

SAINT LUKE CHURCH

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

THE 137TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CONGREGATION

JANUARY 24, 2021 10:30 AM

GATHERING _____

Prelude: Toccata in F Major

J.S. Bach

Welcome

Processional Hymn

Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ our head and
Corner-stone, chosen of the Lord and precious,
Binding all the church in one; holy Zion's
Help forever and our confidence alone.

To this temple, where we call you, come, O Lord of
Hosts, and stay; come with all your loving kindness,
Hear your people as they pray; and your fullest
Benediction shed within these walls today.

Here bestow on all your servants what they seek from
You to gain; what they gain from you, forever
With the blessed to retain; and hereafter
In your glory evermore with you to reign.

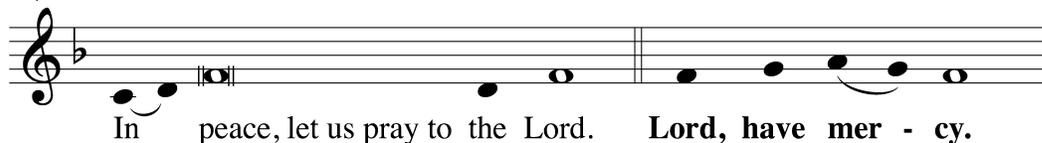
Praise and honor to the Father, praise and honor
To the Son, praise and honor to the Spirit,
Ever three and ever one: one in might and
One in glory while unending ages run!

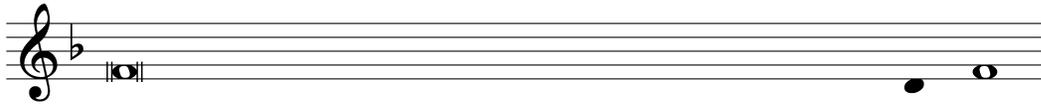
Greeting

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.

Litany

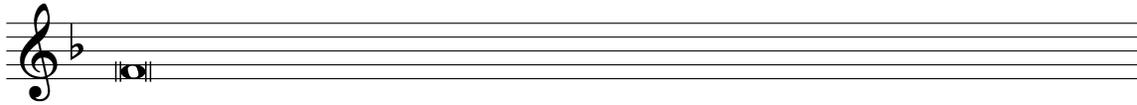




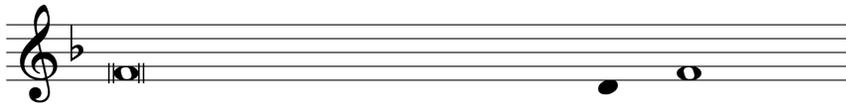
For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well being of the Church of God,



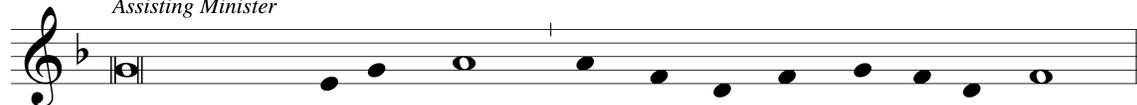
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.

Hymn of Praise

Assisting Minister

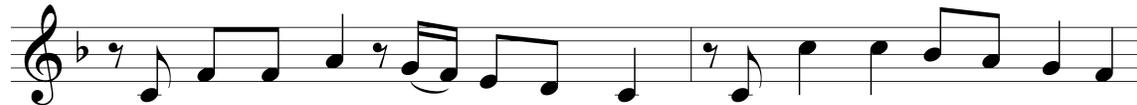


Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.

All



Lord God, heav - en - ly king, al - might - y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.



Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God,



Lamb of God: You take a - way the sin of the world;

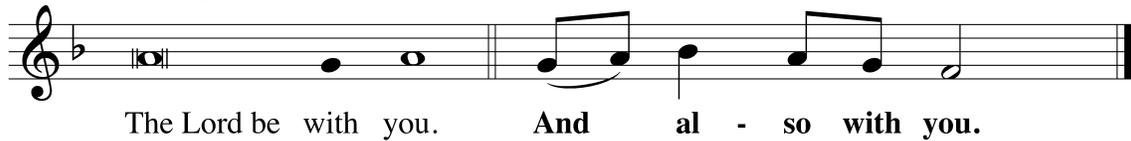


have mer-cy on us. You are seat - ed at the right hand of the



Fa - ther; re - ceive our prayer. For you a - lone are the
 Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the
 Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it,
 in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Prayer of the Day



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Let us pray...

