

ST. LUKE THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 22

8:15 am Traditional Service
9:30 am Congregational Meeting
10:30 am Contemporary Service
11:30 am Traditional Service
4:30 pm Softball at St. James

Monday, May 23

9 am MOPS

Wednesday, May 25

7 pm Praise Band

Thursday, May 26

9:30 am Quilting
7 pm Quilting

Friday, May 27

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

GIVING TO MEET THE HOPES AND HURTS OF OTHERS

Operation Budget Weekly Need \$ 10,096

Sunday, May 15 \$ 12,853

Worship Attendance

Sunday, May 15 291

Building Budget Weekly Need \$ 1,269

Sunday, May 15 \$ 1,472

Items Donated to the LSS

Food Pantry This Week 45

Thank You!

OPPORTUNITIES TO UNLEASH GOD'S LOVE

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

VBS Donation Board. Please check out our donation board for items needed for this year's Cave Quest VBS. Grab a numbered item and register it with your contact information on the clipboard, and return it with the tag to Taylor's office.

Nursery Assistants Needed. We are assembling a rotating volunteer team to help in our Nursery on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please sign up online at stlukecolumbus.com/volunteer or on the back of the Connection Card today.

VBS Team Members Needed. We are in need of station leaders and crew leaders for VBS. If you are interested, sign up online at stlukecolumbus.com/volunteer or on the back of the Connection Card today.

HOW CAN
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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

The
Extraordinary
Fruit of
Faith-filled Suffering



Sunday, May 22, 2016

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 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

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.



Summer Worship Schedule. Beginning Sunday, May 29, our early traditional worship time will change to 8:45 am. The contemporary and the second traditional service times will not change.

NEWS AND NOTES

Baptisms Today:

- **Rachel Josephine Lowther** (8:15), daughter of Abby and Mike Lowther. Sponsors: Shannon and Chris Cohagan.
- **Nathaniel Alexander Dow** (11:30), son of Craig and Erin Dow. Sponsors: Alison Lund, Eric Bridges, Juliana Dow, Gary Link, Christine Stuck.

Care Letters. Please stop by the Welcome Place today and sign a care letter for Robert Flagg, recently hospitalized.

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

St. Luke Co-Ed Softball. Today, 4:30 pm, at St. James Lutheran Church, 5066 Trabue Road, Columbus. Contact Dane Snyder at dane.snyder@nationwidechildrens.org.

St. Luke Annual Baseball Night. Friday, June 24, 7:15 pm. The Columbus Clippers take on the Norfolk Tides at Huntington Park. Tickets are in Section 3, Rows 11-14 along the right field line, in the shade, and are on sale today between services. Cost: \$9. For more information, or to buy tickets, contact Steve Howard at (614) 476-8839 or smhoward@vorys.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 is better
connected
St. Luke Life Groups

ADULTS

Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS). 2nd & 4th Mondays, 9 am in Room 116. *Our last meeting this spring will be Monday, May 23.*

Women's Bible Study Summer Gatherings. Tuesdays, June 21, July 19 and August 23, at 7 pm at different host homes. Join us for a time to reconnect with God and each other during the busy summer months. Meeting locations will be announced in upcoming Bulletins. For more information, contact Terri Maxwell at maxwellbays@gmail.com or (614) 282-4359.

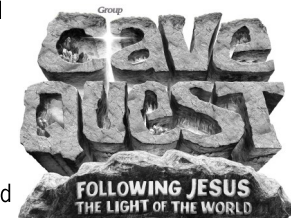
Men's Breakfast Bible Study, Fridays, 6:45 am in the Fellowship Hall.

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 for grades 3 and below. Children will return to worship after the sermon.

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

VBS Crew Leader Training. Sunday, June 5, 9:30 am in Room 118. *If you are volunteering as a crew leader for elementary or preschool VBS, please plan to attend this informational training session.* We will discuss important check-in/check-out procedures and other safety tips. Required background checks will be completed during this meeting. We will also practice the fun music and dance moves that the kids will be learning.



Class of 2016

Graduation Sunday. On Sunday, June 12 we will be honoring all of our graduates during worship. If you are graduating from high school or college this spring, please provide Greg with a photo, future plans, and if a college graduate, your degree information. Please give this information to Greg by Sunday, June 5.

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 (614) 530-3356 or osborne.gregory@gmail.com.

WEEK OF **Hope**

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