

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION DAY EPISCOPAL VISIT WITH THE RT. REV. C. ANDREW DOYLE SUNDAY, MAY 21st, 2023 | 10:15 AM

WELCOME ALL! SEE THE BULLETIN BACK COVER FOR VISITOR AND NEWCOMER NOTES

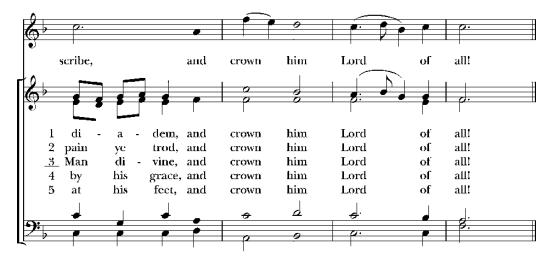


Entrance Rite

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Please stand as you are able. PROCESSIONAL HYMN *ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME*





6 Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Bishop	Alleluia. Christ is risen.	
People	The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.	

SALUTATION FOR BAPTISM

Bishop	There is one Body and one Spirit;
People	There is one hope in God's call to us;
Bishop	One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People	One God and Father of all.

Please remain standing.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Bishop The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Bishop Let us pray.

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

The Lessons

Please be seated for the Lessons.

FIRST READING: Acts 1:6-14

Reader A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

⁶When [the apostles] had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

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⁹When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. ¹⁰While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. ¹¹They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

¹²Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. ¹³When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. ¹⁴All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

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

PSALM: Psalm 68:1-10, 33-36

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.

¹Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered; * let those who hate him flee before him. ²Let them vanish like smoke when the wind drives it away; * as the wax melts at the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God. ³But let the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; * let them also be merry and joyful. ⁴Sing to God, sing praises to his Name; exalt him who rides upon the heavens; * YAHWEH is his name, rejoice before him! ⁵Father of orphans, defender of widows, * God in his holy habitation! ⁶God gives the solitary a home and brings forth prisoners into freedom; * but the rebels shall live in dry places. ⁷O God, when you went forth before your people, * when you marched through the wilderness. ⁸The earth shook, and the skies poured down rain, at the presence of God, the God of Sinai, * at the presence of God, the God of Israel. ⁹You sent a gracious rain, O God, upon your inheritance; * you refreshed the land when it was weary. ¹⁰Your people found their home in it; * in your goodness, O God, you have made provision for the poor. ³³Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; * sing praises to the Lord. ³⁴He rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; * he sends forth his voice, his mighty voice. ³⁵Ascribe power to God; * his majesty is over Israel; his strength is in the skies. ³⁶How wonderful is God in his holy places! * the God of Israel giving strength and power to his people! Blessed be God!

SECOND READING: 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

Reader A Reading from the First Letter of Peter.

¹²Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. ¹³But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. ¹⁴If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you.

^{5:6}Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. ⁷Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. ⁸Discipline yourselves, keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. ⁹Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters in all the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. ¹⁰And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. ¹¹To him be the power forever and ever. Amen.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

SEQUENCE HYMN WHEN CHRIST WAS LIFTED FROM THE EARTH

lift When Christ was ed from the earth, his Still and his love and 2 east west ex tends Where class. di -3 gen a tion, or er race Thus ly loved, though ful ly free known, may stretched bove through arms out a ev ery cul ture, he calls al near far, claims ways, or and us vide shame, he la bels us to our sees not I in Christ be free to wel come and ac -0 ev ery birth, to draw an an swering love. his friends as and loves us as we are. but face, a a per son, and а name. his cept own as Christ ac cept edme.

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GOSPEL: John 17:1-11PriestThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

¹[Jesus] looked up to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you,²since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. ³And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. ⁴I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. ⁵So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

⁶"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; ⁸for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. ¹¹And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one."

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION [sing three times]



Please be seated.

THE SERMON

THE RT. REV. C. ANDREW DOYLE, BISHOP DIOCESAN, THE DIOCESE OF TEXAS

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Presentation and Examination of the Candidates

PRESENTATION

Bishop	The Candidate(s) will now be presented.
Presenters	I present these persons for Confirmation.

