

ST. LUKE THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 1

8:15 am Traditional Service
 9:30 am Sunday School & Pathways
 10:30 am Contemporary Service
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 11:30 am Traditional Service
 2 pm WELCA Spring Gathering
 6 pm High School Youth Group

May 3

9 am Women's Bible Study
 7 pm Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, May 4

6:15 pm Joyful Ringers
 7 pm Praise Band
 7:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, May 5

9:30 am Quilting
 12-12:30 pm National Day of Prayer
 at Creekside
 7 pm Quilting

Friday, April 29

6:45 am Men's Bible Study

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

PLEASE stack the chairs after the 10:30 am service today.

Food Pantry Service. Tuesday, May 3, 10 am– 3 pm. Two volunteers are needed. We meet at the church at 9:30 and carpool together. If you prefer to meet at the Food Pantry, driving directions are available at the Welcome Place. **Sign up today on the back of the Welcome Place Card or on-line at stlukecolumbus.com/volunteer.** Be sure to indicate if you will be carpooling from the Church.

Nursery Volunteers Needed. We are assembling a rotating volunteer team to help in our Nursery on Sunday mornings. If you are interested or would like more information, **please sign up on the Welcome Place card today** or contact Taylor Schwalm at taylor schwalmcfmd@gmail.com.

VBS Volunteers Needed. We are in need of station leaders and crew leaders for VBS. If you are interested or would like more information, **sign up on the Welcome Place card today.**

Games for GRIN. On behalf of Girl Scout Troop 1208, we are collecting new board games that will be distributed to families during GRIN's back-to-school event in August. Donations can be left in the box beside the canned goods donation box.

Faith Mission Summer of Hope with 104.9 FM The River. Wednesday, May 18, 6 am-7 pm. Volunteers are needed to answer phones and take pledges from callers. Come for an hour, or an afternoon; as an individual or as a group. For more information, contact Roberta Baioni at rbaioni@lssco.org.

March for Freedom. Saturday, June 4, 11 am, Columbus City Hall. Cost: \$30. Help raise awareness of and support anti-human trafficking causes. All funds raised will benefit anti-human trafficking causes. More information is available at the Welcome Place. For more information and to register, visit marchforfreedomccolumbus.org.



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Traditional Service | Traditional Sanctuary
 Sunday 8:15 & 11:30 am

Contemporary Service | Fellowship Hall
 Sunday 10:30 am

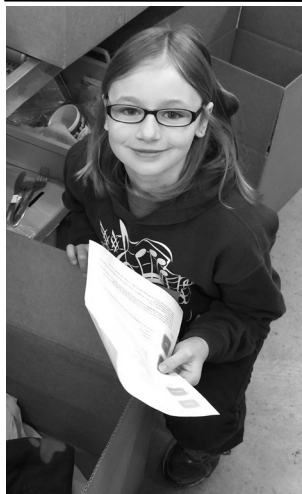
Life Group Hour | Sunday 9:30 am

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2016



NEW CLOTHES
 MAKE ALLOWANCE FOR
 EACH OTHER'S FAULTS

WELCOME



If you're visiting St. Luke for the first time, please make yourself at home, and stop by the Welcome Place for more information about St. Luke's ministries.

Children are welcome at all services. However, if you would like some relief, professionally staffed childcare is provided for infants through age 4 in the Nursery.

Your prayer requests are important to us and confidentiality is honored. You can make a prayer request on your Welcome Place Card or online at stlukecolumbus.com/prayer.

Assisted listening devices are available at the Welcome Place for use in the Traditional Sanctuary.

Free Bibles are available in the pews of the Traditional Sanctuary or on the cart at the entrance of the Fellowship Hall.

Cheerfully, generously and freely! If you are visiting with us today, please consider this service as our gift to you. We invite you to fill out and include the **Welcome Place Card** during the offering time today. If you consider St. Luke your church home, then please pray, listen, and give only according to what God lays on your heart.

NEWS & NOTES

Communion is offered at all services the first and third Sundays of every month, and each Sunday at the 8:15 am Traditional Service.

Messages online: Listen to messages from previous services at stlukecolumbus.com/messages or subscribe to our sermon podcast on iTunes.



Care Letters. Please stop by the Welcome Place today and sign care letters for Susan Crosby and Margaret Koehler, recently hospitalized.

