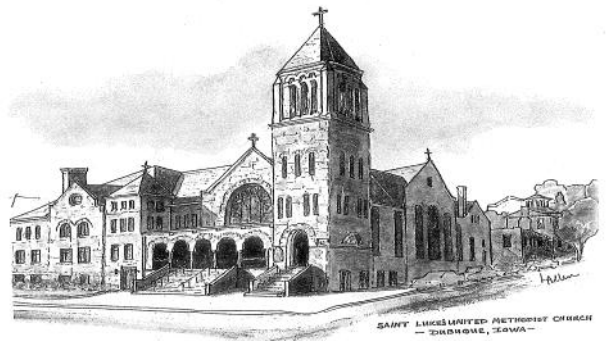


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Chuck's Chat — October 19, 2016

I make it a habit to run the WiFi and mobile data on my cell phone as little as possible, since they both cost battery life. I suppose that if I always had the phone plugged in to the charger, I wouldn't worry about it and would leave them on all the time. Because they aren't always on, when I do turn them on, I get a flood of data. That's not the best way to digest all the messages and postings that come to me.

Prayer is similar. The more constantly I can be "plugged in" to God, the more orderly and constant the flow both of Godly energy and answers to prayer. Rev. Karl Goodfellow, of Safety Net Prayer Ministry, wrote:

OCTOBER 14

From the Prayer Closet:

We prayed yesterday, today, and we hope forever. Slow constant change is often the result of constant prayer. It takes time and patience to pray for prodigals back home. Healing relationships is a lifelong process. Righting social wrongs doesn't just take place overnight—it happens one step at a time. Bringing a pagan world back to God happens one soul at a time. Many of the people for whom we pray are dealing with bad decisions and lifestyles that are not healthy. Asking for God's help means touching a burdened soul and leading that soul through seasons of change. We understand that praying is not a quick trip to the fix-it shop; rather, praying is a remodeling process placed in our Savior's hands. Amen.

Scripture:

"Paul entered the synagogue and spoke boldly there for three months, arguing persuasively about the kingdom of God. But some of them became obstinate; they refused to believe and publicly maligned the Way. So Paul left them. He took the disciples with him and had discussions daily in the lecture hall of Tyrannus. This went on for two years, so that all the Jews and Greeks who lived in the province of Asia heard the word of the Lord." (Acts 19:8-10, NIV)

Pray-ers Note:

Intercession is not a quick fix-it shop. Parents learn that there is more to raising children than quick fixes and kissing a few scrapes and bruises; rather, raising children is a long-term commitment to directing, caring, and assisting in building healthy dreams and helping to make those dreams a reality. The ministry of intercession is more than saying a few prayers and applying "spiritual Band-Aids;" rather, intercession is about supporting others through their ups and downs. And really there are some downs in the Christian walk. Intercession is about loving even when others don't show their love and gratitude. We will cry when you run out of tears, and we will listen with a parent's compassion. We are privileged to walk through the valleys and stand on the mountain tops with you.

Rev. Goodfellow takes intercessory prayer so seriously that he has made it his ministry. We can learn from him about the power of constancy in prayer.

Shalom, Chuck

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: **John Duggan, Lorraine Jasper, Greg Albert, Coni Stephenson's brother Jim McCarthy and his granddaughter Norah Tandy.**

Prayers for people in Care Centers:

John Duggan	Marian Thomas
Carol Pins	Jon Hardenbergh
Sally Wiegand	Mary Dempsey
Don Kirschbaum	Barb Boettcher
Margerie Kreassig	Romayne Schmitt

Prayers for people with ongoing health issues:

Peggy Lemke	Annette Olson
Marjorie Tayloe	Bonnie Crispin
Johnny	Mary K. Benefiel
Anna Jane Redding	A. J. Osterkamp
Eve Hickey	Diane
Donna Moss	Bill Brown
Brett Cooper	Dianne Fritsch
Jane Thomas	Cindie Thomas
Kaye Running	Bruce Liebold
Angela Osterkamp	Donna Atkinson
Evelyn Cooper	Edie Bruehahn
Bonnie Jorgensen	Ardeth Kirschbaum
Ron Liskey	Kathy Reid

Prayers of consolation for recently lost loved ones to the family of: **Al Van Milligen.**

Our prayers also turn to prayers for Peace and Justice around the world. We especially remember all who are currently serving in the armed forces of our country. 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.