The congregation responds: Amen

WORD

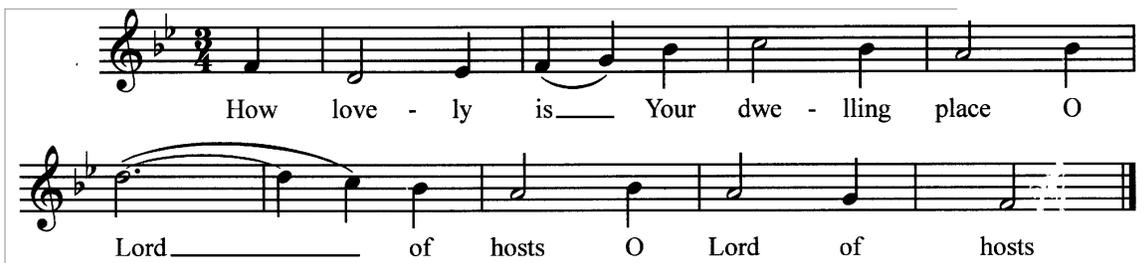
First Reading

I Kings 8:22-30

The reading concludes: The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Psalmody Psalm 84



How love - ly is Your dwe - lling place O
 Lord of hosts O Lord of hosts

How lovely, Lord, is your dwelling place;
 I long to be in your house.
 My heart and soul sing out for joy,
 Sing out to the living God.

Even the sparrow finds a home,
The swallow builds a nest.
Yes, there at the altar they care for their young,
O Lord, my King and my God. **Refrain**

Happy are they who dwell in your house,
Who praise you all the day long.
And happy are they who journey to Zion,
Who enter the presence of God.

O Lord, I long to be in your house,
If only for a day,
For one day is better than a thousand elsewhere,
O Lord, my King and my God. **Refrain**

The Lord is a sun, the Lord is a shield,
No need the Lord will withhold.
O happy are they who trust in the Lord,
Whose trust is in God alone. **Refrain**

Second Reading:

1 Peter 2:1-9

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

HOLY GOSPEL

Hymn "I Love Your Kingdom, Lord," stanzas 1 & 2

I love your kingdom, Lord, The place of your abode;
The Church our blest Redeemer saved With his own precious blood.

I love your Church, O God! Its walls before you stand,
Dear as the apple of your eye And graven on your hand.

The Holy Gospel according to Saint John, the 10th chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

✠ SAINT JOHN 10:22-30 ✠

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Hymn "I Love Your Kingdom, Lord," stanzas 3 & 4

Beyond my highest joy I prize its heav'nly ways,
Its sweet communion, solemn vows, Its hymns of love and praise.

Sure as your truth shall last, To Zion shall be giv'n
The brightest glories earth can yield, And brighter bliss of heav'n.

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

Glorious Things of You are Spoken

Glorious things of you are spoken, Zion, City of our God!
He whose word cannot be broken formed you for his own abode.
On the Rock of Ages founded, what can shake your sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded, you may smile at all your foes.

See, the streams of living waters, springing from eternal love,
well supply your sons and daughters, and all fear of want remove.
Who can faint, while such a river ever will their thirst assuage?
Grace which, like the Lord, the giver, never fails from age to age.

Round each habitation hov'ring, see the cloud and fire appear
for a glory and cov'ring, showing that the Lord is near.
Thus deriving from their banner light by night and shade by day,
safe they feed upon the manna which God gives them on their way.

Savior, since of Zion's city I through grace a member am,
let the world deride or pity, I will glory in your name.
Fading are the world's vain pleasures, all their boasted pomp and show;
solid joys and lasting treasures none but Zion's children know.

Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,**

**true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the
virgin Mary and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen**

Prayers of Intercession

After each petition: Lord, listen to your children pray.
Send us love, send us peace, send us grace.

Sharing of the Peace

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

Presentation of the Gifts:

Praise the Almighty!

