

A Note from Pastor Brad

Senior Pastor of St. Luke's



Habit-Forming...

Think about your daily routine: first thing in the morning to last thing at bedtime. What are the habits you have developed over your lifetime that keep you in sync? Brushing your teeth, that first (or fourth?) cup of coffee? Maybe you prefer to lay your clothes out the night before to take the stress out of the morning rush. Habits are those little practices that we've developed over time that help to regulate us. We don't think about them much, we just sort of do them. But when we get out of our regular routine? Something is out of whack. (Maybe that's where the phrase, "Got up on the wrong side of the bed" comes from?)

Habits help us to accomplish things that, once developed, can happen on "autopilot." They help us stay focused on the right things. Putting the keys, phone, or even our glasses in the same place every time helps to worry less about where they are when we need them. They're where they're supposed to be. Every time.

But habits can also shape us, mold us. And if they draw us closer to Christ, they become Holy Habits.

During this past season of Lent, we asked everyone to begin bringing your own Bible to worship. It was a challenge to develop or reinforce a holy habit. Many of you took us up on this challenge! I pray that you're still keeping up with this habit, even though it is now past Easter and we're into Pentecost!

When I studied human behavior in college, it took the average person approximately 6 repetitions to begin a new habit. After six times, we were told, the person will typically notice when the habitual task wasn't completed. (Hence the reason for the Bible Challenge during Lent - which lasts about 40 days, not including Sundays, or six and a half weeks.)

During the summer months, it is easy to get out of the habit of being among the family of faith. Summer schedules, vacations, and all that stuff can fill up our days, weeks, and months with activities that leave us almost breathless. Pausing regularly is the perfect antidote for the hectic pace that so many of us try to live into. God even gave us a command to take a break on a very consistent, regular basis - weekly.

Sabbath. Designed to give us a chance to catch our breath, and reorient ourselves, Sabbath rest was even demonstrated by Almighty God during creation. If you've ever caught yourself coming and going, you know how much we need it.

So, in an effort to help us all to develop a new holy habit with the intention of drawing us all closer to Christ and one another, I want to issue a new challenge. I challenge us all to develop the holy habit of Sabbath - and follow the direction from Hebrews 10:24-25...

"And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

So there it is: Our next Holy Habit Challenge - Continue bringing your Bibles with you to Church, and ADD attending Sunday Worship **weekly for at least the next 90 days**. Develop the holy habit of faithful, weekly Church Attendance, so that we can "encourage one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

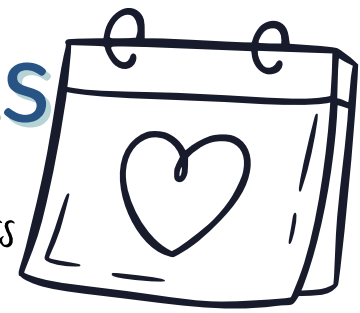
See you in Church!



Grace and Peace,
Brad
Rev. Dr. Bradley L. DeHaven, Presiding Elder
Mid Texas Conference, Covenant Area 17

Upcoming Events

Mark Your Calendars



Save the Dates



The Sound Conference is a two-day gathering for young adults (18-35) filled with worship, prayer, and Spirit-led messages at Tyler Street Church in Dallas, Tx on Oct. 23-25

Keep an eye out for registration to these events at www.MidTexasGMC.org/events



Anew is an inspiring Spirit-filled conference for women. This year it will be split into two weekends. Nov. 7th will be at St. Luke's! Dallas location will be announced soon.

May's Recap

Congratulations
On Your Baptism



 **Pentecost Sunday**



Welcome
to St. Luke's

Help us give a big welcome to Xavier Magana as we celebrate his baptism and church membership!



Welcome to the Little Saints Family



Please join in welcoming **Katrina Guzman** to our Little Saints family! We are thankful God has brought her to this ministry, and we look forward to the love, care, and enthusiasm she will share with our youngest disciples.



