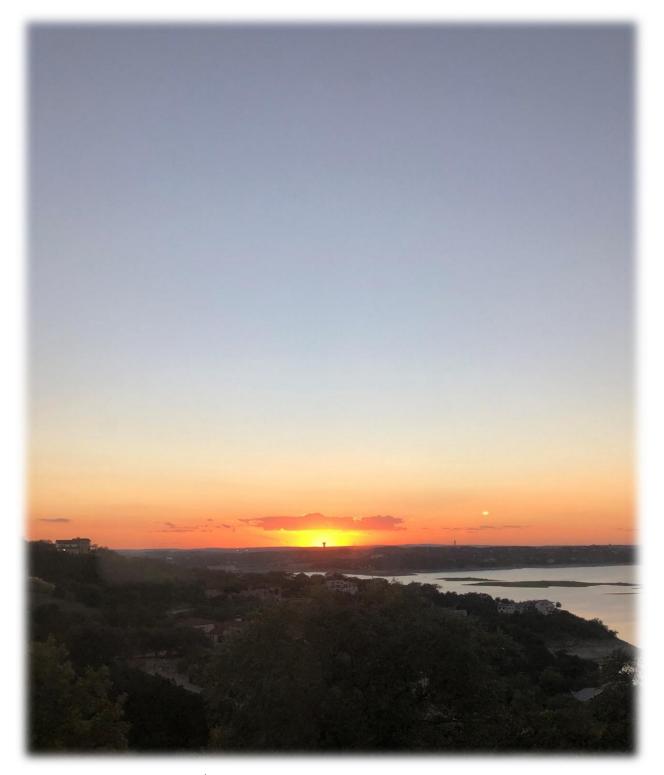


THE 16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST PROPER 21 COMMON REVISED LECTIONARY YEAR C GOSPEL-RELATED TRACK THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2022 | 10:15 AM



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ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE EPISCOPAL CHURCH A COMMUNITY IN CHRIST AND CHRIST TO THE WORLD

Welcome to St. Luke's! Whether you are joining us today for the first time, or have journeyed with us for years, we pray that you will connect with God in new and powerful ways in our community. Let us open our hearts together to a deeper relationship with a God who loves us and longs to be in relationship with us, and longs for us to be in relationship with one another.

Are You New?

About You We would love to connect with you so we can respond to your needs. Please help us by filling out a *Connection Card* [found in the pew racks/in the Lobby/from the ushers/on-line via this QR code here/on the front page of our website. We will follow up with you however you prefer. And please stop by the *Welcome Table* in the lobby for a special gift.



- About Our Worship Our worship style is interactive. We use the *Episcopal Book of Common Prayer* [BCP] as our guide. You will see people sitting, standing, or kneeling depending on whether we are listening, singing, or praying. You will hear people responding during the service as prompted. Please do whatever feels comfortable.
- + About Our Scriptures We use the New Revised Standard Version [NRSV] translation of the Bible, and use the "Revised Common Lectionary" as a guide for the Scriptures we hear each week. This is Year "C" of the Lectionary cycle, which rotates public reading of the entire Bible over a three-year period.
- **+ About Communion** All who have been baptized in any Christian denomination are welcome to take Holy Communion.
- **† Restrooms** are located upstairs through the "Cry Room" or downstairs at the bottom of the staircase to the right. Ask anyone for directions.
- **† Questions?** Please ask anyone near you for guidance.

Especially For Children

- + Children of all ages are always welcome in our service.
- **† Kinder-5th Grade** *"Kids' Church"* is an interactive, kid-friendly worship service. Children will be invited before the service to go downstairs to the Fellowship Hall. They will return midway through the service at the Peace. Parents are always invited to Kids' Church.
- **†** Infant-Age 5 are invited to our professionally staffed childcare area in the lower level of our complex. We offer *Little Liturgy*, a worship time with lessons, using "Godly Play" and Montessori early childhood development models. Check in at the bottom of the stairs in Riker Hall.

Connect with Us

- + Visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u> anytime for St. Luke's information.
- **†** E-mail|call the office [office@stlukesonthelake.org|512.266.2455] with any questions you may have; we're here to help.

Please consider taking your bulletin home

for easy reference to our Parish Prayer List, today's Scriptures, and upcoming event information!

THE WORD OF GOD

[BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER (BCP) 355]

This bulletin is a guide to our worship service, but our liturgy allows flexibility. The Celebrant will give direction.

PROCESSIONAL *HYMNAL #574 BEFORE THY THRONE*

Please stand as you are comfortable.



WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Please remain standing.

Celebrant

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

GLORY TO GOD (CANTICLE 20)



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Please remain standing.

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray.O God you declare your almighty p

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSONS

Please be seated.The Old Testament ReadingReaderA Reading from the Book of the Prophet Amos.

Amos 6:1a, 4-7

^{1a}Alas for those who are at ease in Zion, and for those who feel secure on Mount Samaria,
⁴Alas for those who lie on beds of ivory, and lounge on their couches,
and eat lambs from the flock, and calves from the stall;
⁵who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp, and like David improvise on instruments of music;
⁶who drink wine from bowls, and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!
⁷Therefore they shall now be the first to go into exile, and the revelry of the loungers shall pass away.

Reader	The Word of the Lord
People	Thanks be to God.

THE RESPONSE

Reader Please join me in reading today's Psalm responsively by whole verse. The Reader leads the Psalm; the People respond as indicated by bold italics.

Psalm 146

¹Hallelujah!
Praise the LORD, O my soul! *

I will praise the LORD as long as I live;
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

²Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, *
for there is no help in them.

³When they breathe their last, they return to earth, * and in that day their thoughts perish. ⁴Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! * whose hope is in the LORD their God; ⁵Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; * who keeps his promise for ever; ⁶Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, * and food to those who hunger. ⁷The LORD sets the prisoners free; the LORD opens the eyes of the blind; * the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; ⁸The LORD loves the righteous: the LORD cares for the stranger; * he sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked. ⁹The LORD shall reign for ever, * your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah!

The New Testament Reading

Reader A Reading from the First Letter to Timothy.

1 Timothy 6:6-19

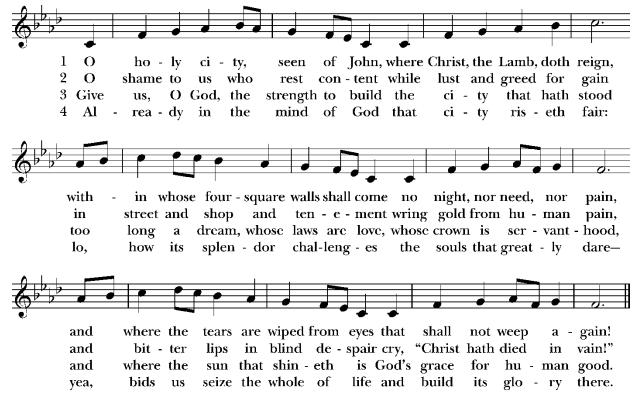
⁶Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; ⁷for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; ⁸but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. ⁹But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. ¹⁰For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

¹¹But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. ¹²Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. ¹³In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you ¹⁴to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. ¹⁶It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

¹⁷As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. ¹⁸They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, ¹⁹thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

SEQUENCE HYMNAL #583 O HOLY CITY

Please stand as you are comfortable.



THE GOSPEL

GospelerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

Luke 16:19-31

[Jesus said,] ¹⁹"There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. ²²The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. ²³In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. ²⁴He called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' ²⁵But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. ²⁶Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' ²⁷He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house-²⁸ for I have five brothers-that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' ²⁹Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.' ³⁰He said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' ³¹He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."

GospelerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



THE SERMONTHE REVEREND ANN MCLEMORE, INTERIM RECTORPlease be seated.

THE NICENE CREED [BCP 358]

ReaderPlease join me in affirming our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.Please stand as you are comfortable.All say togetherWe believe in one God,the Father, the Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate: he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE [FORM III BCP 387]

Please remain standing or kneel as you are comfortable. The Reader leads the prayer; the People respond as indicated in bold italics. Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; *That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you; *That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; *That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.*

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; *That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially those on our Parish Prayer List;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Nadine Gilbert, aunt of Nancy Phillips; *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; *May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. The People may add their own petitions.

Let us pray in unison for the search for a new Rector [BCP 818]:

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a Rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us pray in unison this prayer attributed to St. Francis [BCP 833]:

Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN [BCP 359] Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and People say together

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

THE ABSOLUTION

Celebrant

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY PRAYER [BCP 431]

Celebrant and People say together

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

BIRTHDAY PRAYER [BCP 830]

Celebrant and People say together

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. THE PEACECelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION [BCP 361]

OFFERTORY

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture [BCP 376].

