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ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

All Saints' Sunday is a day to honor the memory of those in our church family who have entered the Father's House. It also proclaims Christ's victory over death. We will call the names of loved ones who have died in the last year as a part of our worship services. With their families we grieve in the loss which death brings. As the Family of God, we give thanks for the promise of eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord!

Mrs. Wilda Richards Dudley
11-2-18

Mr. Paul Daniel Singer
11-17-18

Mr. William H. Meeks
11-27-18

Mr. Robert E. Nelson, Jr.
1-3-19

Mr. Robert Duane Kemp
1-28-19

Mr. Clyde Burton "C.B." Hewitt, Jr.
1-31-19

Dr. William J. Arthur
2-8-19

Mrs. Erin Leanne Knight
2-12-19

Mrs. Virginia Head
2-27-19

Mr. Hugh C. "Chip" Carney
3-15-19

Mrs. Louanne Powell Merrell
4-2-19

Miss Ellen Frances Plant
4-17-19

Ms. Soraya Abousaidi Fravel
4-30-19

Mr. Andres Windster
6-2-19

Mr. Walter Lowe "Butch" Rice III
7-11-19

Mrs. Barbara Fineran
7-15-19

Mrs. Sara H. Harris
8-19-19

Mr. Benjamin Sanford "Sam" Pate, Jr.
8-31-19

Mr. John D. Cartledge
9-5-19

Mrs. Juanita M. "Nita" Stephens
9-22-19

Mr. Mobley Gordon "Butch" Estes
9-26-19

Mr. G. Elden Elzworth
10-5-19

Mr. Larry Hughes Neal
10-14-19

Mr. David Andrew Cartledge
10-16-19

Mrs. Rebecca Jane Hardaway Loflin
10-16-19

Mrs. Martha King Cunningham
10-25-19

Mrs. Sara Lou Yarbrough
10-28-19

Robert Beckum, Senior Pastor
rbeckum@stlukeum.com

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The 11:00 a.m. service is streamed at www.stlukeum.com and broadcast at WLTC 103.7 Lite FM
Rebroadcast on WTVM Channel 9 at 10:00 a.m.

November 3, 2019

All Saints' Sunday

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Color: White

Prelude (*Beth Parsons, flute*)..... "In Paradisum (*In Heaven*)".....Charles Callahan

Welcome and Opening Prayer..... Rev. Dr. Adriane Burgess

*Hymn..... "For All the Saints"Number 711
(vs. 1-4)

*The Affirmation of Faith..... "The Apostles' Creed"Number 881
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried, the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick* and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic*** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*The Gloria Patri (Glory Be to the Father).....Number 70
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end, Amen, Amen.**

A Time of Remembrance.....Rev. Robert Beckum

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer.....Rev. Dick Reese
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.

Choral Prayer Response..... "Dresden Amen"Johann Naumann

The Children's Sermon.....Rev. Burgess
After the Children's Sermon, children who are in Kindergarten-5th grade are invited to go to Corner Kids for a time of extended worship. Parents pick them up in Stockwell Hall when this service is completed.

*Hymn..... "Be Thou My Vision"Number 451

Offertory Prayer.....Rev. Brett Maddocks

**Offertory Anthem (*Chancel Choir*)..... "A Life of Thankfulness"Lloyd Larson

*The Dedication of Offerings..... "The Doxology"Number 95
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

The Written Word.....Luke 6:20-31 (p.60, NT in pew Bible)

The Spoken Word..... "**BLESSED**"Rev. Beckum

The Invitation and Confession

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another:

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us! In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God! Amen.

