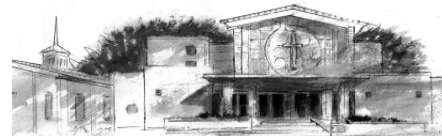




St. Luke Lutheran Church

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Rooted in God's Word, Serving in God's World



ST LUKE WORSHIP SERVICES

The Lord's Supper is shared at all weekend services.

Nursery care available during weekend services

No Saturday service: June 9 - August 10

5 PM In-person and Live-stream services resume August 17

Sunday at 8:15 AM Worship Service

June 9 - August 11: Outdoor Service, in the Courtyard

† Nursery Care for infants - 5 years old available in the Youth room; ask an Usher for directions

Sunday at 10:30 AM Worship Service

June 9 - August 11: Simultaneous Live-Stream service available online at StLukeABQ.org

† Nursery Care for infants - 5 years old available in the Nursery

After the Sunday services: Coffee Fellowship in the church lobby

No Sunday School in the summer. We will meet again in September.



St.LukePreschool



Growing with God Since 1956

(505) 292-8812 | STLUKEPRESCHOOLSC@thuntek.net | stlukepreschool.org

Summer Preschool is simply sailing along! Children are happy and their families are pleased with the wealth of engaging STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, math) based explorations that are taking place. Weekly music classes with Danielle, weekly worship, and water play days, are rounding out the robust curriculum. The summer program will finish up on July 12. The weeks between the end of Summer Preschool and the start of the new school year serve us well and include space for staff time off, floor care and maintenance, and preparations for the school year.



Love the Preschool

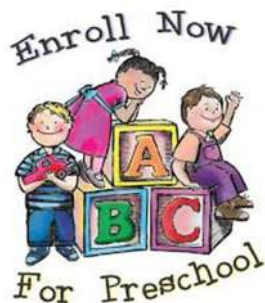
You are invited to give the gift of time and elbow grease to spruce up the preschool, as we prepare for the upcoming school year! Join us at the preschool on

Saturday, July thirteenth at eight thirty AM

for a morning of window washing, tree trimming, spider web removing, weed pulling, playground toy scrubbing, and more! Please contact Lori for more information at stlukesesc@thuntek.net or 505-292-8812.

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Our **Family Meet & Greet sessions** will take place just prior to the start of the new school year which will be on August 12. These meetings allow for children, families, and teachers to get to know one another, to share information and goals, and for children to become familiar with the classroom environment. Family Meet & Greet times create opportunities to make connections with families and to begin establishing relationships built on trust.

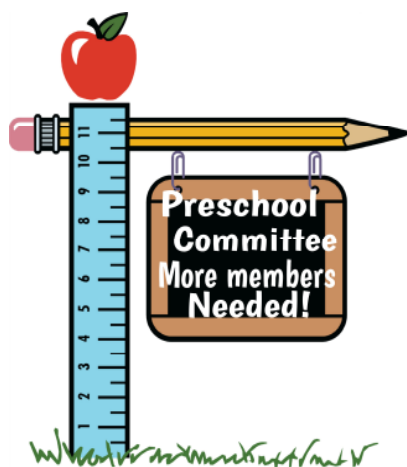


We still have a few part time openings for 4 year olds.
Thank you for telling others about St. Luke Preschool!



We're looking for substitute teachers!

If you know someone who is passionate about working with young children and would enjoy working flexible part time hours, please tell them about us!



From Preschool Committee

By Diane Quarles, Co-Chair

Our St Luke Preschool Committee is looking for new members to complete our committee.

The committee reviews policies and procedures, works on the budget, provides support to the staff and interacts with some of the Preschool activities. Our St. Luke Preschool is well known and is thought of highly. We meet on Zoom once a month on the 3rd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Will you please consider joining our committee? Questions?

Contact Co-Chairs Jean Hollowwa 505-440-4336 or Diane Quarles 505-264-5444.