We are grateful for your tax-deductible contributions, which enable us to continue our work. Click <u>here</u> to give on-line; or text a dollar amount followed by the word "pledge" to 833-948-2161; or mail a check to: St. Luke's on the Lake Episcopal Church | 5600 RR 620 N | Austin, TX 78732

OFFERTORY ANTHEM THE LORD IS MERCIFUL [BY ANDREW FLETCHER]

At the conclusion of the anthem, please stand as you are comfortable. The gifts are presented and placed on the Altar.

DOXOLOGY

Celebrant and People sing together

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A [BCP 361]

Please remain standing as you are comfortable.CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift up your hearts.PeopleWe lift them to the Lord.CelebrantLet us give thanks to the Lord our God.PeopleIt is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Here a Proper Preface is said [BCP 377]:

Of God the Father: For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Or

Of God the Son: Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. *Or*

Of God the Holy Spirit: For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

THE SANCTUS

Celebrant and People say or sing together

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant

Please sit or kneel as you are comfortable.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith: Celebrant and People say together Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with St. Luke and all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

Celebrant And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant and People say together		
Our Father, who art in heaven,	as we forgive those	
hallowed be thy Name,	who trespass against us.	
thy kingdom come,	And lead us not into temptation,	
thy will be done,	but deliver us from evil.	
on earth as it is in heaven.	For thine is the kingdom,	
Give us this day our daily bread.	and the power, and the glory,	
And forgive us our trespasses,	for ever and ever. Amen.	

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

CelebrantAlleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;PeopleTherefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Celebrant

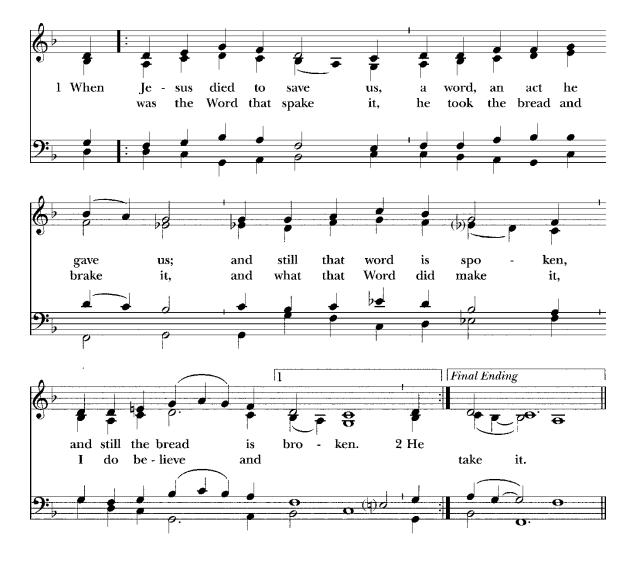
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

- **†** All baptized people of any age or Christian denomination are welcome to participate in Holy Communion.
- **†** Anyone is welcome to receive a blessing.

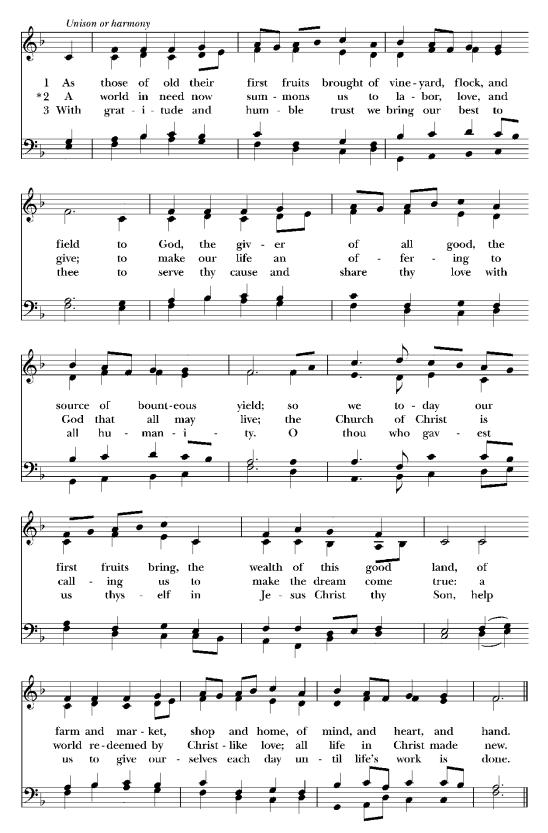
DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

- **†** Please follow the direction of the ushers and kneel or stand at the altar rail.
- **†** The consecrated host [blessed wafer] represents full Communion.
- **†** You may also take consecrated wine by intinction [dipping] of your wafer.
- **†** If you need a gluten-free wafer, tell the priest/paten-bearer.
- **†** To receive a blessing instead of Communion, cross your arms over your chest.