We are also excited to welcome back **Forrest Hope** as a "fill-in" staff member.

As we continue to grow in God's love and grace together, we give thanks for the people God places in our path to help nurture and guide our youngest disciples.

Please pray for Katrina, Forrest, Amy, Tesla, and Xenia, as they serve our children, families, and church family. We are blessed to have them as part of the Little Saints family.



Are you ready to deepen your faith and forge meaningful friendships? At St. Luke's Methodist Church, we believe that faith flourishes when we come together, share experiences, and serve as a united family. Whether you seek a small group, a ministry team, or a committee, we have the ideal opportunity waiting for you!

Join us in our vibrant community! Share your talents, grow in your faith, and illuminate your life in Christ.

To stay informed, ensure you receive our Worship Weekly Newsletter, The Messenger Newsletter, and other important communications. To join our email list, please contact us at StLukesCC@gmail.com.

Sunday Services:

- 9am - Infused Service in Moore Hall with Praise Band
- 11am - Traditional Service in the Sanctuary

Sunday School class at 10am:

- Genesis Class - meets in Moore Hall
- Triangle Class - meets in room 109
- Christians Under Construction - meets in room 211
- Children's Sunday School - upstairs in rooms 203 & 205
- Youth Sunday School - upstairs in the Youth Room

Wednesday's 7pm Prayer and Praise service in the Chapel

Small Group Gatherings:

- Every Sunday after 9am Worship - Prayer Corner
- Every Sunday after 11 am Worship - Privilege of Prayer
- 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month - Emmaus Reunion Group
- 3rd Monday of the month @ 5:30pm - Girlfriends in Grace
- Every Monday @ 7:30am - Men's Breakfast in Moore Hall
- Every Tuesday @ 5:30pm - Men's Group
- Every Wednesday @ 5:30 pm - Youth Group
- Every 4th Friday of the month @ 7pm - Fourth Friday Forty-Two Fellowship

Our Presence & Gifts

"I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me," -- Matthew 25:35

May's Worship Attendance

Sunday's Worship Services

Date	Service 9 11	Attended Online	Visitors	Online Impressions	Weekly Giving
5/3	47	46	7	23	369
5/10	50	54	8	24	380
5/17	43	49	7	25	175
5/24	40	54	4	28	227
5/31					

Rebekah's Cupboard

Rebekah's Cupboard distributes food items on the second Thursday of the month at 1:00 pm.

Can you commit to \$25 a month to help feed our community?

Numerous families in our community are struggling with food insecurity. We invite you to assist Rebekah's Cupboard answer the cries of the needy by sponsoring a bag of groceries monthly. Each bag is priced at \$25. On average, our food pantry distributes 60 bags of groceries, assisting over 100 individuals. Your support of the food pantry can truly make an impact. Please be sure to mark your donation as "Rebekah's Cupboard."

Rebekah's Cupboard Distribution	
Households Served	54
Individuals Served	87
New to Pantry	5



We are asking that, if you are able, to donate a jar of peanut butter. This will go towards assisting families with children at home for the summer.



Please support this important mission with your prayers!

If you would like to volunteer to serve in the food pantry please reach out to the church office or Lynn Martinez.

Financial Assistance Program

St. Luke's Financial Assistance Program was held on May 19th to aid those in need with their utilities, electric, or rent. We assist an individual once every year with assistance. Our program is transitioning this month to assist on an appointment based system. This change aims to provide more personalized attention and ensure that each applicant's needs are thoroughly addressed. We are committed to helping our community thrive and ensuring that everyone has access to the support they need. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.



Individuals Served	6
Year to Date	12

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, please contact the church office for more information.

Ways to give....



Gifts and Tithes



We offer multiple payment options for your convenience, including checks, cash, debit card, credit card, and ACH. You can scan this QR and donate directly through Pay Pal. Please be sure to add to the memo line whether your offering is for your Tithe or above and beyond to a specific ministry.