Welcome to Our New Members

Received June 9, 2024



Lindy Blanchet

“I was born in Philadelphia; we lived in suburban Philly, Illinois, and Dallas, TX. Most of my life was in Wayne, PA. We moved to Albuquerque from Wyomissing, PA in 2022 to be near family. Church background is Baptist, Presbyterian, and Lutheran. Teaching, aviation and airlines are part of my employment background. My husband Howard and I have been married since 1972. We have three children, one granddaughter, and a grandson to be. St. Luke has always been warm and welcoming. I enjoy the service of worship. The Lutheran church means so much in learning and in giving as I enrich my life as a Christian.”

Clay & Lisa Koontz

“We’ve been going to St. Luke for a number of years, and thought we were already members. When we found out we weren’t on the membership rolls, we decided to become official members of the church.”

Clay & Lisa have a son Max; he is the first baby baptized by Pastors Christa and Wayne at St. Luke.

Jane Voelkel

Associate Member

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body ... and all were made to drink of one Spirit. – 1 Corinthians 12:12-13



William Tierney

with wife Amy and son Liam

“I have found a new home at St Luke where I have been able to grow close with God once again.”



St. Luke Singers

We are not meeting to sing in July and August. We will be back in September. Please watch out for information in the September Horizon newsletter and St. Luke GPS.



BUCKET OF CHANGE

“Noisy Offering”

Our St. Luke “Bucket of Change” offerings for **July** will go to:

Family Promise of Albuquerque



Website: FamilyPromiseAlbuquerqueNM.org

Mission: To empower families in the Albuquerque and Rio Rancho communities who are at risk of homelessness or experiencing homelessness, to achieve sustainable independence through a community-based response.

Vision (Locally): To have sufficient support congregations, volunteers, and paid staff that there will never be a waiting list for families that qualify for our service.

Our St. Luke “Bucket of Change” offerings for **August** will go to:

Cuidando Los Niños

Website: CLNabq.org

Mission: To break the cycle of homelessness for children and families, by providing high-quality early childhood education, case management, supportive housing and parent education.





You may place your offerings for the **BUCKET OF CHANGE** in the bucket at church (*our "noisy offering"*), send gifts directly to St. Luke via mail or contribute via our online giving resources on our church website <http://stlukeabq.org/>.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

We collected \$606.51 for ABQ Healthcare for the Homeless plus St Luke change bucket match is \$500, which is a total of \$1106.51, that we will be sending to them. Thank you, St Luke Church, for your gift.

✝ St. Luke Learners & SERVERS

“Wonderful and awesome God, help us to follow your word and the example of your son, Jesus. Encourage us to always desire to know about you and your word. Help us to serve each other, in or out of this community, for the benefit of all. Help us also to be teachers of your way. Amen.” [February 2024]

We are visiting the National Atomic Museum

on Saturday, July 20, 10 AM

(please note date change)

We will have lunch after the tour.

Location: 601 Eubank Blvd SE, Albuquerque, NM 87123

Meet at the museum at 10 AM or at 9:30 AM at St. Luke west parking lot if you would like to carpool. For more information on this field trip, please contact Diane Quarles at diane.quarles@mac.com. For information on the National Atomic Museum, call (505) 245-2137 or go online to NuclearMuseum.org.



It's a family & friends field trip ... all ages welcome!

Looking ahead ...

- ♥ Next planning meeting: Tuesday, July 23, 1:30 PM via Zoom. Contact Judy Moore to attend.
- ♥ August Sessions - We will meet Tuesdays, 10 AM - 2 PM, at St. Luke. We are looking forward to the following activities:
 - ⊛ August 6: George Frazer, former owner of Fifty 'n Fit will teach on physical fitness
 - ⊛ August 13: St. Luke member Nancy Krenz is giving a tour of St. Luke art
 - ⊛ August 20 and 27: We plan on Navajo Code Talkers and Cyber Security and information about protecting yourself from scamming.



The Wellness Ministry

Mission: To CARE by equipping, educating and advocating for wellness of mind, body and spirit in our church and neighborhood.

