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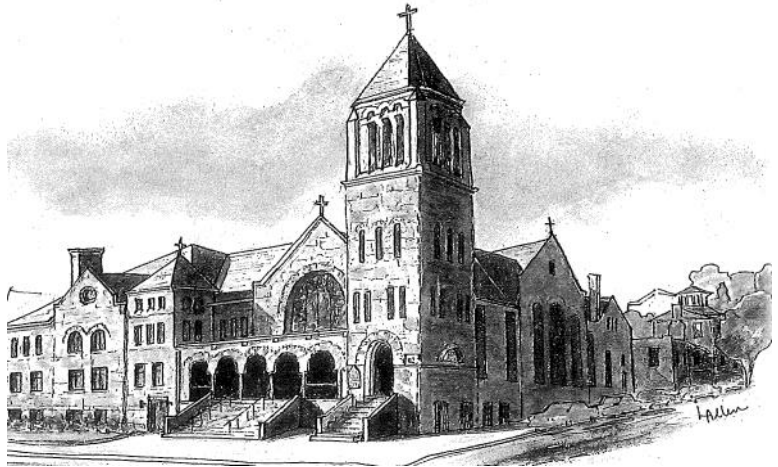
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April 8, 2018

2nd Sunday of Easter

8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services

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

8:30 Prelude *Andante* from “The Water Music” by George F. Handel
Sylvia Ward, organ

10:45 Prelude “Simple Gifts” arr. Hart Morris
JuBELLation Bell Choir; David Patterson, director

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

8:30 Introit “He Is Alive” by Pepper Choplin
St. Luke’s Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

*** Called to Worship**

* Call to Worship

Leader: Come and share the ample treasure of new life in Christ

ALL: We celebrate our unity as God’s people.

Leader: Christ has died and Christ is Risen!

ALL: Christ’s Spirit is our advocate, our helper, our comforter in times of need!

* Hymn “O Living God” *(on screen)*
Worship & Song 3089

Called to Community

“Where Children Belong” TFWS 2233

Children’s Time Rev. Chuck Layton

“Jesus Loves Me” (chorus only) UMH 191

8:30 Anthem “Risen Indeed!” by Larry Schakley
St. Luke’s Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director

10:45 Anthem “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” by George N. Allen
JuBELLation Bell Choir; David Patterson, director arr. David Patterson

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Called to Reflection

New Testament Reading:	Acts 4: 32-35	
Psalter Reading:	Psalms 133 <i>With response</i>	UMH 850
Epistle Reading:	1 John 1:1-2:2	
Gospel Reading:	John 20: 19-31	
<i>And all God's people said:</i>	Thanks be to God!	
Message	"Easter Is More Than..."	Rev. Chuck Layton
* Hymn	"This Is a Day of New Beginnings"	UMH 383

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

8:30	Offertory	"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"	arr. Crystal D. Clay Sylvia Ward, piano
10:45	Offertory		Dr. Chuck Barland, organ
* Doxology		"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	UMH 94
Prayer of Dedication			

Sent to Serve

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

* Hymn	"Benediction Hymn"	(on screen) Worship & Song 3182
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*** Benediction**

* Benediction			
8:30	* Music from the Tower Chime <i>(please remain standing)</i>		
	Postlude	"Crown Him With Many Crowns"	by Bridges/Thring/Elvey Sylvia Ward, organ
10:45	Postlude and Music from the Tower Chime <i>(please be seated)</i>		
	Postlude	"Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"	by Robert Hobby Dr. Chuck Barland, 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 April 8 - 15

Sunday, April 8

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
10:45 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary

Monday, April 9

1:00 pm	Busy Bees in the Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm	Dubuque for Refugee Children Meeting in the Wesley Room

Tuesday, April 10

4:30 pm	Care & Compassion Meeting in the Conference Room
6:30 pm	Worship & Celebration Meeting in the Conference Room

Wednesday, April 11

5:00 pm	Wonderful Wednesday meal, children's activities, and rehearsals
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Thursday, April 12

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Conference Room
6:30 pm	SPPRC Meeting in the Conference Room

Friday, April 13

7:00 am	Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
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Saturday, April 14

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 in the Fellowship Hall

Sunday, April 15

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am	Confirmand Reception in the Fellowship Hall
9:30 am	Sunday School / Families in Faith
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am	Word on the Third Contemporary Worship with Confirmation



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families
Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers
David Overby (friend of Sue H.) - fire losses

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com

Prayer listings are listed for two weeks.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Apr 15** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Word on the Third
Contemporary Worship Service
with **Confirmation**
- Apr 22** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
Celebrating Earth Day
- Apr 29** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- May 6** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion

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



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

- Apr 17** Betty Phillips' at Oak Park Place
- Apr 24** 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- May 1** Jitterz
- May 15** Dodge Hy-Vee Starbucks



New Custodian

Hello, I'm Jim Hanson. I'll be joining St. Luke's as your custodian/maintenance person beginning April 9th. I'm looking forward to my new position, providing the care and maintenance to preserve the upkeep and appearance of your beautiful church. It's my pleasure to accept this position and look forward to serving the congregation at St. Luke's United Methodist Church.