EXAMINATIO	N	BCP 415
Bishop	Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil?	
Candidate	I do.	
Bishop	Do you renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?	
Candidate	I do, and with God's grace I will follow him as my Savior and Lord.	

After all have been presented, the Bishop addresses the congregation, saying Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ? People We will. The Bishop then says these or similar words Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant. THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT **BCP 416** Do you believe in God the Father? Bishop People I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God? Bishop I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. People He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. **Bishop** Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit? I believe in the Holy Spirit, People the holv catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Bishop Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers? People I will, with God's help. Bishop Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord? People I will, with God's help. Bishop Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ? People I will, with God's help. Bishop Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself? People I will, with God's help. Bishop Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being? People I will, with God's help.

PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATES

The Bishop then says to the congregation

Let us now pray for these persons who have renewed their commitment to Christ.

- **Bishop** Deliver *them*, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.
- People Lord, hear our prayer.
- **Bishop** Open *their hearts* to your grace and truth.
- People Lord, hear our prayer.
- **Bishop** Fill *them* with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
- People Lord, hear our prayer.
- **Bishop** Keep *them* in the faith and communion of your holy Church.
- People Lord, hear our prayer.

Bishop	Teach <i>them</i> to love others in the power of the Spirit.
People	Lord, hear our prayer.
Bishop	Send <i>them</i> into the world in witness to your love.
People	Lord, hear our prayer.
Bishop	Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.
People	Lord, hear our prayer.

A period of silence follows.

Then the Bishop says

Almighty God, we thank you that by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ you have overcome sin and brought us to yourself, and that by the sealing of your Holy Spirit you have bound us to your service. Renew in *these* your *servants* the covenant you have made with *them* at *their* Baptism. Send *them* forth in the power of that Spirit to perform the service you set before *them*; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

LAYING ON OF HANDS

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The Bishop lays hands upon each one and says

For Confirmation:

Defend, O Lord, your servant N. with your heavenly grace, that s/he may continue yours for ever, and daily increase in your Holy Spirit more and more, until s/he comes to your everlasting kingdom. *Amen.*

For Reception:

N., we recognize you as a member of the one holy catholic and apostolic Church, and we receive you into the fellowship of this Communion. God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless, preserve, and keep you. *Amen.*

For Reaffirmation:

N., may the Holy Spirit, who has begun a good work in you, direct and uphold you in the service of Christ and his kingdom. *Amen.*

The Bishop concludes with this prayer:

Almighty and everlasting God, let your fatherly hand ever be over *these* your *servants*; let your Holy Spirit ever be with *them*; and so lead *them* in the knowledge and obedience of your Word, that *they* may serve you in this life, and dwell with you in the life to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE NEWLY CONFIRMED, RECEIVED, AND REAFFIRMED:

GRAY BEINKE, JACKSON DIVER, BEN HAEDGE, AVERY YATES, COY WESTBROOK, MICHAEL MARLER, CASSANDRA MOYA, DAVID LYONS, CHRIS PERKINS, PATRICK VILIM, CAROL CULBERTSON, JEFF DAVIS

THE PEACE

The Peace is now exchanged.

BishopThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

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PRAYER FOR THE SEARCH FOR A NEW RECTOR

Priest and People say together

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.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Priest 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

Priest 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

Today's undesignated offering will be given to the Bishop's Discretionary Fund. Click here 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. We are grateful for your tax-deductible contributions, which enable us to continue our work.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM SING PRAISE TO GOD [H 408 ARR. VAUGHAN WILLIAMS]

Please stand as you are able as the gifts are presented and placed on the altar. DOXOLOGY [sung to the tune of H 400]

> Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below; Alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above ve heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A

Please remain standing as you are able. Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them to the Lord.

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BCP 431

BCP 818

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.

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 kneel or sit as you are able.

