Christ is Risen
Luke 24:1-12

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Abiding Gifts
If you wish to honor or remember someone, please attach to your check the name of that person and the address to which you wish the acknowledgement sent and mail or bring to the Church Office. Contact maggie@stlukeum.com.

General Fund: In honor of Rev. Dr. Cindy Cox Garrard by Mr. and Mrs. Farron D. Pasteka.
Kathy Randall Scholarship Fund: In honor of Mr. Norris Randall by Mrs. Carol Flournoy.
Youth Fund: In memory of Mr. David W. Land by Mr. and Mrs. Win Fowler.
Children’s Ministry: In honor of Miss Hope Sims by Drs. Clifton and Christine Ruehl.
Respite Care: In honor of Mrs. Jeanne P. Robinson’s 95th birthday by Mr. and Mrs. Brad Turner.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY
Hope Sims, Director of Children’s Ministries, hsims@stlukeum.com - www.cornerkidz.com

CORNER KIDZ (9:00 a.m.) welcomes K-5th grade students. Children will be escorted upstairs to the Corner Kidz Room beside the gymnasium. Parents need to pick up children from upstairs immediately after the service.
CORNER KIDZ (11:00 a.m.) welcomes K-5th grade students. Children will be escorted to Stockwell Hall. Please pick up your child in Stockwell Hall after the service.
SUNDAY SCHOOL is held in the main church building. Our greeters will help you and your child find their Sunday School class. Parents need to drop off their child at 10:00 a.m., and pick up their child promptly by 10:50 a.m. as many of our teachers attend the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

DISASTER RELIEF VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
We are blessed to have the opportunity to continue to love and serve our neighbors in tangible ways this week and in weeks and months to come. There is still much work to be done. All efforts are organized and coordinated according to your availability and skill level. Please contact Chuck Bolton to join our team, cbolt343@aol.com.

THE CORNER
Jonathan and Lisa Moore, Directors of Student Ministries, jmoore@stlukeum.com

Sign ups are going great! Spots are filling up fast! Come to the beach with us to Souled Out Summer for the BEST WEEK OF YOUR LIFE! God is so good and faithful! Middle and High School is going to Souled Out Summer from June 3 - June 7! Come be a part of the GREATEST GROUP OF STUDENTS ON THE PLANET! Sign up at www.thecornerstudents.com.

Synthesis Leadership Team Applications are due May 1st! We are planning 2019/2020 and it is going to be THE YEAR OF FUN at The Corner! If you've ever wanted to be a part of something bigger than yourself this is a great opportunity to serve, lead and grow in Christ. This world needs leaders...what are you waiting for?

Crosswalk and The Corner High School Summer Interns have been selected and begin their summer ministry at Souled Out Summer! They are pumped to meet you and spend THE BEST SUMMER EVER with you!
**Sunday, April 21**
8:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)
9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service (MIN)
9:30 a.m. Meet and Greet (Parlor, Main)
9:45 a.m. Sunday School/Youth Sunday School Assembly (The Corner, MIN)
10:00 a.m. Youth Sunday School (The Corner, MIN)/College Small Group (College House)
11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)/Broadcast over WLTC 103.7 Lite FM and at www.stlukeum.com beginning at 11:00 a.m.
12:00 p.m. Worship in Spanish (Chapel, Main)
1:00 p.m. Hispanic Sunday School Classes and Fellowship (Stockwell Hall, Main)
1:30 p.m. Pre-recorded broadcast of The Nine worship service, WTVM Channel 9.

**Monday, April 22**
11:30 a.m. Free Spirits Luncheon (LD, MIN)
6:30 p.m. Monday Night Women’s Bible Study (Meeting Room, MIN)

**Tuesday, April 23**
7:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study (SD, MIN)
10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
11:00 a.m. Staff Meeting (Conference Room, Main)
11:30 a.m. Lions Club (SD, MIN)
TRI-DVS Volunteer Luncheon (LD, MIN)
3:15 p.m. Student Council Meeting (Meeting Room, Main)
6:30 p.m. Fellowship of Christian Athletes Dinner (LD, MIN)

**Wednesday, April 24**
8:35 a.m. SLS 4th-8th Chapel (Sanctuary, Main)
9:10 a.m. SLS K-3rd Chapel (Sanctuary, Main)
10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
10:30 a.m. Preschool/ELC Chapel (Sanctuary, Main)
11:30 a.m. Kiwanis (SD, MIN)
12 Noon SL Church Finance Committee Meeting (Meeting Room, MIN)
3:15 p.m. Children’s Choir (Ministry Center)
5:00 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal (Handbell Room, Main)
5:30 p.m. **Wednesday Night Supper**
6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts Pack 35 (Church)
7:00 p.m. Bible Study in Spanish (Room 110, Main)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
Administrative Board Meeting (LD, MIN)
8:00 p.m. College House (1030 Second Ave.)
8:10 p.m. Hispanic Praise Team (Chapel, Main)

**Thursday, April 25**
10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
11:30 a.m. Exchange Club (SD, MIN)
Women’s Bible Study (Chapel)

**Friday, April 26**
8:00 a.m. SLAM (Ministry Center)
5:00 p.m. McManious/Burt Wedding Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

**Saturday, April 27**
11:00 a.m. One in The Spirit Banquet (LD, MIN)
5:00 p.m. McManious/Burt Wedding (Sanctuary)

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**WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP SUPPER - April 24**

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. The serving line is open until 6:30 p.m. Please make or cancel reservations by using the form below, by e-mailing jwidener@stlukeum.com, or by calling 706-256-1017 before noon on Monday.

