

THE WORD OF GOD

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PROCESSIONAL HYMN *SINGING SONGS OF EXPECTATION*

*H 527*

Please stand as you are able.



1 Sing - ing songs of ex - pec - ta - tion, on - ward  
2 One the light of God's own pres - ence, o'er his  
3 One the strain the lips of thou - sands lift as



goes the pil - grim band, through the night of  
ran - somed peo - ple shed, chas - ing far the  
from the heart of one; one the con - flict,



doubt and sor - row, march - ing to the prom - ised land.  
gloom and ter - ror, bright - ening all the path we tread:  
one the per - il, one the march in God be - gun:



Clear be - fore us through the dark - ness gleams and  
one the ob - ject of our jour - ney, one the  
one the glad - ness of re - joic - ing on the



burns the guid - ing light: trust - ing God we  
faith which nev - er tires, one the ear - nest  
far e - ter - nal shore, where the one al -



march to - geth - er step - ping fear - less through the night.  
look - ing for - ward, one the hope our God in - spires.  
might - y Fa - ther reigns in love for ev - er - more.

WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE

OPENING ACCLAMATION

**Celebrant** Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
**People** *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP 355

*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 *GLORIA IN EXCELSIS (CANTICLE 20)*

S 280

*Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:*

*have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP 242

**Celebrant** The Lord be with you.  
**People** *And also with you.*

**Celebrant** Let us pray.

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; 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 for the Lessons.*

*The First Reading*

**Reader** A Reading from the Prophet Jonah.

**Jonah 3:10-4:11**

<sup>10</sup>When God saw what [the people of Ninevah] did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

<sup>4</sup>But this was very displeasing to Jonah, and he became angry. <sup>2</sup>He prayed to the LORD and said, "O LORD! Is not this what I said while I was still in my own country? That is why I fled to Tarshish at the beginning; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and ready to relent from punishing. <sup>3</sup>And now, O LORD, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live." <sup>4</sup>And the LORD said, "Is it right for you to be angry?" <sup>5</sup>Then Jonah went out of the city and sat down east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, waiting to see what would become of the city.

<sup>6</sup>The LORD God appointed a bush, and made it come up over Jonah, to give shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort; so Jonah was very happy about the bush. <sup>7</sup>But when dawn came up the next day, God

appointed a worm that attacked the bush, so that it withered. <sup>8</sup>When the sun rose, God prepared a sultry east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint and asked that he might die. He said, “It is better for me to die than to live.”

<sup>9</sup>But God said to Jonah, “Is it right for you to be angry about the bush?” And he said, “Yes, angry enough to die.” <sup>10</sup>Then the LORD said, “You are concerned about the bush, for which you did not labor and which you did not grow; it came into being in a night and perished in a night. <sup>11</sup>And should I not be concerned about Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also many animals?”

**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 145:1-8

<sup>1</sup>I will exalt you, O God my King, \*  
and bless your Name for ever and ever.

<sup>2</sup>*Every day will I bless you \*  
and praise your Name for ever and ever.*

<sup>3</sup>Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; \*  
there is no end to his greatness.

<sup>4</sup>*One generation shall praise your works to another \*  
and shall declare your power.*

<sup>5</sup>I will ponder the glorious splendor of your majesty \*  
and all your marvelous works.

<sup>6</sup>*They shall speak of the might of your wondrous acts, \*  
and I will tell of your greatness.*

<sup>7</sup>They shall publish the remembrance of your great goodness; \*  
they shall sing of your righteous deeds.

<sup>8</sup>*The LORD is gracious and full of compassion, \*  
slow to anger and of great kindness.*

### *The Second Reading*

**Reader**           A Reading from Paul’s Letter to the Philippians.

### Philippians 1:21-30

<sup>21</sup>To me, living is Christ and dying is gain. <sup>22</sup>If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me; and I do not know which I prefer. <sup>23</sup>I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; <sup>24</sup>but to remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. <sup>25</sup>Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, <sup>26</sup>so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again.

<sup>27</sup>Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, <sup>28</sup>and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God’s doing. <sup>29</sup>For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well—<sup>30</sup>since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

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

SEQUENCE HYMN *FOR THY DEAR SAINTS, O LORD*

H 279

Please stand as you are able.

1 For thy dear saints, O Lord, who strove in thee to live, who  
2 They all in life and death, with thee their Lord in view, learned  
3 Thine earth - ly mem - bers fit to join thy saints a - bove, in  
4 Je - sus, thy Name we bless, and hum - bly pray that we may  
fol - lowed thee, o - beyed, a - dored, our grate - ful hymn re - ceive.  
from thy Ho - ly Spi - rit's breath to suf - fer and to do.  
one com - mun - ion ev - er knit, one fel - low - ship of love.  
fol - low them in ho - li - ness, who lived and died for thee.

