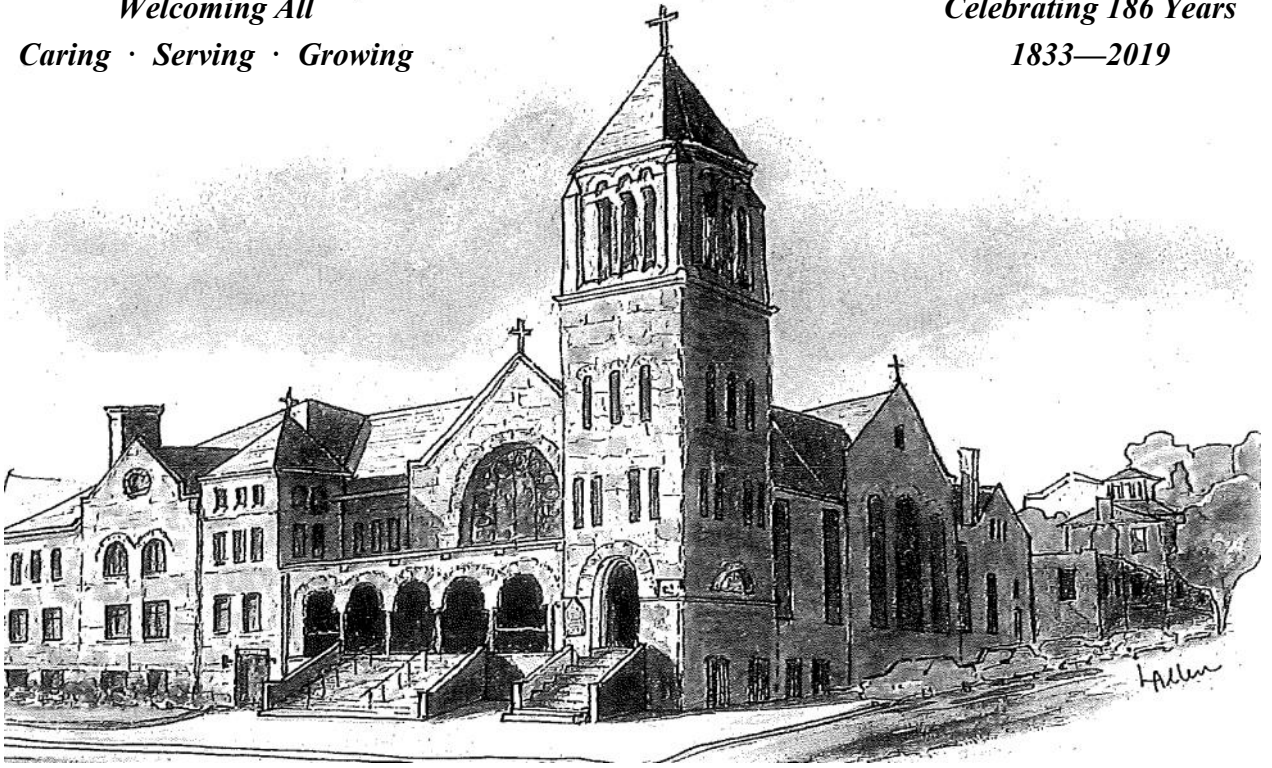


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St. Luke's

United Methodist Church

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October 6, 2019
17th Sunday after Pentecost
World Communion Sunday
10:45 a.m. Worship Service

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St. Luke's Invitation & Welcome



Sunday, October 6, 2019 (10:45 a.m.)

Worship Specialists

Greeters	Gary & Kathy Reid
Ushers	Gary & Kathy Reid
Communion Steward	Lori Boughton
Offering Collector	Kathy McWethy
Liturgist	Nancy Bradley
Organist/Pianist	Dr. Charles Barland
Chimer	R.R.S. Stewart
Slides	Chris Kohlmann
Projectionist	Matthew Hull

October 5	Bread Run	Hull family
	Food for the Soul	Team 1
October 12	Bread Run	Smokey & Susan McGovern
	Food for the Soul	Team 11

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Chancel Choir: Dr. Charles Barland