If you require any assistance with your donation, please contact our church office on Tuesdays.

By contributing to any of St. Luke's Mission Outreaches, you are embodying the teachings of Jesus Christ and bringing joy to families in need.

Announcements



Let's Celebrate our Graduates

Congratulations Class of 2026

Recognition and Reception Date: Sunday, June 14th
Reception in the Parlor

Stay tuned for a graduation station where you may write a note of encouragement for the grad.

Jeremiah 29:11 "For surely, I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and for harm, to give you a future with hope."



Forrest Hope graduated from UTSA with his BS in CS



Leelu Rose Vega and Xavier Magana are both graduating from Solomon Cole's High School.



Happy Father's Day



Sunday, June 21st we will celebrate all the Fathers in both worship services

VBS Decorating Team



Calling all creative hearts and helping hands! St. Luke's is looking for volunteers to join our VBS Decorating Team as we prepare to transform our church halls into

exciting forests, castles, caves, and even outer space! Whether you love painting, crafting, building, decorating, or simply lending a hand, there is a place for you on the team. Come help us create a fun and unforgettable experience for our VBS children this summer.

Our first decorating meeting will be Friday, June 12th @ 10 am, we will meet in the Parlor. We would love you to join us as we begin bringing VBS to life!



Scholarship Recipients

As the school year ends, we hope it has been a joyful journey of learning and growth. If you're taking a break this summer, see it as a chance to relax, reflect, and explore new hobbies while spending time with loved ones. Remember to submit your transcripts and renewal applications to the church office. They are due no later than July 1st.

Back to School Blessings

BACK TO SCHOOL BLESSING AND PROMOTION SUNDAY WILL BE AUGUST 9

If your child is entering 3rd grade for the upcoming school year, please let Becky Hope know by July 12th. We will hold a celebration during both worship services to bless the new school year for both teachers and children/youth. 3rd graders will receive a special gift.

Serve Team



We have a thrilling opportunity to host the 2025 Women's Conference, Anew! We need your help to form a Serve Team for roles like parking assistance, greeters, snack helpers, check-in, etc.

Each role is vital for a smooth event, ensuring attendees feel welcomed. Training will be provided, and this is a great chance to connect with others and grow in faith. If you're interested in joining the Serve Team, please contact Amber at the church office. Let's create an unforgettable experience together!

Keep an eye out for our first Serve Team meeting to be announced soon!



The Power of Prayer

Prayer Groups and Opportunities

Wall Shakers

Next Meeting: June 10th @ 2 pm

“When they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken; and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke the word of God with boldness.”

-Acts 4:31

Wall Shakers is a group that meets once a month. It is a group of believers in Jesus Christ commissioned to follow Jesus and to obey all He has commanded. As believers, we are to share the gospel, to make believers of Jesus Christ and to teach all to obey everything that Jesus taught us.

Jeremiah 33:3 tells us to call on God and He will answer and He will also tell us "great and unsearchable things". We have an awesome God who loves us and wants us to have more than enough.

We need to actively share our faith. When we renew our covenant to St Luke Methodist Church we promise to faithfully participate in ministries with our prayers, our presence, our service, gifts and our witness, that God may be glorified. Come and make an impact on those lives that God puts in your path. Be spiritually vigilant as we protect, move and shake walls to make St Luke Methodist a holy place.

Monthly we meet to plan activities that include church members and our neighbors. All are welcome because we are a Praying Church, in our church building, our homes or just walking down the street as a group or individually because we know that we are never alone when Jesus is with us.

Telephone Prayer Chain



Did you know we have a Telephone Prayer Chain? This group of dedicated individuals is ready to share your prayer requests promptly and confidentially. For urgent requests, contact Elvia V. or Nancy N. They ensure your needs are prayed for with compassion and urgency, whether personal concerns or pressing situations. We believe in the power of collective prayer and are here to support you in faith and love.