October Birthdays
(latter half)

- 13 Nick Ashbrook
- 14 Pam Daack
- 14 Tyler Schruppf
- 15 Mallory Blum
- 15 Albert Manders
- 16 Merrick Hull
- 16 Jean Murphy
- 17 Daniel Herr
- 17 Elizabeth Lester
- 19 Liz Lawler
- 19 Lorelai Madero
- 20 Amber Blum
- 20 Vicki Sanderfield
- 20 Linda Watters
- 21 Naomi Murphy
- 23 Andrea Beacham
- 23 Don Schmitt
- 23 Abigail Thorpe
- 24 Anezka Lungwitz
- 24 Blake McKahin
- 24 Bryce Streckwald
- 26 Rob Kubik
- 27 Jessica DuBord
- 28 Addison Wright
- 29 Clarice Leblanc

November Birthdays
(beginning half)

- 1 Kaden Craven
- 1 Al Lemieux
- 1 Amy Schadle
- 1 John Viner
- 2 Judy Genz
- 2 Emerson Glaser
- 2 Alan Hattel
- 3 Barbara Bishop
- 3 Karen McCarthy
- 4 Harlan Doty
- 4 Delanie Wright
- 5 Frank Oconnor
- 5 Caden Peil
- 6 Asher Klein
- 6 Rebecca McDonald
- 6 Calvin Peil
- 6 Michael Rusch
- 8 Kristine Craven
- 8 Laura Glab
- 8 Jimmy Guentherman
- 8 Argaw Oremo
- 9 Workensh Egoe
- 9 Owen Lawler
- 10 Frank Duchow
- 10 Dana Plumley

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.

Marcia Dubbels Chair, Care and Compassion

Margie Breese Member, Care and Compassion



We request that if you become hospitalized, 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 AND 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 Night Praise
Sunday Worship Services

Saturday at 5:30 p.m.
Saturday at 6:00 p.m.
Sunday at 8:30 a.m.
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	6:00 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

Oct. 23rd	23rd Sunday after Pentecost (green) Joel 2: 23-32; Psalm 65; 2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18; Luke 18: 9-14
Oct. 30th	24th Sunday after Pentecost (green) Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4; Psalm 119: 137-144; 2 Thessalonians 1: 1-4, 11-12; Luke 19: 1-10
Nov. 6th	25th Sunday after Pentecost (green) Daniel 7: 1-3, 15-18; Psalm 149; Ephesians 1: 11-23; Luke 6: 20-31

STAFF

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. Nancy Hessler
Stewardship Dan Jacobsen
Witness & Service
Community Outreach Jennifer Crow
Conference & Global. Otto Krueger
Social Justice RRS & Terry Stewart
UMW Marcia Young
At-Large Steven & Kathy Lamb,
Nancy Bradley, Gary Reid,
Matt Crow, Vicki Tilson

CHURCH COUNCIL

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Lay Leader Mark Tilson
Lay Members of Annl Conf Sue Hattel
Treasurer Amy Schadle

Council on Ministries

Facilitators:

Invitation/Welcome Lisa Viertel &
Chris Kohlmann

Month of October 2016 Volunteers

Saturday Bread Run

10/1/16 Jacobsen/Sanders
 10/8/16 McGovern
 10/15/16 Matthew & Debi Hull
 10/22/16 Breese/Young
 10/29/16 Schrupf/Rusch

8:30 a.m. Greeters

10/2/16 Redding
 10/9/16 Deb & Sara Albert
 10/16/16 McGovern
 10/23/16 Joe & Kathy Lomax
 10/30/16 Breese/Hattel

