ST. LUKE SNAPSHOT

St. Luke Lutheran Church

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"Living in Faith...Linking Hearts and Hands'"

9:00am

LEARNING HOUR: **10:15am-11:15am**

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm



We welcome you as you join us in worship this morning!
We would enjoy meeting you and learning how we can minister to your family.
At this current time, the Café is closed. Please do not enter or use any equipment there.

We kindly ask that you refrain from bringing food or beverages into the Sanctuary. At St. Luke Lutheran Church, we use photographs and/or video to record our events and ministry. These are used to help promote our ministry, and for archival purposes such as on our website, or the Press Enterprise. If you DO NOT want your image or your child's image used in this manner, please contact the church office at 570-784-5035 to make us aware of your wishes.

If you, or someone
you know, is interested
in joining St. Luke
Lutheran Church
and being part of the
ministries here,
please see
Pastor Kerry
or Ken Roush

Thank you!

For the week of August 16, 2020

WINCOME BACK!

Sunday, August 16: Pentecost 11

- WORSHIP: 10:30AM
- NO LEARNING HOUR
- ♦ Youth Group Hoagie Sale, 11:30am

Monday, August 17:

Tuesday, August 18:

Wednesday, August 19:

Thursday, August 20:

Friday, August 21:

Saturday, August 22:

Sunday, August 23: Pentecost 12

- ♦ Worship, 9:00am (SY)
- ♦ Learning Hour, 10:15am (PV)

Youth Group Hoagie Sale



Fundraiser **TODAY**



PLEASE NOTE! DUE TO THE HOAGIE SALE, CHURCH WORSHIP WILL TAKE PLACE AT 10:30am

Hoagies will be ready for pickup immediately following the service.

(Please pay for your order at pickup)

Join fellow members for live music and enjoy your hoagie in the pavilion!



IT'S OFFICIAL!

YOUTH GROUP WILL ONCE AGAIN BEGIN MEETING STARTING SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

PLEASE CONTACT TAMMY POLSTRA
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN
VOLUNTEERING AND BEING A PART
OF THIS REWARDING
EXPERIENCE!

(MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW)

From the Pastor's Desk

As you may be aware of by now, I have submitted my resignation as the Interim Pastor of St. Luke Church effective September, 30, 2020. It has been my honor to serve as your Interim since April 1, 2019, when St. Luke became affiliated with the NALC. Angie and I have been in deep prayer and deliberation concerning our family and the right steps to take, especially in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. Now at the age of 63 I am becoming more cautious than ever. The Call Committee has been busy this summer preparing the Call Documents to begin interviewing a new Pastor to lead you for many years to come. I am also certain that the Holy Spirit will lead and guide this congregation for all the days to come. I ask for your prayers and well wishes for Angie and me, and for our family. I will continue to remain a member of St. Luke Church and look forward to our future times together.



In Christ's Grace always, Pastor Kerry

St. Luke Lutheran Church would like to thank everyone for their generosity in donating to our Compassion Child GAEL



\$378.33 (IN CHANGE!) was collected bringing the grand total to \$697.33!

Not only did we reach our donation goal, it was surpassed by \$241.33!

The balance of the donations will be used to purchase gifts for Gael and her family for holidays and birthdays.

Again...thank you everyone!



Prayer List for the Week of August 16, 2020

NOT AVAILABLE ONLINE

VBS TO-GO KITS

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, VBS has been canceled for 2020

Due to the cancellation, St. Luke is providing **VBS TO-GO KITS** for children ranging from preschool to 5th grade. Each kit contains a fun craft and a bible story.

Kits are located at the main entrance of the church under the portico.

Be sure to pick one up for each child!

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT ST. LUKE?

Please send any pictures of ministries/events at St. Luke that you would like featured in our congregation profile.

This will greatly help our call process for a new pastor.

Please bring hard copies to the church office or email pictures to tpolstra@stlukesway.org

ADULT LEARNING HOUR

Who: Adult Learning Hour

What: "The Jesus You May Not Know" study by

David Jeremiah

Where: St. Luke Pavilion or on Facebook weekly **When:** Starting July 5, 10:15am to 11:15am

Why: To learn more about Jesus How: With Christ, together

Please Note: There will he NO 1

Please Note: There will be NO Adult Learning Hour in the church pavilion Sunday, Aug 16 due to the hoagie sale and later worship service



	8/9 - 8/15/2020) YTD
BUDGET	\$8,846	\$283,072
ACTUAL	\$5,662	\$246,809
OVER/(UNDER)	\$(3,184)	\$(36,263)

IN ORDER TO KEEP YOU BETTER INFORMED, WE ARE ASKING THAT ANY CHANGES THAT HAVE BEEN MADE TO YOUR NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, EMAIL, ETC. BE FORWARDED TO THE CHURCH OFFICE. THANK YOU!

PLEASE CALL 570-784-5035 OR EMAIL stlukelc@ptd.net

DO YOU HAVE A SPECIAL EVENT IN YOUR LIFE THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE?

BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, BIRTHS,
MARRIAGES, ENGAGEMENTS, GRADUATIONS?
TELL US ABOUT ANY EVENT THAT HAS
BROUGHT JOY INTO YOUR LIVES!

WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR IT SO WE CAN SHARE
IT WITH OUR CHURCH MEMBERS AND GIVE
A SMILE TO THEM TOO!

CONTACT HOLLY AT THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 570-784-5035 OR EMAIL THE INFORMATION (AND ANY PICS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE)





IN NEED OF

THE ORANGEVILLE MANOR IS IN NEED OF TOILETRY ITEMS FOR THEIR RESIDENTS

Immediate Needs are as follows:

Spray deodorant (Axe spray cans)
3-1 Shampoo/Body Wash
Shaving Cream (no gel please)
Disposable razors



There are 2 options if you choose to donate:

Option 1: Bring the items with you on Sunday and place in the collection box . Items will be collected

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16 AND SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

Option 2: Items may be dropped off outside the main entrance to the church on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18 OR WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26

(Please place your items in a bag in case of inclement weather.)

Any donations will be greatly appreciated!

Thank you for your continued support of the Veterans housed at the Manor!

God bless!

Tina Kistler, Tara Varner and Diane Shultz

