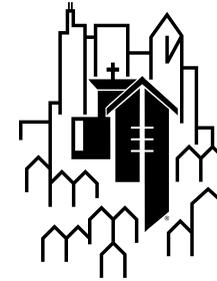


# SAINT LUKE CHURCH

2020

8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.



## SAINT LUKE CHURCH

A warm welcome to all who gather in the name of Christ this morning. If you are looking for a church home, we hope you will consider Saint Luke Church.

Please enter the church using the Courtyard entrance.

Out of an abundance of caution everyone is required to wear a mask in the church and during the service.

Everyone must sign in and have their temperature taken, which will not be recorded. Please go right to your seat after you have signed in.

There will be no singing by the congregation and responses and prayers should be spoken quietly.

Sharing of the Peace will be done in place and without contact. A nod toward the neighbor, a bow of the head, a wave or other signs of mutual spiritual respect can be used.

Following the service an usher will dismiss you from your seat. Please exit immediately. Pastor will greet people in the courtyard, weather permitting.

*Free parking* is available in the parking garage behind the church. Enter from Melrose St. (one block north of Belmont).

If there is anything else we can do to assist your worship experience, please let the ushers know.



SAINT LUKE CHURCH

October 11, 2020

Time after Pentecost – Lectionary 28

PRAYER CONNECTION AND REFLECTION

*Time to reflect and pray individually as you prepare for worship*

THE PRAYER FOR THE DAY

Lord of the feast, you have prepared a table before all peoples and poured out your life with abundance. Call us again to your banquet. Strengthen us by what is honorable, just, and pure, and transform us into a people of righteousness and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

REMEMBER THOSE WHO ARE ILL

O God, the strength of the weak and the comfort of sufferers: Mercifully hear our prayers and grant to your servants:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| <i>Eve Scheffler</i>     | <i>Maryann Palermo</i>     | <i>Monroe Quinn</i>     | <i>Danny Horth</i>       |
| <i>Patricia Grunde</i>   | <i>Marla Powers</i>        | <i>Juanita Orsan</i>    | <i>Christian Long</i>    |
| <i>Steve Mead</i>        | <i>Jan Nyberg</i>          | <i>John Horth</i>       | <i>Mark Bangert</i>      |
| <i>MaryJo McCawley</i>   | <i>Neva Geweke</i>         | <i>Michael Holman</i>   | <i>Linda Planekowsky</i> |
| <i>Tandy Holman</i>      | <i>David Ploger</i>        | <i>Laurie Strohmayr</i> | <i>Rosie Diaz</i>        |
| <i>Donna Karaklasch</i>  | <i>Mark Van Scharrel</i>   | <i>Martha Kastigar</i>  | <i>Rosemarie Morgen</i>  |
| <i>Donna Jitchovisut</i> | <i>Albester Hall Jones</i> | <i>Ken Fortney</i>      | <i>Dan Horton</i>        |
| <i>Janet Hagberg</i>     | <i>Dale Peters</i>         | <i>Peter Burkhart</i>   |                          |

the help of your power, that illness may be turned into health and our sorrow into joy; through Jesus Christ. Amen

FOR JUSTICE AND PEACE

Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may move every human heart; that the barriers dividing us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; and that, with our divisions healed, we might live in justice and peace; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

REMEMBER THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

Almighty God, we commit to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad:

- Nicholas Bakulinski    Jeremy Strohmayr    Dan McCarthy    Lucas Kratz    Preston Larson*

Defend them with your heavenly grace and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Almighty God, from whom all thoughts of truth and peace proceed, kindle in the hearts of all the true love of peace, and guide with Your pure and peaceable wisdom those who make decisions for the nations of the earth; that in tranquility Your kingdom may go forward, till the earth be filled with the knowledge of your love; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

MORNING PRAYER

TIME AFTER PENTECOST – LECTIONARY 28

OCTOBER 11, 2020 • 8:30 AM

*Sit* Prelude: “Rejoice ye pure in heart”

D. Mead

*Stand* Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal,  
**Have mercy on us.**

**Our Father in heaven,**  
**hallowed be your name,**  
**your kingdom come,**  
**your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**  
**Give us today our daily bread.**  
**Forgive us our sins**  
**as we forgive those who sin against us.**  
**Save us from the time of trial**  
**and deliver us from evil.**  
**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,**  
**now and forever. Amen.**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,**  
**Creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,**  
**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,**  
**born of the virgin Mary,**  
**suffered under Pontius Pilate,**  
**was crucified, died, and was buried;**  
**he descended to the dead.**  
**On the third day he rose again;**  
**he ascended into heaven,**  
**he is seated at the right hand of the Father,**  
**and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,**  
**and the holy catholic church,**  
**the communion of saints,**  
**the forgiveness of sins,**  
**the resurrection of the body,**  
**and the life everlasting. Amen.**

O Lord, I cry to you for help.

