

NEWS AND NOTES

DO NOT stack the chairs after the 10:30 am service today.

Sanctuary Flowers this week are provided by Jacob and Viji Benjamin in thanksgiving for God's blessings.

Town Hall Meeting. Members of our congregation are invited to join church leaders in more conversation regarding the prospect of calling an Associate Pastor. Join us Sunday, August 7 at 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Job Opportunity: Children's & Family Ministry Director. To learn more, please visit our website at stlukecolumbus.com/employment.

St. Luke Co-Ed Softball. Today, 2:30 pm, at St. James Lutheran Church, 5066 Trabue Road, Columbus.

Sanctuary Flowers. Do you have a special occasion you would like to honor? When you help provide flowers for our traditional worship space, your personal dedication is noted in the Bulletin. Choose a date, sign up on the chart in the Narthex near the coffee station, and be sure to fill out a dedication card to turn in to the Church office. Two spots are available each week. The cost of the flowers is \$30, and this can be placed in the offering plate marked "sanctuary flowers".

ST. LUKE THIS WEEK

Sunday, July 24

8:45 am Traditional Service
10:30 am Contemporary Service
11:30 am Traditional Service
2:30 pm Softball

Thursday, July 28

9:30 am Quilting
7 pm Quilting

Friday, July 29

6:45 am Men's Bible Study
4 pm Prayer Team

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Traditional Service | Traditional Sanctuary
Sunday 8:45 & 11:30 am

Contemporary Service | Fellowship Hall
Sunday 10:30 am

Sunday, July 24, 2016



Fullness

running on full

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 the Connection Card found in your bulletin.

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 our gift to you. We invite you to fill out and include the **Connection Card** during the offering time today. If you consider St. Luke your church home, please pray, listen, and give only according to what God lays on your heart.

LEARN GOD'S LOVE IN WORSHIP

Children's Sermons are offered during our 8:45 am and 10:30 am worship services. Additionally, an extended children's sermon is offered at the 10:30 am service for grades 3 and below. Children will return to worship after the sermon.

Communion is offered at all services the first and third Sundays of every month, and each Sunday at the 8:45 am Traditional Service.

Live Video Streaming. We are now streaming our 10:30 am worship service live each week. Whether you're out of town or under the weather, you can still worship with us by visiting stlukecolumbus.com on your tablet, phone or computer.

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



LIVE GOD'S LOVE IN LIFE GROUPS

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.



Life Group Hour and Sunday School resume August 21 at 9:30 am.

CHILDREN & STUDENTS

Student Ministry Sunday. July 31, all worship services. Help our congregation learn more about what you're learning and experiencing as part of St. Luke's Student Ministries. We are looking for students to participate in the following areas: Sermon (4-5 minutes about how you experienced God during summer camp), Children's Sermon, Scripture Readers, Musicians for praise band or special music in traditional services, Ushers, Greeters. If you can help, contact Greg Osborne at (614) 530-3356 or osborne.gregory@gmail.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADULTS

Pathways resumes Sunday, August 21, 9:30 or 10:30 am in the Traditional Sanctuary. Pathways is our Sunday morning life group environment for adults.

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

Living Proof Live with Beth Moore and Travis Cottrell. November 4-5 in Youngstown, Ohio. St. Luke has purchased a block of tickets for this event. To purchase your ticket, contact Sandy Vance at heysandyv@gmail.com or (614) 273-5916. Hotel accommodations are available.

Women's Bible Study Summer Gatherings. These casual gatherings provide an opportunity to reconnect with God and each other during the summer. Hosted in homes, each gathering offers a time for fellowship, devotion and prayer, along with light refreshments.

Upcoming gatherings:

- Tuesday, July 26, 7 pm. **FREE FACIALS!** Is your busy schedule causing you to come *Unglued*? Join us for devotion based on Lisa Terkeurst's popular book, along with a free facial. See today's Bulletin insert for location information and to RSVP.
- Tuesday, August 23, 7 pm. Guest speaker Mary H May, author of *Sin's Grip: God's Release* will share her story of a chaotic lifestyle, and how God released her from the power of sin in her life. Location: 382 Hermitage Road, Gahanna. **Please RSVP if attending.** Mary Jane Magee: (614) 471-6798 or mmjagee20@yahoo.com.

OPPORTUNITIES TO UNLEASH GOD'S LOVE

Item of the Week. We are continuing to collect items for the Lutheran World Relief school kits. See today's bulletin insert for a schedule listing the items and quantities needed each week.

Sunday School Volunteers Needed. Sunday School resumes August 21, and we are in need of teachers, assistants, and substitute teachers. Please sign up on the back of the Connection Card today to volunteer to help with our youngest members and guests.

Coffee Preparers Needed in August. Volunteers are needed to help with coffee preparation on Sunday mornings, August 7, 14, 21 & 28, 7:45 - 8:30 am. If you can help, sign up on the back of the Connection Card today.

Food Pantry Service. Volunteers are needed to serve at the LSS Food Pantry on Tuesday, August 9, 10 am - 3 pm. Those who wish to carpool will meet at the church at 9:30 am. If you wish to drive on your own, directions are available at the Welcome Place. Sign up today on the back of the Connection Card or online at stlukecolumbus.com/volunteer. *Bring a lunch!*

Choirs resume. The Chancel Choir and the Joyful Ringers will resume on Wednesday, August 17. The Joyful Ringers meet in the Narthex, 6:15 - 7:15 pm; and the Chancel Choir meets in the Sanctuary, 7:30 - 8:30 pm. All experience levels are welcome! For more information, contact Jenny Kristler at (614) 471-7326 or jennifergmcnamee@gmail.com.

Serve A Meal At Faith Mission. Saturday, August 20, 6:15 - 8:15 pm. Eight spots are available for volunteers ages 14 and up. Sign up today on the back of the Connection Card or online at stlukecolumbus.com/volunteer.

GIVING TO MEET THE HOPES AND HURTS OF OTHERS

Operation Budget Weekly Need	\$ 10,096
Sunday, July 17	\$ 7,878

Worship Attendance	
Sunday, July 17	296

Building Budget Weekly Need	\$ 1,269
Sunday, July 17	\$ 1,099

16 items were donated to the LSS Food Pantry this week.

