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October 29, 2017

22nd Sunday After Pentecost

Reformation Sunday

8:30 a.m. Worship Service

St. Luke's — Celebrating 184 Years

1833-2017



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

Prelude “Still, Still With Thee” by Felix Mendelssohn
Sylvia Ward, organ

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

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Called to Worship

* Introit Chorus “The Church’s One Foundation” (verse 1 only, below)

1. The church’s one foundation
Is Jesus Christ our Lord;
We are Christ’s new creation
By water and the Word;
From heaven he came and sought us
That we might ever be
God’s living servant people,
By Jesus’ death set free.

* Opening prayer

**Mighty and loving God, we thank you for Jesus Christ, and for Christ’s body the church!
We thank you for your Holy Spirit, which put into Martin Luther’s heart a desire for a
reformed church, in which to worship you in holiness. We thank you for the warming of
John Wesley’s heart as he listened to Luther’s writings. And we thank you that, 500 years
later, we are able to worship you as our God. Amen.**

Anthem “Here I Stand with a Mighty Fortress Is Our God” by Larry Shackley
St. Luke’s Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

Called to Community

“Where Children Belong” TFWS 2233

Children’s Time Pastor Chuck Layton

“Jesus Loves Me” (chorus only) UMH 191

Hymn "Lord, Speak to Me" UMH 463

Called to Reflection

Old Testament Reading: Ecclesiastes 2:10-11
Psalter Reading: Psalm 90 *with sung response* UMH 809
New Testament Reading: Hebrews 13:5-6
Gospel Reading: Luke 12:15
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Message "Cultivating Contentment" Pastor Chuck Layton

* Hymn of Reflection "The Gift of Love" (verses 1-2) UMH 408

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

Offertory "Be Still My Soul" by Jean Sibelius
Sylvia Ward, piano

* Offering Response "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94

Prayer of Dedication

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World
* Sending Hymn "The Gift of Love" (verse 3) UMH 408

*** Benediction**

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* Music from the Tower Chime *(please stand)*
Postlude "Allegretto" by John Stanley
Sylvia Ward, 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 October 29 - November 5

Sunday, October 29 — Reformation Sunday

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
4:00 pm	Reformation Sunday Community Worship at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 2155 University Ave.

Monday, October 30

8:00 am	Chimes Deadline
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Tuesday, October 31

9:30 am	Terrific Tuesday at Convivium Urban Farmstead
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Wednesday, November 1

5:00 pm	Wonderful Wednesday Meal & Activities (see posted schedules)
6:00 pm	<i>Enough</i> : Small Group Study
6:30 pm	Trustees Meeting in the Conference Room

Thursday, November 2

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Parlor
11:15 am	Seniors Out & About - Just in the Nick of Time (meet at Woodlands)
7:00 pm	Time of Remembrance in the Parlor (United Methodist Women)

Friday, November 3

7:00 am	Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
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Saturday, November 4

6:30 am	Bread Run — Margie Breese & Marcia Young
5:30 pm	Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 9
6:00 pm	Saturday Night Praise with Communion in the Fellowship Hall

———— Daylight Savings Time Ends — Set clocks back 1 hour (Sunday 2:00 a.m.) —————

Next Sunday, November 5 — All Saints Sunday

8:30 am	Sunday Worship & Memorial Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am	Sunday Worship & Memorial Service with Communion in the Sanctuary



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers

Layla Harrelson - newborn

Great niece of Lori Boughton

Claire Susanne Zinsli - newborn, intensive care

Granddaughter of Roxanne Rollefson

Family of Stan Kubik - passed away

Marcia Dubbels - recovering from broken wrist

Her great-grandson **Gabriel** - 3 yo in hospital

Susan Funke - pain, recovery

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com

Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Nov 5 All Saints Sunday** with Communion
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- Nov 12** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- Nov 19** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Word on the Third
Contemporary Worship Service

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

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
- 7:15-8:15 pm Chancel Choir - Music Room

Youth Activities / Rehearsals

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

Habitat Home Dedication

**Sunday October 29 at 1:00 p.m.
2975 Lenox St. (off Pennsylvania)**

The community is invited to the dedication of the newly built Habitat House with community blessing. Bill and Alyssa Birch and four children are excited about their new home!

