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# St. Luke's

## **United Methodist Church**

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## January 29, 2017 4th Sunday After Epiphany

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

St. Luke's—Celebrating 183 Years





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

8:30 Prelude Dr. Jeremy Mims, organ

10:45 Prelude Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

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

## \* Called to Worship

\* Opening Hymn "Blest Are They" TFWS 2155

God of blessing, we are so glad to worship you today. You are worthy of all honor and glory, and so, help us to turn every thought word and deed into praise. Enliven us with your Holy Spirit. Guide us to turn from everything that separates us from you, and strengthen us with all your means of grace, so that our very lives become your praise. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus. Amen.

## **Called to Community**

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

8:30 Choir Anthem "O God, We Do Exalt Your Name" by Lloyd Larson

St. Luke's Singers; Keith Rippe, Director

10:45 Choir Anthem "Wings of Your Love" Words by Joseph Martin
Chancel Choir; Dr. Jeremy Mims, Director Music by Patti Drennan

#### Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

<sup>\*</sup> Opening Prayer (in unison)

8:30 Offertory Dr. Jeremy Mims, organ

10:45 Offertory Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

\*Offering Response "We Give Thee But Thine Own" (from 1966 UMH, #181)

We give thee but thine own, Whate'er the gift may be: All that we have is thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

Prayer of Dedication

#### Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

UMH 895

#### Called to Reflection

Old Testament Reading: Micah 6: 1-8

Psalm 15 (with response sung where there is a red "R") UMH page 747

New Testament Reading: 1 Corinthians 1: 18-31 \*Gospel Reading: Matthew 5: 1-12 \*And all God's people said: Thanks be to God!

Message "Just, Kind, Humble" Pastor Chuck

### Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

\* Sending Hymn "Lord, You Give the Great Commission" verses 1, 2, 5 UMH 584

### \* Benediction

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

Postlude Dr. Jeremy Mims, organ

10:45 Postlude (please be seated)

Music from the Tower Chime (please be seated)

Postlude (full) 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 Jan 29th - Feb 5th

#### Sunday, January 29

8:30 am 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 Worship Service in the Sanctuary

Monday, January 30

Evening Fundraiser at the Pizza Ranch, 2020 Radford Road

Tuesday, January 31

9:30 am Terrific Tuesday at Big Apple Bagels 6:00 pm Finance Meeting in the Conference Room

Wednesday, February 1

4:50 pm Wonderful Wednesday meal, activities, and rehearsal

6:30 pm Trustees Meeting in the Conference Room

Thursday, February 2

10:00 am Bible Study in the Wesley Room

Friday, February 3

7:00 am Men's Worship in the Sanctuary

12:05 pm Fabulous Friday Concert in the Sanctuary (Desserts in the Fellowship Hall afterwards)

Saturday, February 4

6:30 am Bread Run — Dan Jacobsen & Steve Sanders

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, February 5

8:30 am 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 Worship Service in the Sanctuary



## Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Men & Women in Uniform, & Their Families Our Homebound

Family of Shirley Ring — passed away

Eda Lee Bounds (Susan McGovern's mother)

— recovering from back surgery

Betty Farcas (Laura Carsten's mother)

— fell, hospitalized

Arnold Van Etten — recovering from surgery Aaron Pacholke (Bonnie Sander's friend)

— hit by car, hospitalized

Family of George Sinn (Susan Funke's father)

— passed away

**Family of Ardeth Kirschbaum** — passed away **Edie Bruehahn** — hospitalized

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

## **Upcoming Worship Services**

**Feb 5th** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services **Feb 12th** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. **UMW Sunday** 

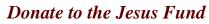
Worship Services led by Methodist women

**Feb 19th** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services

Feb 26th 8:30 a.m. Sunday Worship Service

Feb 26th 10:45 a.m. Mardi Gras Jazz Service Mar 1st Ash Wednesday

Every Saturday: 6:00pm Saturday Night Praise



Our "Jesus Fund" Ministry helps people in need pay for groceries with vouchers to Eagles grocery. Donations can be given in envelopes in the offering plate, labeled "Jesus Fund."