Prayer Line Email



We offer a 24/7 prayer line for submitting requests throughout the year. This resource provides support for sharing concerns or joys, with a dedicated prayer team that approaches each request with compassion. Both members and visitors are encouraged to use it and spread the word to friends, family, even the server at the restaurant! To submit, email stlukesprayerline@gmail.com. Our prayer line is here to support you and your loved ones in faith and fellowship.



Mission Opportunities



Mission work is like being on God's dream team! We're here to be the ultimate sidekicks of Christ!

IMMEDIATE NEED:

Youth Sunday School Teacher on Sunday's at 10 am

- Become an Office Angel and sprinkle some heavenly joy in the church office
- Flash those pearly whites as a Greeter for 9am or 11am services
- Dive into the Food Pantry and dish out some love
- Join a Church Committee and bring your pizzazz to the table
- Kick off a Class Meeting/Band Meeting and rock some fellowship
- Team up with Texans On Mission and be a part of the amazing adventure!
- Join our Little Saints Nursery Staff and share the gospel the message to our next generation

These are just a few ways you can be the hands and feet of Christ at St. Luke's, for more information on how you can serve please contact the church office today!

June's Communion Rail Offering



Please plan to give generously to Corpus Christi Metro Ministries through the June Communion Rail offering. It serves Corpus Christi Area homeless by lifting them up through mind, body, and spirit. It goes beyond your basic soup kitchen and focuses on getting homeless off the streets and into sustainable jobs and homes. This is a program that is committed to feeding those who are hungry to better themselves and are willing to put in the effort to achieve better. These are the five programs of CC Metro Ministries that provides everyone that opportunity:



(1) Loaves and Fishes is a free cafeteria that serves nutritious dine-in meals for lunch and dinner Monday-Friday and occasional weekend days and is currently serving over 1,278 meals a week for the homeless, poor, disabled, and elderly. For residents of Rustic House and Rainbow House, it provides all meals and bag lunches for those employed. The cafeteria seats over 100 clients and offers ADA-compliant restrooms and seating. The food budget is \$58,000.



(2) The Dr. James Gabbard Memorial Health Clinic is a free primary care medical clinic, staffed by a full-time nurse practitioner and medical assistant, and volunteer senior nursing students from Texas A&M, the Health Department, and Methodist Healthcare Ministries. serving 70-100 clients weekly. It provides medical and vision exams and helps with medications and refers clients to more permanent medical homes and enrolls them in public assistance programs. 33% of patients are situationally or chronically homeless.



(3) Rainbow House residents now live off campus in Wesley House and Hope House, which helps with retention. When they graduate the program, case managers assist with housing searches and follow-up for a minimum of six months to assure they can sustain independent living.



(4) The men from Rustic House have not been moved to Rainbow House, and they think they are delighted. We provide transitional housing for homeless men, and these men are treated just as the women of Rainbow House when they are ready for independent living.



(5) Vineyard Social Services is the screening and intake center for all services, which include distribution of hygiene products, clothing referrals, mental health agency referrals, workforce and education clothes. It also manages volunteer opportunities.

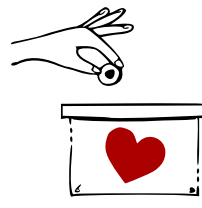
volunteers are always welcome, however their greatest need is REVENUE! Funding from both foundations and individuals is down 25%. Being good stewards of the gifts received is priority.

Fund-Raising Events: Strike Up for Change Bowling Tournament on July 16 and Poor Man's Supper on October 29.

Please prayerfully consider your offering as you come to the communion rail. Be sure to mark your donation as "Metro Ministries".



Stewardship Moment



When we gather with generous hearts, the Church becomes more than just a place we attend but a living active witness for Jesus. Every prayer, act of kindness, every light of hope that shines is part of Christ's ministry. He has entrusted us with many things. It is not always an easy road, but it is definitely a worth wild road.

