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February 11, 2018

Transfiguration Sunday

8:30 a.m. Worship Service

St. Luke's — Celebrating 185 Years

1833-2018



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 "O Savior, Hear Me" by Christoph Von Gluck
Sylvia Ward, organ

Introit "God Is So Good" arr. Sharpe & McDonald
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

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

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Called to Worship

* Greeting

The Lord is sovereign; let the people tremble in awe.

God is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.

The Lord is great in Zion, and is high above all peoples.

**Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God,
and worship Yahweh upon the holy mountain.**

(From Hope to John, U.S.A., 20th Cent. Alt.)

*Hymn "God Almighty, We Are Waiting" *Worship & Song* 3047

Called to Community

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233

Children's Time Pastor Chuck Layton

"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

Anthem "A Heavenly Celebration" by Mark Hayes
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Called to Reflection

Old Testament Reading: 2 Kings 2: 1-12
Psalter Reading: Psalm 50: 1-6 with response UMH 783
New Testament Reading: 2 Corinthians 4: 3-6
Gospel Reading: Mark 9: 2-9
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Message "I Want to Be Dazzled" Pastor Chuck Layton

*Hymn # 173 "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies" UMH 173

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

Offertory "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" arr. by Carol Tornquist
with "He Has Made Me Glad"
Sylvia Ward, piano

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

Prayer of Dedication

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

*** Benediction**

* Sung Benediction "Benediction Hymn" *Worship & Song* 3182
Pastor will sing it to you, then we all will sing it for each other

* Music from the Tower Chime *(please stand)*

Postlude "Lord, at Departing" by George F. Handel
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 February 11 - February 18

Sunday, February 11 — Transfiguration Sunday

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:00 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room & Sanctuary
10:30 am	Jazz Prelude in the Sanctuary
10:45 am	Mardi Gras Jazz Worship Service in the Sanctuary
11:45 am	Mardi Gras Luncheon Celebration in the Fellowship Hall

Monday, February 12 — No Events

Tuesday, February 13 — No Events

Wednesday, February 14

	No Wonderful Wednesday
7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Worship Service in the Sanctuary

Thursday, February 15

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Parlor
7:00 pm	UMW Kaleidoscope at Bethany Home

Friday, February 16

7:00 am	Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
12:05 pm	Fabulous Friday Concert in the Sanctuary
	Gathering, coffee, and desserts afterwards in the Fellowship Hall

Saturday, February 17

6:30 am	Bread Run — Dan Jacobsen & Steve Sanders
8:30 am	Leadership Retreat at Pictured Rocks
5:30 pm	Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 1
6:00 pm	Saturday Night Praise in the Fellowship Hall

Next Sunday, February 18 — First Sunday of Lent

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Sunday School / Families in Faith
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:00 am	Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room & Sanctuary
10:45 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
2:00 pm	Women's Emmaus Closing in the Sanctuary



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families
Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers
Nasim's daughter (McWethy's friend) - NICU
Cheri Loveless

Jim McCarthy (Coni S's brother) - MS testing
Jack Dobbert (Coni S's uncle) - stage 4 cancer
Cheryl I. Murguia - passed away
Patrick Lansing - passed away
(Loveless's son-in-law's father)

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com
Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.

Upcoming Worship Services

- 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 Services
- Mar 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

Windows of Opportunity



- Communion Steward for 8:30am and 9:30am summer worship. Training provided. Set up communion elements prior to worship each month. Contact Sue H 556-1394.
- Fabulous Friday desserts needed January 26 – March 23. Sign up in the South Hallway.
- Volunteers to record services once a month.
- 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.

Mardi Gras Worship Service & Celebration Luncheon TODAY!



Starting with a 10:30 am jazz prelude, the 10:45 am jazz worship service will feature great music by the Upper Main Street Jazz Band (Ric Jones, leader) and a festive meal following the service!

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.

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:

<https://www.iaumc.org/camps>



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

Offer your donation today marked "Red Basket Project" or with the following in the South Hall red basket:



Tampons: Junior, Regular, Super.
Pantiliners: Always Thin Pantiliners, or any brand medium or heavy absorbency pantiliners.



**Lament and Devotion:
A Lenten Musical Journey**
Dr. Charles Barland, organist and
University of Dubuque 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, including music by Bach, Mozart, Mendelssohn, and Brahms among others. Free public event. Donations will be accepted to offset costs of the annual choir tour. Snow date is February 27th. Accessible entry via the alley entrance.

Terrific Tuesdays

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



- Feb 20** Oak Park Place
- Feb 27** 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- Mar 6** Caribou Coffee
- Mar 20** Asbury Hy-Vee Starbucks

**Fabulous Friday
Dessert Sign-up**



We need help with desserts for Fabulous Fridays! Ideally we will have a minimum of four desserts each Friday after the concert which ends around 12:30 p.m. If you would like to provide desserts, **sign up in the South Hall.** For more information contact reception coordinators Char Schmitt or Lynn Kerker.

Ringers Needed!



The JuBELLation Ringers are in need of musicians to join our ranks. If you can read music and are able to commit to weekly rehearsals on Wednesday evenings (6:15–7:15 p.m.) and one Sunday a month, please contact David Patterson: dpatterson2000@mchsi.com or 563-557-7529



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.



Jesus Fund

Our “Jesus Fund” Ministry helps people in need get healthy groceries. Donations can be put into the offering plate as “Jesus Fund.”

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





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 give their license plate, car make/model, and contact information to the church office at:

563-582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com

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 meets 10am Sundays until Mar. 11

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
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
6:30-7:45 pm Confirmation - Conference Room

Weather-Related Cancellations

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

KCRG 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

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, a place for friendship. Join us in a friendly place where people can interact, enjoy social time, find support, share and celebrate without feeling misunderstood.

No fee to attend. Pre-registration not required. For more information, contact Rev. Dr. Jade Angelica at jadeangelica@gmail.com or **563-582-4724**

Lectionary Bible Study

Thursdays at 10am in the Parlor



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

Bereavement Support Groups

Mon, Feb. 26 or **Tues, Feb. 27**
Apr. 2, 6p-8p or **Apr. 3, 10a-12p**

Hospice Dubuque
Theisen Education Center, 1670 JFK Rd.
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.

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>February 11, 2018</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>February 11, 2018</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Betty Phillips, Margie Breese	Gary & Kathy Reid
Ushers	Margie Breese, Sue Hattel	Gary & Kathy Reid
Acolyte	Sara Albert	—
Children's Time	Pastor Chuck Layton	Pastor Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Susan McGovern	Rich Young
Liturgist	Deb Albert	Terry Stewart
Communion Steward	—	—
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	Heather Williams	Heather Williams
Slides	Chris Kohlmann	Chris Kohlmann
Projectionist	Chris Kohlmann	Paul Clark
Videographer	Greg Albert	—
Worship Driver	—	Otto Krueger
	Saturday, February 10	Saturday, February 17
Bread Run	Mike & Cheri Loveless	Dan Jacobsen & Steve Sanders
Food for the Soul	Team 11	Team 1

Music Directors

St. Luke's Singers — Keith Rippe

Chancel Choir — Roxanne Rollefson

Bell Choir Director — David Patterson

Word on the Third Praise Team — Roxanne Rollefson

Lead Organist: Dr. Chuck Barland

Children's Music — Heather Williams

Chimers — Larry Loeppeke

Wind Ensemble coordinator — Sue Hattel

Pianist/Organist: Sylvia Ward