THE GOSPEL

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.  
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Matthew 20:1-16

[Jesus said,] <sup>1</sup>“The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. <sup>2</sup>After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. <sup>3</sup>When he went out about nine o’clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; <sup>4</sup>and he said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.’ So they went. <sup>5</sup>When he went out again about noon and about three o’clock, he did the same. <sup>6</sup>And about five o’clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, ‘Why are you standing here idle all day?’ <sup>7</sup>They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard.’ <sup>8</sup>When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, ‘Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.’ <sup>9</sup>When those hired about five o’clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. <sup>10</sup>Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. <sup>11</sup>And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, <sup>12</sup>saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’ <sup>13</sup>But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? <sup>14</sup>Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. <sup>15</sup>Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?’ <sup>16</sup>So the last will be first, and the first will be last.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.  
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

THE SERMON

*Please be seated.*

THE REVEREND ANN MCLEMORE, INTERIM RECTOR

THE NICENE CREED

BCP 358

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Celebrant** Please join me in affirming our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

*All say together*

*We 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 able.*

*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;

***That they may be delivered from their distress.***

Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Reynaldo Cristobal, father of Ron Cristobal;

***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.

*Silence. Then, 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.***

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

CONFESSION OF SIN

BCP 360

*Please continue to stand or kneel as you are able.*

**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.*

#### THE PEACE

BCP 360

**Celebrant** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People** *And also with you.*

#### 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.*

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### 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.*

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*St. Luke's on the Lake Episcopal Church | 5600 RR 620 N | Austin, TX 78732.]*

#### OFFERTORY ANTHEM *RISE UP, YE SAINTS OF GOD*

[BY WILLIAM H. WALKER H 551]

#### DOXOLOGY *[sung to the tune of H 400]*

*Please stand as you are able as the gifts are presented and placed on the altar.*

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below;*

*Alleluia, alleluia!*

*Praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

*O praise him, O praise him,*

*Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*



*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.*

**Celebrant** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People** *It 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

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

BCP 367

*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. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.*

**Celebrant**

*Please kneel as you are able.*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People say together*

*We remember his death,*

*We proclaim his resurrection,*

*We await his coming in glory;*

*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your



Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with St. Luke and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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 364

*Celebrant and People say together*

*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

**Celebrant** Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

**People** *Therefore 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; signal the Priest by cupping your hands together.*
- † *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 open. You may stand or kneel.*
- † *After the person to your left has received Communion, please return to your pew.*

#### DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

*H 694, 660*

#### POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 365

*Please kneel as you are able.*

**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

BCP 366

*The Celebrant says a blessing over the people.*

RECESSIONAL HYMN *GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH*

H 690

*Please stand as you are able.*

1 Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this  
 2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun-tain, whence the heal - ing  
 3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y;  
 stream doth flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar  
 fears sub - side; death of death, and hell's de - struc - tion,

hold me with thy power - ful hand; bread of hea - ven,  
 lead me all my jour - ney through; strong de - liv - erer,  
 land me safe on Ca - naan's side; songs of prais - es,

bread of hea - ven, feed me now and ev - er -  
 strong de - liv - erer, be thou still my strength and  
 songs of prais - es, I will ev - er give to

more, feed me now and ev - er - more.  
 shield, be thou still my strength and shield.  
 thee, I will ev - er give to thee.

## THE DISMISSAL

**Celebrant** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. *Alleluia!*

**People** *Thanks be to God. Alleluia!*

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## WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher and Celebrant: *The Reverend Ann McLemore, Interim Rector*

Altar Guild: *Team 3 Janet Wood* | Floral Guild: *Carol Ferree* | DOK Flower Delivery: *Deborah Harvill-Ash*

Lay Eucharistic Visitors: *NA* | Vestry: *TBD*

Worship Support: *Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall, LoriAnn Lavallee, Jacob Leal, Robin Miner, Nancy Phillips*

Youth AV Assistants: *Gray Benke, Jackson Diver, Noah Caldwell, Grant Williams*

8:00 AM

Ushers/Greeters: 8:00 AM *Team Ron Betz* | Crucifer, Reader, and Lay Eucharistic Minister: *Mike Senich*

10:15 AM

Ushers: *Team 4 Kirk Lavallee*

Reader: *Jim Rollins* | Chalice Bearers: *Jim Rollins, Rick Vasser* | Paten Bearer: *Jim Smith*

Acolyte: *Avery Yates*

Choir Director: *Don Grantham* | Organist: *Stephen McElroy*

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## 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; Cassie; Charlotte; Chris G.; Chris M.; Chris K.; Chris and Pam; Chuck; Craig; Dana; Debbie; Debbie P. & Marc P.; Deborah; Dennis; Diane; Dick and Shaula; Don; Downy; Gary; George; Glenn; Holly; Jan; Jana, Trent & Judy; Janice; Jayme; Jeff; Jim; John; Josh; Josh, Victoria, and Hollis; Katherine; Kay; Kay R.; Kelly; Kristen; Kurt; Lainie; Laura; Lily and Carrie; Linda; Liz; Matthew; Marilyn; Mark; Mark S.; Mary; Mary Alice; Maureen; Michael, Danny, Clare, and Travis; Pam; Pat; Patty; Perry; Rachel; Rex; Roslyn; Sally; Sam; Samantha; SarahNelle; Sharon; Tommy.