MEMBERS Betty Ann Arner (Chair), Sandy Williams Clark, Gayle Carleton, Cheryl Folkes, and Twila Randolph,

NEXT WELLNESS MINISTRY MEETING

Tuesday, October 1, 4 PM, in the Zuni room. Contact Betty Ann Arner at bettyannarner@gmail.com.

Those Nasty Annoying Muscle Cramps

By Cheryl Folkes

Most of us at one time in our lives have experienced a muscle cramp. They are painful and quite often happen at night. They wake us from sleep with a start. Usually they are in our leg muscle but can show up in any muscle.

Who is more like to have leg cramps?

- People 50 years or older
- People who have overused their muscles
- People who sit too long without moving
- Standing too long on hard surfaces
- Not drinking enough water

Health conditions that can raise your chances of leg cramps

- Diabetes
- Neurological conditions like Parkinson's disease
- Alcohol abuse
- Some hormone disorders
- Too much or too little chemicals in your body, like calcium, potassium and magnesium
- Flat feet
- Pregnancy
- Blood flow problems
- Nerve damage

Medications that can cause night leg cramps

- Combivent
- Celecoxib
- Clonazepam
- Conjugated Estrogen

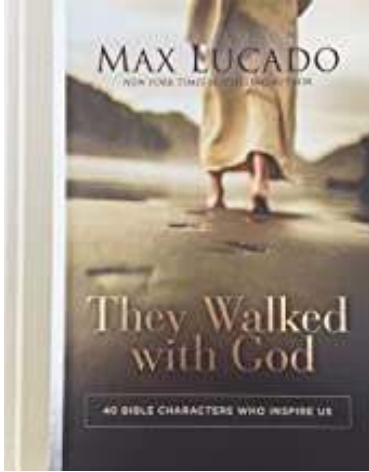
Medications ... continued

- Diuretics
- Prozac
- Gabapentin
- Naprosyn
- Pregabalin
- Zolof
- Statins
- Ambien

Talk to your doctor if you notice leg cramps after starting any of these medications.

Treating Leg cramps

- Try to stretch your muscle
- Stand with foot flat on the floor and press down firmly
- Massage the muscle
- Flex the muscle
- Grab your toes and pull them toward you



Lamplighters Book Study Group

Lamplighters will not be meeting during the summer months of June, July, and August.

We will resume meeting Thursday, September 5, 2024, from 2:00 - 3:30 in the Lounge/Library in the church. We are continuing to use Max Lucado's book, "They Walked With God". We will be discussing the chapters of "Matthew" and "Nicodemus". We would love for anyone interested to come and join us!

Diane Quarles will be leading this discussion. Any questions contact Diane at 505-264-5444.



Women's GATHER Bible Study, Brunch, & Mini-Retreat

Our monthly Women's Gather Bible Study will be taking a break for the summer to relax and recharge. Anyone interested in participating in a small informal group for the three session summer study, "After certainty: A biblical guide" by the The Rev. Dr. Meghan Johnston Aelabouni

(also Rocky Mountain Synod Bishop elect), please send a message to Bev Berardinelli at womensbiblestudy@stlukeabq.org.

For more information on the Gather magazine, go online to www.gathermagazine.org. There are also several articles and free studies, some of which were written by Pastor Christa and Bishop Elect Meghan.

∞ In Memoriam ∞

Michael Robert Gruner
1936 - April 30, 2024

Please include his wife Diane and their family in your prayers.



Roger Milo Monson
1937 - June 8, 2024

Please include his wife Sharon and their family in your prayers.

