ST. LUKE SNAPSHOT

St. Luke Lutheran Church

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SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE:

Join us in our sanctuary, parking lot, on FB, St. Luke website, or tune into 88 3FM

9:00am

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

> BEGINNING 9/27/2020

CHILDREN'S LEARNING

HOUR WILL TAKE PLACE AT 9:00AM DURING WORSHIP



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.

Thank you!

"Living in Faith…Linking Hearts and Hands"

For the week of September 27, 2020

Sunday, September 27: Pentecost 17

- Worship, 9:00am (SY,PL)
- Kids and Youth Learning Hour,
- Budget Forum, immediately following Sunday service (PV)
- Adult Learning Hour, 10:15am (SH)

Monday, September 28:

- Cub Scout Pack 20, 6:30pm (PV)
- Tres Dias Reunion Group, 1:00pm (GE)

Tuesday, September 29:

Wednesday, September 30:

Girl Scout Troop 30202, 6:30pm (AR)

Thursday, October 1:

Friday, October 2:

Saturday, October 3:

Sunday, October 4: Pentecost 18

- Worship, 9:00am (SY,PL)
- Kid's and Youth Learning Hour, 9:00am
- Budget Forum (immediately following Sunday service (PV)
- Adult Learning Hour 10:15am (SH)
- Girl Scout Troop 30495, 3:00pm (AR)

FALL ADULT LEARNING HOUR

BEGINS TODAY 9/27 THRU ADVENT

For Who: All Adults Learning Hour On What: Lessons on Biblical Signs

Where: St. Luke Social Hall

When: 10:15am (after worship)

Why: Fellowship and Learning

How: The Holy Bible and other supporting

material



VILLAGE

YOU'RE INVITED! Saturday, October 10 **WHAT?** St. Luke Annual Budget Forums beginning at 6:00pm DATE? Sunday, September 27 & through Sunday, October 4

October 11 at 9:00am **TIME?** Following Sunday Service WHERE? St. Luke Church Pavilion

PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND!

Lots of fun, food and fellowship is planned!

See Tammy Polstra for more information and questions



In grateful appreciation...

Thank you for joining us this morning to worship Christ and to celebrate the retirement of Reverend Dr. Kerry P. Maurer.

Pastor Kerry was called to St. Luke on October 5, 1986. At that time, the church was located in Lightstreet with two worship services each Sunday and communion twice a month. He spiritually led the congregation closer to Christ and, in December of 1998, physically helped move the congregation to the building you see today. By 2008, the congregation had grown to three services with 350 people worshiping each Sunday. At that time Pastor Kerry transitioned to a new church in Cumming, GA.

In 2018, Pastor Kerry was called once again to St. Luke as an interim pastor to spiritually lead us - this time to the NALC and once again closer to Christ.

We are forever grateful to him, his wife Angie, and their entire family for their love, support and friendship over the years.

The year 2020 has been one of tremendous change and challenge. History scholars will look back on this year for generations to come, and it is only fitting that Pastor Kerry, being a history buff, would see us through this incredible time and transition.

We look forward to continuing to worship together for years to come.

With heartfelt appreciation,

The Congregation Council of St. Luke Lutheran Church





Prayer List for the Week of September 27, 2020

NOT AVAILABLE ONLINE



MAKE YOUR VOICES
HEARD!

Sunday, October 18 9:00am

You <u>MUST</u> be present in the church or in the parking lot to vote!



| 9/20 - 9/26/2020 YTD | | |
|----------------------|------------------|------------|
| BUDGET | \$8,846 | \$336,148 |
| ACTUAL | \$5 , 813 | \$283,150 |
| OVER/(UNDER) | \$(3,033) | \$(52,998) |

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)







THANKS TO OUR SAWDUST MINISTRY CREW FOR A TERRIFIC RESPONSE THIS PAST WEEK!

Our latest project was at the home of one of our retired parishioners. Repairs included digging (by hand!), removal of damaged material, reframing of a shed wall, installation of a French drain, and pouring concrete. Work was completed in 2 hours and concrete was poured on Friday.

THANKS to our **AMAZING** crew: **Chris Davis (and his truckload of tools), Tim Dawalt, Mike Douthit, Jamie Fox, Kevin Olsen, Shirley Tobin, Larry Snoke (and his Kubota tractor), Kristine Wolff, and Lisa McCay.**

Sawdust Ministry: spreading grace with a hammer.



Blessings to all - Mike



IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN!

Our world certainly has changed! One thing that hasn't is the need for blankets!

Our Blanket Ministry
is accepting donations
NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 18

A box will be placed outside the church entrance containing coin boxes and envelopes for anyone who would like to donate to our **Blanket Fund**.

Through your generosity, we have purchased approximately **1,975** blankets which have been donated to the homeless and those in our area shelters.

Thank you for your support!
Diane Shultz, Blanket Ministry Coordinator