—Mahan

Music Directors:

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

Lead Organists/Pianists:

Dr. Charles Barland Helen Johnston

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 Rev. Dr. Okitakoyi Lundula
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 Jessica DuBord
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Custodian
 Caprice Jones

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January 17, 2016

2nd Sunday After the Epiphany

Human Relations Day

10:45 a.m. Word on the Third

St. Luke's—Celebrating 182 Years



St. Luke's United Methodist Church Vision

Welcoming All . . .

Caring . . . Serving . . . Growing

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

(Please note: 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. Thank you!)

** Denotes the invitation to stand if able.*

Walking Music/Prelude

Praise Team

Opening Song

* “Whom Shall I Fear”

by Lincoln Brewster

Announcements / Welcome Friends and Visitors / Passing the Peace of Christ

* “Holy is the Lord”

by Chris Tomlin

* “At Your Name”

by Phil Wickham

* “This Is Amazing Grace”

by Phil Wickham

Celebrate Our Gifts/Tithes/Offerings

“Yours Will Be (The Only Name)”

by Big Daddy Weave

“This is Where Children Belong”

FWS 2233

Children’s Time

“Jesus Loves Me”

UMH 191



Human Relations Day

Today, Sunday, January 17, is **Human Relations Day**. Offerings on this Sunday strengthen outreach to communities in the United States and Puerto Rico, encourage social justice and work with at-risk youth, and help to build community across all races and peoples. These gifts are a wonderful way a way to fulfill Jesus’ words in Matthew 25: “Whenever you did one of these things to someone overlooked or ignored, that was me—you did it to me.”

Jesus Fund Update

Thank you for your generosity to the Jesus Fund! In December, 2015, donations totaled \$630 and assisted 19 families, including 23 adults and 60 children. Included in the donation total are 41 \$10 gift cards from Matthew 25 funds. The average December disbursement per person was \$7.47 and all was for food. We continue to operate with very few surplus funds. All help is greatly appreciated.

Welcome New Members



The St. Luke’s family is very excited to welcome the following new members during our January 24 worship services:

8:30 Chris Raker Dave Ament

10:45 Rob Williams Nicole Beau

Terrific Tuesdays

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

Jan. 19 — Dodge Street HyVee Starbucks

Jan. 26 — 8:30 Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 Prayer Shawls (church parlor)

Feb. 2 — Panera Bread

Feb. 16 — Asbury HyVee Starbucks

Feb. 23 — 8:30 Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 Prayer Shawls (church parlor)

News from the Grant Ministry Team

Matthew 25 Grant

An application was submitted for an October 1st deadline and **we’ve been awarded \$4,380 for 2016**. Our Matthew 25 grant provides funds for, among other things, healthy snacks, the purchase of fresh fruits and vegetables, a monthly grocery or personal care item, transportation to a shelter, medical appointment or job interview, winter coats for those in need, and financial support for enrichment opportunities in the arts for Prescott students.

Sustainable Dubuque Grant

A grant application was submitted for the October 1st selection round and we didn’t receive funding. However, we were encouraged to edit and resubmit the application for the next deadline on January 1st and we’re awaiting news about this application. Funding would help support our wading pool garden ministry as well as the encouragement and facilitation of edible landscapes for churches and other institutions. Edible landscapes are a growing initiative to enhance our climate and utilize small spaces to produce local food.

Elk’s Lodge Donation

Although not a grant requiring application, we are grateful to be awarded a **donation of \$750 to the St. Luke’s account at St. Stephen’s Food Bank**. This will be used to purchase healthy food items for Food for the Soul as well as for our emergency food supply. If you know of an Elk’s Club member, please don’t hesitate to express our gratitude!

2016 Fabulous Friday Concerts
12:05-12:35 p.m.

January 2016

- Jan 8** St. Luke's Varietals
- Jan 15** Dr. Sang-In Han & Dr. Sharon Jensen
- Jan 22** Jill Klinebriel with Kristen Eby, Craig Allen & David Resnick
- Jan 29** Jill Heitzman & Dr. Thomas Dickey

February 2016 (cont)

- Feb 19** Univ. of Dubuque Chamber Singers
- Univ. of Dubuque Wind Ensemble
- Feb 26** St. Luke's Varietals (Ann Duchow, Andrea Beacham, David Patterson)

March 2016

- Mar 4** Dubuque Fiddlers/40 Flying Fingers
- Mar 11** Dubuque Sr. High School Jazz Combo
- Mar 18** Upper Main Street Jazz (Ric Jones)

February 2016

- Feb 5** Rebecca Christian, Kate Thompson & Nick Thompson
- Feb 12** Clarke Collegiate Chorus & Strings

**Leadership Recognition/
Introduction**

On behalf of the Nomination Committee, let us thank all of our church officers and leaders whose terms ended in 2015, all who have agreed to serve a second term, and all the new officers. May God bless them all for their input and commitment to serve the church.

Let us also take this opportunity to welcome our new leaders and chairpersons:

- Lay Leader: Mark Tilson
- Finance Committee Chairperson: Erick Kephart
- Spiritual Growth Ministry Area: Nancy Helssler
- Conference and Global Mission: Otto Krueger
- Neighborhood Outreach: John Hessler
- Celebration & Worship Co-Chair: Sue Hattel

Now that Cathy has officially retired, email from Danielle in the office will come from either **St. Luke's Office** or **Danielle Phillips**. Make sure to watch your inbox and don't let important church info end up in your spam folder or trash!