10:45 a.m. Greeters

10/2/16 Jacobsen/Murphy
 10/9/16 Foley Family
 10/16/16 Loveless/Swenson/Smith
 10/23/16 Unangst/Larson
 10/30/16 Kerker/Conklin/Loveless

Saturday Food for the Soul

10/1/16 Team 1
 10/8/16 Team 2
 10/15/16 Lange Family
 10/22/16 Team 3
 10/29/16 Team 4

8:30 a.m. Ushers

10/2/16 Redding
 10/9/16 Deb & Sara Albert
 10/16/16 McGovern
 10/23/16 Joe & Kathy Lomax
 10/30/16 Breese/Hattel

10:45 a.m. Ushers

10/2/16 Jacobsen/Murphy
 10/9/16 Foley Family
 10/16/16 Loveless/Swenson/Smith
 10/23/16 Unangst/Larson
 10/30/16 Kerker/Conklin/Loveless

(For changes in the Food for the Soul schedule, contact Marcia 588-4877 and notify the office.)

8:30 a.m. Offering Depositor

10/2/16 Erick Kephart
 10/9/16 Scott Zartman
 10/16/16 Mike Loveless
 10/23/16 Susan McGovern
 10/30/16 Erick Kephart

10:45 a.m. Offering Depositor

10/2/16 Cheri Loveless
 10/9/16 Kathy McWethy
 10/16/16 Mike Loveless
 10/23/16 Mike Loveless
 10/30/16 Ric Jones

Chimer

10/2/16 Heather Williams
 10/9/16 Larry Loeppeke
 10/16/16 R.R.S. Stewart
 10/23/16 Heather Williams
 10/30/16 TBD

8:30 a.m. Liturgist

10/2/16 Jon Romaine
 10/9/16 NA (Children's Sabbath)
 10/16/16 Chad Leitch
 10/23/16 Susan McGovern
 10/30/16 Sue Hattel

10:45 a.m. Liturgist

10/2/16 Chris Becker
 10/9/16 NA (Children's Sabbath)
 10/16/16 NA (WotT)
 10/23/16 Mark Tilson
 10/30/16 Dan Jacobsen

Organist

10/2/16 Dr. Chuck Barland
 10/9/16 Dr. Chuck Barland
 10/16/16 Dr. Jeremy Mims
 10/23/16 Dr. Chuck Barland
 10/30/16 Dr. Chuck Barland

8:30 a.m. Projectionist

10/2/16 Denny Brimeyer
 10/9/16 Chris Kohlmann
 10/16/16 Denny Brimeyer
 10/23/16 Chris Kohlmann
 10/30/16 Chris Kohlmann

10:45 a.m. Projectionist

10/2/16 Paul Clark
 10/9/16 Matthew Hull
 10/16/16 Matthew Hull
 10/23/16 Paul Clark
 10/30/16 Paul Clark

Acolyte

10/2/16 Sara Albert
 10/9/16 Sara Albert
 10/16/16 Sara Albert
 10/23/16 Sara Albert
 10/30/16 Sara Albert

Slides

10/2/16 Craig Allen
 10/9/16 Paul Clark
 10/16/16 Matthew Hull
 10/23/16 Paul Clark
 10/30/16 Paul Clark

10:45 Worship Driver

10/2/16 Dan Jacobsen
 10/9/16 Otto Krueger
 10/16/16 Mike Loveless
 10/23/16 Rich Young
 10/30/16 Chris Becker

8:30 Videographer

10/2/16 John Hessler
 10/9/16 Greg Albert
 10/16/16 Ron Liskey
 10/23/16 Bobby Martin
 10/30/16 Bobby Martin

*Check out the table
 in the South Hall for
 opportunities to volunteer!*

Check out St. Luke's website for the latest bulletins, *Chimes* newsletters, the online calendar, and even check out sermons you may have missed!

www.stlukesumcdbq.com

Upcoming Worship Dates

Oct 22 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise
 Oct 23 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship Services
 Oct 29 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise
 Oct 30 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Worship Services
 Nov 5 6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Praise
 Nov 6 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. **All Saints** Worship Services
 with **Communion**