July and August Celebrations

July Birthdays

- 4 Oksana Filatova
- 5 Steven Tise
- 6 Spencer Gerwin
- 6 Angie Miller
- 7 Margery Musser
- 9 Kim Lee Guericke
- 9 Sharon Ormiston
- 9 Dianne Otto
- 12 Steve Azar
- 13 Debbie Werner
- 15 Gebhard Long
- 16 Brian Bentz
- 17 Larry Shore
- 18 Kaye Martin
- 20 Vanessa Anderson
- 21 Marie Lenard
- 22 Kay Dunbar
- 22 Roger Monson
- 22 Eliana Shore
- 25 Mike Abramovich
- 25 Janice Corcoran
- 27 Clay Koontz, Jr.
- 28 Tom Berardinelli

August Birthdays

- 8 La'Arnie Tise
- 10 Marge Zinser-Knorovsky
- 11 Susan Alexis
- 12 Amy Hlad
- 12 Summer Roesler
- 13 Cynthia Lopez
- 15 Gil Quintana
- 17 Sandy Parker
- 18 David Follstaedt
- 18 Amy Morgan
- 19 Nancy Camille Espy
- 20 DeAnn Eaton Azar
- 21 Ted Schuler-Sandy
- 24 Srimi Vasan
- 29 Sherri Domres

Youth Baptism Anniversary

August 12 Carson David Smith

July Wedding Anniversaries

- 4 Laura Eaton & Anthony Ortega
- 6 Judy & Larry Moore
- 8 Sherri & Robert Domres
- 11 Robert & Holly Trujillo
- 13 Shane & Laura Jorgensen
- 18 Lori & Dusty Erven
- 18 Debbie Werner & Doug Crist
- 24 Georgia Brodbeck & Edward Adams
- 29 Ken & Mary Sorenson

August Wedding Anniversaries

- 2 Michael & Nancy O'Dell
- 7 Tommy & Ruth Glauner
- 12 Mike & Brenda Sanchez
- 15 Albert & Tlisa Giralmo
- 18 Nancy Espy & Roman Martin
- 19 Bob & Bonnie Paine
- 21 Clay & Lisa Koontz
- 23 Rick & Sandy Parker



August 7

Happy 75th
Wedding Anniversary

Tom & Ruth
Glauner



St. Luke Baby Frolic
NEWS

Welcome to
**Simon Thomas
Bowers**

Born May 22 to Adam & Georgi
Bowers and big brother Connor



*But now, O LORD, you are our Father;
we are the clay, and you are our potter;
we are all the work of your hand. - Isaiah 64:8*



Extending God's Table

to St. Luke church family who are homebound or in medical facilities



Karen Carlson and Betty Begeal had the pleasure of making a Eucharistic visit to Dottie Donohoe on June 6.

Dottie was appreciative of the visits and receiving communion; she is also grateful for the pleasant and supportive living situations at her senior residence. Dottie is very interested in our church and how we all are. She is happy to be remembered by us and sends a cheerful

"hello to everyone."

For more information on "Extending God's Table" ministry, please contact Diane Quarles at diane.quarles@mac.com or Karen Carlson at KCarlson@salud.unm.edu.

Please include our Extending God's Table ministers in your prayers **"as they go, in God's peace and blessing, to the sick & the homebound, taking with them the *sacrament we have celebrated, the *Word of God we have heard, and the affection of our St. Luke community; and bringing back with them, the prayers of those whom they visit."

** from the "Eucharistic Sending Prayer"

The Blessing of the Eucharistic Visitor Communion kits is on the last Sunday of the month during the worship services. *(Also on the last Saturday worship service of the month, starting on August 24)*



Global Mission Ministry



Coming Up This Summer ...

A visit from The Rev. Carolyn Schneider, Ph.D., ELCA Missionary serving in Guyana

Sunday, August 11

Missionary Pastor Carolyn will be preaching at both services.



