



Sermon Notes

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OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, August 28

- 8:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)
- 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Service (MIN)
Live streamed at www.saintlukecolumbus.org
CornerKidz K-3rd Grade
- 10:00 a.m. Youth Sunday School (The Corner, MIN)
College House Worship Service (College House)
Pre-recorded broadcast of worship service on WTVM Channel 9
- 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary, Main)
Broadcast over WLTC 103.7 Lite FM
and at www.saintlukecolumbus.org beginning at 11:00 a.m.
Corner Kidz K-3rd grade
- 12:30 p.m. Worship in Spanish (Turner Chapel, Main)
- 5-7:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Youth (The Corner)
- 11:30 p.m. Pre-recorded broadcast of The Nine worship service, WTVM Channel 9

Monday, August 29

- 1-7:30 p.m. Directory Photo Session (Main Church Bldg.)

Tuesday, August 30

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast (SD, MIN)
On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 1-7:30 p.m. Directory Photo Session (Main Church Bldg.)

Wednesday, August 31

- 10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 5:30 p.m. St. Luke Midweek (MIN)
Handbells Rehearsal (Handbell Room, Main)
Corner Students Bible Study (The Corner)
- 7:00 p.m. College House Fellowship and Bible Study (College House)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room, Main)
Administrative Board/Church Conference Meeting (LD, MIN)

Thursday, September 1

- 10:00 a.m. On-Site Respite (1021 Third Ave.)
- 11:30 a.m. Free College Lunch (College House)

Main (main building), MIN (Ministry Center). Contact the Ministry Center for information about renting or reserving rooms, 706-256-1017.

VISIT THE NEW ST. LUKE WEBSITE!

Check out the totally redesigned St. Luke website by visiting www.saintlukecolumbus.org today. Our website is loaded with all new information and functionality. And check out the MOBILE version too!



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Thad's Thoughts



As I announced last Sunday, I am excited to welcome a new Associate Pastor to our St. Luke family. Rev. Robert Wood will be joining our staff at the end of September and his first Sunday with us will be September 25th. Rev. Wood comes to us directly from the Adel UMC where he has served as Senior Pastor for the past three years. Robert is married to Alanna Wood and they have three children, Emma (12th grade), Anna Grace (10th grade), and Sam (5th grade). Robert is originally from Kentucky where he grew up as the child of missionaries to the Red Bird Mission. He and his family have lived in South Georgia since he became the Youth Director at Pine Forest UMC in Dublin, GA. in 2004. After serving for five years as a Youth Director, Robert has served as pastor of churches in Dudley, Tennille, Blackshear, and Adel. He and his family are very excited to be joining us here at St. Luke and they look forward to getting to know you very soon. Please be in prayer for them as they make this transition. Welcome to the Wood family!

Thad

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St. Luke **MIDWEEK** is off to a great start and we look forward to seeing all ages every Wednesday enjoying food, fellowship and break out studies. CornerKidz and The Corner Youth will have break outs of their own following dinner from 6:15-7:30.

Participate in one of our adult break out studies!

- Fire on the Mountain - Displaying God to a Broken World** (LD, MIN) concludes at 7:00.
 - Bible Recap "Recap"** - (Room 110 of the main building) concludes at 7:30.
 - Reboot/Recovery (active military veterans)** - Meeting Room (MIN) concludes at 7:30.
 - Christian Medical and Dental (CMDA) students** (SD,MIN), concluding at 8:00.
 - Rerouting - BEGINS SEPTEMBER 7**, Church Conference Room, concluding at 7:30.
- Corner Kidz will be doing a study on Prayer.
Youth will meet together in The Corner following supper.

Menu: Fried chicken, meatloaf, green beans, mashed potatoes, rolls, salad, cobbler and ice cream.
Make your reservation for MIDWEEK by scanning the QR code or emailing Svinyard@stlukeum.com. A nursery is provided for those younger than Kindergarten.



SCOUTING AT ST. LUKE The **St. Luke Cub Scout Pack 35** and the **St. Paul Pack 1** are merging to form a new Pack to serve our two churches. This new Pack is for both boys and girls in Kindergarten through 5th grade and will meet on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. Learn more about the program and how you and your child can participate at an informational meeting on Sunday, August 28 at 2:00 p.m. at St. Paul Church. **For more information**, please contact Will Clark at wclark@aflac.com or Cubmaster Patrick Knopf at pcknopf@yahoo.com.



MILITARY MINISTRY

Join us for family camp!