YMCA/YWCA Halloween Parade

Monday, October 24th 6:30pm
Meet at St. Luke's at 5:00pm

St. Lukers (children and adults) will be marching in the Halloween parade in costume. We'll meet at the church at 5:00pm to get bracelets for the parade. Then we will then go as a unit to line up at 5:30 p.m. at Jackson Park. Children marching in the parade must have a responsible adult with them. **Sign-up ASAP! A number will be given to the YMCA today Wed 19th.** Contact Ty at:

(563) 872-3562 or mullertyreacy@gmail.com

Hillcrest Italian Dinner

Wednesday, October 26 at 4:00-8:00 pm

Anna B. Lawther Academy Gym

2505 Wilbricht Lane, Dubuque, IA

Tickets: \$8 Adults (13+), \$5 Children (0-12)

Mario's Italian will cater this annual dinner to brighten the Christmas holidays for Hillcrest residents! Tickets available at the door or Asbury Hillcrest office prior. Carry-out service is also available.



Dubuque Arboretum Community Fall Clean-up

Sat, October 29 — 9am-1pm
3800 Arboretum Drive, Dbq

Come help clean-up! A free light lunch will be served to volunteers at Noon. Please call (563) 556-2100 to make arrangements for your group.

Terrific Tuesdays

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



October 25 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn
 10:00 am Sit & Knit, Parlor
November 1 Jitterz
November 15 Starbucks at Dodge Hy-Vee
November 22 9:00 am Make pumpkin pie filling, FH
 10:00 am Sit & Knit, Parlor
November 29 Starbucks at Asbury Hy-Vee

Thanksgiving Ingathering

Sat November 5, 2016



The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is the not-for-profit global humanitarian aid organization of the United Methodist Church. Our mission is to alleviate human suffering, with open minds and hearts to all. Our workers are known for their compassion, leadership, expertise, and guidance in recovery efforts.

The Iowa Ingathering helps provide approximately \$4 million in supplies shipped from the Sager Brown Depot each year. UMCOR Supply kits help to care for the most vulnerable people during times of crisis. They also help to sustain everyday life by providing basic necessities to people who lack ready access to essential supplies. These kits provide vital support for the work UMCOR does throughout the world.

By donating financial gifts to purchase kit supplies, you make a direct and tangible difference in sustaining people's lives. St. Luke's will be taking a financial gift to the Ingathering. Following is a list of the cost for the kit supplies to donate accordingly. Slips with this information will be available on the back table of the Sanctuary throughout the month of October. Leave in the offering plate on Sunday or send to the church office.

Health Kits	UMCOR	\$12 each
Sewing Kits	UMCOR	\$28 each
School Kits	UMCOR	\$11 each
Layette Kits	UMCOR	\$45 each
Baby Jackets/Sweaters	UMCOR	\$ 6 each
Tailoring Kit	INP	\$14 each
Layettes	INP	\$20 each
Local Knitting Kits	INP	\$15 each



Seniors Out & About Meandering to Manchester

Wed. November 9th

Shopping in Manchester, Iowa and lunch at Betty's Bread Basket



Leave Woodlands: **10:45 AM**
 Cost: **\$5.00** (transportation only)

Order off the Menu

Registration Deadline: **Wednesday, November 2nd**
 RSVP **Marcia Dubbels at 582-6634**

Turn in sign up note at St. Luke's, or sign up on sheet at Woodlands (Shirley Herzog Apt 213 will collect money).

Third Annual Potato Drop
Church of the Nativity Parking Lot
1225 Alta Vista St., Dubuque, IA
Saturday November 12th, 2016
9:00am (Individuals, Families)
10:00am (Businesses)



42,000 lbs of **FREE** potatoes are coming to Dubuque! Through a program initiated by the Society of St. Andrew called "Potato and Produce Project," potatoes that otherwise would be thrown away due to unstandard sizes are gleaned and distributed throughout America. **Center Grove United Methodist Church**, leading this project for the third year, will bring a semi-load of potatoes to Church of the Nativity's parking lot to be distributed in 10lb bags **FREE** to anyone who needs them. Contacts:

Donna (563) 582-8504 or Jane (563) 879-3221

Baptism of Adam McWethy

November 13th, 2016

10:45am Worship Service

St. Luke's UMC



On August 30th the McWethy family welcomed their newest family member! Adam will be baptized November 13th during the 10:45am Worship Service.

