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March 31, 2019
Fourth Sunday in Lent
UMCOR Sunday
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services

St. Luke's — Celebrating 186 Years
1833-2019



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 "Grace Greater Than Our Sins" tune by Daniel B. Towner
Sylvia Ward, organ arr. James Pethel

10:45 Prelude "Goodness is Stronger than Evil" setting by Ronald A. Nelson
Dr. Charles Barland, organ

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

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Called to Worship

Time for Reflection Invitation and Welcome Team

* Call to Worship:

One heart, one Spirit, one voice to praise you,

We are the body of Christ

One goal, one vision: to see you exalted.

We are the body of Christ.

And to this we give our lives

To see you glorified.

One heart, one Spirit, one voice to praise you,

We are the body of Christ

(from "We Are the Body of Christ" TFWS 2227)

* Hymn "Goodness Is Stronger than Evil" TFWS 2219

Called to Community

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233

Children's Time

"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

8:30 Special Music "O Divine Redeemer!" Charles Gounod
Sylvia Ward, piano trans. By Rob Roy Peery

10:45 Anthem "My Life Flows On (How Can I Keep From Singing)" Robert Lowry
Chancel Choir; Than Chesher, director

Called to Prayer

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

UMH 895

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

8:30 Offertory "You Are My All in All" by Dennis Jernigan
Sylvia Ward, piano arr. Mark Hayes

10:45 Offertory "Solemn Melody" by John S. Dixon
Dr. Charles Barland, organ

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

Prayer of Dedication

Called to Reflection

Epistle Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 16-21
Psalter Reading: Psalm 32 (*sung response*) UMH 766
* Gospel Reading: Luke 15: 1-3, 11b-32
And all God's people said: Thanks be to God!

Message "The Painful Delight of Reconciliation" Pastor Chuck

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

* Hymn "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" TFWS 2223

*** Benediction**

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8:30 * Music from the Tower Chime (*please remain standing*)
Postlude "Processional No. 2 in D major" by A. Renaud
Sylvia Ward, organ

10:45 Postlude and Music from the Tower Chime (*please be seated*)
Postlude "Trumpet Tune" by Nicholas Bowden
Dr. Charles 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 March 31 - April 7

Sunday, March 31 — UMCOR Sunday

8:30 am Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School (*see flyers in the hall for classes and locations*)
9:30-10:45 am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am Worship Service in the Sanctuary
12:00 pm Mountain T.O.P. Meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Monday, April 1

8:00 am Chimes Newsletter Deadline
1:00 pm Busy Bees quilting in the Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, April 2

9:30 am Terrific Tuesday at Caribou Coffee
5:30 pm Invitation & Welcome Meeting in the Conference Room

Wednesday, April 3

5:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday meal, children's activities, and rehearsals
6:30 pm Trustees Meeting in the Conference Room

Thursday, April 4

8:30 am Rummage Sale Sorting in the Fellowship Hall (*volunteers needed*)
No Bible Study

Friday, April 5

7:00 am Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
8:00 am Rummage Sale in the Fellowship Hall
1:00 pm Rummage Sale Clean-up in the Fellowship Hall (*volunteers needed*)

Saturday, April 6

6:30 am Bread Run — Margie Breese, Marcia Young
5:30 pm Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Lange family
6:00 pm Saturday Night Praise in the Wesley Room

Next Sunday, April 7

8:30 am Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School (*see flyers in the hall for classes and locations*)
9:30-10:45 am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am Worship Service with Communion & Handbell Choir in the Sanctuary

Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns

Those in Uniform & Their Families

Our Homebound & Those at Care Centers

Mary (Judy Schmidt's aunt) - hospitalized, heart

Michelle Young - broken ankle
(Sarah Jo Redding's friend)

Terrie Berry - health issues

Marvin Kingery - lung cancer, care facility
(Janet Busch's brother)

Betty Phillips - knee replacement

Avery Abney - recovering from heart surgery
(Rich & Marcia Young's grandson)