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving.....Page 23-24; Hymnal

The Sharing of Bread and Cup

*Hymn..... "I Am Thine, O Lord"Number 419

*The Benediction.....Rev. Beckum

Choral Benediction Response (11:00 a.m.)..... "Sevenfold Amen"Peter Lutkin

Postlude..... "If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee"J.S. Bach

Standing as able* ** *Music Box* * *quick* means "living"; *catholic* means "universal"

Acolytes (11:00 a.m.): Chase Townsend and Kate Deal

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, November 3

- 8:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)
- 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service (LD, 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)
Pre-recorded broadcast of worship service on WTVM Channel 9
All Saints' Brunch (Stockwell Hall, Main)
Life at St. Luke (LD, MIN)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)/Broadcast over WLTC 103.7 Lite FM
and at saintlukecolumbus.org beginning at 11:00 a.m.
- 12:20 p.m. Worship in Spanish (Chapel, Main)
- 1-4:00 p.m. Hispanic Sunday School Classes and Fellowship (Stockwell Hall, Main)
- 5:00 p.m. Crosswalk (Stockwell Hall)/High School (the Corner)
St. Luke Academy (LD, MIN)
- 6:00 p.m. Orchestra Rehearsal (Room 110, Main)
- 11:30 p.m. Pre-recorded broadcast of The Nine Worship Service, WTVM Channel 9

Monday, November 4

- 11:00 a.m. Circle 1 (Respite Bldg.)
- 6:30 p.m. Monday Night Women's Bible Study (Meeting Room, MIN)
- 7:30 p.m. College Small Groups (College House)

Tuesday, November 5

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (SD, MIN)
- 9:30 a.m. Women in The Word Bible Study (Meeting Room, MIN)
- 10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study, "The Jesus Who Surprises" (College House)
- 7:00 p.m. Hispanic Bible Study (Room 110, Main)
Bible Study Fellowship (MIN)

Wednesday, November 6

- 7:00 a.m. RFTS All Pro Dad (The Corner)
- 10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 10:30 a.m. Preschool/ELC Chapel (Sanctuary, Main)
- 4:30 p.m. College House Wednesday Small Groups (College House)
- 5:00 p.m. Hand Bell Rehearsal (Hand Bell Room)
- 5:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER (LD, MIN)
- 6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts (Stockwell Hall, Main)
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary, Main)
- 8:00 p.m. College House (College House)

Thursday, November 7

- 8:30 a.m. District Committee Meeting
(Discovery, Step by Step, One in Christ, New Journey, Now, Crossroads)
- 10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 12:00 p.m. Free College Lunch (College House)
- 3:00 p.m. Diane Hett Retirement Gathering (Respite)
- 3:30 p.m. SLS Faculty/Staff Meeting (SD, MIN)
- 7:00 p.m. Hispanic Praise Team Rehearsal (Chapel)

Friday, November 8

- 8:45 a.m. SLS Veteran's Day Celebration (Sanctuary, Main)

Saturday, November 9

Main (Church Building/Sanctuary), MIN (Ministry Center). Contact the Ministry Center for information about renting or reserving rooms, 706-256-1017.

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP SUPPER - November 6

Program: Rev. Robert Beckum

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

Menu: Fried chicken, smoked roast beef, broccoli, black eye peas, mashed potato, rolls, salad and assorted desserts.

Name: _____

Adults (\$7.00) _____ Children (\$3.00) _____ Daytime Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Music Box

Dr. Marc F. Boensel, Director of Music Ministries, mboensel@stlukeum.com

The Music Scholarship Fund assists six students from the Schwob School of Music with expenses related to their study of music. All of these students sing in our Chancel Choir at 8:30am and 11am and are a vital part of the Music Ministry. Please consider supporting the Music Scholarship Fund so that St. Luke can continue to assist these students with their music education. Donations can be placed in the offering and marked 'Music Scholarship.'

Today's Anthem: "How wonderful and precious the gift our God bestows: to give us hearts to praise the One from whom each blessing flows. For by Him we were fashioned, and to Him we belong. And for Him now we offer this glad and grateful song! *We bless You, O God, with our lips. We thank You, O God, with our hearts. But that is not enough to show how grateful we are! So we make now this pledge; we bow before you and confess, that we shall offer our praise from a life of thankfulness.* When life on earth is over and saints from every shore are gathered in Your company to worship evermore; and then what pleasure we shall know, what joy we then shall find as with one voice we celebrate the God of humankind! May our lives be an alleluia, a grateful song to You. And beyond sounds of joyous praise, may our hearts be always true!"