Sanctuary Flowers today are provided by Patrick & Julie Neary in celebration of Joy's 25th birthday.

Job Opportunity: Children & Family Ministry Director. Please encourage excellent and qualified candidates to submit a resume at stlukecolumbus.com/employment.

National Day of Prayer at Creekside. Thursday, May 5, 12-12:30 pm. St. Luke will be participating in the 65th annual National Day of Prayer. Please plan to join us at Creekside!

Photo Directory. Did you miss out on having your professional photo taken for our new Directory? We want you included! We will be taking candid photos on **Sunday, May 15**. At that time you may also purchase a directory at that time for \$5 at the Welcome Place.

Special Congregational Meeting. Sunday, May 22, 9:30 am in the Traditional Sanctuary. The purpose of this important meeting will be to elect elders to the congregational Council, vote on funding large capital improvements to our building and property, and to discuss calling of an associate pastor. Given the importance of these matters, please plan to attend.

St. Luke Co-Ed Softball. Join our co-ed softball team, open to all ages 16 and up. Sunday afternoons, May 15—August 7, in Hilliard. Contact Dane Snyder at (419) 902-8696 or dane.snyder@nationwidechildrens.org.

St. Luke Annual Baseball Night. Friday, June 24, 7:15 pm. The Columbus Clippers take on the Norfolk Tides at beautiful Huntington Park. Tickets are in Section 3, Rows 11-14 along the right field line, in the shade, and **go on sale today** between services. Cost: \$9.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ADULTS

At St. Luke, we believe that community is essential to your spiritual life. God uses other people to help us grow in our faith and he uses us to grow other people. Our life group program is our way of forming groups where individuals and couples can intentionally surround themselves with a group of Christian friends to help them grow in faith and care for one another.

Pathways, Sundays, 9:30 or 10:30 am in the Traditional Sanctuary. Pathways is our Sunday morning life group environment for adults. While our students and children enjoy their life group experience in Sunday School, adults will get together in the Traditional Sanctuary for 50 minutes to explore how to apply God's Word to everyday life.

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS). 2nd & 4th Mondays, 9 am in Room 116.

Women's Bible Study. Tuesdays, 9 am or 7 pm in Room 116.

Men's Breakfast Bible Study, Fridays, 6:45 am in the Fellowship Hall.

For more information on how you can join a life group, contact Aaron McCullough at (614) 940-2754 or mccullat@gmail.com.

CHILDREN & STUDENTS

Children's Sermons are offered during our 8:15 am and 10:30 am worship services. Additionally, an extended children's sermon is offered at the 10:30 am service led by our Children & Family Ministry Director, Taylor Schwalm. Children grades 3 and below are invited to join Mrs. Taylor in the classroom after the Children's Sermon, and will return to worship after the sermon.

Sunday School. Sundays, 9:30 am. Middle School and High School students meet in the Youth Room. Preschool and Elementary School children start in the Fellowship Hall, and can be picked up from the following classrooms: Preschool, Room 114; K-1st, Room 110; 2nd—3rd, Room 119; 4th-5th, Room 118.

Youth Group. High School Youth Group meets tonight at 6 pm in the Youth Room.

VBS 2016—Cave Quest. Elementary VBS: June 12-16; Preschool VBS: June 26-30. Register free online at stlukecolumbus.com/vbs

St. Luke Mission Trip. Join us June 19-24 for Group's Week of Hope in Cincinnati. For ages 12 and up, this will be a great way to serve as a family. For registration or more information, contact Greg Osborne at osborne.gregory@gmail.com or (614) 530-3356.

Youth Summer Camps. Register today online at stlukecolumbus.com/camps.

- Middle School Camp (Grades 6 & 7): June 6-10 at Kelly's Island on Lake Erie. Cost: \$175.
- 8th Grade Trip (for students who have completed 8th grade): July 18-22. Cost: \$275.
- High School Camp (Grades 9-12): July 24-29 at Panama City, Florida. Cost: \$350

GIVING

Operation Budget Weekly Need
Sunday, April 24

\$ 10,096
\$ 8,721

Worship Attendance
Sunday, April 24

353

Building Budget Weekly Need
Sunday, April 24

\$ 1,269
\$ 1,188

April Donations To Date:
Food Donated to LSS
Faith Mission Items

176 lbs.
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