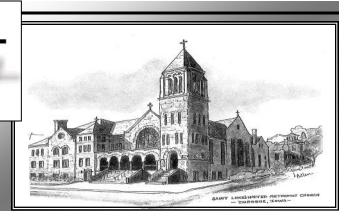
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Monday — Friday 8:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.

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Chuck's Chat - February 7, 2018

Morning Coffee – *check*A bite of breakfast – *check*Shave, brush teeth, shower – *check*, *check*, *check*Shirt, pants, shoes – *check*Armor – *che*....wait! What? Armor?

Armor (armour, if you like) is just as much a part of my morning's preparations as all the others. If you've seen me, you know that I don't go clanking around like Sir Galahad in steel plate. No, the armor that I put on every morning is "the Full Armor of God." Paul outlines it in Ephesians 6:10-18:

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. ¹² For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. ¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. ¹⁴ Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. ¹⁵ As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. ¹⁶ With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. ¹⁷ Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. ¹⁸ Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints.

What sorts of intangible enemies come after you? What lies insinuate themselves into your thinking that the belt of truth could help you combat? Lies like, "I'm not worthy of love" or "I always make mistakes" or "I'm not smart/strong/educated/good-looking enough." Sometimes those lies come to us from people whom we should be able to trust. Sometimes children hear horrible lies from the parents who themselves are broken, and who pass that brokenness on to their children.

What keeps you from proclaiming (talking about) "the gospel of peace"? Does it sometimes feel like you are walking through sticky mud when you try to share the good news with someone? These spiritual shoes can help with that predicament.

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Our Caring Community

Lord, as we continue life's journey, we pray for all who are challenged by health concerns and ongoing illness.

We know that the awesome God we worship hears the prayers of our lips as well as the prayers of our hearts. We pray for the people who are currently dealing with a recent illness, surgery, injury, or medical concern:

Jim McCarthy (Coni S.'s brother) - testing for MS Jack Dobbert (Coni S.'s uncle) - stage 4 cancer Barbara Egbert (Dick Rollefson's sister) - hospice

Prayers for people in Care Centers:

Betty Farcas Edie Bruehahn
Sally Wiegand Mary Dempsey
Barb Boettcher Margerie Kreassig

Prayers for people with ongoing health issues:

Cheri Loveless True Mills
Ron Liskey Susan Funke
Peggy Lemke Johnny

Brett Cooper Bonnie Jorgensen

Jeanne Patterson

Prayers of consolation for recently lost loved ones to the families and friends of:

Cheryl I. Murguia (long time St. Luke's member)
Patrick Lansing (Loveless' son-in-law's father)
Todd Halverson (Brimeyers' brother-in-law's son)

Our prayers also turn to prayers for Peace and Justice around the world. We especially remember all those who currently serve in our country's armed forces. Lord, we ask your special touch of compassion for all the victims of civil discord and war, the families of soldiers, and the families of police officers. It is in the name of your Son and our Savior that we offer our prayers. Amen.







Please check the prayer request lists if there are any outdated prayer requests. Send updates or prayer requests to:

563-582-4543 | dbqstluke@gmail.com

Happy Birthday to our church family and friends with birthdays this month! May the celebration of life on your birthday be filled with many blessings from our Lord.



February Birthdays

1 Brianna Rohner	13 Peyton Blum
2 Barney Bishop	14 Sarah Sheldon
2 Darla Meyer	14 Patricia Foster
3 Andrew Daack	14 Sally Wiegand
6 Robert Gallogly	15 Ella Harkey
6 Jordan Fiebelkorn	16 Sharon Kress
6 Aubrey Gevock	16 Jim Swenson
7 Jenna Viertel	18 Steve Olson
7 Kevin Ryan	19 Kaeden Klein
8 Kyle Schrumpf	20 John Barbee
8 Mark Meloy	21 Lisa Gevock
9 Tom Flowers	22 Carol Clark
9 Lydia Johnson	22 James Gronen
9 Michael McTague	22 Christine Noel
10 Donel Nelson	22 Lauren Pregler
10 Joshua Viertel	24 Erin McGrath
10 Mary Jane Stotlar	25 Laurinda Brimeyer
10 Aaron Hunold	25 Madeline Barbee
11 Joseph Delaney	27 Irv Veley
11 Sandra Fals	28 Blain Nelson
11 Zachery Taylor	28 Thad Murphy