Contact Nicole Mayne for information about active-duty discounts on cabin rental at nmayne@stlukeum.com



Respite Ministry

Tips for Healthy Aging - Live an active life

Regular exercise is one of the greatest keys to physical and mental wellbeing. Living an active life will help you stay fit enough to maintain your independence to go where you want to and perform your own activities. Regular exercise may prevent or even provide relief from many common chronic conditions, including heart disease, diabetes, depression, and arthritis, to name a few.

Tips: The key is to stay active, so do something you will enjoy. If you are not the type of person who will stick to a regular gym routine, go on a walk or ride your bike every day instead. Try to incorporate aerobic, balance, and muscle strengthening activities into your routine. Think about what works best for you, consult your doctor, and get moving!

Missions Moment

Chuck Bolton, Director of Missions and Outreach, cbolton@stlukeum.com

New Local Missions Opportunity!

Two Days Per Month



We are excited to partner with **Truth Spring's 6th Ave. Project** in The North Highlands Community starting in October. Please prayerfully consider serving with us as we help build the first house of this project. Join us in reaching vulnerable children and families with the Gospel while providing sustainable change in our community.

www.truthspring.org/6th-ave-project

College House

We will do the overview of Revelation on Monday, August 29th at 7pm.

Our Small group study, Live No Lies by John Mark Comer, will start Wednesday, August 31st at 7 pm.



WOMEN'S MINISTRY OF ST. LUKE

"Who's on the Couch?"



God's Sovereignty in Our Seasons

Sunday, September 11th
5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

St. Luke Ministry Center
(Nursery available upon request)

Cost: \$15
(Dinner included)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE
Tuesday, September 6th



Call Julie in the church office to make your reservation @ 706-327-4343 or register on our website @ www.saintlukecolumbus.org



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

is looking for a nursery coordinator. The nursery coordinator supervises and coordinates staffing, volunteers, programming, and curriculum for all nursery services at St Luke UMC in partnership with the Children's Ministry Director. Training is provided. If interested, please send your resume to Tracey Williams at twilliams@stlukeum.com.

Prayer Calendars

If you would like a prayer calendar mailed to you please call the church office @ 706-327-4343.

ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD/CHURCH CONFERENCE MEETING

August 31 – 7:00p – Ministry Center Large Dining Room
To discuss/vote on the sale of the Associate Pastor parsonage

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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We are looking forward to seeing you again this week in Sunday School! Below you will find our available classes and their locations.

K/1st Grade Room 6 in the Ministry Center

Teachers: Jenny Koon & Lane Riley

2nd/3rd Grade Room 7 in the Ministry Center

Teachers: Bobby & Melissa Thomas, Kristen Holt & Kelly Pendleton

4th/5th Grade Corner Kidz Room in the Ministry Center

Teacher: Ashley Turner

NEW!! Nursery will now be offered for infants through Pre-K from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. in the Church Building in Room 111 as well as the Ministry Center. During the Nine and 11:00 a.m. services, children in K-3rd grade are dismissed to participate in their own Children's Church called Corner Kidz located upstairs in the Ministry Center for the Nine and in Stockwell Hall during the 11 a.m. service.



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- Sunday Evening Youth, 5-7 - Dinner Provided
- No Sunday Evening Youth on September 4th (Labor Day Weekend)

Sunday School Class:

- A new Sunday School class begins September 11, at 10:00 a.m. in room 102 of the church building for our St. Luke young professionals! This coed class is for those in their early twenties up to thirty years of age who have begun their careers, single or married, with or without children. Bring your Bibles and enjoy the teaching among your peers. For more information, contact Joseph Tucker at joseph_tucker14@gmail.com for more information.
- Get ready for a **Sunday School attendance competition** beginning September 11! Details next week!

Upcoming Women's Bible studies:

- SOUL SISTERS begins September 6 -November 8, 1:30-3:30 PM Jen Wilkin's God of Freedom, Exodus 19-40. Location is The College House. Register by contacting Suzanne McCluskey at sfmcccluskey@gmail.com. Nursery is not provided.
- Women in the Word begins Sept 13 - Nov 15, 9:30-11:30 AM studying Jen Wilkin's Better, A Study of Hebrews. Location will be The Corner youth area of the Ministry Center. Register by contacting Susan Graham at smgraham4@gmail.com. Nursery is not provided.

Mark your calendars for the St. Luke Missions Fair at MIDWEEK
October 5, 5:30 – 7:00!