Jim Brimmer - leg pain, cancer treatments
(Brimeyer's cousin)

Joanie Steffy - recovering from surgery
(friend of Sarah Jo Redding)

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com
Prayers are listed for two weeks in the bulletin.
Prayers are listed for four weeks in the Chimes,
unless specified as *ongoing*.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Apr 7** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion
- Apr 14** **Palm Sunday**
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- Apr 18** **Holy Thursday**
7:00 p.m. Worship Service
- Apr 19** **Good Friday**
11:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Community Worship Service
- Apr 21** **Easter Sunday**
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion, Choirs, more...
- Saturday Night Praise — Every Saturday**
6:00 p.m. Praise Service in the Wesley Room

Sunday School Schedule

Sundays at 9:30 a.m.



Preschool to 1st Grade - Room 202
2nd to 5th Grades — Room 204
Middle School & High School — Room 201
Nesters (parents) — Wesley Room
Families & Faith (adults) — Fellowship Hall

St. Luke's Safety Team Needs You

St. Luke's Safety Team is in need of volunteers. We are in need of 15 adults to serve during Sunday and other larger gatherings in various capacities to be able to enact St. Luke's safety policy. It is a safety committee not a security committee. Please consider helping keep St. Luke's safe.

Contact: Gary Reid: 582-9811



Terrific Tuesdays

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

- Apr 2** Caribou Coffee
- Apr 16** Starbucks at the Asbury Hy-Vee
- Apr 23** 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 a.m. Sit & Knit in Parlor
- Apr 30** Convivium Urban Farmstead

Mountain T.O.P. Meeting

Today, March 31, 2019
After 2nd service ~ 12:00 p.m.
Fellowship Hall



Easter Lilies

Deadline: Sunday April 7th
Order in the South Hall

Beautiful white lilies may now be ordered in honor of or in memory of a loved one for the sanctuary on Easter Sunday. Lilies are **\$15 each**. They will have gold foil, white bows, and ordered from White's Florist.

Wonderful Wednesday Meal

April 3rd: Chicken picatta over pasta

Meals served at 5:00 p.m.
\$5 per person, \$15 per family.



Dubuque Arboretum Spring Clean-ups

Two Saturdays:
April 13th & April 20th
9:00 a.m. to Noon



Grab a friend and help us prepare the gardens for summer! Free lunch for all volunteers. Please call in advance so we know how much lunch to make.

RSVP: 563-556-2100

UMW Spring Rummage Sale

Friday, April 5th

8:00 - 11:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Main Sale \$3 Bag Sale

The annual UMW Spring Rummage Sale will be Friday, April 5, from 8:00-11:30 a.m. The Bag Sale will be 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m., with all you can fit in a provided bag for \$3. Also available for purchase this year will be **colorful wreaths and home décor items**. Proceeds from this sale go to mission work here in Dubuque and overseas. Thank you for your support.

Items for the sale may be brought to the church and placed in the Wesley Room. Please do not leave anything in the hallway. No furniture.

Volunteers are needed for sorting and clean-up afterwards. A sign up sheet is in the south Hall.



Mountain T.O.P. Fundraiser

Thursday, April 18, 2019
4:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Texas Roadhouse
(in front of Kennedy Mall)

Support the Mountain T.O.P. youth mission trip by presenting an invitation sheet — available on the back table in the sanctuary or in bulletins April 7 & 14 — to Texas Roadhouse (845 Wacker Dr, Dubuque, IA) and Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food purchases to St. Luke's Mountain T.O.P. mission trip.

Make this part of your Holy Thursday night!



St. Luke's UMC
United Methodist Women
FAITH · HOPE · LOVE IN ACTION

Busy Bees

April 1st, 2019 at 1:00 p.m. - Fellowship Hall
Dessert, devotions, quilts. Host: Marcia Young.

Spring Rummage Sale

Needed: Clean usable **donations**.