Emergency Medical Information Cards

In the event of a personal emergency taking place at church, we recommend you have information at St. Luke's that



is readily available for EMTs when they are called. You can fill out a 5x7 card stored in the church office and copies can be given to EMTs if the occasion arises. Stop by the church office to fill one out.

Margie Breese, Care and Compassion



We request that **if you become hospital-ized, please let the church office know.** Also, please designate St. Luke's as your church when filling out hospital admittance information. If you would like a prayer request, please let us know.

VISION & MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. The MISSION of St. Luke's United Methodist Church is to feed souls, grow faith in God and make a difference in the lives of our congregation, our neighbors and our world.



The VISION of St. Luke's United Methodist Church is: Welcoming ALL... Caring... Serving... Growing

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Weekend Worship

Food for the Soul	Saturday at 5:30 p.m.
Saturday Night Praise	Saturday at 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Worship Services	Sunday at 8:30 a.m.
(Communion 1st Sundays)	Sunday at 10:45 a.m.

Parking: Street metered parking (Mon.-Fri.) Free lot parking/street metered parking (Sat.) Free Handicap & street parking (Sun.)



Do you have a name change or a new address, phone number, or email address? If so, please remember to inform the St. Luke's office at **dbqstluke@gmail.com** or by calling 563-582-4543. Thank You!

Reoccurring Meetings	Meeting Name and Time			
1st Tuesday	5:30 p.m. Invitation & Welcome			
2nd Tuesday	7:00 p.m. Worship & Celebration			
3rd Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Finance			
3rd Tuesday	4:15 p.m. Care & Compassion			
1st Wednesday	6:30 p.m. Trustees			
2nd Thursday	6:30 p.m. SPPRC			
3rd Thursday	7:00 p.m. Kaleidoscope			
4th Thursday	6:30 p.m. Church Council OR Council on Ministries			

Official UMC Lectionary Texts

Feb 11th	Transfiguration Sunday (white) 2 Kings 2: 1-12; Psalm 50: 1-6 (UM 783); 2 Corinthians 4: 3-6; Mark 9: 2-9
Feb 14th	Ash Wednesday (purple) Joel 2: 1-2, 12-17; Psalm 51: 1-17 (UM 785); 2 Corinthians 5:20b - 6:10; Matthew 6: 1-6, 16-21
Feb 18th	1st Sunday in Lent (purple) Genesis 9: 8-17; Psalm 25: 1-10 (UM 756); 1 Peter 3: 18-22; Mark 1: 9-15
Feb 25th	2nd Sunday in Lent (purple) Genesis 17: 1-7. 15-16: Psalm 22: 23-31 (UM 752):

Romans 4: 13-25; Mark 8: 31-38

STAFF

Pastor Rev. Charles (Chuck) Layton
Children / Youth: Anezka Lungwitz (int.)
Administrative Assistant Ora Uzel
Custodian Caprice Jones

CHURCH COUNCIL

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Sue Hattel, Nancy Bradley

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Facilitators:

Invitation & Welcome Lisa Viertel & Lamb, Nancy Bradley, Vicki Tilson, Chris Kohlmann

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Month of February 2018 Volunteers

Saturday Bread Run 8:30 Greeters/Ushers		10:45 Greeters/Ushers			
Rusch/Youn	g	2/4	Smokey & Susan McGovern	2/4	Gary & Kath Reid
Loveless		2/11	Breese, Phillips, Hattel	2/11	Reid, Folsom, Boughton
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Team 11		2/11	Susan McGovern	2/11	Sue Hattel
Team 1		2/18	Dick Landis	2/18	Lori Boughton
Team 2		2/25	Scott Zartman	2/25	Mark Tilson
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Bobby Martin

TBD

10:45 Worship Drivers

8:30 Ward

8:30 Ward

2/18

2/25

2/4 Rich Young
2/11 Otto Krueger
2/18 Mark Tilson
2/25 Chris Becker

Ash Wednesday Service February 14, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. St. Luke's Sanctuary

We will share in a brief half hour worship service to start the Lenten season, with imposition of ashes.