Mountain T.O.P. Meeting

April 22nd
after 2nd service (about noon)
in the Fellowship Hall



Youth Director Opportunity

St. Luke's United Methodist Church is seeking a Children and Youth Director to strengthen the discipleship, fellowship and faith of our congregation and be able to reach out to welcome and create safe and life giving spaces for children, youth and families. This is a full time position.

Please see [the website for a full description.](#)

www.stlukesumcdbq.org



United
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Women
FAITH·HOPE·LOVE IN ACTION

April 9 Busy Bees meet at 1:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. Devotions, dessert and tying of quilts for Hillcrest residential students. Hostess: Pat Hefel. New members and guests are always welcome into this fellowship group.

April 19 Hillcrest Youth Activity Night - 6pm to 8pm Hillcrest Community Room - Lower Level of Hadley Chapel. Park on Wilbricht Rd. and enter. Games, conversation & refreshments. **Men and women** invited to meet new friends and join the fun!!

April 28 East Central UMW Spa Day - 10am-2:30pm. \$10 "RELAX" Hosted at Dubuque Grand View UMC. Activities include: devotions; line dancing; hiking, song fest; women's defense, hand scrubs and more. **LUNCH included.** RSVP: Wava Terry, 121 Princeton Pl., Dubuque, IA 52001.

Disciple: Becoming Disciples Through Bible Study

**Introductory Meeting
April 10 at 6:30 p.m.**

Does it really say that in the Bible? Or what about the story of Jonah and the whale -- was Jonah really swallowed by a whale and thrown up on an island? Do you have questions like these that you never got the answer to? Have you ever wanted to read the entire Bible, cover to cover but never took the time or actually get it done?

Steve and Kathy Lamb are offering a bible study program including a study of the whole bible. An introductory meeting will be held April 10, at 6:30 p.m. for anyone who thinks they might be interested. Please call Kathy Lamb at 563-599-1928 or email kflamb@mchsi.com for more info.

May Friendship Day

Friday, May 4th, 2018

9am brunch | 10am program

**Holy Trinity Lutheran Church ELCA
1755 Delhi St. (accessible, off street parking)**

Church Women United host

**"Reaching for Wholeness:
In gratitude for God's Presence."**

Brunch: 9:00 - 9:50 am (\$5). **RSVP by April 30** with Barb Rank at: **312-304-4037** (pay at event). Menu: hot dishes, pastries, fruit, coffee & tea.

Program: 10:00 am with Celebration, Fellowship of the Least Coin & program speaker Natalie Romeo-Martyn, Hillcrest Care Coordinator of Integrated Health & Home will talk about the "Well Being of Children & Youth." Everyone is invited! Beverage tabs accepted.

Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Rice, ketchup, brownie mix, sugar, ramen, graham crackers, dish soap

Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart.



East Central District UMW Spa Day

Saturday, April 28

10:00 a.m. — 2:30 p.m.

Grand View UMC, Dubuque, IA

Please join us for a fun, relaxing, and entertaining Spa Day to connect & build relationships with other United Methodist Women from the East Central District. This will be a fun "Know & Be Known" event hosted by Grand View. Lunch is included. **Activities included:** song fest, coloring, jigsaw puzzles, trail hiking, quilt tying, nail polishing, women's self defense, devotional room, card signing for deaconess, and hand scrubs.

Cost: \$10. RSVP by April 23 to: Wava Terry at: yrretwr@mchsi.com or **563-581-5113**

Prescott Elementary's 7th Annual Musical



Disney's Aladdin, Jr.

Thursday, April 12, 2018

2:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.

Prescott Gymnasium

Prescott Elementary will perform their annual all-school musical with performance times at both 2:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. **Donations are welcome** to support the arts at Prescott Elementary.

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 Hattel 556-1394.



- 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.
- Create name tag plates for members.

Easter Lilies

In Honor of or in Memory of our loved ones...

Betty Phillips in Memory of Carol L. Phillips

Marilyn Conklin in Memory of Eugene Conklin

Marilyn Conklin in Memory of John Perry Conklin

David & Barbara Bonnett in Memory of their parents

Keith & Peg Unangst in Honor of Pam Watts

Lori Boughton in Memory of her parents Roy & Betty Rieder

Laura Carstens in Honor of her mother Betty Farcas

Margie Breese in Memory of John & Alyce Breese

Margie Breese in Memory of Alan Breese

Robin O'Connor in Memory of her parents

Robin O'Connor in Honor of her family

Judy & Blake McKahin in Honor of Betty & Eldon Hantelmann

Judy & Blake McKahin in Honor of Edith & Harold Duffin

Kathy & Gary Reid in Memory of their parents:

C. Freaman & Blanch Reid and Ralph & Eileen Kuehl

Alan & Sue Hattel in Memory of Joy A. Berry

Alan & Sue Hattel in Memory of John Duggan

Alan Hattel in Honor/Memory of his family

Susan Carson Hattel in Honor/Memory of her family

Rev. Alice Shirley in Memory of Walter & Marion Shirley, and Cleo Hoover

Lynn Kerker in Memory of Earl Kerker



St. Luke's Garden Ministry Opportunities



St. Luke's Wading Pool Garden project and Edible Landscape projects need the help of parishioners to continue these important ministries. You do not need to be a gardener to be able to help with the many tasks. These are some of the tasks for which we seek help:

- Plant seeds and tend plants at the Dubuque Rescue Mission greenhouse. Times will be determined according to need.
- Assist the morning of May 5th with the Wading Pool Garden Fair.
- Be a Garden Guide for a new wading pool gardener or at one of the Residential Group homes.
- Help plant and tend the St. Luke's parking lot edible landscape and other areas, as needed and harvest produce from any area of our edible landscape.

Sign up sheets are on the South hallway. If you have any suggestions, questions or donations for our garden ministries, please call or email:

Jennifer Crow: 563-564-2176
jjcrow24@aol.com

Mary Purdy: 563-590-5313
mary_purdy@hotmail.com

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. Apply early.

For more information phone Rev. Alice Shirley at 618-367-0922 or visit the website provided above.

Iowa Justice For Our Neighbors (JFON) Informational Meeting

Tuesday, April 17, 2018 from 3pm to 4pm
St. Raphael's, Paris Hall, 213 Bluff St.
Support Needed!

Iowa Justice For Our Neighbors (JFON) is a standing committee of the Iowa Conference of the United Methodist Church. It provides free immigration legal services to indigent immigrants and refugees throughout the state. At this meeting, you are invited to learn more about JFON, the Iowa Department of Human Rights and ongoing changes to immigration law. The informational meeting will be from 3-4 p.m. From 4-8 p.m., representatives from JFON and Catholic Charities will be holding immigration legal consultations.

St. Luke's is a sponsor of this event and will be providing snacks and other logistical support. Other needed support:

- Publishing & printing flyers to be distributed
- Volunteers for the day (help with registration, filling out safety planning forms, etc.)
- Helping community members fill out intake forms before their legal consultations
- Help community members with non-legal issues and questions while they are waiting for their legal consultation.
- Hospitality volunteers
- Work with advertising

For more information or to help, please contact R.R.S. Stewart at: countess14@hotmail.com

Avery Foundation Financial Assistance for Cancer Patients in the Tri-State Area

The Avery Foundation provides financial assistance to cancer patients in the Tri-State area with the expenses associated with cancer treatments. An application for assistance can be found on the Foundation's website at: averyfndtn.org

Questions can be forwarded by e-mail to:

averyfndtn.ron@gmail.com

To make donations see the website or Facebook page: www.Facebook.com/Averyfndtn

Dubuque's Memory Café

April 12, 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

Bereavement Support Group

Mondays, April 16 - May 21
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Hospice of Dubuque
Theisen Education Center, 1670 JFK Rd.
Register by April 10, 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.

Ringers Needed!

The JuBELLation Ringers are in need of musicians. 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



Lectionary Bible Study

Thursdays at 10am — Conf. Room



Meet with Pastor Chuck in the Conference Room to discuss scriptures for the upcoming Sunday.

Call for Technology Volunteers

We need volunteers to make this ministry work. Volunteers are needed to record a service once a month and to make the DVDs for this ministry. The church provides the equipment and the training.



Please contact Bobby Martin. A detailed full description of duties is in the church office.

If you would like to volunteer to run the audio and projector during the service, **please contact Paul Clark or the church office.**

Dubuque Arboretum Spring Cleanup

Saturday, April 14 and 21 — 9:00am to Noon
Dubuque Arboretum & Botanical Gardens

Celebrate Spring with the arboretum community spring clean-up events! Light lunch follows the clean-up. Please call in advance: 563-556-2100. Save the date & join us!

Red Basket Project



The Red Basket Project was created to provide women and girls with access to free feminine hygiene products at sites throughout the city. St. Luke's is one of the sites. St. Luke's depends entirely on donations for this program.

Please consider donating funds or products including thin, medium and heavy pads and tampons in regular or super sizes. These are provided in the women's restroom in the lower level of the church. At least 10 packs are taken each 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.

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>April 8, 2018</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>April 8, 2018</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Kathy & Gary Reid
Ushers	Bruce & Sarah Jo Redding	Kathy & Gary Reid
Acolyte	Margie Breese	—
Children's Time	Rev. Chuck Layton	Rev. Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Susan McGovern	Mark Tilson
Liturgist	Sue Lane	Chris Becker
Communion Steward	—	—
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart	R.R.S. Stewart
Slides	Paul Clark	Paul Clark
Projectionist	Chris Kohlmann	Paul Clark
Videographer	Greg Albert	—
Worship Driver	—	Otto Krueger
	Saturday, April 7	Saturday, April 14
Bread Run	Dan Jacobsen, Steve Sanders	Margie Breese, Marcia Young
Food for the Soul	Team 8	Team 9

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