**ST. LUKE'S LEADERSHIP
TRAINING**
January 24 12 pm—3pm

Who should come to the Leadership Event on Sunday, January 24? *All members* of administrative committees, *everyone* participating in small group ministries, and *anyone else* who's interested! Everyone in the church leads in some way . . . so everyone is invited!

A light lunch will be served following the 10:45 am worship service, so please RSVP to Danielle in the office so we can have a count. Rev. Dr. Barrie Tritle will convene our event, so you won't want to miss it! We plan to begin after lunch at 12:45 pm and end by 3:00 pm. There will be time for all participants to work together in small groups and do some planning. Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Sharing of Our Joys and Concerns

Community in Prayer

Teaching Through Scripture

1 Corinthians 12:1-11
 John 2:1-11

Teaching Through the Message

“Activated by One Spirit”

Pastor Lundula

Response to the Word

* “Spirit Song”

by John Wimber

***Benediction**

** You are dismissed after the benediction

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

Upcoming Events for Week of Jan. 17—Jan. 24

Sunday, Jan. 17—Human Relations Day

8:30 a.m.	Worship Prelude
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 a.m.	Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
10:45 a.m.	Worship Prelude — Word on the Third

Monday, Jan. 18—MLK Day — Office Closed

8:00 a.m.	Chimes Info Deadline
4:30 p.m.	Care & Compassion
5:30 p.m.	Grant Ministry Team Meeting

Tuesday, Jan. 19

9:30 a.m.	Terrific Tuesday — Dodge Street HyVee Starbucks
6:00 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
6:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts in Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, Jan. 20

5:00 p.m.	Wonderful Wednesday
6:00 p.m.	Confirmation

Thursday, Jan. 21

10:00 a.m.	Bible Study
6:00 p.m.	Kaleidoscope
6:00 p.m.	Nomination Committee Meeting

Friday, Jan. 22

7:00 a.m.	Men's Worship
12:00 p.m.	Fabulous Friday — Jill Klinebriel, Kristen Eby

Saturday, Jan. 23

6:30 a.m.	Bread Run — McGovern
5:30 p.m.	Food for the Soul — Team 11 – Mahan
6:00 p.m.	Saturday Night Praise

Next Sunday, Jan. 24

8:30 a.m.	Worship Prelude
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 a.m.	Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
10:45 a.m.	Worship Prelude
12:00-3:00 p.m.	Leadership Training and Light Lunch



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns

Men & Women in Uniform & Their Families Our Homebound

John Duggan—Cancer has returned
Dave Fischer—Serious health issues
Bonnie Sanders' cousin, Erika—Brain tumor
Angela Osterkamp—Further tests & treatments
Terry Stewart's cousin, Stewart—Lung cancer
Kirstie Steging's brother, Michael—Lung cancer
The Crow Family—Matt's mother passed away
Denny Brimeyer's aunt, Loretta—Pneumonia
Coni Stephenson's aunt, Evelyn—Spinal fracture
The Reddings' brother-in-law, Larry—Back surgery
The Reddings' friend, Donna—Heart issues
Kathy Michel's friend, Gus—Car accident
Pearl Dubler's family—Pearl passed away
Bruce Liebold—Upcoming surgery
The Kephart Family—
 Erick's grandmother passed away

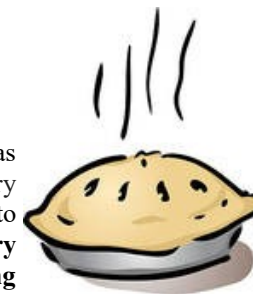


Fabulous Friday Desserts

Desserts are needed for Fellowship Hall gatherings following each Fabulous Friday concert. January 22 through March 18 still have slots available! Please sign up in South Hallway or call the church office at 563-582-4543.

All women are invited “**Out to Dinner**” at 6 pm on January 21 at the Bridge Restaurant, 31 Locust Street. We're planning an evening of fellowship and good food hosted by Kaleidoscope and Ruth Veley. Reservations NOT necessary; each guest will order off the menu and a private event room is reserved. **Please come out with us!**

National Pie Day at River Lights Bookstore



The National Pie Council has declared Saturday, January 23rd National Pie Day, so to celebrate the occasion **Mary Purdy will be serving homemade pie on January 23rd at River Lights bookstore** on behalf of St. Luke's Church. Each customer who buys a book will be offered a piece of pie. If you don't need books yourself, consider buying a children's book and donating it, either to St. Luke's or to an area school or preschool. Share this information, support our neighborhood bookstore and enjoy some homemade pie shared in love!

Weather-Related Cancellations

St. Luke's will make every effort to notify you of cancellations due to weather through the radio, TV (KCRG Ch. 9), St. Luke's Facebook page and email. If you haven't seen any notifications, you may call any of the following as a last resort:

Pastor Lundula 563-451-8114
 Dan Jacobsen 319-480-0921
 Sue Hattel 563-599-4497
 Paul Clark 563-590-0158
 Jessica DuBord 563-564-7366

A donation was made to the Heifer Fund in memory of Iris & Franklin Iddings by Steven & Kathy Lamb, Rebecca & William Price, Larry & Becky Iddings, Jeremiah & Lorinda Lamb and Lauren & Daniel Ernst.

Ministry Opportunity Still Available!

Join the Saturday morning Bread Run Group! Spend 90 minutes once every 6 weeks to provide breads and desserts for our Saturday Night Ministries. Please contact Marcia Young at 563-580-9650 or Dan Jacobsen at 319-480-0921.