Part of our covenant role is to faithfully participate in the ministries by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness so that in everything God is glorified through Jesus Christ.

By our gifts and tithes we help create spaces where people encounter God's love, support ministries for all ages, care for those in need and share the hope of Christ with our neighbors and community. Generosity transforms both the giver and the receiver.

Faithful and consistent giving allows the Church to continue serving, providing, reaching, and loving in the name of Jesus every week. It helps provide powerful and passionate worship services, alive and active children and youth ministries, and various other opportunities for lives to be transformed with the Gospel Message.

Remember, there is not any gift too small for God's hands; look what Jesus did with five loaves of bread and two fish. What appeared to be "not enough" became "more than enough" when placed into the hands of Christ.

Let's continue to be part of the mission of God and build His church where all are welcomed, disciples are formed, and the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is lifted high for the generations to come.



An Inside Look

St. Luke: Our Namesake and Our Calling at St. Luke's Methodist Church

At St. Luke's Methodist Church, our name is more than a title—it is a reminder of the kind of church we are called to be. When we speak of Saint Luke, we are not only remembering a figure from the early Church; we are looking to a witness whose life continues to shape our identity, mission, and ministry today.

Saint Luke, known as the author of the Gospel of Luke and the book of Acts, offers us a powerful vision of God's work in the world. He is remembered as a physician, a careful storyteller, and a faithful companion of the Apostle Paul. In every role, Luke reflects a deep concern for healing,

wholeness, and the spreading of the Good News of Jesus Christ.

The Gospel that bears his name highlights the compassion of Christ in a unique way. Luke tells us of the Good Samaritan who crosses boundaries to show mercy. He gives us the Prodigal Son, where the father runs to embrace the one who was lost. He records Jesus' ministry among those often overlooked—women, the poor, the sick, and the outsider. Again and again, Luke shows us that God's grace is wide, welcoming, and full of restoration.

For a Methodist church, this emphasis speaks directly to our understanding of grace. We believe in a God who is always at work—seeking us, saving us, and shaping us into the likeness of Christ. Luke's Gospel gives us a living picture of that grace in action.

The book of Acts continues Luke's story by showing how the Holy Spirit empowers ordinary people to become witnesses of Christ "in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." It is a story of movement, courage, and mission. The Church is born not as a place of comfort alone, but as a community sent into the world with power and purpose.

As St. Luke's Methodist Church, we are invited into that same story. We are called to be a people of healing in a hurting world, to speak good news where there is despair, and to live out the mercy we have received in Christ. Whether through worship, service, outreach, or simple acts of kindness, we continue Luke's witness in our own time and place.

Our name reminds us that we are part of something larger than ourselves. We stand in the tradition of a Gospel shaped by compassion and a Church empowered by the Holy Spirit. And just as Luke carefully told the story of Jesus, we too are called to tell that story—through our words, our worship, and our lives.

May St. Luke's Methodist Church always reflect the heart of our namesake: a community of healing, hope, and faithful witness to Jesus Christ.

Fourth Friday Forty-Two Fellowship



Head over to Moore Hall and join us in a devotional and thrilling game of Forty-Two every fourth Friday at 7 pm!
Don't forget to bring your snacks and your Bible too!

For more information contact Bill Hope @ (361) 813-4660

"And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the day approaching." - Hebrews 10: 24-25

Free Senior Exercise Class



Join Us for Chair Exercise Classes!

Come and join us at Moore Hall every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. for an energetic workout led by our wonderful Wesley Nurse, Ashley. Get ready to move your body and uplift your spirits!

This enjoyable class is designed to enhance your ****strength****, ****flexibility****, and ****balance****. Whether you're new to fitness or a seasoned expert, everyone is welcome—just bring your fabulous self!



Emmaus

Walk to Emmaus, based on Luke 24:13-35, helps participants deepen their relationship with Christ through worship, activities, and reflection. It aims to rejuvenate spirits and inspire active faith.