The Music Ministry welcomes new vocal and instrumental members throughout the year. No auditions are required. Please contact Marc Boensel at the e-mail address above or at 706-256-2682.

WORSHIP IN SPANISH: 12:20 p.m. worship in chapel, Rev. Dr. José Resto, Palabra Hablada: "Obedeciendo la Palabra de Dios." Palabra Escrita: Psalm 119:1-9.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE (THE NINE): 9:00 a.m., Ministry Center, Rev. Beckum preaching.

ALTAR FLOWERS: The beautiful flowers in the chancel area are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. H. Glenn Martin with love by the family.

CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY: To Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Anna) Montgomery in the death of her brother, Mr. Carl J. Kuipers, October 23, 2019, Columbus, GA. To Mr. and Mrs. Paul (Franny) Kilpatrick, Jr. in the death of her sister, Harriet Nolan, October 23, 2019, Fernandina, FL.

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Martha King Cunningham
October 25, 2019

Mrs. Sara Lou Yarbrough
October 28, 2019

PARDON OUR PROGRESS! We have been advised that we need to remove our large oak tree on the corner of 2nd Avenue and 11th Street. We will take this opportunity to do some badly needed restoration to the fountain and the surrounding area. We look forward to a wonderful new area, preserving the look and feel of this corner.

HOLY COMMUNION

All persons who confess Christ as their Savior, regardless of age or denomination, are invited to share in the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Please come forward by the center aisle at the invitation of the ushers and stand or kneel in prayer at the chancel rail for as long as you like, then cup your hands to indicate your readiness to receive the Sacrament. After you have partaken of the cup, you may remain in prayer or return to your seat by means of the side aisle. Those who wish to receive Holy Communion in their seats should so indicate to an usher or pastor. **Gluten-free bread is available.** The offering plates at the head of the center aisle are to receive gifts for the Samaritan Fund, our emergency financial outreach ministry. Please give generously as God gives you the ability.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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) after the welcome.

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.

CORNER KIDZ (11:00 a.m.) welcomes K-5th grade students! Children will be escorted to Stockwell Hall after the children's sermon. Please pick up your child in Stockwell Hall after the service.

ST. LUKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ST. LUKE SCHOOL HEAD OF SCHOOL JOB POSTING



ST. LUKE
SCHOOL

St. Luke is currently accepting resumes for the position of Head of School. The position requires an educational background which includes a minimum of a bachelor's degree in an educational field with degree/coursework in educational leadership and appropriate administrative experience. A master's or doctoral degree is preferred. In addition, the candidate should possess experience in implementing instruction and curriculum development, proven leadership, supervisory, written and verbal communication skills, and the ability to raise funds and be a good steward of school resources.

Candidates should also be self-motivated, be able to lead and motivate others, demonstrate listening skills, objectivity, confidentiality, and a willingness to share their Christian faith.

Please address any inquiries or expressions of interest to Evan Peterson (epeterson@educatorcollaborative.com)



FIRST SATURDAY is DECEMBER 7

THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO HELP!

VOLUNTEER OR DONATE

NEW TOYS - NEW SHOES/SOCKS - NEW SWEATSHIRTS

OR MONEY TO HELP BUY NEEDED ITEMS.

SEE INSERT FOR MORE INFORMATION

CIRCLE MEETINGS:

Circle 1: 11:00 a.m., Respite Bldg.

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New Beginnings Women's Group

Tuesday, Nov. 12th, 10:30 a.m.

Room 110 (Main Bldg.)

Celebrating the Life of

Rev. Helen Benerentien

Special Guests: Carol Boers, Mary Bass and Mitch Watts

FRANK PARR TELEPHONE CLASS

Mitch Watt's Office, 9:30 a.m.

Serving those who are unable to be physically present at Sunday School, either short-term or long-term, this class is "connected" to the St. Luke family. Discussion on the Adult Bible Series is enjoyed by members via conference call every Sunday morning. Contact: Mary Bass at 706-323-8122, tellertoo@charter.net.