Welcome to New St. Luke Staff
Allie Brandt
 Coordinator of Multi-Generational
 Ministries
 and to her family: husband Chris and children



Pastors' Retirement Brunch Thank You

By Sally Trigg, Coordinator

A big THANK YOU to all the wonderful volunteers who brought food and helped with the set up and clean up for the pastors' Retirement Brunch on Sunday, June 23. About 100 people attended, and everyone had a great time. Volunteers included:

Diane Quarles
 Susan Alexis
 Rhonda & Frosty Blech
 Okana Filatova & Gebhard Long
 Nancy Krenz
 Nancy Tarman
 Sally & Gil Quintana
 Cindy Callisto
 Deborah Stephenson
 Deanna Vendel
 Betty Ann Arner
 Sandy Williams & Charles Clark
 Mary Beth Garrett
 DeAnn Eaton
 John & Jodi Feddema
 Shirley Smith
 Sally Trigg
 Barbara Shirrod

Pam Franco
 Greg Haschke
 Karen Carlson
 Marina de vos
 Mauney
 Debbie Werner
 Magda Renteria
 Lindy Blanchet
 Jean Hollowwa
 Mary Sorenson
 Lisa Koontz
 Rebecca Weatherford
 Louanne Saylor
 Amy Hlad
 Brenda Gronewold



UPCOMING *Events*

Faith Stepping Stone: Blessing of the Backpacks at St. Luke

We are having a “back to school” backpack blessing, gift and special prayers for any/all students (any age), teachers and school staff.

Sunday, August 4, at both services

Information: Children, Youth & Family Chair Holly Trujillo

Visit from The Rev. Carolyn Schneider, Ph.D., ELCA

Missionary service in Guyana

Sunday, August 11

Missionary Pastor Carolyn will be preaching at both services.

St. Luke Ministry Fair

August 24 - 25

Sarah Walder Amata Cello Recital

Sunday, September 29

3 PM, at St. Luke

Information: Coordinator of Music Ministries Danielle Cordova

For all these events: please watch for more information in upcoming weekly St. Luke GPS editions.

Sun	Mon	Tue
	<p>1</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:30am Preschool Music Classes in Taos Room</p>
<p>7</p> <p>Celebrant & Preacher: Pastor Ben Larzelere St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p> <p>8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room Coffee Fellowship after each service</p> <p>10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org Nursery care in Nursery</p>	<p>8</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p>	<p>9</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p> <p>9:30am Preschool Music Classes in Taos Room</p> <p>2:00pm Staff Meeting in Conference room</p>
<p>14</p> <p>Celebrant & Preacher: Pastor Jane Voelkel</p> <p>8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room</p> <p>Coffee Fellowship after each service</p> <p>10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org Nursery care in Nursery</p>	<p>15</p> <p>July 15 - 26 Preschool Offices Closed</p>	<p>16</p> <p>7:00pm Preschool Committee Meeting on Zoom</p>
<p>21</p> <p>Celebrant & Preacher: Pastor Hal Nilsson</p> <p>8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room Coffee Fellowship after each service</p> <p>10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org Nursery care in Nursery</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>1:30pm St. Luke Learners and Servers Planning Meeting on Zoom</p> <p>2:00pm Staff Meeting in Conference room</p> <p>3pm Finance Committee meeting on Zoom</p>
<p>28</p> <p>Celebrant & Preacher: Pastor Russ Sorenson Blessing of Eucharistic Visitor Communion Kits at each service</p> <p>8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room Coffee Fellowship after each service</p> <p>10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Preschool Office Reopens</p>	<p>30</p>

Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>3</p> <p>9:30am Preschool Worship in Sanctuary</p> <p>2:00pm Bells of St. Luke Practice in Sanctuary</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Church office and Preschool closed</p> 	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>No Saturday Service Resumes Aug 17</p>
<p>10</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p> <p>9:30am Preschool Worship in Sanctuary</p> <p>2:00pm Bells of St. Luke Practice in Sanctuary</p>	<p>11</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p>	<p>12</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p> <p>Preschool Last Day of Summer Session</p>	<p>13</p> <p>St. Luke Youth at Rainbow Trail High School Camp</p> <p>8:30am Love the Preschool (Invitation to help prepare the preschool building & grounds for start of school year)</p> <p>1pm Survivors of Suicide meeting in Zuni room</p> <p>No Saturday Service Resumes Aug 17</p>
<p>17</p> <p>2:00pm Bells of St. Luke Practice in Sanctuary</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>10am St. Luke Learners & Servers visit to the National Atomic Museum</p> <p>No Saturday Service Resumes Aug 17</p>
<p>24</p> <p>No Bells of St. Luke practice</p> <p>5pm Survivors of Suicide Board meeting in Zuni room</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> <p>1pm Survivors of Suicide meeting in Zuni room</p> <p>No Saturday Service Resumes Aug 17</p>
<p>31</p> <p>2:00pm Bells of St. Luke Practice in Sanctuary</p>	 <p><i>Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. - Psalm 100:3</i></p>		