Prescott & St. Luke's Blood Drive

Monday, November 14th

1:00pm to 6:00pm

**Neighborhood Resource Center
at Prescott Elementary**



To sign up, call Prescott School at 563-552-4200 or Michael Loveless at 563-584-9235. All donors must bring photo ID. Eat before donating and bring photo ID. Last date you donated elsewhere must be before September 19, 2016.

Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center
www.bloodcenter.org

Safe Sanctuary Training

Monday, November 14 at 6:30pm
St. Luke's UMC, Fellowship Hall



Safe Sanctuary Training is **REQUIRED** for anyone working in any capacity with **youth or dependent adults** at St. Luke's. Mark Beard, our Youth Ministry Coordinator, will be contacting those who need the training and were not at the first session. Any questions may be directed to **Mark Beard**, Dan Jacobsen, Laurinda Brimeyer, or Mark Tilson.



Oct 20 Kaleidoscope at 7:00pm in Fellowship Hall. Creating "**Thinking of You**" items for December delivery! Hostesses: Laurinda Brimeyer & Betty Martin. Devotions: Terrie Berry.

Nov 3 "WE REMEMBER" at 7:00 pm in the St. Luke's Parlor. Time to reflect on lives of Suzanne Bainbridge, Elaine Darling, Pearl Dubler, Marie Jannette, Helen Johnston and Anne Van Etten. Friends and family are welcome to share in this gathering time. General meeting will follow for UMW members with a devotional and sharing for the **THANK OFFERING**.

Nov 4 Church Women United are gathering with coffee at 9:30am at Immanuel Congregational UCC, 1785 Jackson St followed by program at 10am, Dubuque Connections to Ethiopia - Don Koppes of Friends of Homacho, Ethiopia. All are welcome to attend World Community Day!!

Nov 5 Thanksgiving Ingathering in Cedar Falls (and 4 other Iowa sites). Consider donating \$\$ financial gift for your choice of "KITS of HOPE" for the annual mission celebration — such as for a Health Kit, Sewing Kit, Layette Kit, etc. Informational slips on back table in sanctuary.

Nov 7 Busy Bees in Fellowship Hall at 1:00 p.m. Dessert, devotion & quilt tying

Annual Pork & Kraut Dinner

Saturday October 29 — 11am to 1pm

Immanuel Congregational UCC, 1795 Jackson

\$9 (ages 13+), \$3 (ages 5-12). Carry-out available.

For more information: **(563) 582-5168**

Wartburg Book Sale

Wed November 2nd — 7:30am-10:00pm *^

Thu November 3rd — 7:30am-10:00pm *

Fri November 4th — 7:30am-12:00pm *

Reu Memorial Library, 333 Wartburg Place

Prices from 25¢ | Sealed bids considered on select books
 ^ No book dealers | * Closed for chapel 9:25-10:15 a.m.

Center Grove Fall Auction

Saturday, November 5th, 2016 at 6pm

Lunch available at 5pm

Center Grove UMC, 3140 Brunskill Rd

Auction items: Meat, baked goods, candies, crafts, hand-made items, Christmas decorations, and more!

Come Make a Joy-Filled Noise!