Chris Kohlmann

Matthew Hull

Paul Clark

2/11

2/18

2/25

Weather-Related Cancellations

2/11

2/18

2/25

10:45 Barland

10:45 Barland

St. Luke's will make every effort to notify you of any cancellations due to weather through the following methods:

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

Fabulous Fridays Schedule Change

Please note that the Fabulous Friday schedule changed recently. See the schedule on the back (last page) of this issue of the Chimes. New schedules are available in the South Hall and back of the Sanctuary as well as online on the Calendar page of the website.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Feb. 11 Transfiguration Sunday 8:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Mardi Gras Jazz Prelude 10:45 a.m. Mardi Gras Jazz Worship Service
- 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
- Feb. 25 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship ServicesMar. 4 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services with Communion

Every Saturday: 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise with Communion every first Sunday

Mardi Gras Celebration! Sunday February 11th at 11:45am Fellowship Hall, St. Luke's UMC

St. Luke's Mardi Gras Celebration 2018 is just around the corner! Mark your calendars and invite your friends and neighbors to this day of celebration! It's long time tradition at St. Luke's of 10:45 am jazz worship service, music and a meal following the service.

This year we will again be blessed by chef Matt Crow preparing our 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 February 10 from 9am – noon along with set up, serving and clean-up assistance on Sunday morning February 11

Sign-ups are in the South Hallway. Questions: contact Invitation and Welcome Team co-chairs: Chris Kohlmann 563-599-2695 or Lisa Viertel 563-599-2325.

Thank you!



Terrific Tuesdays

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

Feb 20 Oak Park Place

Feb 27 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn

10:00 am Sit & Knit in St. Luke's Parlor

Mar 6 Caribou Coffee

Mar 20 Asbury Hy-Vee Starbucks



Feb. 15 **Kaleidoscope** invites ALL women to Bethany Home @ 1005 Lincoln at 7:00 pm. Program: "**SACRED SPACE of PRAYER**" led by Marcia Young. Co-hosts: Ruth Clark and Marcia. Enter door under the porch canopy and street parking. Carpooling - contact Laurinda 557-7341.

Feb. 28, March 7, 14, and 21 **Lenten Study "Living in a Covenant Community." 1:00 - 2:30 pm** at Grand View UMC @ 3342 John Wesley Drive (accessible). All are welcome. (Materials provided.)

March 2 World Day of Prayer - Suriname "ALL God's Creation Is Very Good!" Hosted @ Summit Congregational UCC, 2885 John F. Kennedy Rd (accessible), Friday - 9:30 am Coffee & Displays; 10:00 am Service & Program. Guest speakers: Frank & Irene Jabini "Reflections: Discover Suriname." ALL are invited. (WDP services held annually in 170 countries globally.)

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.

Windows of Opportunity

Communion Steward for 8:30 am worship / 9:30 am summer worship. Training provided. Set up of communion elements prior to worship once a month. Contact Sue Hattel 556-1394 for details.



- Fabulous Friday desserts needed February 9 March 23. Sign up in South Hallway. Minimum of 4 desserts per week needed.
- Volunteers to record a worship service once a month.
 Contact Bobby Martin or church office. Training provided.
- 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.
- Food donations and preparation, serving, and clean up assistance for the Mardi Gras meal. For more information see the previous page.



