

ST. LUKE SNAPSHOT

St. Luke Lutheran Church

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

SUNDAY WORSHIP



SERVICE:

9:00am

LEARNING HOUR:

10:15am

OFFICE HOURS:

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

THANK YOU to everyone who gave food and monetary donations over the past few weeks for our deployed troops! Through your generosity, St. Luke was able to send 4 boxes of food. And thanks to \$620.00 in donations, we were able to purchase even more food that was sent directly to the troops from Amazon!

*Thank you again for your
gracious generosity!*



We welcome you as you join us in worship this morning! Please join us for coffee, tea, and snacks in our Fellowship Café. We would enjoy meeting you and learning how we can minister to your family. 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. We also provide photographs to other publications for these 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 to make us aware of your wishes.

Thank you!

For the week of February 23, 2020

Sunday, February 23: Transfiguration of Our Lord/Youth Sunday

- ♦ Sunday Worship, 9:00am (SY)
- ♦ G.I.F.T. (SH) *No Learning Hour*
- ♦ Youth Group Meeting, 5:00pm (SH/K)

Monday, February 24:

- ♦ Shrove Tuesday preparation, all day (SH/K)
- ♦ Cub Scout Pack 20, 6:30pm (GK)

Tuesday, February 25: Shrove Tuesday

- ♦ Shrove Tuesday Pancake and Sausage Supper, all day (SH/K)
- ♦ Sawdust Ministry, 5:30pm

Wednesday, February 26: Ash Wednesday

- ♦ Ash Wednesday Service, 12:00pm (SY)
- ♦ TOPS, 5:30pm (AR)
- ♦ Ash Wednesday Service, 7:00pm (SY)

Thursday, February 27:

- ♦ Columbia/Montour Aging, 10:00am (GE)

Friday, February 28:



Saturday, February 29:

- ♦ Vietnamese Bible Study, 12:00pm (GE)

Sunday, March 1: 1 Lent/Bring a Friend to Church Month

- ♦ Orangeville Manor Ministry Meeting, 8:30am (LV)
- ♦ Worship, 9:00am (SY)
- ♦ Learning Hour
- ♦ High School Hot Breakfast, 10:15am
- ♦ Boy Scout Troop 20 Banquet, 4:00pm (SH/K)



**Please join us
Wednesday,
February 26 for
Worship Services
at
12:00pm & 7:00pm
Bring a friend!**

From the Pastor's Desk

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

For next Sunday, the first Sunday in the Lenten Season, I want to focus on the text from Matthew 4:1-11. This is the traditional reading for the First Sunday in Lent and is commonly known as the temptation of Jesus.

As we have journeyed through the Old Testament and now are beginning to look at the New Testament, I believe this account of Jesus' temptation by Satan is the heart of understanding God's love for us in the creation, humanity's willful disobedience, and the ultimate gift of Grace given in Jesus Christ.

For next Sunday, March 1, read from your Bible, Matthew 4:1-11; and then re-read Genesis 2-3. Look for the common theme between the temptation of Adam and Eve and the temptation of Jesus. And ponder this question: "Are we tempted in this day and age to have unlimited wealth, immortality, and total power over others?" I believe the answer to that question unlocks the whole mystery of the Scriptures, and God's plan for His people.

+ Pastor Kerry



**SHROVE
TUESDAY**

**Sausage &
Pancake Supper**
Tuesday, February 25
6:00pm
*Come join us!
Enjoy great food, fun,
and fellowship!*



Prayer List for the Week of February 23, 2020

NOT AVAILABLE ONLINE



Offering envelopes are now available in the church office. If you have not picked yours up yet, please do so by contacting the office at 570-784-5035.

Please note: You do NOT have to be a member of St. Luke church to request envelopes.

**STEPHEN MINISTERS ARE AVAILABLE SUNDAYS
AFTER WORSHIP TO PRAY FOR OR WITH YOU**



ALL MEETINGS ARE CONFIDENTIAL

STEPHEN MINISTER FOR FEBRUARY 23:
CARLA KREISCHER

***Next meeting: Tuesday, March 10 at 7:00pm
in the library***



IF YOU MISSED HAVING YOUR
PICTURE TAKEN FOR THE
CHURCH DIRECTORY,
DON'T FEAR!
PICTURE MAKE-UP DAYS ARE
COMING SOON!



**LENTEN SOUP, SALAD,
AND STUDY**

**MARCH 4 TO APRIL 1 5:30 - 7:30 pm
EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING**

NURSERY PROVIDED!



M.E.A.T.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 14 AT 8:00AM
PERKINS IN BUCKHORN
ALL MEN WELCOME!
BRING A FRIEND!**

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
PLEASE CALL 570-784-5035 OR EMAIL STLUKELC@PTD.NET

faith and finance



2/16/20 - 2/22/20

YTD

<u>BUDGET</u>	\$8,846	\$61,922
<u>ACTUAL</u>	\$9,009	\$70,371
<u>OVER/(UNDER)</u>	\$163	\$8,449



Greeters: Shirley Tobin and Dawn Johnson

Lector: Kathryn Polstra and Charlotte Olsen

Usher: Carla McCaleb

Acolyte: Raleigh Olsen

Counters: (2/24/2020) J. Johnson, G. Rubery, J. Flick

Counters: (3/2/2020) M. Austin, B. Ly, D. Shultz



**Worship
Attendance**

2/16/2020

144



PLEASE WELCOME THE
NEWEST MEMBERS OF
ST. LUKE LUTHERAN
CHURCH:

***CINDY SOBOLESKY
AND TARA SMITH***

WE ARE SO VERY GLAD TO
HAVE YOU JOIN OUR ST. LUKE
LUTHERAN CHURCH FAMILY!
WE WELCOME YOU
WITH OPEN ARMS!



Family Movie Night

Saturday, February 29 6-8pm

Potluck Supper 5:00pm

Journey along with Christian Pilgrim as
he makes his way to the celestial city.

Rated PG

Childcare available

Adult Learning Hour Schedule

3/1/2020: Class Introduction

3/8/2020: Cardinal Value of Faith

3/15/2020: Cardinal Value of Hope

3/22/2020: Cardinal Value of Moderation

3/29/2020: Cardinal Value of Wisdom

4/5/2020: Palm Sunday Breakfast
(no Learning Hour)

4/12/2020: Easter Sunday Café Social after
worship (no Learning Hour)

4/19/2020: Cardinal Value of Moral Courage

4/26/2020: Cardinal Value of Justice

5/3/2020: Cardinal Value of Charity