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 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,BCP 364Celebrant and People say together

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

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

CelebrantChrist our Passover is sacrificed for us;PeopleTherefore let us keep the feast.

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 people of any age who are baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion.
- [†] The consecrated host [blessed wafer] represents full Communion if you do not wish to take wine.
- **†** You may take consecrated wine by sipping from the chalice, or by intinction [dipping] of your wafer.
- **†** Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.
- *†* If you prefer to receive a blessing instead of Communion, please signal the Priest by crossing your arms over your chest.
- **†** Please follow the direction of the ushers to proceed to the altar rail.
- **†** Two lines will form in the center aisle. Please join the shortest line.
- + Please fill spaces at the altar rail from right to left as they become available. You may stand or kneel.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

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 Bishop says a blessing over the people.

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Please stand as you are able. RECESSIONAL HYMN *ALLELUIA! SING TO JESUS!*





THE DISMISSAL

- **Bishop** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia. Alleluia.
- People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.

WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher and Celebrant: The Rt. Rev. C. Andrew Doyle, Bishop Diocesan, The Diocese of Texas Assisting Clergy: The Reverend Ann McLemore, Interim Rector Bishop's Chaplain: Kym Hall | Vestry Person on Duty: Mike Affleck Presenters of Candidates for Confirmation/Reception/Reaffirmation: Barbara Frazell, Jacob Leal Reader: Phil Brownfield | Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Bleckley Dobbs, Phil Brownfield Crucifer: Katie Willsey | Assistant Acolyte Master: Brianna Willsey Acolytes: Aria Alexander, Amelia Collins, Zoey Coyle, Francisco Cristobal, Sadeigh Sosa Altar Guild: Team 3 Janet Wood | Floral Guild: Kelle Sosa, Debbie Wheeler | DOK Flower Delivery: Anne Steichen Ushers: Team 2 Jim Bissett | Greeters: Carol Culbertson, Jeff Davis Choir Director: Don Grantham | Organist: Stephen McElroy | Trumpeter: Timothy Shaffer Worship Support: Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall, LoriAnn Lavallee, Jacob Leal, Robin Miner, Nancy Phillips, Brad Powell

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: Adam; Addy; Allen; Ann; Beth W.; Beverly; Bill; Bill E.; Bob; Gail; Buddy; Carol; Carolyn; Charlotte; Chris G.; Chris M.; Chris K.; Chris and Pam; Chuck; Craig; Dana; Debbie; Debbie P. & Marc P; Deborah; Diane; Dick and Shaula; Don; Gary; George; Glenn; Holly; Jan; Jana, Trent & Judy; Janice; Jayme; Jeff; Jim; John; Josh; Katherine, Kristen; Lainie; Laura; Lily and Carrie; Linda; Liz; Matthew; Mariana; Marilyn; Mark; Mark S.; Mary; Mary Alice; Michael, Danny, Clare, and Travis; Nelle; Pam; Pat; Patty; Perry; Rachel; Sam; SarahNelle; Scott; Susan; Vincent; the Lenz Family; Amber and Family; the Deuillet Family.

Those Who Have Died: Jo Anne Imhof, mother of Barbara Frazell.

DOK HOUSEHOLD PRAYER ROTATION LIST [UPDATE]

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 *May 21st* are for: Those Households with Last Names Beginning with: *DEF through DOB*

VESTRY OF ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE

The Vestry serves as our Board of Directors. Members are listed below with their terms of office. They are here to help with questions/comments about St. Luke's.

2021-2023

2022-2024

Mike Affleck Darren Grissom Peggie Klema Lenee Willsey Jane Ellen Carter Austin Collins Jim Smith Anne Steichen

2023-2025

Chris Perkins Peggy Point Karla Tabor Ann Thompson

OFFICERS OF THE VESTRY

The Rev. Ann McLemore Darren Grissom Austin Collins Peggy Point Brad Powell Interim Rector Senior Warden Junior Warden Clerk Treasurer [non-Voting]

HIGHLIGHTED ANNOUNCEMENTS/KEY DATES

Visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org/calendar</u> for complete calendar.