**In the morning  
my prayer comes before you.**

Let my mouth be full of your praise  
**and your glory all the day long.**

Every day will I bless you,  
**and praise your name forever and ever.**

Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness, O God of our salvation,  
**O hope of all the ends of the earth and of the seas that are far away.**

Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
**and all that is within me, bless God's holy name.**

You redeem my life from the grave,  
**and crown me with mercy and steadfast love.**

Lord, hear my prayer,  
**and let my cry come before you.**

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

Let us pray. You are great, O God, and greatly to be praised. You have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Grant that we may believe in you, call upon you, know you, and serve you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

*Sit* Hymn Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun  
Awake, my soul, and with the sun thy daily stage of duty run; shake off dull sloth,  
and joyful rise to pay thy morning sacrifice.

Readings Isaiah 25:1-9  
Philippians 4:1-9

*Silence*

*Stand* Saint Matthew 22:1-14  
*The readings conclude:* The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*Sit* Homily

Meditation on God's Grace

Prayers of Intercession

*After each petition:* Remember your compassion and love  
**Send your Spirit, Lord, hear our prayer.**

We give thanks to you, heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ your dear Son, that you have protected us through the night from all harm and danger. We ask that you would also protect us today from sin and all evil, so that our life and actions may please you. Into your hands we commend ourselves; our bodies, our souls, and all that is ours. Let your holy angels be with us, so that the wicked foe may have no power over us. **Amen.**

God our creator, you have given us work to do and call us to use our talents for the good of all. Guide us as we work, and teach us to live in the Spirit who made us your sons and daughters, in the love that made us sisters and brothers, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn of the Day As We Gather at Your Table

As we gather at your table, as we listen to your word,  
Help us know, O God, your presence; let our hearts and minds be stirred.  
Nourish us with sacred story till we claim it as our own;  
Teach us through this holy banquet how to make Love's vict'ry known.

Gracious Spirit, help us summon other guests to share that feast  
Where triumphant Love will welcome those who had been last and least.  
There no more will envy blind us nor will pride our peace destroy,  
As we join with saints and angels to repeat the sounding joy.

*Stand* Let us bless the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Almighty God bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.  
**Amen.**

Postlude: "At the Lamb's High Feast" D. Mead

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Stephen Bouman, *Presiding Minister* Elisabeth Stampfl, *Lector*  
Lucy Baker, *Cantor* Don Mead, *Organist*

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

TIME AFTER PENTECOST – LECTIONARY 28

OCTOBER 11, 2020

10:30 A.M.

## GATHERING

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*Sit* Prelude: “Rejoice ye pure in heart”

D. Mead

*Stand* Confession and Forgiveness

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known, and from whom 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 Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

Most merciful God,  
**we confess that we are captive to sin  
and cannot free ourselves.  
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.  
For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,  
so that we may delight in your will  
and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your holy name. Amen**

In the mercy of almighty God,  
Jesus Christ was given to die for us,  
and for his sake God forgives us all our sins.  
As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ,  
and by his authority, I therefore declare to you  
the entire forgiveness of all your sins,  
in the name of the Father, and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

*Sit* Hymn

Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun

Awake, my soul, and with the sun thy daily stage of duty run; shake off dull sloth,  
and joyful rise to pay thy morning sacrifice.

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

Let us pray...

*The congregation responds: Amen*

## WORD

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First Reading

Isaiah 25:1-9

*The reading concludes:* The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

*Silence*

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd;

I shall not be in want.

The Lord makes me lie down in green pastures  
and leads me beside still waters.

You restore my soul, O Lord,

and guide me along right pathways for your name's sake.

Though 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.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;  
you anoint my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



*Stand* Sharing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

*Sharing of the Peace will be done in place and without contact. A nod toward the neighbor, a bow of the head, a wave or other signs of mutual spiritual respect can be used.*

MEAL

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*Sit* Meditation on God's Grace

*Stand* Presentation of the Gifts



Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our  
cup of bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the  
seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life.  
Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all, u - nite them with the  
prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your  
pres - ence and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

Let us pray.

**Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts; our selves, our time, and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Words of Institution

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit,

let us pray as Jesus taught us:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,**

**your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,**

**now and forever. Amen**

*Sit* Communion

*Communion will be through use of the bread only. The pastor will consecrate a chalice of wine and enough wafers to serve those at worship and those who will receive the consecrated bread during the week. Ushers will lead us to the altar, socially distanced, to receive the sacrament. We will receive and consume the bread from a paten by a communion assistant wearing gloves and saying: "The Body of Christ for you." Then stop by the chalice, bow and hear the pastor say: "The Blood of Christ for you."*

Anthem "Around You, O Lord Jesus"

Around you, O Lord Jesus, your own you gather still  
to share the feast you give us with grace our lives to fill.  
You say to us so lovingly, "Take, eat! This is my body!  
Take, drink! This is my blood!"

We hear your invitation, and heed, O Lord, your call;  
your word of consolation is spoken here to all.  
It draws us to your loving heart;  
it brings to us your blessing, which never will depart.

We are your own forever; until our final breath,  
we will be true and never – in joy, in grief, in death –  
depart from you, for you are still among your people dwelling,  
as you have said you will.

## SENDING \_\_\_\_\_

*Stand* Table Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Blessing

Prayer for Peace

Recession

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Postlude: “At the Lamb’s high feast”

D. Mead

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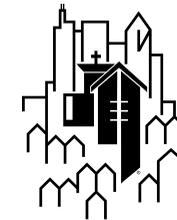
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Robert Johnson, *Presiding Minister*  
Dennis Grabowski, *Assisting Minister*  
Lucy Baker, *Cantor*

Kathryn Kleisch, *Lector*  
Don Mead, *Organist*

## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS October 11, 2020



### Welcome to Saint Luke

A warm welcome to all who are gather in the name of Christ today.

There are a number of changes to note in order to provide for your safety and the safety of all of us:

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Following the service an usher will dismiss you from your seat. Please exit immediately via the side door leading to the Courtyard. Pastor will greet people in the courtyard, weather permitting.

### Introduction to the Day

In Isaiah we are given a vision of the great feast to come, when God will wipe away death forever. In Jesus’ parable about a great banquet, those invited do not come, so the invitation is extended to others. In our liturgy God spreads a table before us. Even amid anxiety and hardship we rejoice in the peace of God which surpasses all understanding. With great joy we feast at the table of the Lord, and we go forth to share the wonderful invitation with others hungering and thirsting for the abundant life of God.

### Today

This morning the church is decked in red. This vibrant color recalls the birth of the church in the fire of Pentecost and marks the days on which we celebrate the work of the Holy Spirit in the history of the church. For Saint Luke Church, October is a month of “red celebrations,” our “red letter month” in which we remember those who contributed to the congregation’s history and the richness of its worship and service to the community.

## October

October 18 – Saint Luke Day

On Sunday, October 18, the congregation will mark the *Day of Saint Luke*. Saint Luke was an evangelist, the writer of the Gospel that bears his name and a physician.

Members and friends are asked to submit the names of their health care providers, caregivers and those individuals who follow in the footsteps of our patron saint to be remembered by name in the prayers at the 10:30 a.m. service on that day. Please see page 18 in the bulletin for the form.

October 25 - Reformation

On October 25 the congregation celebrates the anniversary of the beginning of the movement that would result in the Reformation of the Church.

### Virtual Blessing – October 11 All Creatures Great & Small

**TODAY - Sunday, October 11, 2020 at 5:30 p.m.**

With the blessing we participate in the celebration of God's creation that was a hallmark of the ministry of Saint Francis of Assisi. *Companion animals of all kinds are invited to attend to receive a blessings* at a virtual Zoom meeting **this afternoon, 5:30 p.m.** Bring your pets to the meeting for their blessing: Meeting ID: 841 5934 7177, Password: 523598



### St. Luke Evening Tea!

St. Luke Evening Tea will meet tonight at 6:00 p.m. You're invited! The link for "**St. Luke Evening Tea**" can be found on the website at [stlukechicago.org](http://stlukechicago.org). Click on "Evening Tea" or enter the following URL into your browser: <https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/84159347177>  
Meeting ID: 841 5934 7177, Password: 523598 *See you this evening!*

### Bible Class

Bible Class is continuing virtually and will meet this week on **Thursday, October 15 at 12 p.m.** Bring your lunch and join Pastor Bouman to discuss the lessons and Gospel for the anniversary of the Church building.



The lessons are: *Isaiah 43:8-13, 2 Timothy 4:5-11, St. Luke 1:1-4; 24:44-53*

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<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/83362132769> *See you Thursday!*

## Lakeview Lutheran Parish

You've been hearing about the four ELCA congregations in Lakeview and an emerging "Lakeview Lutheran Parish" (LLP). What's going on? Come and learn about the other congregations and a bit about this new collaboration and opportunities in the coming months and years.

