

THE 20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 2023 | 10:15 AM

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

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Liturgy is from the 1979 Book of Common Prayer [BCP] of the Episcopal Church [blue book] Service Music [S] and Hymns [H] are from the 1982 Hymnal [red book] Scriptures are from the New Revised Standard Version [NRSV] of the Holy Bible [black book]

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING HYMN CHRIST, WHOSE GLORY FILLS THE SKIES

Please stand as you are able.



WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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 GLORIA IN EXCELSIS (CANTICLE 20)

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.

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSONS

Please be seated for the Lessons.

The First Reading

Reader A Reading from the Prophet Isaiah.

Isaiah 25:1-9

¹O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you, I will praise your name; for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure.
²For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin;
the palace of aliens is a city no more, it will never be rebuilt.
³Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you.
⁴For you have been a refuge to the poor, a refuge to the needy in their distress, a shelter from the rainstorm and a shade from the heat. S 280

When the blast of the ruthless was like a winter rainstorm, ⁵the noise of aliens like heat in a dry place, you subdued the heat with the shade of clouds; the song of the ruthless was stilled. ⁶On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear. ⁷And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; ⁸he will swallow up death forever. Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. ⁹It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

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 23

¹The LORD is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

²He makes me lie down in green pastures * and leads me beside still waters.

³He revives my soul *

and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

⁴Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I shall fear no evil; *

for you are with me;

your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

⁵You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *

you have anointed my head with oil,

and my cup is running over.

⁶Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, * and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

The Second Reading

Reader A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Philippians.

Philippians 4:1-9

¹My brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

²I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. ³Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life.

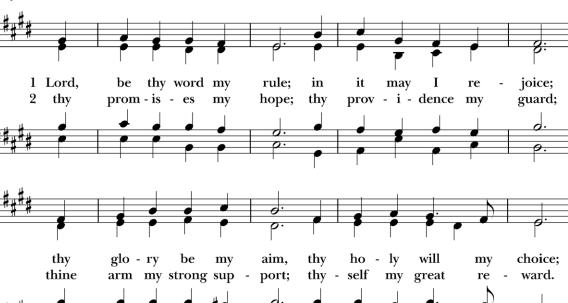
⁴Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. ⁵Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. ⁶Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

⁸Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. ⁹Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

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ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN LORD, BE THY WORD MY RULE



Please stand as you are able.

THE GOSPEL

CelebrantThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

Matthew 22:1-14

¹Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying: ²"The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. ³He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. ⁴Again he sent other slaves, saying, 'Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet.' ⁵But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶while the rest seized his slaves, mistreated them, and killed them. ⁷The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed

those murderers, and burned their city. ⁸Then he said to his slaves, 'The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. ⁹Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet.' ¹⁰Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests.

¹¹"But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, ¹²and he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?' And he was speechless. ¹³Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' ¹⁴For many are called, but few are chosen."

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



THE SERMON

Please be seated.

THE NICENE CREED

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THE REVEREND ANN MCLEMORE, INTERIM RECTOR

Please stand as you are able. Please join me in affirming our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed. Celebrant 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

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 Pat Beachy, wife of Scott Beachy; *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.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

CONFESSION OF SIN

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

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

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

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING!

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[by G.F. Handel H481]

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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!

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.
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.

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 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 BCP 361

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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,

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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

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; 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.
- **†** 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

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

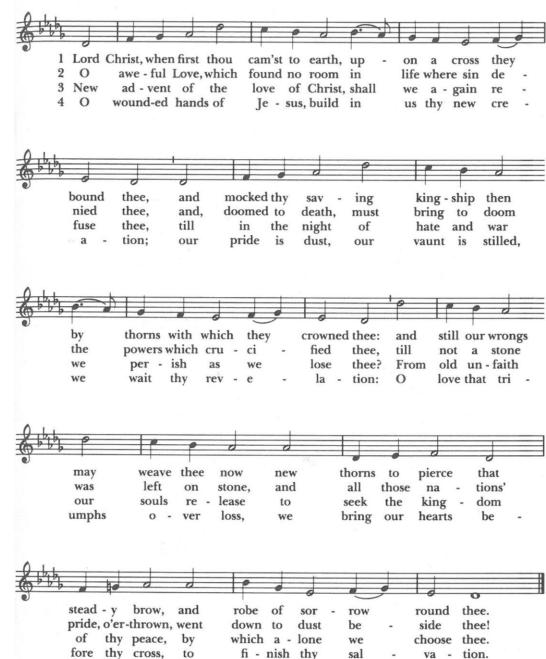
Please kneel as you are able. Celebrant Let us pray. Celebrant and People say together Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.

THE BLESSING

The Celebrant says a blessing over the people.

CLOSING HYMN LORD CHRIST, WHEN FIRST THOUGH CAM'ST TO EARTH

Please stand as you are able.



