



# The Holy Trinity Ignite Worship Service

Sunday, June 15, 2025, 10:30 a.m.

St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Waukesha, WI

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**Helping people make life-changing connections with God  
through Jesus Christ.**

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**Notes for Worship**

- Communion at our outdoor worship is all gluten-free.
- All are welcome to participate however they would like in our worship!
- Children of all ages are welcome, and we love having children join us. Do not be worried if your child is participating and making a joyful noise to the Lord!

**GATHERING**

**PRELUDE**

*To You O Lord I Lift Up My Soul*

Graham Kendrick

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Merciful God,

**you free us to love others,**

**but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.**

**You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,**

**but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.**

**You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity,**

**but we grow weary in doing what is right.**

**In your mercy, forgive us.**

**Do not give up on us.**

**Heal us, break our bonds,**

**and show us the path of life.**

**Amen.**

You belong to Christ Jesus ... forgiven. Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.

**Amen.**

## GATHERING HYMN

*I Believe, I Do Believe*

John Ylvisaker

### *Refrain*

I believe, I do believe, truly I believe it,  
truly I believe it.

I believe, I do believe, truly I believe it,  
truly I believe it.

I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator,  
Mighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator.  
I believe in God the Almighty Lord Creator,  
Mighty Lord Creator, Mighty Lord Creator. *Refrain*

I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people,  
Savior of the people, Savior of the people.  
I believe in Jesus the Savior of the people,  
Savior of the people, Savior of the people. *Refrain*

And I do believe in the power of the Spirit,  
Power of the Spirit, Power of the Spirit.  
And I do believe in the power of the Spirit,  
Power of the Spirit, Power of the Spirit. *Refrain*

## APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, ... and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all!  
**And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty Creator and ever-living God ... Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

## WORD

### FIRST READING

Proverbs 8:1-4,22-31

- <sup>1</sup> Does not wisdom call,  
and does not understanding raise her voice?
- <sup>2</sup> On the heights, beside the way,  
at the crossroads she takes her stand;
- <sup>3</sup> beside the gates in front of the town,  
at the entrance of the portals she cries out:
- <sup>4</sup> "To you, O people, I call,

and my cry is to all that live.  
<sup>22</sup> The Lord created me at the beginning of his work,  
the first of his acts of long ago.  
<sup>23</sup> Ages ago I was set up,  
at the first, before the beginning of the earth.  
<sup>24</sup> When there were no depths I was brought forth,  
when there were no springs abounding with water.  
<sup>25</sup> Before the mountains had been shaped,  
before the hills, I was brought forth—  
<sup>26</sup> when he had not yet made earth and fields,  
or the world's first bits of soil.  
<sup>27</sup> When he established the heavens, I was there,  
when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,  
<sup>28</sup> when he made firm the skies above,  
when he established the fountains of the deep,  
<sup>29</sup> when he assigned to the sea its limit,  
so that the waters might not transgress his command,  
when he marked out the foundations of the earth,  
<sup>30</sup> then I was beside him, like a master worker;  
and I was daily his delight,  
rejoicing before him always,  
<sup>31</sup> rejoicing in his inhabited world  
and delighting in the human race.”

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM

Psalm 8

*Read responsively by verse.*

<sup>1</sup> O Lord our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
<sup>2</sup> **you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of infants  
and children; you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the  
foe and avenger.**  
<sup>3</sup> When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,  
<sup>4</sup> **what are mere mortals that you should be mindful of them,  
human beings that you should care for them?**

<sup>5</sup> Yet you have made them little less than divine;  
with glory and honor you crown them.

<sup>6</sup> **You have made them rule over the works of your hands;  
you have put all things under their feet:**

<sup>7</sup> all flocks and cattle,  
even the wild beasts of the field,

<sup>8</sup> **the birds of the air, the fish of the sea,  
and whatever passes along the paths of the sea.**

<sup>9</sup> O Lord our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

## SECOND READING

Romans 5:1-5

<sup>1</sup> Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup> through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup> And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup> and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup> and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## CHILDREN'S LESSON

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Celtic Alleluia*

ELW 174

*\* Diverse Harvest will sing refrain first, then congregation join second time \**

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

### GOSPEL

John 16:12-15

The holy gospel according to John.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

[Jesus said,] <sup>12</sup> "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup> When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup> He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. <sup>15</sup> All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

The gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON**

Pastor Hooper

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound*

ELW 779



1 A - maz - ing grace!— how sweet the sound— that  
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and  
 3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares I  
 4 The Lord has prom - ised good to me; his  
 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright



saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but  
 grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that  
 have al - read - y come; 'tis grace has brought me  
 word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and  
 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to



now am found; was blind, but now I see.  
 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!  
 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.  
 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.  
 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

**God of grace,  
hear our prayer**

## **PEACE**

**The peace of Christ be with you always!  
And also with you!**

## **MEAL**

### **OFFERING**

*10,000 Reasons*

Rend Collective

**JUNE MISSION: Lutheran World Relief:** Financial gifts are sent to Lutheran World Relief to support the purchase and shipping of extra blankets and quilts in addition to the many made by the Needle and Thimble group.

## Two Options to Use Your Phone to Give



1. Point your QR reader at the left QR graphic where you can login and track your giving. Or visit [stlukeslutheran.org](http://stlukeslutheran.org) and click the Online Giving tab on the right side of the page.
2. Point your QR reader at the right QR graphic to make an **online one-time** gift. Or visit [omella.com/o/izfds](http://omella.com/o/izfds).



### OFFERING PRAYER

Creator God, ... that we may work for the good of all; through Jesus Christ, our Savior.  
**Amen.**

### DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

### THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

#### LORD'S PRAYER

**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 and ever. Amen.**

## COMMUNION

*All who are baptized are welcome to receive Holy Communion, regardless of church affiliation. Receive our Lord in the bread and wine of this meal.*

*All communion at our outdoor worship service is gluten-free.*

*The servers will provide you with both elements of communion.*

*There is one juice station and two wine stations.*

## DISTRIBUTION HYMN

*God Of All*

music, Oasis  
words, Jim Durnil

Today and every other day  
I am gonna try to worship you  
By now I should've somehow  
Realized that's what you do  
I don't believe that everybody  
Feels the way I do about you now

I share, I really felt the scare,  
thought the fire in my heart went out  
I'm sure you've heard is all before,  
there are times I really have some doubts  
I don't believe that everybody  
Feels the way I do about you now  
And all the roads we have to walk are winding  
You are the light that leads us there reminding  
There are many times that I have  
Not relied on you,  
but I don't know why  
Because Jesus  
You are the Holy one that saves us  
And after all  
You're the God of all

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I am gonna try to worship you  
By now I should've somehow  
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Feels the way I do about you now  
And all the roads we have to walk are winding  
You are the light that leads us there reminding

There are many times that I have  
Not relied on you,  
but I don't know why  
Because Jesus  
You are the Holy one that saves us  
And after all  
You're the God of all

I said Jesus  
You are the Holy one that saves us  
And after all  
You're the God of all

I said Jesus  
You are the Holy one that saves us  
And after all  
You're the God of all

#### **TABLE BLESSING**

#### **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Mothering God, ... neighbors as ourselves and proclaim your love in Jesus' name.  
**Amen.**

#### **SENDING**

#### **BLESSING**

The love of God abound in you ... and the life of the Spirit ✠ bless you and give you peace.  
**Amen.**

## SENDING HYMN

*Be Thou My Vision*

ELW 793



1 Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;  
 2 Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;  
 3 Rich - es I heed not, nor vain, emp - ty praise,  
 4 Light of my soul, af - ter vic - to - ry won,



naught be all else to me, save that thou art:  
 I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord.  
 thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways:  
 may I reach heav - en's joys, O heav - en's Sun!



thou my best thought both by day and by night,  
 Thou my soul's shel - ter, and thou my high tow'r,  
 thou and thou on - ly, the first in my heart,  
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,



wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.  
 raise thou me heav'n - ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.  
 great God of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.  
 still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Live by the Spirit.

**Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE

*Sweet Home Up In Heaven*

music, Lynyrd Skynyrd  
 words, Shelly Outlaw

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## IN OUR PRAYERS

**Our Sympathy:** For the families of: June Boadwine, Sherry Morris, and Jeff Pace.

**For needs to be met:** For peace among nations, for our country, for those impacted by natural disasters, teachers, students, & parents, first responders, for all who struggle with uncertainty, caregivers, Hope Center, Cathy A, Laura B, Dave M, Chris B, Shelby H, Sue B, Ron P, Sue C, Chris R, Katie L, Chuck, Andy S, Ian, Kathy J, Michael B, Rey L, Kenzie D, Bob, Ashlee S, Mike, Char K, Kathy, Barb C, Carey, Jan C, Dave, Joan W, Pete, Sunny, Vi E, Betty, Brayden, Darlene, Dale R, Pat S, Lisa S, Isabella, Connor W, Liz S, Terri I, Ben M, Steve S, Judy, Kathy DW, Carol, Debbie C, Janet J, Shane R, Karen R, AmandaLee B, Eldon, Laura B, Alex, Liz S, Jon, Lisa E, Dave S, Don F, Chris B, Sarah, Anna F, Brian B, and Mark.

**For our partner churches in the Meru Diocese in Tanzania:** For the challenges they face. For God's continued blessings on our partnership.

**For those serving in the military:** Gary Bjerke, Jim Kieso Jr, Daniel Krueger, Dmitriy Lando, Richard Massey, and Brandon Stach.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Friendship Pads

Please be sure to sign in on the friendship pads located in each pew.

### Ambo Flowers

This weekend's flowers are in memory of Dick Wood and the years spent together. Given by Sharon Wood.

### Hospitality Thank You

The June Mt. Meru Coffee Hour is sponsored by Kathy Fontaine in honor of Jay Fontaine's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.

### 50+ Anniversary

We give thanks for Richard & Kathy Runte celebrating their 54th wedding anniversary on June 19!

## **Take Flat Jesus with You This Summer!**

As we enter into the summer travel season, stay connected with St. Luke's by taking Flat Jesus with you. Flat Jesus was inspired by *Flat Stanley*, written by Jeff Brown. Take a picture of him doing all sorts of activities with you and send the photos to us here at St. Luke's, and tag us on Facebook! Take a picture of him joining you for dinner, going to the beach, flying to new places, or whatever you're doing. You can pick up a Flat Jesus from the Welcome Center at church, decorate him, and take him with you this summer. Remember, Jesus is with you always!

## **Join Us in the Park for Worship**

We will be having our Sunday, 10:30 a.m. service at Cutler Park by the Les Paul Performance Center this summer on the third Sunday of the summer months: June 15, July 20, and August 17, weather permitting. Diverse Harvest will be playing at these services. Please join us.

## **Come For Fellowship, Sarah Circle Bible Study**

Sarah Circle, a Bible Study group, *usually* meets the third Monday of every month. This month's meeting will be **TUESDAY**, June 17, at 11:30 a.m. at Machine Shed N14W24145 Tower Place Waukesha. All women are welcome to come. For more information or questions, please call Debby Brockington, (262) 424-3792.

## **Connor Tank Senior Recital**

Please join us in celebrating Connor's Senior Recital on Friday, June 20 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Luke's. Connor will be performing selections on both oboe and piano, accompanied by special guests Joyce Ruck and Michael Schaner. This fall, Connor will be attending UW-Madison, but he looks forward to staying connected with the musical community at St. Luke's. Desserts and refreshments will be served following the program. We hope you can join us for this special evening of music!

## **There's Always Time to Become a New Member**

If you would like to join St. Luke's as a new member(s) we have another welcome weekend planned for Saturday, June 28, or Sunday, June 29. Please contact Shari Higgins if you are interested at [shigs@stlukesletheran.org](mailto:shigs@stlukesletheran.org)

## **Tee Up for Hope**

Join the Hope Center for their annual *Tee Up for Hope* golf outing at the Broadlands Golf Club on Monday, July 14. There will be team scramble events with prizes, hole events, raffles, auctions, lunch buffet and post-golf heavy hors d'oeuvres social. For tickets go to <https://hopecenterwi.org/event/register-now-tee-up-for-hope-golf-outing-2025/>

## **The Pastor Jordan's (PJ & Kim) Celebration**

On Sunday, June 22, there will be a celebration for PJ's 30 years in ministry. The event will take place between services and will include fellowship and refreshments. The Serving Life committee is organizing dinner gift cards as a token of appreciation for PJ's dedication. Donations toward this gift can be made by check or online giving. Envelopes for checks will be available at the Welcome Center and the Ushers Station. Note "PJ gift" on the envelope along with your name to be included in a group card. A card will be prepared with the names of all contributors, celebrating PJ and his wife, Kim, who is also marking her 30th year in ministry. There will also be a card box available at the celebration for cards/gifts if you choose.

## **Summer Gathering**

Summer's short, so let's enjoy it! "Summer Gatherings" is just what it sounds like... A chance to enjoy the weather and each other's company. The goal is to meet once a month, June, July and August, at a local establishment, Outdoor Concert, or Beer Garden. There could be music, there could be trivia nights... Come out and see! Where are we "Journeying" for July: Tuesday, July 8, join us to listen to "Separate Ways: The Journey Experience" at Cutler Park 321 Wisconsin Ave Waukesha at 7:00 p.m. Meet in the church parking lot at 6:00 p.m. Bring a friend and a chair, there is limited bench seating.

## **Come Join the Summer Pick-up Choir!**

Do you want to sing this summer? Or try singing at St. Luke's before joining our choirs? Our summer pick-up choir is here again! We will gather on July 17, and August 24, at 9:45 a.m. in the sanctuary to learn something to sing in worship at the 10:30 a.m. service on those days. All ages and experience levels are welcome to join! We learn something easy to sing for that day, so do not be afraid if it's been a while since you've sung in a choir. For more information, check out the Music & Fine Arts bulletin board by Door 3 and the Peace meeting room, or talk to Michael Schaner, Director of Music Ministries.

## **Prayer Shawl for Taking and Making**

Prayer shawl will follow the Waukesha School System Schedule, in that we will not have summer meetings. We will meet in person starting September 18, 2025, to May 21, 2026, on the third Thursday's. Please continue to make and contribute prayer patches while we are on summer, in person break. We are always extremely happy to receive all work you do.

## **Online Giving**

To start giving electronically or make changes to your on-line giving, please log on to our website and click on "Online Giving" on the far right. You can also fill out the paper authorization form and return it to the church office. Paper authorization forms are available at the Welcome Center.

## 2025 Summer Music Camp Registration Open

Registration for our 2025 summer music camp is now open! We have openings for our full day session for students entering 2nd-7th grade. Our theme for 2025 is *Once Upon a Parable*, and our days are filled with singing, Bible stories, crafts, playing musical instruments, and more! The cost for music camp is \$100 for the full day session. Scholarships are available as well. Registration and more information can be found at: <https://stlukeslutheran.org/music-camp/>

## CLM Scrip Fundraiser

We have some exciting news! Our St. Luke's Child Life Ministries Scrip Account through RaiseRight is active! What is Scrip? It's a place where you can purchase gift cards and CLM will get a portion of your purchase kicked back! Going shopping? Get a gift card to pay for your purchase and donate to CLM at the same time, it's that easy! You can order your gift card and have it instantly available to use, right from your phone. There are two easy ways to sign up, follow this link OR scan the QR code. Share with your friends and relatives by sending them a text or email!

There's no cost or upcharge, just purchasing gift cards that helps CLM.

<https://www.raiseright.com/enroll?enrollCode=FD CD7A8962586>



## Are You Receiving Our Weekly *Connections* Email?

Each week we send out an email called *Connections*. It includes announcements, links, information about worship schedules, community events, and so much more. If you are not receiving it, email the office ([office@stlukeslutheran.org](mailto:office@stlukeslutheran.org)) to be added to the email list.

## Communication is Key

Communicating when, where, what, why, and how is key. If there is something you would like communicated in the weekly bulletin, weekly *Connections* email, or the monthly Epistle newsletter, it's as easy as writing up the announcement and emailing it to Tonia at [office@stlukeslutheran.org](mailto:office@stlukeslutheran.org) or stopping by the office with your article by the deadlines. The deadlines for the bulletin and *Connections* are 12:00 p.m. the Tuesday before the Thursday or the weekend you would want the information in *Connections* or bulletin. The deadline for the monthly Epistle newsletter is the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month unless the 15<sup>th</sup> falls on a weekend or holiday; then, the deadline is the Friday before. If you have any questions, please reach out either by email or call Tonia at (262) 542-2545.

## This Week at St Luke's

### Sunday, June 15, 2025

8:15 a.m. Worship  
 10:30 a.m. Worship at Cutler Park  
 (Weather Permitting)  
 6:00 p.m. Men's A.A.

### Monday, June 16, 2025

8:00 a.m. Amigos  
 1:00 p.m. Tanzania Partnership Meeting  
 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon

### Tuesday, June 17, 2025

11:30 a.m. Sarah Circle  
 5:30 p.m. Finance Committee  
 6:30 p.m. Church Council  
 6:00 p.m. M&FAS Elizabeth Gonnering  
 Piano Recital

### Wednesday, June 18, 2025

7:00 p.m. N.A.

### Thursday, June 19, 2025

7:00 p.m. The Broad Highway A.A.

### Friday, June 20, 2024

6:30 p.m. M&FAS Connor Tank  
 Senior Recital

### Saturday, June 21, 2024

5:00 p.m. Worship

### Sunday, June 22, 2025

8:15 a.m. Worship  
 9:30 a.m. Mt. Meru Coffee Sales  
 10:30 a.m. Worship & Mission Trip  
 Send Off  
 6:00 p.m. Men's A.A.

### Serving this Weekend:

	5:00	8:15	10:30
Presiding:	Pastor Chrostowski	Pastor Hooper	Pastor Hooper
Preaching:	Pastor Chrostowski	Pastor Hooper	Pastor Hooper
Music:	Michael Schaner	Michael Schaner	Diverse Harvest
Assisting Minister:	Susan Klabunde	Dan Jorvig	Jim Kieso
Lector:	Robbin Krueger	Patti Walkowicz	Tracy Craft
Bread Baker:	Eileen Kron	Eileen Kron	Eileen Kron
Acolyte:			
Communion Asst:	Robbin Krueger	Ginny Dietzler	Kathy Fontaine
		Chris Jackson	Kathy Pederson
Ushers:	Harold Bloch	Mark Bjerke	Kirstin Steffens
		Mark Bloede	Ron Wilgrubs
		Kenneth Mike Holland	Janet Steinquist
		Bob Kabitzke	Debbie Knee
		Paul Pilon	
		Dennis & Diane Voit	
Altar Care:	Susan Klabunde	Carolynn Fish	Laura Cameron
		Marilyn Christiansen	
Worship Tech:		Eli Larson	