HYMNAL #322 WHEN JESUS DIED TO SAVE US



HYMNAL #705 AS THOSE OF OLD



SENDING FORTH OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Celebrant and People say together

In the name of St. Luke's on the Lake, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body because we all share one bread and one cup. Amen.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER [BCP 366]

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People say together Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.

Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The Celebrant says a blessing over the people.

RECESSIONAL HYMNAL #438 TELL OUT, MY SOUL

Please stand as you are comfortable.



THE DISMISSAL [BCP 366]

CelebrantGo in peace to love and serve the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher & Celebrant: The Reverend Ann McLemore, Interim Rector Altar Guild: Team 3 Janet Wood | Floral Guild: Sue DeVos Vestry | Lay Eucharistic Visitors: Deborah Leslie Benitez/Joan Blair Daughters of the King Flower Delivery Worship Support: Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall, LoriAnn Lavallee, Jacob Leal, Nancy Phillips, Brad Powell Reader: Jackie Ash | Chalice Bearers: Rick Vasser/ | Paten: Sue DeVos Acolytes: Zoey Coyle/Avery Yates | Ushers/Greeters: Team 4 Kirk Lavallee Choir Director: Don Grantham | Organist: Stephen McElroy

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation, especially:

These Members and Loved Ones Serving Our Country: Andrew; Brian; Carter; Christine; Javen; Jordan; Phillip.

Those Whose Needs Have Been Made Known to Us: Addie & Bill; Allen; Amanda; Ann; Beth W.; Beverly; Bill; Bob & Gale; Buddy; Carol; Chris G.; Chris M.; Chris K.; Craig; Dana; Debbie; Don; George; Glenn; Jack & Marianna; Jana, Trent & Judy; Janice; Jayme; JoAnne; John; Julie Ann; Kristen; Liz; Marilyn; Mark; Mary Alice; Michael, Danny, Clare, and Travis; Nelle; Pam; Pat; Patty; Rachel; SarahNelle; Scott; Susan, the Lowell Family, the McGuyer Family.

Those Who Have Died: Nadine Gilbert, aunt of Nancy Phillips.

DOK HOUSEHOLD PRAYER ROTATION LIST

The Daughters of the King [DOK] are members of the oldest order of non-ordained women in the Episcopal Church. Each week, DOK members pray for 11 households in our parish. Prayers for the week of September 18th are for: **Those Households with Last Names Beginning with:** CUN through DEA

FEATURED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's Bible Study: 10:00-11:45 AM via Zoom

Women's Guild Meeting 10:00 AM Parish Hall

LukeToberFest 2022: Chili Cookoff and Family Fun!

Save the Dates [check your e-mails or visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u> for more details as they are available]

- Monday, September 26th:
 - Wednesday, September 28th: Bible Study: Luke 7:00-8:00 PM Wednesdays via Zoom
 - Thursday, September 29th: Mid-week Eucharist 10:00 AM
- Thursday, September 29th: Bible Study: Romans 10:45-11:45 AM Thursdays Parish Hall/Zoom
- Tuesday, October 4th:
- Sunday, October 16th:
- November 18th-20th:
- TBA

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- Men of St. Luke's Fall Retreat
- Newcomer Meet & Greet Event

Women's Monday Morning Bible Study: The Acts of the Apostles

In a world that is unsure of where to find truth or purpose, the Book of Acts stands apart. It reveals God's plan for global redemption, His purpose for our lives, and the power He has given us to accomplish his mission. Join us as pastor Louie Giglio teaches this eight-lesson series through the story of the early church. Acts may have been written two thousand years ago, but God calls us to be a part of that story today. We meet on Mondays from 10-

11:45am via Zoom [link at www.stlukesonthelake.org], facilitated by Bernadette Gutilla. All women are invited!

Wednesday Night Bible Study: Luke: The Gospel of Reassurance

Take a fascinating journey through the lands of the New Testament as host 0 Michael Card, renowned Christian musician and author, examines the Gospel of Luke and stirs your imagination with insights into the life of Christ. The study of this Gospel is especially relevant as we hear Luke's Gospel each week, and prepare to celebrate him in October as the patron *saint of our church.* Explore the historical and social context in which this

Gospel was written. Discover in this eight-lesson interactive study how God used the research skills of a doctor to communicate the amazing life and teachings of Jesus. The meeting format will include a short video followed by discussion questions. This eight-week study will meet on Wednesday evenings from 7-8pm via Zoom [link at www.stlukesonthelake.org through October 26th, facilitated by Maria Goulet. All are invited and you can drop in anytime!