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Send us now into the world in peace.

with gladness and singleness of heart;

and grant us strength and courage

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

to love and serve you

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WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher and Celebrant: The Reverend Ann McLemore, Interim Rector Altar Guild: Team 3 Janet Wood Floral Guild: Debbie Wheeler | DOK Flower Delivery: Hilary Young Lay Eucharistic Visitors: Sue DeVos and Lorene Fowler | Vestry: Karla Tabor Worship Support: Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall, LoriAnn Lavallee, Jacob Leal, Robin Miner, Nancy Phillips Youth AV Assistants: Grey Beinke, Noah Caldwell, Jackson Diver, Grant Williams

8:00 AM

Ushers/Greeters: 8:00 AM Team Ron Betz | Crucifer, Reader, and Lay Eucharistic Minister: Allen Griswold

10:15 AM

Ushers: Team 1 Chris Perkins Reader: Craig Cavins | Chalice Bearers: Maria Cavins, Kym Hall | Paten Bearer: Deborah Maurstad-O'Neil Acolytes: Aria Alexander, Amelia Collins, Zoey Coyle, Avery Yates 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: 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; Patty; Perry; Rachel; Rex; Roslyn; Sally; Sam; Samantha; SarahNelle; Sharon; Tommy; the Fuho Lin Family; the Marney Family; the Beachy Family. Those Who Have Died: Pat Beachy, wife of Scott Beachy.

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 **October 15th** are for:

Those Households with Last Names Beginning with: VAS through WEI

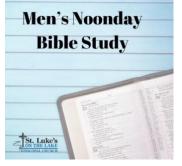
Please visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org/calendar</u> for our most current and complete calendar.			complete calendar.
Day/Date	Event	Time	Location
Sunday October 15	Clergy Forum	9:00 AM	Parish Hall
Sunday October 15	Parenting Gathering	9:00 AM	Riker: Conference Room
Sunday October 15	Children and Youth Formation	9:00 AM	Riker Hall
Monday October 16	Monday Men's Bible Study Launches	12:00-12:50 PM	Via Zoom
Mondays	Monday Women's Bible Study	10:30-11:30 AM	Via Zoom
Wednesdays	Midweek Bible Study	7:00-8:00 PM	Via Zoom
Saturday October 21	Daughters of the King Meeting	10:00 AM	Parish Hall
	with Special Speaker		
Sunday October 22	Luketoberfest 2023	4:00-7:00 PM	Front Lawn
Sunday October 29	Vestry Meeting	TBA	TBA
Sunday October 29	Pre-EYC and EYC: Fall Fun	TBA	TBA
Sunday November 5	All Saints' Sunday with Holy Baptism	10:15 AM	
Sunday November 19	Parish Pre-Thanksgiving Potluck	11:15 AM	Parish Hall
Sunday December 3	First Sunday of Advent:		
	Welcome New Rector Rev. Kathy Pfister		

HIGHLIGHTED ANNOUNCEMENTS/KEY DATES

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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 www.stlukesonthelake.org. Follow our social media channels on Facebook and Instagram.

Need help? Contact the office at <u>512.266.2455 | office@stlukesonthelake.org.</u>



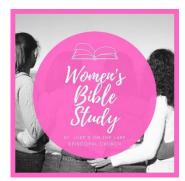
Monday Men's Bible Study [via Zoom] Beginning October 16th |12:00-12:50 PM Study: "Reading Revelation Wisely" from YouVersion

- Visit 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
- No homework
 - Contact the office for more information

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 for Zoom link
- Facilitated by LoriAnn Lavallee/Maria Cavins
- Open to all women-drop in anytime and feel free to invite friends
- No homework
- Contact the office for more information



Wednesday Bible Study [via Zoom] Wednesday Evenings|7-8 PM Study: "The Sacraments"

- Visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u> for Zoom link
- Facilitated by Paul Solon/Maria Cavins
- Open to all—drop in anytime and feel free to invite friends
- No homework
- Contact the office for more information
- Session recordings available





Daughters of the King Monthly Meeting Saturday, October 21st|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!

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.

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Darren Grissom Peggie Klema Lenee Willsey 2022-2024 Jane Ellen Carter Austin Collins Jim Smith Anne Steichen

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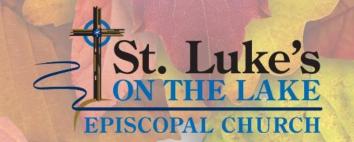
Chris Perkins Peggy Point Karla Tabor Ann Thompson

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]

ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE CLERGY & STAFF

The Rev. Ann McLemore, Interim Rector* Barbara Frazell, Director of Welcoming, Programs, & Communications* LoriAnn Lavallee, Director of Children & Family Ministries Robin Miner, Asst. Director of Children & Family Ministries Robyn Stanley, Early Childhood Development Specialist Ayesha Cox, Childcare Coordinator Max Stanley | Molly Thornton, Professional Childcare Staff Jacob Leal, Youth Minister Anne Severson, Parish Administrator* Kim Weigers, Bookkeeper Michael Balli, Facilities Manager* Donald Grantham, Choir Director Stephen McElroy, Organist Nancy Phillips, Chief of Staff* **fulltime*



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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 or call (512) 266-2455

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SIGN UP TO DONATE ITEMS OR OFFER HELP VIA THE NEWS & EVENTS MENU UNDER "THIS WEEK" ON OUR WEBSITE

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 [the National Church website] and 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

- *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 on the lower level between Riker Hall and the Parish Hall.
- K-5th Graders are invited to "Design Dock" on the lower level of Riker Hall.
- o 6th-12th Graders are invited to Youth Meet-up in Big Blue Riker on the upper level of Riker Hall.
- **†** Beginning at 10:15 AM: Kinder-5th 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.

ST. LUKE'S ON THE LAKE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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