Lament and Devotion: A Lenten Musical Journey

Dr. Charles Barland, organist and **University of Dubuque Concert Choir** Tuesday, February 20 at 7:30 p.m. St. Luke's UMC — Sanctuary

You are warmly invited to attend a performance featuring organist Charles Barland and the University of Dubuque Concert Choir performing music of lament and devotion as we enter the Lenten season. The program is free and open the public and will include music by Bach, Mozart, Mendelssohn, and Brahms among others. Donations will be accepted to offset costs of the annual choir tour.

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 note their license plate information; make, model, color of their car: and contact information. Then contact the church office at:

563-582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com



Fabulous Friday Dessert Sign-up

Fabulous Fridays are here, and we need folks to help make 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, you can sign up in the South Hall. For more information contact reception coordinators Char Schmitt or Lynn Kerker.

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





Easy Home Composting

We try to compost all our food scraps at St. Luke's, but did you know you can compost at home? If not, please take a look at the display from Iowa Interfaith Power & Light

in the South Hallway on how you can sign-up to compost with the City of Dubuque. If you have any questions, find a Green Team member.

The Good Life Redefined

Sunday, February 18, 2018 — 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sisters of the Presentation, 2360 Carter Road

Less Stuff. Live More. Find Joy! Learn how our STUFF contributes to climate change. Reflect on what our faith traditions say. Make a plan to create a more joyful life that is easier on the planet. This workshop is free thanks to generous sponsors. Registration required. More information is in the South Hallway.

You can also find out more information and register at: https://iowaipl.org/act/good-life-redefined/ Sponsored by the Covenant Congregations of the Dubuque Chapter of Iowa Interfaith Power and Light, Dubuque Area Congregations United and Sisters of the Presentation.

Lectionary Bible Study

Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.

Meet with Pastor Chuck Thurs at 10am in the Parlor to discuss scriptures for the upcoming Sunday.

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:



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.

Red Basket Project

Red Basket Project: This project was created to provide women and young girls with access

to free feminine hygiene products at sites throughout the city, including schools. St. Luke's is one of the sites. There is no designated funding for this project at St. Luke's so it is dependent on donations. Please consider donating funds or products including thin, medium and heavy pads and tampons in regular or super sizes. These products are packaged into packets and provided in the women's restroom in the lower level of the church outside the fellowship hall. At least 10 packs are taken per week. Thank you for your past donations and we ask you to continue to donate. Lack of these products impacts school and work attendance for women.







Chuck's Chat (Continued from page 1)

And those flaming darts of the evil one – you know, the little zingers and jabs that seemingly come out of nowhere and hurt like the devil when they land. Snide comments from co-workers, or juicy gossip that happens to be about you. They come flying in like flaming darts, and your shield of faith can deflect them and put out their fire.

And, it's sure a good thing to have the helmet of salvation! Few blows can kill as quickly as the blow of being a slave to sin and death. There's a reason Paul speaks of this piece of armor as covering the head. The head is very vulnerable to death-dealing blows, and by shielding it under our salvation through faith in Jesus Christ, the evil one has no way to kill us outright.

Then there is the Sword of the Spirit, which is the word of the Lord. This may sound like an offensive weapon, and in truth, some folks like to wield the Bible like a sword. But much more of a sword's work is in deflecting cutting blows from other swords. A good, healthy knowledge and understanding of the Bible is a great way to parry the thrusts and cuts that try to hurt us, throw us off balance, and make us quit.

And Paul ends with "Pray in the Spirit at all times..." This can be like keeping the straps adjusted on the armor. It also keeps us connected with the One who provides us with the armor in the first place. Living as a Christian isn't all gentleness and giggles. There are often times when we must persevere against forces that would have us buckle, give up our faith in Jesus, and quit the field.