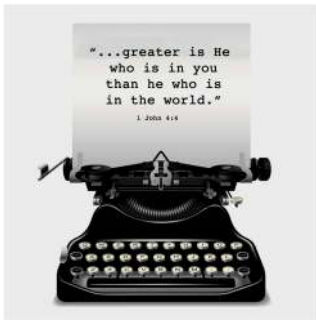
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<p>4 Blessing of Backpacks at both services 8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room Coffee Fellowship after each service 10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org Nursery care in Nursery 5pm Blue Skies Choral Concert</p>	<p>5 8:30am Preschool Teacher In-Service in Fellowship Hall</p>	<p>6 8:30am Preschool Teacher In-Service in Fellowship Hall 10am-2pm St. Luke Learners & Servers Adult Vacation Bible School 6:30pm Worship, Music & the Arts Committee meeting on Zoom</p>
<p>11 Guest Preacher: The Rev. Carolyn Schneider, Ph. D., ELCA Missionary service in Guyana 8:15am Outdoor Courtyard Worship Service Nursery care in Youth Room Coffee Fellowship after each service 10:30am Worship Service & Live-Stream Worship at StLukeABQ.org Nursery care in Nursery</p>	<p>12 Preschool 2024-2025 begins</p>	<p>13 10am-2pm St. Luke Learners & Servers Adult Vacation Bible School 2pm Staff meeting in Conference room 7pm Children, Youth & Family Committee meeting on Zoom</p>
<p>18 8:15am Worship Service Nursery care in Nursery, during services Coffee Fellowship after each service 10:30am Worship Service</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20 10am-2pm St. Luke Learners & Servers Adult Vacation Bible School 7pm Preschool Committee meeting on Zoom</p>
<p>25 St. Luke Ministry Fair Blessing of Eucharistic Visitor Communion Kits at the services 8:15am Worship Service Nursery care during services Coffee Fellowship after each service 10:30am Worship Service</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27 10am-2pm St. Luke Learners & Servers Adult Vacation Bible School 2pm Staff meeting in Conference room</p>

Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 No Saturday service, resumes Aug. 17
<p>7 Preschool Family Meet & Greet with Teachers</p> <p>2pm Bells of St. Luke practice</p>	<p>8 Preschool Family Meet & Greet with Teachers</p>	9	<p>10</p> <p>1pm Survivors of Suicide meeting in Zuni room</p> <p>No Saturday service, resumes Aug. 17</p>
<p>14</p> <p>2pm Bells of St. Luke practice</p>	<p>15 Deadline: to submit articles/items for the September Horizon newsletter and calendar</p>	16	<p>17</p> <p>5pm Worship service 5pm Live-Stream worship service [StLukeABQ.org]</p>
<p>21</p> <p>2pm Bells of St. Luke practice</p>	22	23	<p>24</p> <p>1pm Survivors of Suicide meeting in Zuni room</p> <p>St. Luke Ministry Fair</p> <p>5pm Worship service & Blessing of Eucharistic Visitor Communion kits</p> <p>5pm Live-Stream worship service [StLukeABQ.org]</p>
<p>28</p> <p>2pm Bells of St. Luke practice</p>	29	30	<p>31</p> <p>5pm Worship service 5pm Live-Stream worship service [StLukeABQ.org]</p>