Praise the Almighty! Lord, I adore you!
 Yes, I will laud you until death;
 With songs and anthems I come before you
 As long as you allow me breath.
 From you my life and all things came;
 All the day long I bless your name. Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

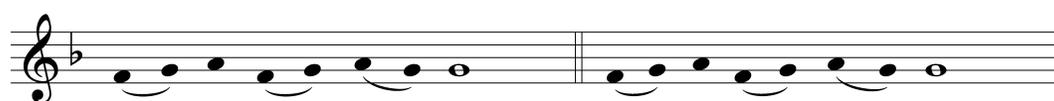
Praise, all you people, the name so holy,
 The Lord who does such wondrous things!
 All that has being, to praise God solely,
 With happy heart its amen sings!
 Children of God, with saints at rest,
 Praise Father, Son, and Spirit blest! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

Offertory Prayer

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 al-so with you.



Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.



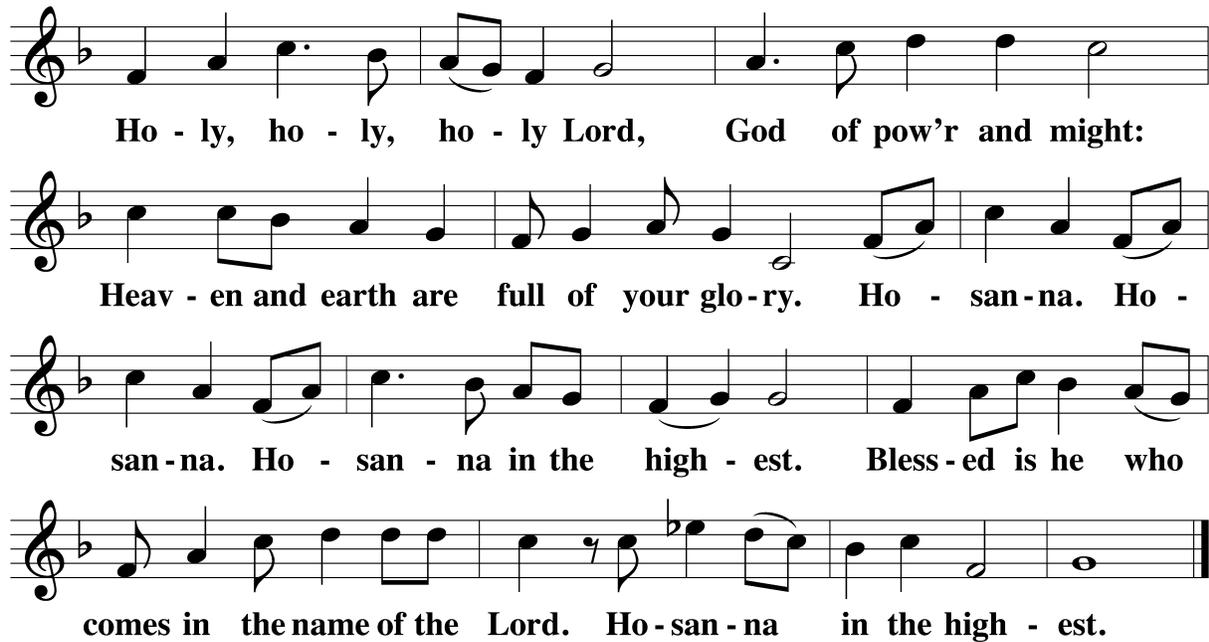
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise. . .

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heav - en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Holy god, mighty Lord, gracious Father:
Endless is your mercy and eternal your reign...

*The presiding minister continues to thank and praise God,
Remembering especially the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ,
And his promise and command to celebrate this meal.*

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Therefore, gracious Father, with this bread and cup we remember...
... the great and promised feast.
Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

Send now, we pray...
... with all your saints in light.
Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

Join our prayers...
...as victorious Lord of all:

♩ Through him, with him, in him, in the u - ni - ty of the
Ho - ly Spir - it, all hon - or and glo - ry is yours, al -
might - y Fa - ther, now and for - ev - er. A - men.

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**

Prayer for those who will not receive

Lord Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you. Let me never be separated from you. Amen.

Communion

Hymn

The Church's One Foundation

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is his new creation by water and the word.
From heav'n he came and sought her to be his holy bride;
With his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

Elect from ev'ry nation, yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth:
One holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses with ev'ry grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder this world sees her oppressed,
By schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed,
Yet saints their watch are keeping; their cry goes up: "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song.

Through toil and tribulation and tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation of peace for evermore;
Till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest,
And the great church victorious shall be the church of rest.

Yet she on earth has union with God, the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won.
Oh, blessed heav'nly chorus! Lord, save us by your grace,
That we, like saints before us, may see you face to face.

