

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>Sept. 20, 2015</u> @ 8:30 a.m.	<u>Sept. 20, 2015</u> @ 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Mike & Cheri Loveless Sharon Kress & Keith Cook
Liturgist	Nancy Hessler	WOT Praise Team Member
Ushers	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Mike & Cheri Loveless Sharon Kress & Keith Cook
Children's Time	Jessica DuBord	Jessica DuBord
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart	
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Matt Hull
Announcements/Slides	Matt Hull	Matt Hull
Videographer	Ron Liskey	
Organist/Pianist	Dr. Jeremy Mims	Praise Team
Worship Driver		Dan Jacobsen
Offering Depositor	Dan Jacobsen	Ric Jones
Communion Steward	N/A	N/A
	Saturday, Sept. 19	
Bread Run	Schrumpf Family	
Food for the Soul	Team 4 Brimeyer	

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/Pianist:

Dr. Charles Barland Helen Johnston

STAFF

Pastor
Rev. Dr. Okitakoyi Lundula
Children/Youth Ministry
Jessica DuBord
Administrative Asst.
Cathy Schlickman
Custodian
Caprice Jones

CHURCH COUNCIL

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Cheri Loveless

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Pastor Lundula

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Facilitators:
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Celebration & Worship
Morgan Frazer

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Marcia Dubbels

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Laurinda Brimeyer

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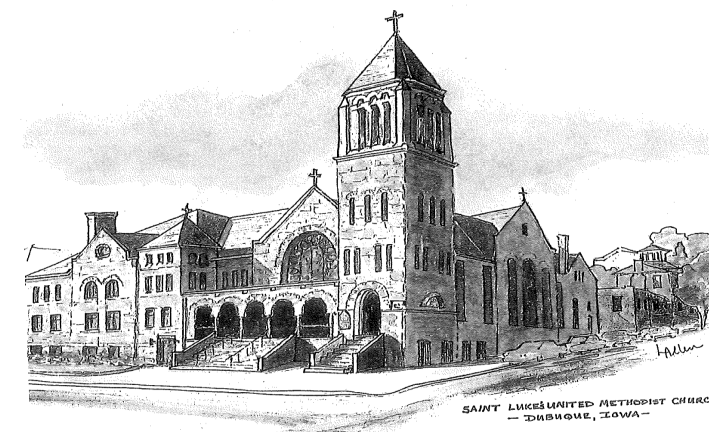
Ext 101 Admin. Asst.

Ext 102 Pastor

Ext 103 Youth Coordinator

Metered Street Parking on Week Days and Saturdays

Free Handicap & Street Parking on Sundays



Sept. 20, 2015

10:45 a.m. Word on the Third Worship Services

17th Sunday after Pentecost

St. Luke's—Celebrating 182 Years

(1833-2015)



Invitational ▪ Relational ▪ Missional

Spiritual ▪ Connectional

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors

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

Blessed Be Your Name

by Matt Redman

Announcements

Welcome Friends and Visitors

Passing the Peace of Christ

Holy Is the Lord

by Chris Tomlin

At Your Name

by Phil Wickham

Words of Comfort and Invocation Prayer

Praise Team

This Is Amazing Grace

by Phil Wickham

Celebration of our Tithes, Gifts, and Offering

Oceans

by Matt Crocker

Upcoming Events

- Sept. 20 Ushers/Greeters Training @ 10:15 a.m.
- Special Charge Conference @ 12:00 p.m.**
- Sept. 23 Acolyte Training 6:00-7:00 pm
- Sept. 26 Blessing of Pets @10:00 a.m.
- Oct. 4 CROP WALK
- Oct. 9 UMW Rummage Sale
- Oct. 25 Charge Conference ~ 4:00pm**
- Nov. 16 Blood Drive**

Soup Making Blitz

Tuesday, Sept 29 ~ 9:00a.m.-1:00 p.m.
St. Luke's Kitchen

The Comfort Food Ministry and volunteers are invited to help make soup to be frozen for individuals and families experiencing difficult circumstances. If you can help (any amount of time appreciated), please contact Marcia Dubbels at 563-582-6634.



Blessing of Our Pets Service

St. Luke's Front Steps
Saturday, Sept. 26
10:00-10:30 a.m.

Pets must be leashed or caged!



St. Luke's Fall Blood Drive

at Prescott School
Monday, November 16, 2015
1:00-6:00 p.m.
Neighborhood Resource Center
At Prescott School

Sign up times will be available soon!
To be eligible to donate, you can not give blood after September 13.

