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St. Luke's
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1833 185th 2018
*Being the Change
Yesterday, Today, & Tomorrow*



May 13, 2018

Mother's Day & Blanket Sunday
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 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" based on *Dominus*
Sylvia Ward, organ *Regit Me* by John B. Dykes
arr. Sharon Elergy Rogers

10:45 Prelude "How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely" setting by Jacob B. Weber
Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

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

Welcome/Announcements/Greetings/Introductions

Church World Service Video: Women and Water in Rural Kenya

*** Called to Worship**

* Call to Worship

Leader: We hear the call: "Children, come! It's time to start the day together!"

People: **We respond: "Yes, we're coming!" Hair combed and faces washed, we gather.
We gather in the living room of our Heavenly Parent.**

Leader: We gather to tell God how glad we are to be God's children.

People: **We gather to sing and pray and hear the old old story of Jesus and his love.**

8:30 * Hymn "How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely" TFWS 2042

Called to Community

10:45 Music "Alleluia"
Randall Ringers; Heather Williams, music director
Laurinda Brimeyer, teacher

10:45 St. Luke's Saints Avery, Maura, Kaeden, Merrick, Laurinda Brimeyer,
Nathan, Evalee, Owen, Andrew, Colin teacher

"Where Children Belong" TFWS 2233
Children's Time & Blanket Blessing Terry Stewart, R.R.S. Stewart
"Jesus Loves Me" (chorus only) UMH 191

8:30 Anthem "Moments Like These - Celebrate the Family" by Ruth Schram &
St. Luke's Singers Family Choir; Keith Rippe, director Aren Williams

10:45 Anthem "House on the Rock"
Joyful Noise; Heather Williams, music director
Anezka Lungwitz, teacher

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Called to Reflection

New Testament Reading: Acts 1: 15-17, 21-26
Psalter Reading: Psalm 1 *with response* #2 UMH 738
*Gospel Reading: John 17: 6-19
And all God's people said: **Thanks be to God!**

Message "Is God a Helicopter Parent?" Rev. Chuck Layton
* Hymn "Forth in Thy Name, O Lord" UMH 438

Called to Share

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

8:30 Offertory "Oh How He Loves You and Me" by Kurt Kaiser
Sylvia Ward, piano arr. Fred Bock

10:45 Offertory "Forth In Thy Name, O Lord" setting by Kevin Hildebrand
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 "The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve" TFWS 2241

* Benediction

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8:30 * Music from the Tower Chime (*please remain standing*)
Postlude Chorale on "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" based on *Ein Feste Burg* by Martin Luther
Sylvia Ward, organ arr. Sharon Elery Rogers

10:45 Postlude and Music from the Tower Chime (*please be seated*)
Postlude "Prelude and Fugue in F Major" by J.S. Bach
Dr. Chuck Barland, organ

Note: Please feel free to use language in worship that is inclusive and affirms a diverse imagery for God.

Blessing of the CWS Blankets

Leader: Let us pray. God of great love who taught us all compassion, we continue to share the blessings that we have received from you with our neighbors.

People: Who are our neighbors?

Leader: A mother sheltering her children from the cold. A family looking for a new home. A homeless person living on the streets. May we recognize them as God's children.

People: How will these blankets help?

Leader: The blankets we bless today represent our compassion for our brothers and sisters. With the blankets we send our love and our witness to the presence of God's divine nature in our world.

People: We bear witness.

Leader: That the people who donated these blankets will provide a blessing of God's love in this world.

People: We send our love.

Leader: Acknowledging that we first received this love from God and pray that in so sending these blankets that God's grace will spread far and wide.

People: This is our prayer.

Leader: Bless the givers, the blankets we provided, the work of Church World Service to deliver the blankets on our behalf and the lives of all who receive our blankets, with God's great love.

All: Amen.

Prayer for the Blessing of the Blankets

Leader: Gracious God, you have given us so many good gifts. Help us to share these gifts with others.

People: God of love, grant our prayer.

Leader: Let us pray for the poor, the homeless, the hungry, the oppressed, the unemployed and those in any need.

(Silence)

Leader: Gracious God, bless the givers of these blankets. May they demonstrate your love through the giving of these gifts.

People: Bless the blankets we have provided. Bless Church World Service while they are delivering the blankets on our behalf. Bless the lives of all who will receive these blankets, with God's great love.

All: God of love grant our prayer. Amen.