## Fabulous Friday Dessert Sign-up

We still need desserts for February's and March's Fabulous Friday receptions. Please sign up in the South Hall.



## Terrific Tuesdays

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

Jan 31 Big Apple Bagels

Feb 7 Starbucks at Dodge Hy-Vee

Feb 21 Starbucks at Asbury Hy-Vee

Feb 28 8:30am Breakfast at Village Inn 10:00am Sit & Knit in the Parlor

#### Wonderful Wed Meal

#### **Menu for February 1st:**

Brinner! Eggs, bacon, sausage, cinnamon rolls, hash browns, and quiche salad, fruit, and desserts.



Served **4:50-5:30pm**; \$6/person, \$15/family

#### **Fabulous Fridays Music Series 2017**

Helen Johnston Memorial Season Fridays 12:05 - 12:35 p.m. (Through April 7, 2017)

Join us on Fabulous Fridays in our 26th year! After performances, folks bring their lunch and enjoy time together afterwards in the Fellowship Hall, where coffee and desserts are available. **Free event, donations welcome.** Street parking. Accessible entry in the alley. Winter weather cancellations only occur if artists cannot attend.

**February 3rd:** Craig Allen, vocal;

Carrie Greer, vocal

**February 10th:** The Dubuque Fiddlers

Ann Duchow, director

February 17th: U of Dubuque Chamber Singers

Kristen Eby, conductor

**February 24th:** St. Luke's Performers: Julie Gross & Sue Hattel, clarinet; Jill Heitzman, soprano; Dr. Chuck Barland, organ; Ora Uzel, piano

March 3rd: Clarke University Choir &

Orchestra; Dr. Jeremy Mims, dir.

**March 10th:** Hempstead HS Penn Ave Singers

Teresa Slade, conductor

## **Wartburg College Castle Singers**

Dr. Nicki Bakko Toliver, conductor February 11, 2017 at 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary — St. Luke's UMC



Wartburg College Castle Singers, will present a concert at St. Luke's as part of their 2017 National Tour. The performance will

also feature the Wartburg Kammerstreicher [ensemble], directed by Dr. Jacob Tews. A free-will donation will be collected to support scholar-ships and future tours. Wartburg College is dedicated to challenging and nurturing students for lives of leadership and service as a spirited expression of their faith and learning.

Housing for 30 students is needed. Please contact Jeremy at: jeremy\_mims@clarke.edu to help out with housing.

## 4:12 Youth Fundraiser

Monday January 30th, 2017 Pizza Ranch 2020 Radford Road



Join us for a night of food and fun to help raise funds for our Dare2Share "Unshakeable Tour" Student Conference to be held in March.



Super Bowl Sunday Pizza
Pickup your Take and Bake pizzas on
Sunday February 5th, 2017!

## **Call for Technology Volunteers**

We need volunteers! We need people to record a service once a month and to make the DVDs for this ministry. The church provides the equipment and the training. Contact Bobby Martin or the church office to volunteer.

If you would like to volunteer to run the audio and projector during the service, please contact Paul Clark or the church office.



**Busy Bees** — In 2016 the Busy Bees made and donated **27 comforter quilts** for Hillcrest Family Services, **4 lap quilts** for "Thinking of You" visits at Christmas, and **4 baby quilts** for St. Lukers' newborns. **Thank you** to the Busy Bees and to individuals who have supported this ministry.

**January 31** — UMW Executive meeting at 6:30 p.m. at St. Luke's.

**February 16** — **Kaleidoscope** invites all interested to an enjoyable evening at Bethany Home at 1005 Lincoln Ave. at 7:00 p.m. Hostesses: Ruth Clark and Laurinda Brimeyer. Program: "**Historic Dubuque.**" Enter through the main door on the front porch!

April 21 — Rummage Sale! SAVE the DATE!!