SENDING

Table Blessing

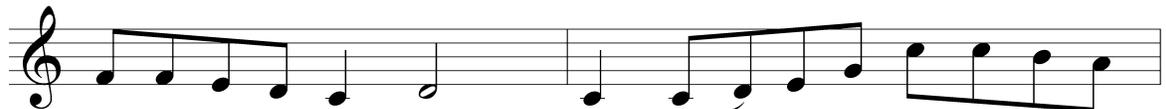
Canticle



Lord, now you let your ser-vant go in peace; your word has been ful-filled.



My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre-pared in the



sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: A light to re-veal you to the



na - tions and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.



Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Spir-it,



as it was in the be-gin - ning is now, and will be for-ev-er. A-men.

Prayer after Communion

Prayer for Peace

Benediction

Recessional Hymn

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

O God our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
our shelter from the stormy blast and our eternal home:

Under the shadow of your throne your saints have dwelt secure;
sufficient is your arm along, and our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood or earth received its frame,
from everlasting you are God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in your sight are like an evening gone,
short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all our years away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the op'ning day.

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
still be our guard while troubles last and our eternal home.

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude: "Fuga in F"

J.S. Bach



SAINT LUKE CHURCH

January 24, 2021

The 137th Anniversary of the Congregation

PRAYER CONNECTION AND REFLECTION

Time to reflect and pray individually as you prepare for worship

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, you have promised through your Son to be with your church forever. We give you thanks for those who founded this community of believers and for the signs of your presence in our congregation. Increase in us the spirit of faith and love, and make our fellowship an example to all believers and to all nations. We pray through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 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:

<i>Eve Scheffler</i>	<i>Maryann Palermo</i>	<i>Peter Burkhart</i>	<i>Steve Mead</i>	<i>Abigail Zhang</i>
<i>Patricia Grunde</i>	<i>Janet Hagberg</i>	<i>Christian Long</i>	<i>David Horne</i>	<i>Dale Peters</i>
<i>Shauna Stiglich</i>	<i>Jan Nyberg</i>	<i>Amyyab Robinson</i>	<i>Rosie Diaz</i>	<i>John Holland</i>
<i>Maryjo McCawley</i>	<i>Neva Geweke</i>	<i>Ray Geweke</i>	<i>Dan Horton</i>	<i>Erika Stampfl</i>
<i>Laurie Strohmayr</i>	<i>Mona Mobarri</i>	<i>Martha Kastigar</i>	<i>Grace Tampa</i>	<i>Rosemarie Morgen</i>
<i>Albester Hall Jones</i>	<i>Ray Wentworth</i>	<i>William A. Jones</i>	<i>Matthew Hage</i>	<i>Karen Sarasin</i>
<i>Linda Planekowsky</i>	<i>Mark Van Scharrel</i>	<i>Michael Holman</i>	<i>Kenneth Markworth</i>	

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

FOR COUNTLESS BLESSINGS

Thanks be to you, Lord Jesus Christ, for the countless blessings and benefits you give. May we know you more clearly, love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly, day by day praising you, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. 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

O Almighty God, Creator of all humanity, turn the hearts of all peoples and their rulers that by the power of your Holy Spirit peace may be established among the nations on the foundation of justice, righteousness and truth; through him who was lifted up on the cross to draw all people to himself, your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NEWS AND INFORMATION

January 24, 2021



Welcome to Saint Luke Sunday Services

Saint Luke has temporarily suspended in person services. Services will continue online only. Please pray for our country and the world as we fight this pandemic.

Today

The color red signals a celebration! On the church calendar, red marks occasions when we celebrate the work of the Holy Spirit in the world. Today we observe the Anniversary of the founding of Saint Luke 134 long and eventful years ago. In our liturgy we give thanks for the courage and faith of the founders, for dedicated pastors, teachers and staff and for parishioners and friends who have supported the work of the Lord with their gifts and prayers.

It is not enough, however, to look back. As we remember that bitterly cold January day in 1884, we pray also for a renewed vision of God's love for us and for all creation, and, embracing that vision, we work to shape our congregation into a strong and vital instrument of God's peace for individuals, for the Lake View community and for the world.

