

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please Pray

Marty and Joe Cobb, Doris Eavenson, Malvin Massey, Norma Grotberg, Sara Beth Gregory, Olivia Robertson, Eduardo Contreras (father of Uziel Contreras), Ed and Nita Barlow.

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HOLY, HOLY, HOLY
IS THE LORD GOD ALMIGHTY

who was, and is, and is to come

St. Luke's United Methodist Church

*OUR
MISSION
STATEMENT*

**We are becoming a faithful
community of disciples striving to
share the heart, mind and hands
of Jesus Christ with all people.**

June 22, 2022

Order of Worship

June 26, 2022

3rd Sunday After Pentecost

The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Bob Hendrix from his family.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stone McKinney

PRELUDE

Wonderful Words of Life ARR. MARY McDONALD
Wes Kirkpatrick

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: When I think of God's presence in the world, I am grateful:

People: Grateful for the presence of hope; grateful for your unconditional love.

Leader: And when I think of God's presence in my life, I am humbled: Humbled by the gift of grace; humbled by the invitation to begin again.

People: And when I think of God's presence in this community, I am glad: Glad to be surrounded by holy people worshipping our Holy God.

ALL: Thank you all; thank you, God.

*OPENING HYMN *O God Our Help in Ages Past* UMH 117

CANTICLE OF THE KINDER *(sing response)*

While we sing this song, children ages 4 through 3rd grade are invited to come forward for a children's sermon, then they are dismissed to Children's Church.



This, this is where chil-dren be-long, wel-comed as part of the
wor-ship-ing throng. Wa-ter, God's Word, bread and
cup, prayer, and song: This is where chil-dren be-long.

WORD & WONDER

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we open our hearts to you this day,
and offer the truth of our lives:

The fear that stifles us,
The prejudice that binds us,
The ignorance that hobbles us,
The doubt that plagues us.
Help us to move to those places where love is needed.
Help us to have faith that you are with us. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

*GLORIA PATRI

*HYMN OF PREPARATION *Spirit of the Living God* UMH 393

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

PSALTER READING

Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20



By your strength you have re-deemed your peo-ple.

I will cry aloud to God;

I will cry aloud, and God will hear me.

In the day of my trouble I sought the Lord;

**my hand was stretched out by night and did not tire;
I refused to be comforted.**

I will remember the works of the LORD,
and call to mind your wonders of old.

I will meditate on all your acts

and ponder your mighty deeds.

Your way, O God, is holy;

who is so great a god as our God?

You are the God who works wonders

and have declared your power among the peoples. R

By your strength you have redeemed your people,
the descendants of Jacob and Joseph.

**The waters saw you, O God; the waters saw you and trembled;
the very depths were shaken.**

The clouds poured out water; the skies thundered;
your lightning bolts flashed to and fro;

the sound of your thunder was in the whirlwind;

your lightnings lit up the world;

the earth trembled and shook.

Your way was in the sea, and your paths in the great
waters, yet your footsteps were not seen.

You led your people like a flock by the hand of Moses and Aaron. R

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *(Please stand)*



Come, Ho-ly Ghost, our hearts in-spire, let
us thine in-fluence prove; source of the old pro-
phet-ic fire, foun-tain of life and love.

*GOSPEL READING

Luke 7:11-17

MESSAGE

Rev. Jim McKinney

UNISON OFFERTORY PRAYER

All good gifts come from you Lord, and from these gifts we bring this offering. Help us to use it for the furtherance of your purpose in this place, and for the benefit of those in need. Amen.

OFFERTORY

At the Cross

ARR. CAROL TORNQVIST

DOXOLOGY

UMH 94

*HYMN OF INVITATION

The Summons

TFWS 2130

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIG & LIL Ideas! Thank you for the great ideas we have received so far. We have a table in Hospitality Hall where you can view the ideas and add new ones. The BIG & LIL Ideas cards are available in the Hospitality Hall. As you are inspired with new ideas, please share them. You may also send your ideas to info@stlukesumc.org!

Women in Faith (formerly United Methodist Women). We will meet the following dates at 6:30 p.m. in the CLC Lounge: July 12 and August 9. All are welcome. Mark your calendar and come see what we are all about. For more information contact Pat Anderson at 901-489-3757 or pata9276@gmail.com.

Food Pantry Needs a Driver. We pick up food on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at approximately 9 a.m. Our driver is retiring. We need someone with a pick up truck. Contact Carolyn Galloway at 901-262-6935 or carolyn.galloway@att.net.

1st Annual 3 vs. 3 Basketball Tournament, August 21 at 11:30 a.m. following worship. Sign up on any of the sign up sheets located around the church or contact Micah Breckenridge. Teams will be selected by CLC Director and participants will be notified before their games. Questions? Contact micah.breckenridge@stlukesumc.org or 901-833-7625.