Bible Recipients—Sept. 20, 2015

Students

Peytum Blum
Alex Gevock
Merrick Hull
Chase Kreimeyer
Maura Lawler
Derek Lester
Jared Lester
Lorelai Madera
Logan Plumley
Olivia Wand

Bible Mentors

Nancy Hessler
Dan Jacobsen
Deb Albert
John Hessler
Kim Sheldon
Cheri Loveless
Mike Loveless
Bonnie Sanders
Dick Landis
Laurinda Brimeyer

***St. Luke's Charge Conference
Sunday, October 25, 2015
Fellowship Hall
4:00 p.m.***

Rev. Dr. Berrie Tritle, presiding

St. Luke's UMW Rummage Sale

Fri., October 9, 2015
8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
Fellowship Hall
Bag Sale 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.



Volunteers are needed on Thursday, Oct. 8, beginning at 8:30 a.m. to sort items for the sale. On Friday, October 9, many hands are needed for the sale and for clean-up immediately following.

Your "treasures" may be placed in Fellowship Hall. If the door is locked, please see someone in the office for a key. Please **DO NOT** leave your items in the hallway or inside the front door! **NO appliances or furniture please!**

Sign up forms available in South Hall!

Hospice of Dubuque will be sponsoring two six-week bereavement support groups. They are open to anyone in the tri-state area who has experienced the loss of a loved one, through death, within the past twelve months. It is suggested that participants wait at least three months after a loss before attending.

A group is scheduled to meet on Monday evenings from 6–8 p.m., beginning on October 5 and ending November 9. Another group is scheduled to meet on Tuesday mornings from 10 am–12:00p.m. beginning October 6 and ending November 10. The groups will meet at the Hospice of Dubuque office in the Theisen Education Center, 1670 JFK Road. Please contact Hospice of Dubuque at [563.582.1220](tel:563.582.1220) to register or for more information.

Thanksgiving Ingathering Health Kits

As in past years, St. Luke's will be providing items for Health Kits for the Thanksgiving Ingathering. Donated items may be brought to St. Luke's South Hall.

The following items are needed for each kit:

- ◆ 1 new hand towel (15" x 25" up to 17" x 27")
- ◆ 1 bath-sized bar of soap in wrapper (3 oz. or larger) (**NOT** Ivory or Jergens)
- ◆ 1 large, sturdy comb (not pocket-sized)
- ◆ 1 new toothbrush in original sealed wrapper (**NO** child-sizes)
- ◆ 1 nail file or fingernail clipper (**no** emery boards or toenail clippers)
- ◆ 1 new washcloth
- ◆ 6 band aids (3/4")

All items must be new (Do Not Wash)

Terrific Tuesdays

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

Sept. 22 8:30 Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 Sit & Knit in St. Luke's
Sept. 29 Molly's Silver Screen
Canteen (Mindframe)



It's time to update our Church Directory. It's been 4 years since our last directory. Pictures may be scheduled in 3 ways: 1) by accessing St. Luke's website: www.stlukesumcdbq.com and clicking on the picture icon; 2) signing up after Sunday services or 3) call the office (582-4543) to have Cathy schedule your appointment.

A couple of nice incentives include: 1) a 20% discount for people over the age of 60 who order portraits or 2) bring a canned food and receive a \$5 off coupon on your order. If you just want your picture taken for the directory, you will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait. Hope you will be part of our directory!

Mt. T.O.P. Pie Making Dates

October 17 ~ October 24

October 31 ~ November 7

Mark Your Calendars!

Sign up forms will be available soon for the 7:00-10:00 a.m. shift and the 9:00 a.m. to noon shift. Of course, working both shifts is permissible!

Welcoming Our Diversity

October 1 @ 7:00 p.m. ~ St. Luke's

Led by Pastor & Berth Lundula

Child Care Provided

All Are Invited!

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Praise Team

Giving of Bibles

This Is Where Children Belong

FWS 2233

Children's Time

Jesus Loves Me

UMH 191

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Community in Prayer

Teaching Through Scripture

Scripture Reading: Acts 1:4-9

*Gospel Reading: Matthew 28:16-20

Teaching Through the Message

The Power of Small Group Ministry

From the Wesleyan Perspective

Pastor Lundula

Response to the Message

How Great Is Our God

by Chris Tomlin

*Benediction

Upcoming Events for Week of Sept. 20 – Sept. 27

Sunday, Sept. 20

8:30 a.m. Worship Service
 9:30 a.m. Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School—All ages!