**For Those Who Have Died:** Reynaldo Cristobal, father of Ron Cristobal.

### ABOUT THE PARISH PRAYER LIST

- † *Please contact the office to add yourself or a loved one to this list.*
- † *To protect privacy:*
  - *If you contact the office on someone else's behalf, please secure their permission to be listed.*
  - *The staff typically will not add names to this list without the permission of the prayer recipient, unless otherwise directed by a member of the clergy.*
  - *We do not print last names, except for the deceased.*
- † *Names remain on this list for at least four weeks unless otherwise requested.*
- † *We periodically refresh this list with the most current information we have on file; if we have inadvertently removed a name, please let us know.*
- † *Names of those who have died are read aloud during the Prayers of the People for two weeks.*

## 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. DOK members pray specifically for individuals who have requested their prayers. In addition, each week, DOK members pray on a regular rotating basis for 11 households in our parish. Household prayers for the week of *September 24<sup>th</sup>* are for:

Those Households with Last Names Beginning with: *SMI through STE*

### 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.

<i>2021-2023</i>	<i>2022-2024</i>	<i>2023-2025</i>
Darren Grissom	Jane Ellen Carter	Chris Perkins
Peggie Klema	Austin Collins	Peggy Point
Lenee Willsey	Jim Smith	Karla Tabor
	Anne Steichen	Ann Thompson

#### OFFICERS OF THE VESTRY

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

Meeting Dates: September 24 | October 22 | December 10

### HIGHLIGHTED ANNOUNCEMENTS/KEY DATES

Please visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org/calendar](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org/calendar) for our most current and complete calendar.

Day/Date	Event	Time	Location
Sunday September 24	Camp Allen Sunday: Reportback Children, Youth, and Adults Invited	9:00 AM	Parish Hall
Sunday September 24	Vestry Meeting	11:30 AM	Riker: Conference Room
Sunday September 24	Camp Allen Sunday: pre-EYC and EYC Fun	5:00 PM	Upper Riker/Front Lawn
Mondays	Monday Women’s Bible Study	10:30-11:30 AM	Via Zoom
Saturday September 30	Blessing of the Animals	9:00 AM-11:00 AM	Front Lawn
Sunday October 1	Theological Education Sunday		
Wednesday October 11	Midweek Bible Study Resumes	7:00-8:00 PM	Via Zoom
Monday October 16	Monday Men’s Bible Study Launches	12:00-12:50 PM	Via Zoom
Saturday October 21	Daughters of the King Meeting with Special Speaker	10:00 AM	Parish Hall
Sunday October 22	Luketoberfest 2023	4:00-7:00 PM	Front Lawn
Sunday October 29	pre-EYC and EYC	TBA	TBA

*For up-to-date information about St. Luke’s, register to receive our e-news or visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org).*

*For links to on-line registrations and Zoom offerings, visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org).*

*Follow our social media channels on Facebook and Instagram.*

*Need help? Contact the office at [512.266.2455/office@stlukesonthelake.org](mailto:512.266.2455/office@stlukesonthelake.org).*

**Camp Allen Sunday**  
**TODAY! Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Summer Camp 2023 Reportback  
and Upcoming Event Invite**

**ALL INVITED**

**9-10 AM**

**Parish Hall**

*Come hear about all things Camp Allen from the parish kids and youth who attended Summer Camp 2023. Plus you'll learn about upcoming opportunities and events going on at Camp Allen this fall/winter for people of all ages!*

**Camp Allen Fun [On-Site]**

**3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade**

**5-7 PM**

**Riker Hall and Front Lawn**

*Children and youth 3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join in Episcopal Youth Community [EYC] and pre-EYC Camp Allen Fun:*

- **Play favorite Camp Allen games**
- **Eat favorite Camp Allen foods**
- **Create a Camp Allen-style craft**