Reformation Sunday Community Worship

**Sunday October 29, 2017 at 4:00pm
Westminster Presbyterian Church
2155 University Avenue, Dubuque**

Join us for an energizing & ecumenical worship service to celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation! President Louise N. Johnson (WTS), preaching. Rev. Lindsay James, presiding (Westminster). Community Choir: Pamela Crawford, directing. Open to local singers! Offerings for local ministries collected. Reception follows. For more info, contact:



**Dr. Martin Lohrmann: 563-589-0305
mlohrmann@wartburgseminary.edu**

Annual Offering Envelopes



Sign-up by November 5th

Each year, for those who request it, St. Luke's orders personalized offering envelopes for the following year. Envelopes include your name, address, and a date for each Sunday in 2018 as well as special offerings. Sign-up sheet in the South Hall. Update contact information at the office: **563-582-4543** or dbqstluke@gmail.com

Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Potatoes any kind, sugar, mac & cheese, tuna, cooking oil, laundry soap, dish soap, garden produce

**Items can go in the
South Hall shopping cart.**





November 2 — Time of Remembrance at 7:00 pm in St. Luke’s parlor. Friends and family are invited to a time of sharing of the lives of St. Luke’s women who passed away since November 2016. We remember: *Barbara Crites, Ardeth Kirschbaum, Martha Laaker, Annette Olson, Carol Pins, Shirley Ring, Patricia Shannon, Marjorie Tayloe, and Marian Thomas.*

November 3 — Church Women United World Community Day: “Kindling PEACE.” Speaker: Sarah Gieseke, Director of Presentation Lantern Center at Sisters of the Presentation, 2360 Carter Road. All are welcome. 9:30 am Gathering, Program at 10:00 am. All are invited.

November 6 — Busy Bees at 1:00 pm St. Luke’s Fellowship Hall. Hostess: Pat Hefel.

Beverage tab donations may be placed on shelf in South Hallway.

Pie Order Forms for pumpkin and pecan are in South Hallway. Homemade pies to be picked up on Wednesday, November 22nd for Thanksgiving enjoyment.



Pies Pies Pies!

St. Luke’s United Methodist Women 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:

Wed, November 22, 2017, 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

Thanksgiving Ingathering

TODAY is the last day to donate!

Today is the last day to make your donation for the Thanksgiving Ingathering.

St. Luke’s will be taking a financial gift to the Ingathering to support the United Methodist Committee On Relief (UMCOR). **Please use the slips included in your bulletin to make a donation in the offering plate or at the church office.**

Terrific Tuesdays

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



- Oct 31** Convivium Urban Farmstead
- Nov 7** Oak Park Place
- Nov 14** Molly’s Silver Screen Canteen
- Nov 21** 9:00am Pie Making
10:00am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- Nov 28** Charlotte’s Coffee House

Donate to the Jesus Fund

Due to overwhelming demand, our “Jesus Fund” is completely **out of funds**. This ministry helps people in need get healthy groceries by providing vouchers to Eagle’s. Donations can be given in envelopes labeled “Jesus Fund.” Your help allows this ministry to provide that extra bit of food security people need.



Prescott Elementary & St. Luke’s Blood Drive

Mon, Nov. 13 — 1:15 - 5:45pm
Neighborhood Res. Ctr.



To sign up, call Prescott School at 563-552-4200 or Mike 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 Sept. 18, 2017.

Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center
www.bloodcenter.org

Hospice Holiday Help Presentation

Tuesday, November 14th, 6:30-7:30 pm
Egelhof, Siegert & Casper Westview
Funeral Home, 2659 JFK Road

November is National Hospice Month, an opportunity to become aware of the benefits of hospice care at a most vulnerable time of life. In partnership with Hospice of Dubuque, ESCW Funeral Home will host a Holiday Help presentation.

Speaker Jim Jelinske will share suggestions to help grieving individuals and families plan and cope with the holiday season. Jim will share how laughter, tears, old traditions and new approaches have a place in the 2017 holiday season, even if your heart is heavy with grief. Open to the public.

Mario's Hillcrest Italian Dinner

Wednesday, November 1 — 4:30 to 8:00pm
Anna B. Lawther Academy Gym
2505 Wilbricht Lane, Dubuque



Join us for our 33rd Annual Mario's Hillcrest Italian Dinner! Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$5 for children 12 and under. Eat in or carry out. Tickets available at the door or in advance at Hillcrest Locations.

Sponsored by Mario's Italian Restaurant. Funds raised through ticket sales are used to purchase Christmas presents for clients in our residential programs.

BAG IT! Documentary Movie



Sunday, November 5th at 2:00 pm
Westminster Presbyterian Church
2155 University Avenue, Dubuque
Refreshments | Donations Accepted

The Westminster Green Team presents a public showing of the documentary "Bag it!" An average guy makes a resolution to stop using plastic bags. Then we follow him as he embarks on a global tour to unravel the complexities of our plastic world, and find out what we can do about it!

Giving up plastic bags? St. Luke's Green Team will hand out reusable bags before and after services from Iowa Interfaith Power and Light. St. Luke's has received 80 bags. Half will be given at Food for the Soul. We are asking for \$4-6 donations for the remaining bags to offset the cost. Questions? Contact Social Justice Co-chairs RRS or Terry Stewart, or contact Mary Armstrong.

Center Grove UMC Fall Auction



Saturday, November 4, 2017
Lunch at 5pm, Auction at 6pm
3140 Brunskill Rd., accessible entry

Auction items include: meat, baked goods, candies, crafts, handmade items, quilted items, decorations, and much more!



For more information call: 563-582-8157
www.centergroveunitedmethodist.org
Facebook: [centergroveumchurch](https://www.facebook.com/centergroveumchurch)

Contentment is Key

Do you have a tough time separating "wants" from "needs"? Do you sometimes feel consumed by the desire to have more? Do you ever look at your surroundings and feel overwhelmed by the sheer volume of things? When is enough, enough?

Today in worship, we will release these burdens, address our human tendency head-on, and learn how to consciously change our ways. Also with your bulletin, you have received a special tool to encourage you in your pursuit of contentment: contentment key tags. Each key tag has a prayer of contentment printed on it. We encourage you to keep the tag on your key chain as a daily reminder to re-focus on contentment and simplicity. More tags and additional stewardship materials from last Sunday are available on the back table in the sanctuary.



Our Worship Specialists

	<u>October 29, 2017</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>October 29, 2017</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Joe & Kathy Lomax	Kathy & Gary Reid
Ushers	Joe & Kathy Lomax	Kathy & Gary Reid
Acolyte	—	—
Children's Time	Pastor Chuck Layton	Pastor Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Erick Kephart	Mike Loveless
Liturgist	Sue Lane	Keith Cook
Communion Steward	—	—
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart	DeLano Cain
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Denny Brimeyer	Paul Clark
Videographer	Bobby Martin	—
Worship Driver	—	Otto Krueger
	Saturday, October 28	Saturday, November 4
Bread Run	Hull family	Margie Breese & Marcia Young
Food for the Soul	Team 8	Team 9

Music Directors

St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe **Children's Music** — Heather Williams
Chancel Choir — Roxanne Rollefson **Chimers** — Larry Loeppeke
Bell Choir Director — David Patterson **Word on the Third** — Praise Team
Wind Ensemble coordinator — Sue Hattel

Lead Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland

Pianist/Organist: Sylvia Ward