10:15 a.m. Ushers/Greeters Training
 10:45 a.m. Word on the Third Worship Service
 2nd Graders to receive their Bibles
Special Charge Conference

Monday, Sept. 21

8:00 a.m. Windows (Boat) Tour
 Chimes deadline

Tuesday, Sept. 22

8:30 a.m. Terrific Tuesday @ Village Inn
 10:00 a.m. Sit & Knit in Parlor
 3:00 p.m. Give Back Project Mtg.
 7:15 p.m. Celebration & Worship Mtg.

Wednesday, Sept. 23

8:30 a.m. Windows (Boat) Tour
 12:30 a.m. Windows (Boat) Tour
 5:00 p.m. Wonderful Wednesday/Activities and choir(s) practice
 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Class
 Acolyte Training

Thursday, Sept. 24

10:00 a.m. Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. Church Council Mtg.

Friday, Sept. 25

7:00 a.m. Men's Worship
 8:00 a.m. Windows (Boat) Tour
 11:00 a.m. Staff Mtg.

Saturday, Sept. 26

6:30 a.m. Bread Run — Mike & Cheri Loveless
 10:00 a.m. Blessing of the Pets
 5:30 p.m. Food for the Soul — Team 5 Matt Crow
 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise

Next Sunday, Sept. 27

8:30 a.m. Worship Service
 9:30 a.m. Everyone welcome for coffee in South Hall
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School—All ages!
 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
Ava Anderson Baptism
 12:00 p.m. Mt. TOP Mtg.

A special Charge Conference will be held TODAY, at 12:00 p.m. to accept the bequest received from Margery Dodge. Rev. Kiboko Kiboko will be presiding.

Installation Service for the new District Superintendent Rev. Kiboko Kiboko at the Marion First UMC, Marion, IA, 3-5:00 p.m.

Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



The Men & Women in Uniform & Families Our Homebound

Anne Van Etten Recovering from an infection
 Barb Boettcher Recovering from an ankle injury
 Lila Menke Recovering from surgery
 Rick Witt Will be having bypass surgery
 Randy Davis Struggling with health issues

2015 CROP Hunger Walk 20 years in Dubuque

The Social Justice subcommittee of the Witness & Service Committee organizes the St. Luke's participation. This year's co-chairs are Terry & R.R.S. Stewart.



The 20th Anniversary of the Dubuque CROP Walk will take place on Sunday, October 4. Registration starts at 12:30 p.m. and the walk begins at 1:00 p.m. at Holy Trinity Lutheran, 1755 Delhi Street, Dubuque.

Walker Donation Envelopes are available in the South Hall at St. Luke's. Please consider walking for this great cause!

SENIORS OUT AND ABOUT

Plan on visiting the Herbert Hoover Library followed by lunch in West Branch, IA, on Friday, October 16. Cost: \$10 (transportation and museum fee. You will be leaving the Woodlands at 8:30 a.m. Please RSVP Flo Helsper at 584-0302 BY Friday, Oct. 9.

Food Pantry Supplies for September:

Potatoes (any kind)
Sugar ~ Mac & Cheese
Tuna ~ Oil
Laundry Soap ~ Dish Soap
Anything you want to donate!

All donations appreciated

September 27, 2015 Event:

St. Luke's Pipe Organ ~ 118 Years

The pipe organ at St. Luke's United Methodist Church claims 118 years of continuous service since its dedication in 1897. In 1992, the Fowler Organ Company of Lansing, Michigan, was hired to restore the organ which was funded through a capital campaign.

Recently a new blower was installed to replace one that had been in service for 95 years ago. Soon batteries will be replaced that control the memory system and an air leak will be repaired.

On Sunday, September 27, 2015, during 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. worship services, head organist, Dr. Charles Barland, will perform Bach's famous "Passacaglia in C minor" as the prelude and postlude "When in Our Music God is Glorified." The handbell and adult vocal choirs will be accompanied by the organ and piano and organ duets will accompany congregational singing.

The congregation and the community will have the opportunity to dedicate support to the upcoming restoration of St. Luke's pipe organ. Mr. Fowler will be present to share his perspective of the church's beautiful instrument. Keeping it in working order for its peak performance will allow continued organ music in worship and provide organ concert venues for the community.