Founders Day 137



Today we commemorate the founding of Saint Luke Church in 1884 and celebrate **137 years of blessing.**

While these days are anything but normal, this morning we celebrate, with a festival service, the faith, courage and determination of our Founders and give thanks for all the blessings bestowed on their mission. Saint Luke has been privileged to preach the Gospel in this location for 137 years and it is our fervent prayer that God would continue to bless and direct our work on behalf of God's people both here in LakeView and throughout the world.



Voters Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Voters Assembly this morning, immediately following the service.

The Voters Meeting will be broadcast live via Zoom. The link for the meeting is: <https://bit.ly/3r92TAv>

Meeting ID: 960 5161 1085 Passcode: stluke

Coffee Hour!

Coffee Hour will not meet today, but will return next week, Sunday, January 31, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.



Happy Anniversary

The great Schlicker pipe organ was dedicated on January 20th in 1963.

In early 1958, Saint Luke Church requested a proposal from the Schlicker Organ Company of Buffalo, NY to build a pipe organ that would be included in its new church building. In December of 1959, the church contracted with the company to build the Gallery and Antiphonal organs with 59 ranks. The organ arrived for installation in November 1962, and eight ranks of pipes from the church's 1903 Kilgen Organ were included in the new instrument. In January 1963, the dedication recital was played by Paul Manz.

Do you remember your first time hearing this organ? Let us know.

Listen to Cantor Don Mead on the Schlicker here:
<https://youtube.com/playlist...>



Bible Class **will** meet this Thursday, January 28, 2021 at 12:00 p.m. Get you lunch and join Pastor Bouman to discuss the lessons and Gospel for the Fourth Sunday after Epiphany.

The lessons are: *Deuteronomy 18:15-20, 1 Corinthians 8:1-13, Saint Mark 1:21-28.*

The link for "**Bible Class**" can be found on the website at stlukechicago.org. Click on "Bible Class" or enter the following URL into your browser: <https://bit.ly/3oi0vVR>

Meeting ID: 784 7788 0585, Passcode: saintluke

Caring and Sharing for the home



Some of the residents of Saint Luke Renaissance--Greenview Place are in need of **new bed pillows, towels and twin-size sheets, blankets, waste baskets and shower curtains**. Items should be in their original packaging. If you are able to supply any of these items, please bring them to the Church Office.

Caring and Sharing

As we begin a new year, we also begin again our yearly cycle of collections for those in need in our midst. Each month we designate an item in special demand during that season and ask our members to leave their donations in the collection barrel in the church lobby. Contributions are then distributed through relief agencies in the LakeView area.



In **January**, the item for the month is **beans** (*dry or canned*) and **rice**. Please be generous in your contributions.



The Freedom of a Christian

Amid the pandemic of COVID-19 and the ongoing pandemic of racism and xenophobia, our communities and world are ravaged by illness, death and injustice. We are tempted to turn inward in despair. Five hundred years ago, Martin Luther wrote a treatise titled ***The Freedom of a Christian***. In it, he offered his most compelling summary of the Christian life: In Christ we are completely free and at the same time completely bound in love and service to our neighbors. The Lakeview Lutheran Parish (LLP) is sponsoring a study of *The Freedom of the Christian* on Wednesday mornings 10:00 – 11:00 am continuing until February 17. Join via zoom: <https://bit.ly/3luyyJm>. Meeting ID: 987 432 464. Password: 029091. Call-in: 312.626.6799.

Watch a brief video from Bishop Eaton, download the study guide and a free copy of the *Freedom of the Christian* at elca500.org.

THIS WEEK

at Saint Luke Church

The Anniversary of the Founding of Saint Luke Church - SUNDAY, January 24, 2021

Holy Communion 9:00 a.m.

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Online

Voters Meeting

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Online

To call in to the voters meeting dial 312 626 6799, then follow the prompts using the information below:

Meeting ID: 960 5161 1085

Passcode: 414797

MONDAY, January 18, 2021

Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School/Building closed

MONDAY- FRIDAY, January 25 - 29, 2021

Morning Care 7:30-8:00 a.m.

School in Session 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

After Care 3:30-6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, January 27, 2021

Administrative Staff Meeting 9:30 a.m.

Online

The Freedom of a Christian Zoom Meeting

<https://bit.ly/3luyyJm>

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THURSDAY, January 28, 2021

Bible Class 12:00 p.m.

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Epiphany 4 - SUNDAY, January 31, 2021

Service of the Word

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Coffee Hour 10:30 a.m.

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Wedding

Church