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January 28, 2018

4th Sunday after Epiphany

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

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 "When in They Temple I May Serve Thee" by A. Freyer
Sylvia Ward, organ

Introit "Ascribe to the Lord" by Dan Edwards
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

10:45 Prelude "Rigaudon" arr. Martha Lynn Thompson
JuBELLation Ringers; David Patterson, director by André Campra

Lighting of the Candles: *Bringing the Light of Christ Into Our Worship*
Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

*** Called to Worship**

* Opening Hymn "More Like You" TFWS 2167

* Opening Prayer

In these days when it is so important to be right, reveal to us the deep wisdom of letting others be right. Share with us the power of the open hand, the generous heart. Free us from fear of failure that tightens our muscles and hardens our opinions. Let us be glad when others are successful, and wash away from us all pridefulness and envy so that we may rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep, and celebrate each person's triumph as though it were our own; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Called to Community

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233
Children's Time Pastor Chuck Layton
"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

8:30 Anthem "When the Angels' Song Is Silent" by Mary Kay Beall
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

10:45 Anthem "Breath of God" by Sheldon Curry
Chancel Choir; Chris Kohlmann, flute;
Dr. Chuck Barland, piano; Roxanne Rollefson, director

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

Called to Reflection

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20
Psalter Reading: Psalm 111 (with sung response 2) UMH 832
New Testament Reading: 1 Corinthians 8: 1-13
Gospel Reading: Mark 1: 21-28
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Message “Knowledge Puffs Up, But Love Builds Up” Pastor Chuck Layton

Hymn “Help Us Accept Each Other” UMH 560

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

8:30 Offertory “I’d Rather Have Jesus” by George Beverly Shea
Sylvia Ward, piano arr. Don Wyrzten

10:45 Offertory “Ring for Joy” by Douglas E. Wagner
JuBELLation Ringers; David Patterson, director

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

Prayer of Dedication

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

* Hymn “May You Run and Not Be Weary” TFWS 2281

*** Benediction**

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8:30 * Music from the Tower Chime (*please stand*)
Postlude “London” from *Symphony No. 104 in D Major* by F. J. Haydn
Sylvia Ward, organ (1st movement excerpt)

10:45 Postlude and Music from the Tower Chime (*please be seated*)
Postlude “Prelude and Fugue in C Major” by J. S. Bach
Dr. Chuck Barland, 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 January 28 - February 4

Sunday, January 28

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Adult 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 Handbells in the Sanctuary

Monday, January 29 — No Events

Tuesday, January 30

9:30 am	Terrific Tuesday at Big Apple Bagels
5:30 pm	Invitation & Welcome Meeting in the Conference Room
6:30 pm	Worship & Celebration Meeting in the Conference Room

Wednesday, January 31

5:00 pm	Wonderful Wednesday meal, activities, & rehearsals
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Thursday, February 1

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Parlor
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Friday, February 2

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 3

6:30 am	Bread Run — Michael Rusch & Marcia Young
5:30 pm	Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 10
6:00 pm	Saturday Night Praise with Communion in the Fellowship Hall

Next Sunday, February 4

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Adult 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
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Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families
Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers
Barbara Egbert (Rollefson's sister) - hospice
Todd Halverson - passed away
 (Brimeyer's brother-in-law's son)
Jack Dobbert (Coni Stephenson's uncle) - health

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

Upcoming Worship Services

- Feb 4** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion
- Feb 11** **Transfiguration Sunday**
8:30 a.m. Worship Service
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.



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 10:45 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!

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

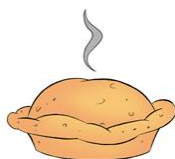
for February 4, 2018



"Take and Bake Pizza" proceeds help support our Mountain T.O.P. youth group. We'll feature **16 inch pizzas** including:

Cheese Pizza (\$12) Pepperoni Pizza (\$14.50)
Sausage Pizza (\$14.50) Combination Pizza (\$16)
& Homemade cookie dough (\$5)

St. Luke's youth will make the pizzas Saturday, February 3. Pizzas and cookie dough will be ready for pick up downstairs after both services on Sunday, February 4th. **Order yours today in the South Hall!**



National Pie Day
River Lights Bookstore
Saturday, January 27th
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

On January 27th, on behalf of St. Luke's, each customer purchasing a book at River Lights Bookstore will receive a free piece of homemade pie made by Mary Purdy. Please come and participate in this annual, festive event! Consider purchasing one for our fellowship hall reading corner for our young Food for the Soul guests. This year we may collect enough books to give one to each of our little guests to take home. Ask Sue Davis or other staff for recommendations. Mark your calendars! More info at www.riverlights.indielite.org

Terrific Tuesdays

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



- Jan 30** Big Apple Bagels
- 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

Fabulous Friday Dessert Sign-up

Fabulous Fridays are here, and we need help with desserts! Ideally we will have a minimum of four desserts for 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: "Nancy Drew, Girl Detective" presented by Laurinda Brimeyer. *Bring a "Nancy Drew" book from your home library to share if you desire! Co-hosts: Ruth Clark and Laurinda. Enter door under the porch canopy and street parking.

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





Human Trafficking Awareness Month

January is Human Trafficking Awareness Month. Human Trafficking is a form of modern slavery that occurs in every state, including Iowa and is a felony under Iowa law. On Wednesday, January 17, Iowa Governor Kim Reynolds declared January as Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention and Awareness Month. Human trafficking is close to home... reported in Dubuque and the tri-state area, Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Sioux City, and Davenport to name a few. If persons observe human trafficking, they are urged to call the National Human Trafficking Hotline at 1-888-373-7888.

4th Annual Tri-State Local Food Summit



**Saturday, February 10th
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Sinsinawa Mound, WI**

As St. Luke's Green Team promotes food justice, we would like to invite you to this food summit, an opportunity to learn more about how we can all observe ecological food practices. Find flyers on the table in the south hallway, or find more information and register at: <https://www.sinsinawa.org/moundcenter/event/tri-state-local-food-summit/> by February 2nd or call 608.748.4411 ex 811. \$25 (scholarships available).

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

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.

Emmaus Reunion

**Thursday February 1, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.
Grace Point Church, 3100 Windsor Ave.**

Reunite with your Emmaus Community, and welcome our new candidates with prayer, fellowship, and celebration of God's love, and the spirit of Christ in ourselves and in one another.



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

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.

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>January 28, 2018</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>January 28, 2018</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Betty Phillips, Margie Breese	Gary Reid, Cindy Folsom
Ushers	Margie Breese, Sue Hattel	Gary Reid, Cindy Folsom
Acolyte	Sara Albert	—
Children's Time	Pastor Chuck Layton	Pastor Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Scott Zartman	Kathy McWethy
Liturgist	Lynn Kerker	Dan Jacobsen
Communion Steward	—	—
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	Heather Williams	Heather Williams
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Chris Kohlmann	Paul Clark
Videographer	Bobby Martin	—
Worship Driver	—	Dan Jacobsen
	Saturday, January 27	Saturday, February 3
Bread Run	Hull family	Michael Rusch & Marcia Young
Food for the Soul	Team 9	Team 10

Music Directors

St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe

Chancel Choir — Roxanne Rollefson

Bell Choir Director — David Patterson

Word on the Third — Roxanne Rollefson

Lead Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland

Children's Music — Heather Williams

Chimers — Larry Loeppeke

Wind Ensemble coordinator — Sue Hattel

Pianist/Organist: Sylvia Ward