## Mardi Gras Jazz Service & Mardi Gras Luncheon

Sunday, February 26, 2017 10:45am Worship Cajun Luncheon Follows

For more than 20 years, St. Luke's has held a Mardi Gras service with jazz music and a meal following the 10:45am service before Ash Wednesday. Chef Matt Crow and assistant Brittney Drake will be preparing a great lunch with Cajun and non-Cajun options. Donations needed: corn bread, pecan pie, and pineapple upside down cake. Help will also be needed in the kitchen and dining room for food prep Sat Feb 25 9am to Noon, and with setup, serving, and cleanup Sunday. Signup sheets will be located on the long table in the South hallway. Invite your friends and neighbors to this day of celebration and fellowship! All are welcome!!

## **Iowa United Methodist Advocacy Day**

February 7, 2017 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Des Moines (see below)



The Iowa Conference UMW and the Iowa Conference UM Legislative Advocacy Team are sponsoring an **Advocacy Day.** 

The morning will be spent at **Wesley UMC**, **800 E. 12**<sup>th</sup> **Street** in **Des Moines.** For those who are able to arrive earlier, there will be a Prayer Breakfast with Bishop Laurie from 7:30-8:30 am. Discussion topics will center on mental health, quality water and medical care of those in poverty. **Lunch** will be provided for a freewill donation. The group will then move to the **Iowa State Capitol Building** in order to talk with legislators. Watch IAUMC.org for additional details.

**Reservations are required. Send to**: Rita Carter at 515-979-0605 or ritaac@mchsi.com or to Brian Carter at: briancar@dwx.com or at 515-979-5775.

## Lectionary Bible Study Thursdays at 10 a.m.



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

Iowa Interfaith Power & Light Green Team Training Sunday February 19, 2017 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sisters of the Presentation 2360 Carter Road



St. Luke's Green Team and anyone else interested is invited to attend a free Green Team training. The event will be hosted by the new Dubuque Chapter of Iowa Interfaith Power and Light (IIPL). St. Luke's is a supporting member of the chapter, with our offering taken in November last year to support our membership commitment.

## Pre-registration is required. Register at:

http://iowaipl.org/act/register-events For more info: www.iowaipl.org

## Red Basket Project

The response to the Red Basket Program is supportive and need has been verified by the number of packs of menstrual supplies taken. Some donations have been placed in the red basket on the table in the hallway. We are dependent on your donations. To support this project, either leave cash or check in the office labeled for the Red Basket Project or donate any of the following:

Tampons: Junior, Regular, Super

**Pantiliners:** Always Thin Pantiliners, any brand medium or heavy absorbency pantiliner, any brand heavy absorbency pantiliner



## **Items Needed for the Food Pantry**

**Food items:** soups, tuna, pasta, peanut butter/jelly, canned meats, canned potatoes. **Baby items:** formula, diapers, lotion/powder. **Other items:** Dish soap, laundry soap, paper products, personal hygiene products.

Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart.











### **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:

KRCG 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

## **Our Worship Specialists**

	January 29, 2017 8:30 a.m.	<u>January 29, 2017</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Sue Hattel & Betty Phillips	Gary & Kathy Reid
Ushers	Sue Hattel & Betty Phillips	Gary & Kathy Reid
Acolyte	Sara Albert	Sara Albert
Children's Time	Mark Beard	Mark Beard
Offering Depositor	Scott Zartman	Kathy McWethy
Liturgist	Nancy Hessler	Rev. Robert Armstrong
<b>Communion Steward</b>	NA	NA
Organist/Pianist	Dr. Jeremy Mims	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	Heather Williams	Heather Williams
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Paul Clark
Videographer	Bobby Martin	-
Worship Driver	-	Dan Jacobsen
	Saturday, January 28	Saturday, February 4
Bread Run	Mike & Cheri Loveless	Dan Jacobsen & Steve Sanders
Food for the Soul	Team 6	Team 7

## **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 Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland