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Micah 6:8

Second Sunday in Lent

Saturday, February 28, 2026, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 1, 2026, 8:15 & 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

- Hymns: ELW: cranberry ACS purple.
- Individually wrapped gluten-free communion wafers are available upon request.
- We invite children of all ages to be in worship with us. Children are welcome to use the Pray-Ground in front of the church on the piano side as a comfortable space to experience worship. If you feel your child(ren) are being too disruptive, you are welcome to move into the Chapel.

GATHERING

PRELUDE *Suite Gothique*

Léon Boëllmann

I. Intruduction-Choral

II. Menuet gothique

KYRIE

based on Micah 6:8

You have shown us, O God, what is good and what the Lord requires of us.

Lord, have mercy.

But justice is hard, and we look away.

Christ, have mercy.

When kindness feels risky we withhold it.

Christ, have mercy.

Humility is inconvenient and we choose control instead of trust,

Christ, have mercy.

You call us to walk with you, even when the path is uncertain.

Lord, have mercy.

GATHERING HYMN *Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross*

ELW 335



1 Je - sus, keep me near the cross, there's a pre - cious foun - tain;
2 Near the cross, a trem - bling soul, love and mer - cy found me;
3 Near the cross! O Lamb of God, bring its scenes be - fore me;
4 Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hop - ing, trust - ing ev - er,



free to all, a heal - ing stream flows from Cal - v'ry's moun - tain.
there the bright and morn - ing star sheds its beams a - round me.
help me walk from day to day with its shad - ow o'er me.
till I reach the gold - en strand just be - yond the riv - er.

Refrain



In the cross, in the cross be my glo - ry ev - er;



till my ran - somed soul shall find rest be - yond the riv - er.

APOSTOLIC GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of promise, ... Make us a blessing to others, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

MUSICAL OFFERING

(10:30 a.m.) *What Wondrous Love is This*

Evelyn Larter
Voices of Faith

WORD

FIRST READING

Genesis 12:1-4a

¹The Lord said to Abram, “Go from your country and your kindred and your father’s house to the land that I will show you. ²I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

^{4a} So Abram went, as the Lord had told him, and Lot went with him.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 121

*The cantor will sing the refrain first, then all are invited to sing the refrain. Congregation sings the bolded verses, and the **R** is the refrain sung by all.*

I lift up my eyes to the hills;
my help comes from the LORD.

¹ I lift up my eyes | to the hills;

from where is my | help to come?

² **My help comes | from the Lord,**
the maker of heav- | en and earth.

³ The Lord will not let your | foot be moved
nor will the one who watches over you | fall asleep.

⁴ **Behold, the keep- | er of Israel**
will neither slum- | ber nor sleep; R

⁵ the Lord watches | over you;
the Lord is your shade at | your right hand;

⁶ **the sun will not strike | you by day,**
nor the | moon by night.

⁷The Lord will preserve you | from all evil
and will | keep your life.

⁸The Lord will watch over your going out and your | coming in,
from this time forth for- | evermore. R

SECOND READING

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

¹What then are we to say was gained by Abraham, our ancestor according to the flesh? ²For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. ³For what does the scripture say? "Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness." ⁴Now to one who works, wages are not reckoned as a gift but as something due. ⁵But to one who does not work but trusts him who justifies the ungodly, such faith is reckoned as righteousness.

¹³For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law, neither is there transgression.

¹⁶For this reason the promise depends on faith, in order that it may rest on grace, so that it may be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (who is the father of all of us, ¹⁷as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations"), in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S LESSON

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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Noth-ing in all cre - a - tion can sep-a-rate us from the love of God.



Noth-ing in all cre - a - tion can sep-a-rate us from the love of God.

GOSPEL

John 3:1-17

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. ²He came to Jesus by night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with that person.” ³Jesus answered him, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.” ⁴Nicodemus said to him, “How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother’s womb and be born?” ⁵Jesus answered, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. ⁶What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷Do not be astonished that I said to you, ‘You must be born from above.’ ⁸The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” ⁹Nicodemus said to him, “How can these things be?” ¹⁰Jesus answered him, “Are you the teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

¹¹“Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen, yet you do not receive our testimony. ¹²If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? ¹³No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. ¹⁴And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, ¹⁵that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

¹⁶“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

¹⁷“Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world but in order that the world might be saved through him.”

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Jordan



1 God loved the world so that he gave his on - ly
 2 Christ Je - sus is the ground of faith, who was made
 3 If you are ill, if death draws near, this truth your
 4 Be of good cheer, for God's own Son for - gives all
 5 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly



Son the lost to save, that all who would in
 flesh and suf - fered death; all who con - fide in
 trou - bled heart can cheer: Christ Je - sus res - cues
 sins that you have done, and jus - ti - fied by
 Spir - it, Three in One! To you, O bless - ed



him be - lieve should ev - er - last - ing life re - ceive.
 Christ a - lone are built on this chief cor - ner - stone.
 us from death; that is the firm - est ground of faith.
 Je - sus' blood, your bap - tism grants the high - est good.
 Trin - i - ty, be praise now and e - ter - nal - ly!

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 power of 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

Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always!

And also with you!

MEAL

OFFERING *God Loved the World*

setting, Marianne Kim

MARCH MISSION: Hope Center: St. Luke's supports Hope Center financially each month. All gifts will help offset this amount from our General Fund.

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 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.



OFFERING PRAYER

O God, ... who calls us to bear witness to his saving work. We ask this in Jesus' name.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

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

We praise you, ... how to love through kindness, and how to walk humbly with our God.

On the night before he died, ... Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, ... Do this for the remembrance of me.

And so we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We pray for your Holy Spirit, your breath, your fire, your wisdom, and your compassion.

Nourish us with the body and blood of Christ, ... healing, your justice, and your peace.

We praise you, ... Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit, today, tomorrow, and forever.

Amen. Amen. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your name,

your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those

who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial

and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,

and the glory are yours,

now and forever. 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. Juice and individually wrapped, gluten-free wafers are available from the server by request.

LAMB OF GOD

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Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS *We Are Baptized in Christ Jesus*

ELW 451



1 We are bap-tized in Christ Je - sus, we are bap - tized in his death;
2 In the wa - ter and the wit-ness, in the break-ing of the bread,
3 Glo-ry be to God the Fa - ther, glo-ry be to Christ the Son,



that as Christ is raised vic - to - rious, we might live a brand new life.
in the wait - ing arms of Je - sus who is ris - en from the dead,
glo - ry to the Ho - ly Spir - it, ev - er three and ev - er one;



And if we have been u - nit - ed in a dread - ful death like his,
 God has made a new be - gin - ning from the ash - es of our past;
 as it was in the be - gin - ning, glo - ry now re - sounds a - gain



we will all be re - u - nit - ed, for he lives.
 in the los - ing and the win - ning we hold fast.
 in a song that has no end - ing. . . . A - men.

HYMN *Blessed Assurance*

ELW 638



- 1 Bless - ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! Oh, what a fore - taste of glo - ry di - vine!
- 2 Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light, vi - sions of rap - ture now burst on my sight;
- 3 Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest; I in my Sav - ior am hap - py and blest,



Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of God, born of his Spir - it, washed in his blood.
 an - gels de - scend - ing bring from a - bove ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.
 watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a - bove, filled with his good - ness, lost in his love.

Refrain



This is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long:



this is my sto - ry, this is my song, prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

TABLE BLESSING

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of our salvation, ... love for all creation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

Receive the blessing ... Spirit, whose breath sustains creation, † bless you now and always.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN *Christ Is the Life*

ACS 927



1 Christ is the life of all that is, God's pure cre - a - tive
2 Christ is the death of all that is; a broad and beck - 'ning
3 Christ is the death of all that is, a bright, con - sum - ing
4 Christ is the life of all that is, Be - gin - ning and the



Word, whose pow'r be - yond and through all space the
tomb, who wel - comes us from well - worn ways to
fire, whose flames re - quire our pri - or self as
End; cre - a - tive force, most peace - ful death, trans -



worlds to Be - ing stirred. Christ is the life be - yond all
dark - ness of the womb. Christ is the death, the sink - ing
kin - dling for the pyre. Christ is the death of dust - y
form - ing burn - ing brand. Christ is the life, in whose wise



time, cre - a - tion's birth and breath, whose la - bor
down past all de - sire and fear, whose prom - ise
days of un - cre - a - tive strife, for out from
love cre - a - tion lives and dies and thus for -



brings all things to be and brings all things to death.
in the gen - tle dark bids new - ness to ap - pear.
fire we tread up - on the thresh - old of new life.
ev - er - more shall bless the Source, the liv - ing Christ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Believe the good news.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE *Toccata in e minor*

Johann Pachelbel

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IN OUR PRAYERS

For needs to be met: For peace among nations, for our country, for those impacted by violence, teachers, students, and parents, first responders, for all who struggle with uncertainty, caregivers, Hope Center, all who are ill, Bishop Curry, Barb C, Jenny C, Shane R, Sami V, Baby K, Darlene B, Jim B, Kurt, Miranda R, Dorothy J, Janice H, Paul M, Greg C, Brad S, Karen R, Sue C, Brian M, Laurie B, Mary S, Jude, Chris, Ian L, Lisa S, Patsy H, Chris R, April, Sarah E, James, Anthony Y, Jose G, David M, Debby B, Isabella, Steve, Pat H, Harold B, Sai R, Joan B, Kenzie D, Rusty B, Tim M, Sway S, Dakota, Dale R, Sally, Paul M, Linda M, Joyce, Kathi, Mike M, Jan C, Annette E, Dan D, Kayla, Dawn TW, Mary M, Dave, Jamie F, Shelby H, Alexis M, John F, Jan N, Anna and Don F, Dave M, Chris B, Katie L, Chuck, Andy S, Carey, Dave, Betty, Isabella, Connor W, Liz S, Terri I, Judy, Mark, Janet J, John K and Vi E.

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, Owen Hager, Jim Kieso Jr, Daniel Krueger, and Dmitriy Lando.

NOTES FOR WORSHIP

- Need to enter/leave the sanctuary while the service is underway? Please find times that are least distracting to others to do so. Appropriate times could be during a hymn, the peace, or the offering. Please try to avoid movement during divine moments of sacred action (when God has promised to be among us in special ways): in the reading/preaching of Scripture and in the Sacraments of Baptism and Holy Communion. And remember, there is a lot of grace for families and small children – their voices, wiggles, unexpected movements are part of the joy of living in community together.
- Our 8:15 a.m. services are livestreamed to the web via Facebook and our website, where they are archived for later viewing. Leaders and active assistants/participants in the service appear in the livestream. It is also possible that you and/or your children may be seen in our livestream.
- Please wear a nametag, especially to welcome visitors. It's another way we can be welcoming and help us to say hello to each other!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friendship Pads

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

Hospitality Thank You

March's Coffee Hour is in honor of St. Luke's Church Council! Gloria Brechlin, Laura Cameron, Zachary Eschenburg, Jim Federico, Chris Jackson, Renee Messerschmidt, Darius Outlaw, Kristin Schneider, Kimberly Stair, Ron Staub, Janet Steinquist, David Tank, Jenny Thorstad, Pastor Hooper, and Pastor Jordan.

Lent, Holy Week, and Easter Worship Schedule

Wednesday midweek worship from February 25 to March 25 at 7:00 p.m.

Maundy Thursday worship, April 2 at 7:00 p.m.

Good Friday worship, April 3 at 7:00 p.m.

No 5:00 p.m. worship Saturday, April 4.

Easter Sunday worship, April 5, at 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.

Lenten Meals

In our life together, community is important. We are having soup suppers again on Wednesday evenings from 5:45-6:30 p.m., before the service at 7:00 p.m. Please come and enjoy the fellowship. We look forward to seeing you and worshipping together.

A Fun Spiritual Practice for Lent – Blessing Bowls

Do you need an antidote to all the negativity in the world?! Come to church and check out the Blessing Bowls we'll have out throughout the season of Lent. Negativity can be contagious, but blessing can be contagious as well! That is the goal of these Blessing Bowls – that in the giving and receiving of ordinary blessings, we may scatter a little more hope and joy in our daily living. What is a Blessing Bowl you ask? Think of it like a Little Free Library but instead of books, we'll be giving and receiving tiny treasures. (Think painted rocks, bookmarks, small crosses, inspirational messages, etc.) There will be one bowl for kids, and one bowl for teens/adults. Come see what might be waiting for you and keep your eyes open around the house for what you may want to contribute to bless someone else!

Saturday Social

Join the Youth Saturday, February 28, for dinner, conversation and a little laughter after the 5:00 p.m. service. February's meal is Spaghetti Dinner, gluten free will be available. Sign up at Sign Up Central.

Greece Trip Information Meeting Sunday, March 1

Pastor Jordan will host an information session on Sunday, March 1, between services 9:30 a.m. This will be an opportunity to review flight details, discuss transportation, and answer any questions you may have.

Theology Uncorked

Please come be part of this special group that gathers for uplifting spiritual conversation and good fellowship. Our next meeting will be Monday, March 2, at 6:00 p.m. at Cantarito's 408 E. Main St., Waukesha. This is a "come-as-you-can" group; no commitment required. Please join members of St. Luke's and be part of the lively atmosphere. Consider bringing a neighbor or friend!

Egg My Yard Fundraiser is Coming Soon

Let the Youth "egg" your yard. The Bunnies, aka Youth, will stuff and hide plastic Easter Eggs in your yard. Candy and non-candy options available. Available "egging" dates: Friday, March 27, Saturday, March 28, Friday, April 3, or Saturday, April 4. Prices: 25 eggs for \$35, 50 eggs for \$60, 75 eggs for \$75 or 100 eggs for \$90. Sign up by March 15. Contact Cari youth@stlukeslutheran.org, to sign up or with any questions. In case of bad weather, your eggs will be dropped off at the front door in a Bunny Bag with a letter from the Easter Bunny.

Young Adults Gathering

Looking to connect with other young adults ages 20-40, at St. Luke's? Join us for a relaxed evening of conversation and community at the Raised Grain Brewing Co., in Waukesha, on Thursday, March 12, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Whether you're hoping to meet new people or reconnect with familiar faces, you're invited. Come and go as your schedule allows. Enjoy a beverage, snacks, or dinner, and help us brainstorm future gatherings and possible small group ideas. Your input is welcome! Any questions? Contact Pastor Maren Hooper pastormaren@stlukeslutheran.org, Thanks also to those of you who have completed the Young Adults Ministry survey that was sent out via email. If you missed it or haven't had a chance to complete it, here's the link: <https://us18.list-manage.com/survey?u=87d6880aad7af67d79d945f18&id=d3d01e235e&attribution=false> We appreciate all the feedback to strengthen ministry amongst young adults!

First Communion Instruction for All Ages

We are trying something a little different this year for First Communion preparations. We hope you will like it! Instead of the usual classroom setting, First Communion education will happen during the Children's Sermon time (at both services) during the five Sundays of Lent. Each week there will be an interactive message that will teach about different elements of the Holy Sacrament. This format is meant to be education (or a refresher!) for all ages. We want families to decide for themselves when their children are ready for Holy Communion. What will be the same: We will have a formal **First Communion during the Maundy Thursday service, 7:00 p.m. on Thursday April 2.**

Don't Be Late ... Time Is Springing Forward

Spring is almost here and so is that sneaky hour that likes to disappear on us! Daylight Saving Time begins Sunday, March 8, when clocks "spring forward." So, before you drift off to sleep on Saturday night, be sure to set your clocks ahead one hour, unless you *enjoy* making a dramatic entrance to worship. We can't wait to see you, bright-eyed or coffee-powered, on Sunday morning!

Saturday Social March 21

Join the Youth on Saturday, March 21, for dinner, conversation and a little laughter after the 5:00 p.m. service. Sign up at Sign Up Central.

Join Us for Search Bible Study

Join PJ for Search Bible Study on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. Grow in faith and engage in great conversations.

Save the Date Walk with Jesus March 29

Sunday, March 29, Palm Sunday during the Education Hour, 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. DTs will be presenting a self-guided walk using stations to tell the story of Jesus's journey the week leading up to His death and then resurrection on Easter morning.

Calling All Alumni of Joyful Noise

During our Maundy Thursday worship on Thursday, April 2, Sing for Joy invites all alumni who know Helen Kemp's *A Lenten Love Song* to come sing with us. For more information, contact Mr. Schaner at mschaner@stlukeslutheran.org.

Healing Hearts Celebration of Hope

On April 18, Healing Hearts will be hosting their annual fundraiser, Celebration of Hope. This year's theme is April Showers: Hope Flowers and will be held at Tuscan Hall in Waukesha. Tickets are \$100 per person and can be purchased online at healingheartswisconsin.org or by mail. If you have any questions, please contact Courtney at cstangl@stlukeslutheran.org.

Thank You from Ed Raether

A heartfelt thank you to all the members who signed my 90th birthday card, shared birthday wishes in church and joined me at the coffee hour between services on Sunday. Thank you, Jim Kieso, for baking and decorating the wonderful birthday cake. Thank you, Diane Voit, for posting photos on Facebook. And thank you, PJ, for your thoughtful birthday greeting from Erfurt, Germany. Turning 90 is extra special, and I give thanks to my Lord and Savior for watching over me and keeping me safe and healthy. I am also deeply grateful to Arlene and my family for all their love and support.

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.

Committing to Worship

We are encouraging each other all year long to commit/recommit to deeper engagement in worship. Perhaps you've drifted away from regular worship attendance. Come back and let God feed you in the Word and at the table of Holy Communion. Maybe while you're here, you might be called to participate more fully in the liturgies we speak and sing together. Commit yourself/yourselves to deeper engagement in worship. The more you engage God in worship, the deeper your relationship with Him grows.

Prayer Team

Scripture encourages us to bear one another's burdens. Lifting others up in prayer is a way to do that. The need for prayer and for people to pray grows daily! Please consider becoming a member of our Prayer Team. There are no meetings or phone calls. You will receive prayer requests via email and are asked to pray daily. No specific prayer, but suggestions are given. Simply ask God to guide you. Did you know you can pray any time and any place? How about while brushing your teeth or showering, during your kids' practices or games, while waiting for appointments? All that is asked is that you pray daily. Please consider joining this vital ministry. For information, contact Laurie Rohrwasser.

Epistle Online

Are you still receiving a paper copy of The Epistle in the mail? Reading The Epistle online saves paper and postage, allows you to print only the pages you want, and includes live links. If you would like to receive our weekly *Connections* email and our monthly newsletter, The Epistle, by email please contact the church office at (262) 542-2545 or office@stlukeslutheran.org.

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) to be added to the email list.

Needle & Thimble

Please join Needle and Thimble on Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m. They meet every week unless there is no school. Everyone is welcome. You don't need to be able to sew. There are other things that can be done. Please call Marilyn Olson if you have questions, (262) 844-2519.

Want to Become a New Member

We would be thrilled to welcome you into our church family! New members will be formally received during an upcoming worship service, a special moment for our whole congregation. If you have any questions or would like to learn more about becoming a member, please reach out to Shari Higgins, Assistant for Engagement. She'd love to help! You can call the church office at (262) 542-2545 x113 or email shigs@stlukeslutheran.org.

Extending Care for You

Our pastors make visits and calls to people in need of pastoral care. If you would like pastoral care, please call the church office at (262) 542-2545. This is especially important if you are going through life transitions, illness, or trauma. If you change your address or enter a care facility or rehab center, please update the church office.

Prayer Shawl, There is Still a Need

Busy knitters and crocheters, please do not stop! The items you donate will still be blessed and packaged. Lap robes and prayer shawls are available in the display cabinet located in History Hall. If you know someone who needs a hug from God, feel free to choose an appropriate one from the display. There is a clipboard to record the recipient's name. Share the LOVE! Also, thank you for keeping our prayer patches full! Please feel free to take yarn from the shelves by the History Hall. Please call Gloria for dimensions

Support the Food Pantry

You can make monetary donations to the pantry through their website. Leaders of the pantry want us to know that canned fruits and veggies along with soups have been limited the last few months. When shopping for yourself, pick up some for our neighbors and drop them in the food pantry barrels as you leave the grocery store, or bring to church to drop in the cart by door.

Flower and Coffee Hour Sponsorship

We are very blessed to see so many participating in sponsoring Coffee Hour and Ambo Flowers to honor or celebrate a loved one or a special occasion! If you have signed up on the poster or the Coffee Hour board, please drop off your offerings to cover the sponsorship at the church office, offering plate, or via mail. Please include which sponsorship you are paying in the memo line, envelope detail, or a simple note. The cost of the sponsorships are as follows: Flowers: \$50 per weekend, Coffee Hour: \$30 for 2 weekends or \$55 for a month. If you have any questions, please contact Cindy in the church office. Many thanks!

2026 Monthly Coffee Hour Sponsorship

The 2026 Monthly Coffee Hour Sponsorship is now available at Sign Up Central. The fee for the coffee hour is \$30 for 2 weekends or \$55 for the whole month. With the sponsorship, you receive the **option** to have displayed up to 12 pictures on the high tables in the narthex and Hospitality area. The picture(s) should be received in the office no later than the 15th of the month prior to your sponsorship month. If no pictures are received, a written acknowledgement of your sponsorship will be displayed. If you have any questions, please contact Sandy Hendrickson (262) 542-5940 or the church office with questions.

Community Meal

We will have our community meal for families of our musical ensembles and anyone else who wants to come join us at 5:00 p.m. on Thursdays. We serve family friendly meals each week. For more information, talk to Michael Schaner, Director of Music Ministries, or take a look at the Music & Fine Arts bulletin board.

This Week at St. Luke's

Sunday, March 1, 2026

8:15 & 10:30 a.m. Worship
 9:20 a.m. Sunday School
 9:20 a.m. Discipleship Training
 9:30 a.m. Greece Trip Meeting
 11:30 a.m. Executive Committee
 6:00 p.m. Men's A.A.

Monday, March 2, 2026

8:00 a.m. Amigos
 6:00 p.m. Theology Uncorked
 6:00 p.m. Endowment Committee
 6:30 p.m. Al-Anon

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

8:30 a.m. Needle & Thimble
 9:30 a.m. 1st Tuesday Book Club
 7:00 p.m. W.C.U. Rehearsal

Wednesday, March 4, 2026

1:00 p.m. Search Bible Study
 5:30 p.m. Discipleship Training
 5:45 p.m. Lenten Meal

6:00 p.m. Godsbells Rehearsal
 7:00 p.m. N.A.
 7:00 p.m. Midweek Lent Service
 7:45 p.m. Voices of Faith

Thursday, March 26, 2026

4:30 p.m. Joyful Noise
 5:00 p.m. Community Meal
 6:30 p.m. Women Bible Study
 7:00 p.m. The Broad Highway A.A.

Saturday, March 7, 2026

5:00 p.m. Worship
 6:30 p.m. Youth Group Mini Golf

Sunday, March 8, 2026

8:15 & 10:30 a.m. Worship
 9:20 a.m. Discipleship Training
 9:20 a.m. Sunday School
 9:30 a.m. Mt. Meru Coffee
 9:30 a.m. Men's Chorus Rehearsal
 6:00 p.m. Men's A.A.

Serving this Weekend:

	5:00	8:15	10:30
Presiding:	Pastor Jordan	Pastor Hooper	Pastor Hooper
Preaching:	Pastor Jordan	Pastor Jordan	Pastor Jordan
Music:	Michael Schaner	Michael Schaner	Michael Schaner
Assisting Minister:	Steve Wiley	Jim Kieso	Teresa Jahn
Lector:	Ralph Klass	June Kieckhaefer	Tracy Craft
Bread Baker:	Jeanette Bjerke	Jeanette Bjerke	Jeanette Bjerke
Acolyte:	Nayeli Stangl	Matthew Kaminski	Jon Klawiter
Communion Asst:	Jody Geibl	Ginny Dietzler	Jim Kieso
Altar Care:	Susan Klabunde	Jay Fontaine	Diana Lando
Ushers:	Dan Jorvig	Kathy Fontaine	Kevin Thorstad
	Harold Bloch	Jay & Kathy Fontaine	Jenny Thorstad
		Wendy Bacon	Mark Perry
		Trudy Staffeldt	Susan Perry
Worship Tech:		Braden Davis	