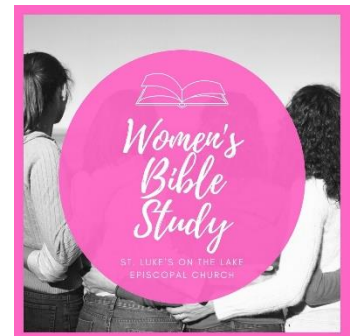


**Monday Women's Bible Study [via Zoom]**

**Monday Mornings|10:30-11:30 AM**

**Study: "Evangelism: Sharing the Big Story" by James Choung**

- Visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org) for Zoom link
- Facilitated by LoriAnn Lavalley/Maria Cavins
- Open to all women—drop in anytime and feel free to invite friends
- Contact the office for more information







## Wednesday Bible Study [via Zoom]

Wednesday Evenings|7-8 PM **On Hiatus, Resumes October 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Study: "The Sacraments"**

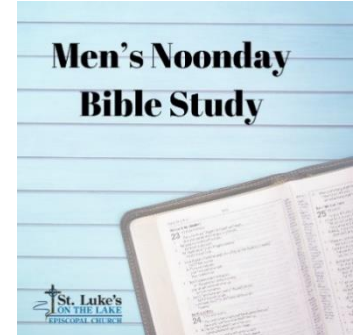
- Visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org) for Zoom link
- Facilitated by Paul Solon/Maria Cavins
- Open to all—drop in anytime and feel free to invite friends
- Contact the office for more information
- Session recordings available

## Monday Men's Bible Study [via Zoom]

Beginning October 16<sup>th</sup> |12:00-12:50 PM

**Study: "Reading Revelation Wisely" from YouVersion**

- Visit [www.stlukesonthelake.org](http://www.stlukesonthelake.org) for Zoom link
- Facilitated by Bleckley Dobbs/Craig Cavins/Erich Schwart
- Open to all men—drop in anytime and feel free to invite friends
- Contact the office for more information



## Daughters of the King Monthly Meeting

Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> |10:00 AM

**Special Speaker: Judy Everswick**

*The Daughters of the King welcome Judy Everswick as our speaker on Saturday morning, October 21st at 10 am in the Parish Hall. ALL women of the parish are welcome and encouraged to attend and hear this very engaging and faithful woman speak about her life in the mission field. From small villages in Zimbabwe to the jungles of the Amazon, and everywhere in between, Judy tells wonderful stories of love and triumph from a lifetime of going wherever God called. You will enjoy her wit and humor as she deals with snakes in Africa, a detached retina in China and food poisoning in Cambodia. You will be warmed by her stories of compassion and changed lives, you will be encouraged by tales of bravery, you'll fall in love with the people she met, and you'll be amazed at the details God always worked out for good. Please plan to join us, and bring a friend!*



## BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



### *Blessing of the Animals*

Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>|9:30-11:00 AM

**In Honor of St. Francis of Assisi,  
Patron Saint of Animals and Nature**

*Join us on the front lawn for a brief liturgy, then Rev. Ann will give your pet(s) a blessing! Pick up a complimentary St. Francis medal for your pet's collar or your keychain.*

- **Pets of all species invited**
- **Please keep pets on-leash or crated at all times**
- **Open to all—bring friends**
- **Contact the office for more information**



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FREE COMMUNITY EVENT FOR ALL AGES

## **LUKETOBERFEST 2023**

A CELEBRATION HONORING OUR PATRON SAINT

**FOOD, MUSIC, FAMILY FUN!**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, 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 and Kids' Costume Parade**

**Trunk-or-Treat (decorate your car for parking lot trick-or-treat)**

**\*Serving House Chili, Hot Dogs, Tea,  
Lemonade, & Other Soft Beverages**

**Potluck Cookie Bar (bring your favorite batch!)**

**[Beer & Wine Available for Suggested Donation]**

**Bring your friends! Questions? Email [connection@stlukesonthelake.org](mailto:connection@stlukesonthelake.org)  
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## 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.
- † **About the Episcopal Church:** To learn more about what Episcopalians believe, please see *An Outline of the Faith* [commonly called the Catechism] on pp 843-862 of the Book of Common Prayer. More information is available at [www.episcopalchurch.org](http://www.episcopalchurch.org) [the National Church website] and [www.epicenter.org](http://www.epicenter.org) [the Diocese of Texas website].
- † **Restrooms** are located on the lower level at the bottom of the staircase near the Parish Hall, accessible via elevator or stairs.
- † **Questions?** Please ask anyone near you for help.



#### *Especially For Children*

- † *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 on the lower level between Riker Hall and the Parish Hall.
  - **K-5<sup>th</sup> Graders** are invited to “Design Dock” on the lower level of Riker Hall.
  - **6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Graders** are invited to Youth Meet-up in Big Blue Riker on the upper level of Riker Hall.
- † **Beginning at 10:15 AM: Kinder-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Kids' Church** is an interactive, kid-friendly worship service. Children are invited before the 10:15 AM service to go downstairs to the Parish Hall. They return at the Peace. Parents are welcome to join.

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