Church World Service Blanket & Hygiene Kit Donations



Lori Boughton	In Memory of	Betty Rieder, mother
Betty Phillips	In Memory of	Stella Meyer
Laura Carstens	In Memory of	Elizabeth Rice, mother
Paul & Carol Clark	In Honor of	Betty Farcas, mother
Lynn Kerker	In Memory of	Eva Armstrong
Gary & Kathy Reid	In Memory of	Eleanor Clark
Robin O'Connor	In Memory of	Alice Clover, mother
Dave & Barb Bonnett	In Memory of	Doris Incontro, sister
Margie Breese	In Memory of	Lucia Kerker
Dennis & Laurinda Brimeyer	In Memory of	Ralph & Eileen Kuehl
Mark Tilson	In Honor of	C. Freeman & Blanche Reid
Marcia Young	In Memory of	Yelma Hillyard
Don & Char Schmitt	In Memory of	Our Parents
Charlene Metsker	In Memory of	Alyce Breese, mother
Terry Stewart & Judy Schmidt	In Memory of	Margaret Evans, grandmother
R.R.S. Stewart	In Memory of	Minnie Bradley, grandmother
Mike & Cheri Loveless	In Memory of	Marian Thomas
Al & Sue Hattel	In Honor of	Marlene Brimeyer
	In Honor of	Phyllis Tilson
	In Memory of	Verla Perry
	In Memory of	Marcella Baal
	In Memory of	Marie Jannette
	In Memory of	Alice Metsker, mother
	In Memory of	Grace Metsker, grandmother
	In Memory of	Uvena Pidgeon, grandmother
	In Memory of	Mildred Spencer Stewart, mother
	In Memory of	Alice Bausch Schmidt, mother
	In Memory of	Mildred (Stewart) Drew, sister
	In Honor of	Judy Schmidt
	In Honor of	Cheri Loveless
	In Honor of	Marcy Ryan
	In Honor of	Mary Loveless
	In Honor of	Alison Hutchins
	In Honor of	Morgan Lansing
	In Honor of	Lisa Hattel, daughter-in-law

St. Luke's United Methodist Church
Upcoming Events for May 13 - 20

Sunday, May 13 — Mother's Day, and Blanket Sunday

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, May 14

8:00 am	Chimes Deadline
2:00 pm	Eva Schneider Visitation at Leonard Funeral Home 2595 Rockdale Road, Dubuque, IA 52003 — 563-556-6788

Tuesday, May 15

9:30 am	Terrific Tuesday at Convivium Urban Farmstead
11:00 am	Eva Schneider Funeral Service in the Sanctuary
6:30 pm	Finance Meeting in the Conference Room

Wednesday, May 16

5:00 pm	Last Wonderful Wednesday meal, children's activities, and rehearsals
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Thursday, May 17

10:00 am	Bible Study in the Conference Room
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Friday, May 18

7:00 am	Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
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Saturday, May 19

6:30 am	Bread Run — Dan Jacobsen & Steve Sanders
5:30 pm	Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 3
6:00 pm	Saturday Night Praise in the Wesley Room

Next Sunday, May 20 — Pentecost Sunday & Recognition Sunday

40th Anniversary of the Handbells

8:30 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30-10:45 am	Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am	Sunday Worship Service in the Sanctuary



Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns



Those in Uniform & Their Families
Our Homebound & Those At Care Centers
Family of Eva Schneider - passed away
Phoebe Ernzen - cancer returned, chemo
 (Eleanor Jach's friend)
Bruce Leibold - surgery
Laura (Deb Albert's sister-in-law) - lung surgery
Angel Holzhauser - health concerns
Family of Eileen Putchio - passed away
 (Tammy Lynch's son-in-law's grandmother)
Mary Manning (Tammy's aunt) - heart attack
Rick & Hilda Schmitt - Rick ICU, burglarized
 (Tammy's brother-in-law and sister)

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

Upcoming Worship Services

- May 20 Pentecost Sunday**
40th Anniversary of Handbells
Recognition Sunday
 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- Summer Sundays Schedule Begins**
 9:00 a.m. Coffee & Conversations - South Hall
 9:45 a.m. Hymn Sing - Sanctuary
 10:00 a.m. Worship Services
- May 27 Trinity Sunday & Peace with Justice**
 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
- June 3** 10:00 a.m. Worship with Communion
June 10 Heritage Sunday
 10:00 a.m. Worship with Communion
- Saturday Night Praise — Every Saturday**
 6:00 p.m. Praise Service in the Wesley Room
 with Communion every first Saturday

Items Needed for the Food Pantry

Pasta, spaghetti sauce, canned fruit, tuna, toilet tissue, bar soap, laundry soap, garden produce

Items can go in the South Hall shopping cart.



United Methodist Women
 FAITH·HOPE·LOVE IN ACTION

May 7 Busy Bees at 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Host: Marcia Young. Devotions, dessert and tying of quilts for Hillcrest residential youth.

May 9 Providing Prescott Elementary School Outreach Staff Luncheon

Vacation Bible School Registration



Vacation Bible School 2018

Monday June 25th - Thursday June 28th
5:30 p.m. Family Dinner
Vacation Bible School 6-8 p.m.
 Westminster Presbyterian Church
 2155 University Ave., Dubuque, IA 52001

To sign-up for Vacation Bible School, go to:
wpcdbq.org/gods-big-backyard-registration-form/

Prescott Blood Drive Results



Thank you so much for your donations this past Monday! We collected 23 donations to help up to 86 people! We also earned a cash grant of \$273 for Prescott school to use at their discretion! Thank you especially to Sharee Hoegerl, drive coordinator from Mississippi Valley Blood Bank. Our next drive will be Monday November 12. Thanks to everyone for your continued support of this wonderful project! With big hugs to all of you, Mike Loveless

Congratulations 2018 Graduates!