**Menu:** Fried chicken, BBQ chicken, baked beans, macaroni and cheese, salad, rolls, and assorted desserts.

Name: ________________________________ Adults ($7.00) _______ Children ($3.00) _______
Daytime Phone: _____________________ Email: ________________________________________

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Prelude: “An Easter Celebration” by Joel Raney

Invitation to Worship: The Rev. Robert Beckum

Easter Greeting: Rev. Beckum
Rejoice and be glad:
This is the day that the Lord has made!
Rejoice and be glad:
Heaven and earth will never be the same!
Rejoice and be glad:
Christ is risen! Alleluia

Processional Hymn: “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” by Number 302

Affirmation of Faith: (I Corinthians 15:1-6 and Colossians 1:15-20)
Leader: This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved.
People: Christ died for our sins, was buried, was raised on the third day, and appeared first to the women, then to Peter and the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe Jesus is the Christ, the Anointed One of God, the firstborn of all creation, the firstborn from the dead, in whom all things hold together, in whom the fullness of God was pleased to dwell by the power of the Spirit. Christ is the head of the body, the church, and by the blood of the cross reconciles all things to God. Amen.

The Gloria Patri (Glory be to the Father): Number 70

The Anthem: “Praise the God of Resurrection” by Mark Hayes

The Pastoral Prayer: (8:30 a.m.) The Rev. Dr. Cindy Cox Garrard
(11:00 a.m.) The Rev. Brett Maddocks

The Lord’s Prayer: Number 895

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 forever. Amen.
At the 11:00 a.m. service, Children (5 yr. kindergarten through fifth grade) are invited to go to Stockwell Hall for Corner Kids. Please take time to register your attendance on the fellowship roll and pass it down your pew!

**HYMN**.......................... “He Lives” ......................... Number 310

**THE OFFERTORY PRAYER**.................................Rev. Beckum

**THE OFFERTORY**........... “Christ is Risen! Alleluia!” ........Mark Hayes

“All the world rejoice!  People, lift your voice!  Grave, where is your victory?  Death, where is your sting?”

**THE DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS**......“The Doxology”...........Number 95

**THE WRITTEN WORD**.................Luke 24:1-12  (NT p. 84) in pew Bible

**THE SPOKEN WORD** ......................“An Idle Tale”.............Rev. Beckum

**THE HYMN OF DEDICATION** ..... “The Day of Resurrection” ......... Number 303

**THE BENEDICTION** ....................................................Rev. Beckum

**THE CHORAL BENEDICTION**..........“Hallelujah”......................G.F. Handel

POSTLUDE.................. “Toccata” from “Symphony V”................C.M. Widor

Acolytes: (8:30 a.m.) Jake Albright (11:00 a.m.) Chase Townsend

*Please stand as you are able

**WORSHIP IN SPANISH:** 12:20 p.m. worship in Turner Chapel, The Rev. Dr. Ivelisse Quiñones, preaching.

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE (THE NINE):** 9:00 a.m., Ministry Center, The Rev. Brett Maddocks, preaching.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** The beautiful arrangements in the chancel area are given to the glory of God by the Altar Guild.

**WELCOME VISITORS:** We are glad to have you with us today! If you have any questions or need assistance with anything, please ask a church greeter or any member of the church staff. For more information about St. Luke, contact Cindy Cox Garrard or any of the pastors at 706-327-4343 or cindy@stlukeum.com. Thank you for blessing us with your presence.

**HOW DO I JOIN THE CHURCH?**
You may become a part of the St. Luke family of God in one of the following ways:

1. If you have never joined a church before, you may become a member by profession of faith in Jesus Christ and by being baptized. If you have already been baptized (as a child or as an adult) in a Christian Church, your baptism is recognized by St. Luke United Methodist Church. You will be asked to uphold St. Luke church with your prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.

2. If you are a member of another United Methodist Church or another Christian denomination, indicate to one of the pastors that this is your desire. St. Luke will then transfer your membership.

3. If you have any questions about faith in Christ, about United Methodism in general or St. Luke in particular, please ask one of the pastors!
OUR CLERGY STAFF

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He Is Risen!
Sending Easter Blessings to our St Luke Family from the Respite Care Ministry

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER
THURSDAY, MAY 2 • ST. LUKE TURNER CHAPEL
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Please sign up for a 30 minute slot by contacting Kym Harden at 706-327-4343 or kym@stlukeum.com. St. Luke staff will be present in the chapel throughout the day as prayer resources and will be happy to pray with you or for you. Printed material will also be available. If you would like to submit a prayer request for the National Day of Prayer, please email maggie@stlukeum.com.