JuBELLation Ringers: David Patterson

Children's Music: Heather Williams

Lead Chimer: R.R.S. Stewart

Childcare: Anezka Lungwitz
Hannah Thill
Laney Hermsen

Administrative Assistant: Ora Uzel

Custodian: Chuck Lynch

St. Luke's United Methodist Church

Sunday, October 6, 2019 — 10:45 a.m. Worship Service

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.**

UMH denotes the red hymnal and TFWS denotes the black songbook

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

Prelude "Come, All You People" setting by Mary Howarth
Dr. Charles Barland, piano

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

Welcome | Announcements | Greetings | Introductions

*** Called to Worship**

* Call to Worship

Around the world people gather to break bread and pour wine.

We gather with them in heart and mind.

Around the world the broken body is made whole.

As part of that body we join in its unity.

Around the world the Banquet of God is prepared for the table.

We, who share in the banquet, come eagerly to be fed.

Let us worship together,

Let us share God's bounty.

* Opening Hymn "Come, All You People" TFWS 2274

A Celebration of Holy Baptism

Emma Ann Schmitt, child of Amy & Randy Schmitt

Sponsors: Godmother: Stacy Steffen; Godfather: Kevin Klein

Congregational Covenant:

Do you as Christ's body, the church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

We do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include Emma now in your care?

With God’s help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Emma with a community of love and forgiveness, that she may grow in her service to others. We will pray for her, that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.

Song of Celebration “God Claims You” TFWS 2249
Please sing this song of celebration to Emma as Pastor Stephanie walks her around the sanctuary to make her introductions.

Called to Community

Hymn for Welcoming Children “Where Children Belong” TFWS 2233
Children may come forward for the children’s message

Children’s Message Pastor Stephanie

Chorus of Blessing “Jesus Loves Me” (chorus only) UMH 191

Anthem “Communion” by Douglas E. Wagner
Chancel Choir
Dr. Charles Barland, director

Called to Reflection

* Gospel Lesson: Luke 17: 1-10 Ann Duchow
(read in German)

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

Message “Faith to Forgive” Pastor Stephanie Schlimm

Song of Response “Make Me a Servant” TFWS 2176

Called to Prayer

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Called to Communion

Invitation to the Table

Today we celebrate a joyful gift of unity. Christ has gathered his people around the earth to remember that Jesus' love is offered to all. This table is open to all people as we remember and celebrate the one who brings peace for the world. As we gather, let us remember that we all share in human frailty, and have something to confess:

Confession and Pardon

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have failed to be an obedient church.
We have not done your will,
we have broken your law,
we have rebelled against your love,
we have not loved our neighbors,
and we have not heard the cry of the needy.
Forgive us, we pray.
Free us for joyful obedience,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

All pray in silence

Leader to people:

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People to leader:

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

All:

Glory to God. Amen.

The Peace

UMH 12

Sharing our Gifts, our Tithes, our Lives

Offertory

“One Bread, One Body”

setting by Edwin T. Childs
Dr. Charles Barland, organ

* Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

UMH 94

* Prayer of Dedication

Taking the Bread and Cup	UMH 12
The Great Thanksgiving	UMH 12
Lord's Prayer	UMH 895

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
 Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Breaking the Bread	UMH 12
Giving the Bread and Cup	UMH 12
Communion Hymns	“We Sing of Your Glory” TFWS 2011
	“One Bread One Body” UMH 620

*** Sent to Serve**

Carrying the Light of Christ to the World

* Sending Hymn	“We Are the Body of Christ”	TFWS 2227
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*** Benediction**

* Tower Chime
As the bells ring, consider how you might find the faith to forgive.

* Benediction

Go in Peace and Serve the Lord
May our Lives be a Witness to the Love of God

Postlude	“Allegro Pomposo”	by J. Lamont Galbraith Dr. Charles Barland, organ
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Note: Please feel free to use language in worship that is inclusive and affirms a diverse imagery for God.

Prayers For This Week's Joys and Concerns

Those in Uniform & Their Families

Our Homebound & Those at Care Centers

Sally Wiegand - hospitalized

Family of Louie D'Agnola - passed away
(Judy Schmidt's uncle)

Family of Kevin A. Ryan - passed away
(Praise Team bassist)

Lynn Kerker - back in hospital, complications

Birth of Reed Washburn

Parents: Kalli (Martin) & Spencer Washburn
Grandparents: Bobby & Kay Martin

Family of Jim Nedelcoff - passed away
(Coni Stephenson's family friends)

Evelyn Cooper - severe pain
(Coni Stephenson's aunt)

Mike Gardner - had kidney tumors removed
(Kathy Michel's friend's son)

Prayer requests email: dbqstluke@gmail.com
Prayers are listed for two weeks in the bulletin.
Prayers are listed for four weeks in the Chimes,
unless specified as *ongoing*.

Upcoming Worship Services

- Oct 13** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
with Handbells
- Oct 20** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- Oct 27** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
- Nov 3** **All Saints Sunday**
8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services
with Communion & Memorials
- Nov 10** 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Worship Services

Saturday Night Praise — Every Saturday
6:00 p.m. Praise Service in the Wesley Room



Twilight Zone: A Sunday School Miniseries

“There is a fifth dimension beyond that which is known to man. It is a dimension as vast as space and as timeless as infinity. This is the dimension of imagination. It is an area which we call the Twilight Zone.”

We invite all middle school and high school students (and all others who would like to) to join us during Sunday School for a 3-week miniseries based on the 1959 television series, originally hosted by Rod Serling, *The Twilight Zone*. This miniseries will discuss topics of time, loneliness, space, and more, all related to our Christian faith. Guest Sunday School teacher Nick Gimple will lead us in discussions and take us through this journey of the vast unknown of the *Twilight Zone*.

We invite all to come use your imagination with us! **October 6th, 13th, and 20th, 9:30-10:30am**, in the Middle School and High School Sunday School classroom!



Offering Envelopes

Each year, for those who request it, St. Luke's orders personalized offering envelopes. Envelopes include your name, address, and 2019 dates. **Order yours by October 7th by leaving a note with or contacting the church office at:**

563-582-4543 or dbqstluke@gmail.com

Wonderful Wednesday Meal



October 9th: Brinner: scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, cinnamon rolls, biscuits & gravy, fruit, dessert, and egg free items.

Served at 5:00 p.m.
\$5/person or \$15/family

St. Luke's UMC — Events for October 6 - 13

Sunday, October 6 — World Communion Sunday

- 8:30 am Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School (*see flyers in the hall for classes and locations*)
9:30-10:45am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am Worship Service with Communion in the Sanctuary
12:30 pm Crop Walk registration at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
6:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room

Monday, October 7

- 8-11 am Tiffany Windows Tours in the Sanctuary
1:00 pm Busy Bees in the Fellowship Hall
4:00 pm Dubuque for Refugee Children in the Wesley Room

Tuesday, October 8

- 8am-12pm Children's & Youth Ministry Office Hours

Wednesday, October 9

- 8-11 am Tiffany Windows Tours in the Sanctuary
5:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday Meal
5:30 pm St. Luke's Singers Family Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room

Thursday, October 10

- 8am-12pm Children's & Youth Ministry Office Hours
10:00 am Bible Study in the Conference Room
6:30 pm Staff Pastor Parish Relations Committee Meeting in the Conference Room

Friday, October 11

- 7:00 am Men's Worship in the Sanctuary
8-11 am Tiffany Windows Tours in the Sanctuary
10a-12p Bulletin Folding in the Conference Room

Saturday, October 12

- 6:30 am Bread Run — McGovern
7am-Noon Mountain T.O.P. Apple Pie Making in the Kitchen
9-11:30 am Special Saturday Tiffany Windows Tours in the Sanctuary
5:30 pm Food for the Soul in the Fellowship Hall — Team 11
6:00 pm Saturday Night Praise in the Wesley Room

Next Sunday, October 13

- 8:30 am Worship Service in the Sanctuary
9:30 am Sunday School (*see flyers in the hall for classes and locations*)
9:30-10:45am Everyone welcome for coffee in the South Hall
10:45 am Worship Service with JuBELLation Ringers in the Sanctuary
2:00 pm Church Conference in the Sanctuary
6:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal in the Music Room

For a full calendar of events, see the online calendar at: www.stlukesumcdbq.org