### Third Thursday Series

Thursday, October 15, 7-8pm

Zoom Meeting:

<https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/440750769?pwd=OUlkdzhUZVRmakdDNGJGRHRDWjVLQT09>

Meeting ID: 440 750 769

Passcode: 402069

### Online Wednesday Study: Exodus

Join others for a Zoom study of the book of Exodus, Wednesday mornings from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Exodus is our liberation story and we will connect themes of salvation, covenant, hope, and divine presence with our context today. You can order a copy of the study booklet: **An Abiding Hope: The Presence of God in Exodus and Deuteronomy**—Ecumenical Edition at [www.presbyterianwomen.org](http://www.presbyterianwomen.org) (\$13 including postage); shipping is rather quick. Led by Pastor Craig Mueller from Holy Trinity.

Zoom link: <https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/987432464>

Meeting ID: 987 432 464. Password: 029091

### Sharing Time

Assisting at a church service is a meaningful way to serve God. Would you like to be an Assisting Minister at the 8:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. service? There will be an information meeting for anyone interested on Tuesday, October 13 at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to attend this Zoom meeting, please let Elisabeth Stampfl know and you will be sent the Zoom invite.

Would you consider serving as an **usher or lector** during worship on Sunday mornings? Ushers and lectors are needed at both services: 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Please let Elisabeth Stampfl know if you would like to serve. Ample instruction will help you serve with confidence.

### Online Giving

Supporting our ministries and mission is only a click away. We offer convenient online giving, so you never have to worry about leaving your cash or checkbook at home. You can make a one-time contribution or set up recurring gifts – a great option for members who travel. Get started by visiting our online donation page at [www.stlukechicago.org](http://www.stlukechicago.org).

## Caring and Sharing

During the month of October our Monthly Gifts Program collects **personal hygiene items** such as disposable razors, shaving cream, toothbrushes, toothpaste and hand lotion. These items will be given to the LakeView Emergency Shelter for use by their homeless guests. Please place your donations in the collection container in the church lobby.

## Saint Luke Academy News

Friday, October 16 is Academy Grandparents Day at the Academy. If you would like to be a part of this annual celebration, please email [abbyrath@stlukechicago.org](mailto:abbyrath@stlukechicago.org) to register and receive a Zoom login. The ceremony begins at 10 AM and should last about an hour.

Please support Saint Luke Academy through the following **fundraisers**:

On Friday, October 23 our neighborhood partner, Dinkel's Bakery will donate a portion of all sales to Saint Luke Academy. Mention Saint Luke Academy at the time of purchase. Dinkel's Bakery is located at 3329 N Lincoln. Order ahead at 773.281.7300.



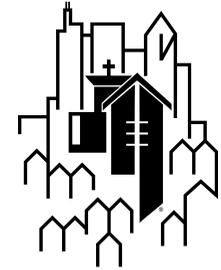
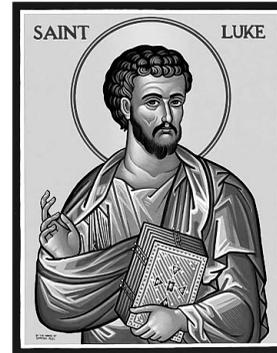
Support a neighborhood business and get great pastries and cakes at the same time!



Support Saint Luke and stay safe at the same time! Saint Luke Academy will be hosting a month-long fundraiser selling masks. Members are given the option of purchasing **a mask with our logo** on either a white or black mask. The available sizes are child, youth and adult. All masks cost \$15 (shipping included). Here is the link to purchase masks: <https://www.fundraisingmasksil.com/product-page/saint-luke-academy-fundraiser>

Help Saint Luke Academy throughout the year with **Box Tops**! Over the past year, Box Tops has been in the process of transitioning from physical Box Tops to a digital format. This enables you to scan in your box tops through a receipt on the Box Tops for Education app. Please download the app (*Box Tops for Education*) on your phone and scan your receipt within 14 days of purchase.

## SAINT LUKE MONTH Celebrating the Healing Ministries



*The Day of Saint Luke falls on October 18 in the church's calendar. On this day, Saint Luke is honored as Physician and Evangelist and remembered by many as the "Dear and Glorious Physician." When we remember Saint Luke the Physician, we celebrate the many facets of the Church's ministry of healing and remember especially the work of health professionals amongst our Saint Luke family.*

On October 18, in our regular Sunday morning services, we will commemorate the Day of Saint Luke by remembering *by name* those in the *healing professions*—hospitals, doctors, nurses, technicians, caregivers and all others whose love and care encourage healing. If you would like a special health professional remembered in the prayers on this day, please fill out his/her name and return the form to the church office.

Name of Health  
Care Professional \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Your  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone  
Number \_\_\_\_\_