Day/Date	Event	Time	Location
Sunday, May 21	Rt. Rev. Andrew Doyle Visitation With Confirmation: *NO 8:00 AM SERVICE *NO 9:00 AM CLERGY FORUM: Coffee and Fellowship time *NO 9:00 AM YOUTH FORMATION *CHILDREN'S FORMATION DOWNSTAIRS RIKER HALL PARENT FORMATION UPSTAIRS BIG ROOM RIKER AND PARENT FORMATION AT 9:00 AM *NO KIDS CHURCH: Children K-5th Grade are invited to "Big Church" to see the Bishop *COMBINED SERVICE AT 10:15 AM *RECEPTION AT 11:30 AM	9 AM-12:15 PM	
Sunday, May 21	Vestry Meeting with Bishop Doyle Vestry Meeting Continuation	12:15-12:45 PM 12:45-2:00 PM	Riker: Conference Room
Tuesday, May 23	VBS Deco/Prep Day	1:00-3:00 PM	Parish Hall
Thursday, May 25	Celebration of Life for Bill Jackson	10:00 AM	Sanctuary/Parish Hall
Sunday, May 28	"Slow-Motion" Fire Drills Pentecost Party	11:30 AM	Lawn
Sunday, May 28	Walking the Mourner's Path Begins	3:00-4:30 PM	Rector's Office
Sunday June 4	VBS Training	11:30 AM	Parish Hall
Mon-Fri June 5-9	VBS Deco Days	9:00 AM-4:00 PM	Campus-wide
Sunday, June 11	Final VBS Prep Day	11:30 AM	Campus-wide
Mon-Thu, June 12-15	Vacation Bible School	9 AM-12 PM	Campus-wide
Sun-Sat, July 8-16	High School Mission Trip	24/7	Colorado Springs, CO
Sunday Mornings	Adult Forum: The Catechism	9 AM	Parish Hall/Zoom
Sunday Mornings	Parenting Gathering	9 AM	Riker: Conference Room
Sunday Mornings	0-5 Years Old: Professional Childcare/Formation	9-11:15 AM	Nursery Wing
Sunday Mornings	K-5th Grade Formation	9 AM	Riker: Lower Level
Sunday Mornings	6th-12th Grade Formation	9 AM	Riker: Youth Zone
Sunday Mornings	K-5 th Grade Kids' Church	10:15 AM	Parish Hall
Monday Mornings	Women's Bible Study	10:30 AM	Zoom

+ Walking the Mourner's Path: Prayer Partners Needed Contact the office by Tuesday, May 23rd if you are interested in supporting this ministry as a prayer partner for participants.

⁺ Vacation Bible School 2023 Visit our website for links to register as a participant or volunteer.

⁺ High School Mission Trip 2023 Contact the office to learn more about registration and scholarships.

For up-to-date information about St. Luke's, register to receive our e-news or visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u>. For links to on-line registrations and Zoom offerings, visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u>. Follow our social media channels on Facebook and Instagram. Need help? Contact the office at <u>512.266.2455 | office@stlukesonthelake.org</u>.

VISITOR AND NEWCOMER NOTES 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 Please help us connect with you by filling out a *Connection Card*, found in the pew racks/in the Lobby [Narthex]/from the ushers/via the QR code/on the front page of our website. We will follow up with you however you prefer.



- + About Our Worship Our worship style is interactive. We use the blue *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.
- **† Restrooms** are located on the lower level at the bottom of the staircase, accessible via elevator or stairs.
- **† Questions?** Please ask anyone near you for help.

Especially For Children

t Children of all ages are always welcome in our service.

- Check the Family Center for "Pew Art" supplies.
- For a quiet spot, visit the Cry Room or the Connection Café in the Lobby.
- *Beginning at 9:00 AM*: Infant-Age 5 are invited to our professionally staffed childcare area in our lower level. We offer *Little Liturgy*, an age-appropriate worship time that uses "Godly Play" and Montessori-style early childhood development models.