Shalom, Chuck

Dubuque Senior Center

Open Monday through Friday - 10:30pm to 12:30pm St. Matthews Church, 1780 White St. Enter through the alley behind St. Matthews

The Dubuque Senior Center serves a hot lunch every day. It is recommended you reserve your meal in advance by calling before noon the previous day. Patrons over 60



may leave a donation; while those under 60 are required to pay \$8.28. For more information call:

Colleen at 563-543-7065

Wonderful Wednesdays Schedule

5:00-5:45 pm Meal in the Fellowship Hall

Adult Music Rehearsals

5:30-6:25 pm St. Luke's Singers - Music Room 6:15-7:15 pm JuBELLation Ringers - Sanctuary 6:30-6:55 pm Wind Ensemble - Music Room Chancel Choir will meet Sundays at 10:00 am (Fe)

Youth Activities / Rehearsals

5:15-8:30 pm Nursery available Joyful Noise - Nursery & Room 102 6:00-7:00 pm Joyful Noise Singing - Room 203 6:15-6:30 pm 5:45-6:30 pm St. Luke's Saints - Wesley Room 6:30-7:00 pm Randall Ringers - Room 203 5:30-6:00 pm Wesley Ringers - Sanctuary 6:00-7:00 pm High School Group - Room 201 Confirmation - Conference Room 6:30-7:45 pm

NO Wonderful Wednesday meal or activities: **Feb. 14th**, and Mar. 28th

Bereavement Support Groups

Mondays, Feb. 26 Apr. 2, 6-8pm or Apr. 3, 10am-Noon

Hospice Dbq, Theisen Education Center, 1670 JFK Register by February 16, 2018

Hospice of Dubuque will sponsor a bereavement support group, open to anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one, through death, in the past 12 months. It is suggested waiting 3 months after a loss before attending.

The group will meet at the Hospice of Dubuque office. Sessions are meant to be educational and emotionally supportive. There is no fee to attend, but contributions to defray costs are appreciated. Pre-registration by February 16, 2018 is required as group size is limited.

Please contact the hospice office at (563) 582-1220 for a registration form.

Dubuque's Memory Café February 8, 2018 - 10am to Noon Holy Trinity Lutheran Church 1755 Delhi Street, Dubuque



Discover a safe, supportive, and engaging environment designed specifically for individuals with memory loss from Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia and their caregivers. Join us in a friendly place where people can interact, enjoy social time, find support, share and celebrate without feeling misunderstood. A Place for Friendship: Dubuque's Memory Café is that place.

There is no fee to attend and pre-registration is not required. For more information or with questions about the program contact Rev. Dr. Jade Angelica at **jadeangelica@gmail.com** or **563-582-4724**

Fabulous Fridays Artist Series 2018

Fabulous Fridays return to St. Luke's United Methodist Church on January 12, 2018. Now in its 27th season, this popular series began in 1992 with musicians from St. Luke's and grew to include locally and nationally recognized artists. More than 200 artists have performed for these informal downtown concerts during the series' history.

Performances begin at 12:05 p.m. and are 30 minutes in length. Many in the audience bring their lunch and enjoy time together after the concert in the Fellowship Hall, where coffee and desserts are available. The concert, coffee and desserts are free, but baskets are available for contributions, the proceeds of which go to People In Need (P.I.N.) and St. Luke's "Jesus Fund" for food assistance. Metered street parking is available. Accessible entry is in back of church. Our winter weather policy is that if the artist can get there, the show is on.

Remaining 2018 Schedule

Feb 9 Dr. Peter Szeibel, organ
Feb 16 Senior High School Jazz F

Feb 16 Senior High School Jazz Band – Bill Rowley, director

Feb 23 C. J. Greer, soprano; Marcus DeJesus, guitar March 2 University of Dubuque Chamber Singers

Kristen Eby, director

March 9 Hempstead High School Musical Cast;

Kate Riepe, Doug Mackie; Terry Slade, director

March 16 Upper Main Street Jazz Band – Ric Jones, leader

March 23 St. Luke's Artists – Sylvia Ward, piano; Ann Duchow, violin;

Andrea Beacham, soprano; David Patterson, cello





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St. Luke's United Methodist Church



To receive your Chimes via email, send a message to defeatuke@gmail.com. If you know someone who would like to receive The Chimes, please contact the church of-

If you wish NOT to receive the Chimes, please contact the church office at 563-582-4543 to discontinue.

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