ST. LUKE CHURCH OFFICE

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands! – Psalm 90:17

Contact church staff at: 505.299.2621 or at stluke@thuntek.net

Altar Flowers for August, given by

August 4: Tom & Ruth Glauner, in celebration & in thanksgiving for their 75th wedding anniversary
August 17 - 18: Bonnie & Bob Paine, in celebration & in thanksgiving for their 57th wedding anniversary

Sanctuary Candle for August, given by

Daleen Olson, in loving memory of Bruce MacDonald

☞ To Offer Altar Flowers and the Monthly Sanctuary Candle ☞

Please sign up on the Flower Chart posted on the kiosk in the Church lobby. Donation: \$25 for Sanctuary candle for the month; \$35 per altar flower arrangement.

You may donate online at stlukeABQ.org or send your donation with your offering.

Publication Deadlines

- ◆ Wednesdays at Noon: deadline to submit items for the next weekly St. Luke GPS.

- ◆ Thursday, August 15: deadline for articles and items for the September Horizon newsletter and calendar

Please submit articles, items, and reports to Angie at the church office at StLuke@thuntek.net.

Worship Assistants

The sign up sheets are available on the kiosk, in the Church lobby.

*** We very much need Sound System operators at the 10:30 AM service to help everyone hear the service well. Thank you to those who have signed up. Simple training available for new volunteer Sound System operators.

Thank You

To volunteers who have helped at the church office during church staff Angie Miller's time off and those who regularly volunteer.

To Mike Sanchez, for the beautiful flowers & plants and swept courtyard at St. Luke



Last staff meeting with Pastors Christa & Wayne



St. Luke Prays

When the cares of my heart are many, (Lord) your consolations cheer my soul. – Psalm 94:19

FOR OUR ST. LUKE FAMILY

† Les Anderson † Don Lange
† Sherri Domres, recovering from surgery
† Elizabeth † Elaine Kovach
† Dawn Meyer † Brenda Sanchez

† **Our homebound:** Polly Brodbeck, Melda Burns, Dorela Cole, Leah Coughenour, Dottie Donohoe, Karin Duda, Kay Dunbar, Lucille Few, Marie Lenard, Marv Plugge, Loretta Roe, Lois Rowland, Ardys Theophilus, Donald Vlasaty, and Liz Wills

† **St. Luke Youth:** *Pray that by God's grace, they would grow in faith & in knowledge of him; that he would make them a blessing to those around them, sharing the gospel in every way; and that he would create for them fruitful relationships in their lives.*

- St. Luke Youth going to Rainbow Trail High School Camp July 7 – 13

† Thanksgivings:

- Thank you, Pastors Christa & Wayne for your ministry at St. Luke, your teaching God's word, showing what his grace is, and your love & care. We pray Godspeed on your future adventures. Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace (*and enjoyment*) at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all. – 2

Thessalonians 3:16

- Betty Begeal: praise & thanksgiving for a wonderful vacation to the northwest with friends and family

- Baptism of Anita Martinez, daughter of Gil Martinez & Lydia Smith, at St. Luke on June 9

- Birth of Simon Thomas Bowers on May 22 to Adam & Georgi Bowers and big brother Connor

† Those Who Mourn:

- Leah Coughenour and family, upon the death of her daughter Cindy on June 20

- Bill & Betsy Abel and family, upon the death of Bill's sister Ann on June 11

- Sharon Monson and family on death of her husband Roger on June 8

† For Church Leaders & Staff:

· Church Council, Ministry Leaders, and volunteers
· Church office staff
· St. Luke Preschool students, teachers, and staff

FOR OUR FAMILY, FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS

Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name. – Psalm 33:20-21

† **Those Who Mourn:** Family of Dennis Zafft upon his death, brother of Linda Hathaway; Family of Eric Plikerd (son of AJ & Letty Plikerd; information from Noreen Knudsen); Pam & family on the death of their mother (from Charles & Sandy Clark)