High School

Megan Lynch will graduate from the Alternative Learning Center, receiving her diploma from Hempstead High School. Megan's mother is Tammy Lynch.



College



Briana R. Basten will graduate from Fox Valley Technical College in Appleton, Wisconsin with specialty as a Dental Hygienist. Briana's parents are Mike and Sally Basten.

John Hefel graduated in December with a Master of Science in Project Management degree from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville. John is a Test Lab Supervisor at John Deere PEC, Waterloo. John's parents are Wayne and Celeste Hefel.



Clarice LeBlanc will graduate from Coe College with her Bachelor of Arts degree and has accepted a position as an Auditor at RSM Dubuque.

Nadia Loepke will graduate from the University of Iowa with a double major in International Studies and Spanish, with a minor in French. She is graduating a member of Phi Beta Kappa, with honors and high distinction. She



will be working as a Cultural Assistant with the Spanish government this fall. Nadia's parents are Larry Loepke and Andrea Beacham.

Kelli Miller will graduate from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in December with a Masters of Library and Information Studies degree. She is working at the Stoughton library and plans to continue her career as a youth services librarian.



Sarah Sheldon will graduate from the University of Iowa with a bachelor's degree in History (minor in Ancient Civilizations with Museum studies certificate). She plans to take a year off to save money for graduate school the following year. Her

parents are Kim and Scott Sheldon.

Jennifer Quigley will graduate with a Doctor of Theology degree from Harvard University. She plans to teach at Drew University in New Jersey this fall. Jennifer's is the child of Dan & JoAnn Quigley and the daughter-in-law of John & Nancy Hessler.



Spencer John Washburn will finish his Doctor of Philosophy in Earth and Environmental Sciences this spring at Rackham Graduate School at the University of Michigan. He will be employed by the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center, Edgewater, Maryland. He will continue his work in [mercury research](#). Spencer is Bobby and Kay Martin's son-in-law having married Kalli (Martin) at St. Luke's in 2014.



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

- May 15** Convivium Urban Farmstead
- May 22** 8:30 am Breakfast at Village Inn
10:00 am Sit & Knit in the Parlor
- May 29** One Mean Bean
- Jun 5** Dodge Hy-Vee Starbucks

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.



Church World Service — Tools of Hope

The Social Justice team of St Luke's is coordinating with CWS (Church World Service) on June 17th, when we will honor our fathers by participating in Tools Sunday. We're privileged to have these opportunities for Christian service, and ask for your participation by donating towards the tools CWS distributes. "You are Jesus through your actions, not just through your words...be the hands and feet of Christ."

You may use the envelopes provided in the bulletin, and place them in the offering plates, or use envelopes provided in South Hallway and turn them in to the church office by Monday 11 June to be included on the Tools Donation list that will be in the Father's Day bulletin. If you are donating in honor of someone, please write "in honor of _____" on the envelope. Tools can be paid for by cash or check. Checks can be made out to St. Luke's UMC with "CWS Tool Sunday" on the memo line (if you want it to count towards your St. Luke's pledge) or to Church World Service with "Tool Sunday" on the memo line. If you want a card to give to the person you are donating in honor of, they are available on the table in the back of the church. Thanks, sisters and brothers in Christ.

St. Luke's Garden Ministry Opportunities

St. Luke's Wading Pool Garden project and Edible Landscape projects need help. 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.
- Be a Garden Guide for a new wading pool gardener or at a Residential Group home.
- Help plant and tend the St. Luke's parking lot edible landscape and other areas, as needed and harvest from our edible landscapes.



Sign up sheets are in 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 are available in the South Hall or you can view them online at: 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.

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.

Our Worship Specialists

	<u>May 13, 2018</u> 8:30 a.m.	<u>May 13, 2018</u> 10:45 a.m.
Greeters	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Kathy & Gary Reid
Ushers	Smokey & Susan McGovern	Kathy & Gary Reid
Acolyte	—	—
Children's Time	Rev. Chuck Layton	Rev. Chuck Layton
Offering Depositor	Sue Hattel	Mark Tilson
Liturgist	Otto Krueger	Nancy Bradley
Communion Steward	—	—
Organist/Pianist	Sylvia Ward	Dr. Chuck Barland
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart	R.R.S. Stewart
Slides	Chris Kohlmann	Chris Kohlmann
Projectionist	Chris Kohlmann	Viny Williams
Videographer	Greg Albert	—
Worship Driver	—	Mark Tilson
	Saturday, May 12	Saturday, May 19
Bread Run	Michael Rusch & Marcia Young	Dan Jacobsen, Steve Sanders
Food for the Soul	Team 2	Team 3

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