St. Luke's Singers / Family Choir

Rehearsals at 5:30-6:10pm on Wednesdays

Perform at 8:30am Sunday Services

Join us and sing in the choir that enhances 8:30 worship services on Sundays. There is ALWAYS room for more singers, and if you have been blessed with the gift of song, please share it and sing with us! We practice Wednesday evenings 5:30-6:10pm downstairs in the Choir Room. All are welcome! Questions? Hesitant? Interested? Contact a singer or Director, Keith Rippe at:

kr725@mchsi.com | 563/599-0528

Sing at St. Luke's

Chancel Choir

Rehearsals at 7:00pm on Wednesdays

Perform at 10:45am Sunday Services

Do you like to sing? Do you like CHRISTMAS? Come join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. The St. Luke's Choirs will be preparing Christmas music to sing on December 18. All are welcome and encouraged to join us. For more information, email Jeremy at:

jeremy_mims@clarke.edu



Casserole Cook-off and Game Night A Fun Time!

The Invitation and Welcome Team would like to say "thanks" to everyone who participated in our recent "Getting To Know Pastor Chuck" Event held on Sunday, October 16th.

It was a delicious sampling of many a tasty dishes, including appetizers, salads, casseroles and let's not forget... desserts! Everyone learned a bit more about Pastor Chuck and a few of "his favorite things" as well. The judges had a difficult time deciding on the winning dishes, but they tasted their way until it was agreed upon and "fabulous" prizes awarded! The evening was topped with many tables enjoying a great variety of board games. It was a wonderful opportunity to get to know Pastor Chuck as well as each other. Thank you to everyone who participated and made it a fun evening together.

Your Invitation & Welcome Team

Chris, Lisa, Julie, Alisha, Art, Darren & Keith

Pies Pies Pies!



St. Luke's UMW will once again sell pies for your Thanksgiving enjoyment. Baked pumpkin and pecan pies can be ordered now, to be picked up at the church on the day before Thanksgiving:

Wed, November 23, 2016, 12:00-3:00 pm

Pumpkin Pies—\$10 Pecan Pies—\$12

Pay when you pick up

Order forms are in the South Hall at church or you can call or email Carol Clark:

588-9267 or CarolClarkDbq@gmail.com

Remember! Food Pantry Donations

Food items needed: potatoes (flakes or canned), tuna, mac & cheese, oil, dish soap, and sugar.

Items can be placed in the shopping cart in the South Hall.



UMW Rummage Sale Results

Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent UMW Rummage Sale. THANK YOU to all of you who: donated your "treasures," helped set up Fellowship Hall, sorted the rummage, worked the day of the sale, made food for the workers, AND to those of you who bought items at the sale. The happy news is that we made **\$740.20** for our mission work. If you didn't get your things down to the church in time, remember there will be another rummage sale in April. Thanks again!

Thank You from Caprice and Family

I'll get straight to the point: On behalf of myself and my family, we are grateful to God for allowing us to experience the brethren at St. Luke's. We never had a baby shower, and you all were a part of our first being the best for last. Humbled I am to have shared that time with so many of you, and to the ones who couldn't attend: your spirit was present. I want to thank everyone who came. Whether you brought a tangible gift or not, you are a gift to us. For the ones who were able to share a tangible gift, thank you, and just know it will be in your honor a gift that keeps on giving. For our hearts are wrapped in your inspiration in which we cannot contain it. It must be shown through us to others. With that said I want everyone to thank Laurinda and the others that put it together.

God bless you all,
Caprice Jones

From Mark's Desk

St. Luke's in the Halloween Parade

Monday, October 24th, 2016

Meet at St. Luke's to get bracelets at 5:00 p.m.

Walk to parade start at 5:30 p.m.

Parade starts at Jackson Park: 6:30 p.m.

All members and their friends are invited to participate in this annual parade sponsored by the Dubuque Community YMCA/YWCA.

We will meet at St. Luke's (in costume) at 5:00 p.m. to receive bracelets that we will be handing out. Then we'll leave at 5:30 p.m. walking together as a unit to the starting point Jackson Park. The parade starts at 6:30 p.m., going from Jackson Park to Washington Park.

Children must have an adult with them and older youth must have 1 adult with each 5 youth. In the past we were asked to host the Judges viewing tables on our steps. This year again the judging will be at St. Luke's.

Please RSVP **as soon as possible** to Ty Muller at: (563) 872-3562

And, remember to look for God sightings daily.

*On God's Belay,
Mark*



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