Thursday Morning Bible Study: Romans: "Not Ashamed of the Gospel"

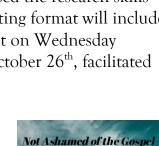
When Paul authored his letter to the small house churches of Rome, his 0 intent was to gain prayerful support for his mission to the western Mediterranean world. Little did he know that this letter would have the impact it did (even 2,000 years later). God did a mighty work through his servant Paul. The message and legacy of his letters are his commenting upon, expanding and drawing out the implications of Jesus' teachings. Quite often

we see clearly his references from the Gospels. This study will offer selections from Romans (often paired with a Gospel passage) on some of Paul's major themes; such as, the righteousness of God, sin and death, the cross and resurrection of Jesus, faith and salvation, the responsibilities of the Christian life, law and grace. This study will meet on Thursday mornings through December 8th [skipping 11/24] in the Parish Hall or via Zoom [link at www.stlukesonthelake.org], taught by Fr. Mike Wyckoff. All are invited and you can drop in anytime!

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Parenting Group Meeting Sundays at 9:00 AM Riker Conference Room

Reconnect and make new friends with others on the parenting journey, 0 currently discussing "Intentional Parenting: 10 Ways to be an Exceptional Parent in a Quick-Fix World" by Doug Fields workbooks available in class or via Amazon]. A Christian writer & speaker, Doug created this five-session video/discussion guide to remind us that we "are the greatest influence on the life of our child (no matter their age)." Parents of children of all ages and stages are invited!



Study of Romans





Spiritual Direction Available Cost-Free

• St. Luke's member Deborah Harvill-Ash is entering her second year at the Seminary of the Southwest to train to be a hospital chaplain. One of her required courses is *Spiritual Direction*, which involves confidential conversations about spiritual matters. Deborah is seeking people willing to try spiritual direction with her as a student under peer supervision with the identity of the directee held strictly anonymous. There is no cost and no long-term commitment. Meetings are held monthly via FaceTime. Please contact Deborah at <u>deborah.harvill-ash@my.ssw.edu</u> for more information.

St. Luke's Cares Here to Help

St. Luke's Cares exists at St. Luke's so that no one walks alone in times of life's changes. We offer prayer, meals, and home/hospital visits. Contact the office at <u>512.266.2455</u> office@stlukesonthelake.org or Pat Beachy at 512.318.4001 pkbeachy@att.net for help or to volunteer. Information is confidential.



VESTRY MEMBERSHIP | TERM

St. Luke's Vestry [AKA "Board of Directors"] members are listed below with their terms of office. They are here to help with questions/comments about St. Luke's.

Ron Cristobal		2020 - 2022
Christy Diver	Clerk	2020 - 2022
Patrick Harrison		2020 - 2022
Kelle Sosa		2020 - 2022
Mike Affleck		2021 - 2023
Darren Grissom	Sr. Warden	2021 - 2023
Peggie Klema		2021 - 2023
Lenee Willsey		2021 - 2023
Jane-Ellen Carter		2022 - 2024
Austin Collins	Jr. Warden	2022 - 2024
Jim Smith		2022 - 2024
Anne Steichen		2022 - 2024
Brad Powell	Treasurer [non-voting]	

Vestry Nominations Class of 2023-2025 Open

• Four members of our Vestry will end their terms in December 2022. To volunteer yourself or nominate someone else to be considered for election for the three-year term beginning January 2023, please contact the office.

Luketoberfest 2022 We Want You...

...to join us for this annual celebration of our patron saint Luke! Please take the flyer on the next
page to your favorite public bulletin board and post it, OR give it to friends and neighbors. And let
us know if you are available to help by contacting us at <u>connection@stlukesonthelake.org</u> !



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FREE COMMUNITY EVENT FOR ALL AGES

LUKETOBERFEST 2022 A CELEBRATION HONORING OUR PATRON SAINT FOOD, MUSIC, FAMILY FUN!

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16TH, 4:00-7:00 PM

Enjoy a fall day overlooking Lake Travis! Featuring live polka music by the award-winning Mike Middleton & the Middletones

Chili Cook-Off (bring your favorite recipe in a crockpot) Fun Carnival Games Do the Chicken Dance

*Serving House Chili, Hot Dogs, Tea, Lemonade, & Other Soft Beverages [Beer & Wine Available for Suggested Donation]

Bring your friends! Questions? Email connection@stlukesonthelake.org or call (512) 266-2455