† **Fighting Cancer:** Christine (friend of Roesler family); Louise (Alison Schuler's paralegal); Cathy H (from Barb Shirrod); John, leukemia (from Clark family); Diane & Valerie (friends of the Berardinellis); Melanie Amend (from Sharon Ormiston); Alan, leukemia (Bev Berardinelli's brother)

† **Recovery/Healing:** Al Roesler, recovery from surgery (father of Alex Roesler); Reagan Knomer (Shore Family); Derek Harrison (Scott Strandberg's friend); Greg Raver (friend of Clare Castiglia & Larry Shore); Karina (Marina Mauney's friend); Julian's health (from Charles & Barbara Exley); Jean Klenke (Sharon Ormiston's mother); Peggy (sister of Sally Trigg); Betty (Lori Erven's mother); Erland (Karen Carlson's brother)

† **In Hospice/Near End of Life:** Loretta, diagnosed with terminal cancer (from Diane Quarles); Jim in hospice, pray also for his wife Ellen (friends of Betsy & Bill Abel)

† **Other Concerns:** Morgan, a former handyman who is now in jail; may he come to Jesus and worship at His feet (Betty Ann Arner); Those who are traveling this summer (from Betty Ann Arner); Karen & George (sister & brother-in-law of Pastor Janet Morse); Mike (from Sally Trigg); For those who have drifted away from attending church, that they would be invited or return on their own (from Betty Ann Arner); Brock, Kristine, Derek, Brandon, Rogene, Chris, & Enrique (from Nancy Espy)

† Submitted via St Luke website:

Kelly Greenlee: Please pray for God's blessing upon our city and county. Pray that we turn back to God as a nation. Pray for all those who are without Jesus in their life to repent and open their hearts to His love, grace, and salvation.

FOR CHURCH COMMUNITY

Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. – Colossians 1:28

† Bishop Jim Gonia as he concludes his two 6-year terms as bishop.

† The Rev. Dr. Meghan Johnston Aelabouni, Rocky Mountain Synod Bishop Elect (starts term on August 1st)

† Churches in our community that are in the process of searching for a pastor

† Carolyn Schneider, Ph.D., ELCA Missionary serving in Guayana; pray for her visit and preaching at St. Luke on Sunday, August 11

† Camino de Vida church in Albuquerque, as they go through a pastoral transition

† Lutheran Family Services in Albuquerque

† Luther House UNM/CNM and Campus Pastor Rhonda Newby-Torreson

† Navajo Lutheran Mission in Rock Point, AZ

† Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and Holy Land

† The persecuted church: in the DR of the Congo

FOR OUR COMMUNITY, COUNTRY & THE WORLD

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. – 1 Timothy 2:1-4

† Family Promise of Albuquerque, our Bucket of Change recipient for July; Cuidando Los Niños for August

† The Middle East – pray that all will be reconciled to God

† Our Government [city, county, state, nation], that it may show itself in all respects to be a model of good works, and, in its governing, show integrity, dignity, and sound speech that cannot be condemned so any opponents may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about our communities and nation. – from Titus 2:7

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen. – Ephesians 3:20-21

Please submit your prayer requests to

PrayerChain@StLukeABQ.org or contact the church

office. Names will remain on the prayer list for one month.



St. Luke Youth at Confirmation Camp

At Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp, June 2024

Sofia Franco

Beau Griswold

Hazel Trujillo

accompanied by Tom Berardinelli,
Worship, Music & the Arts Committee Chair





2024 Rainbow Trail Lutheran Vacation Bible Day Camp at St. Luke - June 2024 Coordinator: Donna Berardinelli



Arts & Crafts & More: Betty Begeal, Tom Berardinelli, Mary Fidler, Jean Hollowwa, Emily Smith, Holly Trujillo, Rachel Welch; Snacks: Bev Berardinelli, St. Luke church family VBDC Nurse: Debbie Werner; and VBDC Families
Thank you all!

... when Israel sought for rest ,
the Lord appeared to him from far away.
(the Lord says) "I have loved you with an
everlasting love;
Therefore with
lovingkindness
I have drawn you."



Jeremiah 31:2b - 3, ESV

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