Sorting: April 4 at 8:30 a.m. **Volunteers needed.**

Sale: April 5 - 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Cleanup: Volunteer "**hands**" needed during the sale **and** at 1:00 p.m. (light lunch provided).

Thank you

Thank you to SPPRC for the breakfast in my honor last Sunday, as well as the picture book that was given to me which highlighted some beautiful memories I had at St. Luke's. Also, thank you for the prayer shawl I received from the Sit and Knit women.

— Rachel Potter

thank
you!

Folding Angels Needed

Our administrative assistant, Ora, is in need of people to help fold bulletins and newsletters.

- **Newsletters** are folded **every other Wednesday** (2/20, 3/6...) **before 4:30 p.m.** to make it into the mail. January through March we also fold Fabulous Friday programs on Wednesdays.
- **Bulletins** are folded **every Friday afternoon**, though we could arrange for Saturdays.

If you're able to help, especially if on a regular basis, please contact Ora at:

(563) 582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com



Red Basket Project

The Red Basket Project was created to provide women and girls with access to free feminine hygiene products at sites throughout the city. St. Luke's is one of the sites. St. Luke's depends entirely on donations for this program.

Please consider donating funds or products to the red basket in the South Hall including:

Tampons: Junior, Regular, Super.

Pantiliners: Always Thin Pantiliners, or any brand medium or heavy absorbency pantiliners.



Children's Worship Bags

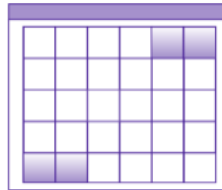
Can you spare a half hour each week to help prepare worship materials for St. Luke's kids? We are looking for someone interested in filling children's worship bags so children of all ages can feel engaged throughout the service. Please contact SPPRC or the church office if you are interested.



Lectionary Bible Study

Thursdays at 10am - Conf Room

Meet with Pastor Chuck to discuss scriptures for the upcoming Sunday.



St. Luke's Online

St. Luke's website includes the latest bulletin, Chimes newsletter, sermons, online calendar (the most up to date calendar at St. Luke's), Fabulous Fridays schedules, and more! Check it out!

www.stlukesumcdbq.com

Parking Spots Available



The church parking lot has two spots available (16 & 17) for rent at \$35 per month. Rental is for weekdays 8am to 5pm. If someone you know would like to rent a spot for weekdays, have them note their plate information and model, and contact the church office at:

563-582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com

Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Tuna, mac & cheese, rice, applesauce, ketchup, salt, brownie mix, sugar, ramen, graham crackers, toothpaste, deodorant, facial tissues, dish soap



Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart.

Living Last Supper

**Saturday, April 6, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. or
Sunday, April 7, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.**

Living Faith UMP, 702 S. Main, Monona, IA

The men of the Living Faith United Methodist Parish will be sharing the 31st annual "Living Last Supper Service." All are invited to attend this meaningful service!



Our Worship Specialists

	<u>March 31, 2019</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>March 31, 2019</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Joe & Kathy Lomax	Lori Boughton, Kathy Michel
Ushers	Joe & Kathy Lomax	Lori Boughton, Kathy Michel
Offering Collector	Nancy Hessler	Sharon Kress
Liturgist	Nancy Hessler	Cheri Loveless
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Charles Barland
Chimer	Heather Williams	Heather Williams
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Matthew Hull
Videographer	Bobby Martin	—
Worship Driver	—	Mike Loveless
	Saturday, March 30	Saturday, April 6
Bread Run	Dan Jacobsen, Steve Sanders	Margie Breese, Marcia Young
Food for the Soul	Team 4	Lange family

Music Directors

St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe

Chancel Choir — Than Chesher

Bell Choir Director — David Patterson

Word on the Third Praise Team — Than Chesher

Lead Organist: Dr. Charles Barland

Children's Music — Heather Williams

Chimers — R.R.S. Stewart

Wind Ensemble coordinator — Sue Hattel

Pianist/Organist: Sylvia Ward