ST. LUKE ACADEMY PRESENT

The Gospel of **Mark**
A Biblical Journey

Sunday Nights, 5-7 PM (LD MIN)

Contact bmaddocks@stlukeum.com for more information.

**TIME CHANGE
SUNDAY**



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.

Food Pantry: In memory of Mr. Larry Neal and Mr. David Cartledge by Mr. Billy Cunningham.

Memorial Maintenance Fund: In memory of Mr. Elden Elzworth by the JIL/Fellowship Class and Ms. Irene Champion. In memory of Mr. Gordon "Butch" Estes by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrington Vaught, and Mr. and Mrs. Wright Waddell. In memory of Mr. Larry Neal by Mr. Pete Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. David G. Lewis III, Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. David, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McCarley, Mr. Rem Houser, Mrs. Janice Persons Biggers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate, City Construction & Development, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Bickerstaff, Quality Iron and Steel LLC, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gower, Mr. Richard H. Bickerstaff, Jr., Mr. George Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Middlebrooks, Mr. and Mrs. McAllister Isaacs III, Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Littlejohn, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Carnathan, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harrison, 107.7 The Truth, KAM Inc., Dr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd Hudson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. Cecil F. Whitaker, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harper, Dr. and Mrs. H. Daniel Sigman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude G. Scarbrough III, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Norris, Mr. Walter Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pound, Dr. Phillip S. Tully III, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phipps, Judge and Mrs. Frank Jordan, Jr., Mr. Stanley Durham, Ms. Julie Bond Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moon, Mr. Frank G. Lumpkin III, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bradley, Mr. John Vann, Mr. and Mrs. Huel White, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Mize, Mrs. Helen Burgin, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Amos, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Worth, The Whitelaw family, and Mr. and Mrs. Mote Andrews. In memory of Mr. Larry Neal and Mr. David Cartledge by Mr. and Mrs. Len Sexton and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Butler. In memory of Mr. David Cartledge by Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Robert Poydasheff and Mr. Walter Miller. In memory of Mr. Gordon "Butch" Estes, Mr. Larry Neal, and Mr. David Cartledge by Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Graham. In memory of Mrs. Martha Cunningham by Dr. Robert Carpenter. In memory of Mrs. Jane Loflin by Mrs. Barbara Gilliam Haneman and Ms. Harriett E. Mayo. In memory of Mr. Larry Neal and Mrs. Frances Smith by Ms. Nancy Zettler.

Music Scholarship Fund: In honor of Mrs. Nancy Register by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Chitwood.

Higher Education Scholarship Fund: In memory of Mr. John Cartledge by Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Robert Poydasheff, Mrs. Kathy Riley, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Coggins.

Bereavement Ministry: In honor of the Bereavement Ministry Volunteers by Ms. Nancy Pedersen.

Meals on Wheels: In memory of Mr. Gordon "Butch" Estes by Mr. and Mrs. Mizell Alexander. In memory of Mr. Elden Elzworth by Ms. Bette Barr.

Youth Ministry: In memory of Mrs. Erin Knight by Ms. Jennifer Rutledge.

Respite Care: In memory of Mr. Gordon "Butch" Estes by Mrs. Kathy Riley. In honor of Mrs. Diane Hett by Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Register.

Altar Guild Fund: In memory of Mrs. Martha Cunningham by Mr. and Mrs. Mote Andrews.

Samaritan Fund: In memory of Mr. Larry Neal by Mr. Bryan Sargent.



THE CORNER

Jonathan and Lisa Moore, Directors of Student Ministries,
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PUT THESE DATES ON THE FRIDGE:

Nov. 22-24: DNOW "Champion"
Sign up today at
www.thecornerstudents.com

Dec. 1: 5 - 8PM
Annual Bonfire at the farmhouse

Dec. 15: 5 - 7PM
Corner/Crosswalk Christmas Party



We have a massive student ministry family and we want you to be a part of it!