Next Women's Walk will be June 25th - 28th.

Please sign up to be in prayer for the Pilgrims and the team during their Walk at www.prayervigils.net/vigils/194

Next Men's Walk will be August 6th - 9th.

Pilgrims are needed. Interested individuals can visit www.coastalbendemmas.org.

The next Emmaus Community Gathering is scheduled 5/11 @ 6pm at St. Luke's Methodist Church.



Changing Hearts Transforming Lives Impacting the World

"...I was in prison and you came to visit me." --Matthew 25:36

Kairos is a ministry whose mission is to develop a Christian community inside prisons. The program brings inmates together for a 3 ½ day weekend led by Kairos volunteers. The weekend is based on: a series of talks, discussions, Chapel meditations, and creating a Christian community.

A team is being formed for the Woman's unit in Lockhart, Tx. If you feel called to serve in this ministry please reach out to Amber in the office.

Other ways to participate in this ministry is through sponsoring a woman in white (inmates) to attend (\$150), sponsoring a meal (\$5), or through prayer (free). A prayer chain sign up will be available soon for this walk.

Adult Groups

Men's Breakfast

Join Us for Men's Breakfast!

Rise and shine every Monday morning at 7:30 in Moore Hall for a breakfast experience like no other! Whether you're a seasoned attendee or stepping in for the first time, this gathering is a fantastic way to jump-start your week with laughter, friendship, and a dash of spiritual enlightenment.

Let's build our community and strengthen our faith together. Spread the word, bring along a buddy, and dive into this uplifting event. We're buzzing with excitement to see you there!



Men's Group



Every Tuesday at 5:30 PM, a lively group of men meets at the church, equipped with tools and ready to repair anything that needs some attention. You're welcome to stop by any Tuesday, and you'll be greeted with warmth—and perhaps even a stray wrench or two! Whether you're an experienced handyman or simply interested in learning, all skills are valued here. So, bring your enthusiasm and a positive attitude—we would be thrilled to have you join us!

Girlfriends in Grace

Get ready for Girlfriends in Grace (GIG)—the ultimate girls' night that happens every third Monday at 5:30 pm in the Parlor! Prepare yourself for a night packed with giggles, lively chatter, and a soul-soothing devotional. GIG is a safe space for women to support and uplift each other, explore faith, and build lasting connections. All women are invited, so grab your bestie and join in the merriment! Let's grow and walk in God's grace together.

Save the Date: Friday, July 17th at 5pm. We will host the women's group from Agua Viva Laredo First Global Methodist Church. The vision for this gathering is simple and centered on Christian fellowship, encouragement, prayer, and unity with our sister in Christ. Pastor Lety Duarte will be sharing a short message titled "Rise up and Shine. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided.



Emmaus Reunion Group

Have you participated in a Walk to Emmaus? Are you in search of a 4th Day Group? We invite you to join our Emmaus Reunion Group and continue your spiritual journey with us!

When: We gather on the first and third Thursday of each month at 12:00 PM.

Where: The first Thursday of the month, we meet in the Parlor. (Please bring a "brown bag" lunch)
The third Thursday, we come together at a restaurant. (Please see the Weekly Worship for restaurant announcement)

Our group provides a supportive environment for both women and men who have completed the Walk, allowing us to encourage one another as we live out our faith in the world. We offer support through prayer, shared experiences, and encouragement.

Whether you're looking for spiritual growth or simply a space to connect with others on a similar journey, our Reunion Group is eager to welcome you with open arms and listening hearts!

Nominations and Lay Leadership Church Officers 2026

Church Council Officers

Board Chair.....	Bill Hope
Lay Leader.....	Stacy Taylor
Lay Member to Annual Conference.....	Lynn Martinez
Alternate Lay Member to Annual Conference.....	Becky Hope
Youth/Young Adult Rep.....	Xenia Garcia
Finance.....	Rudy Martinez, Chair
Trustees.....	Bobby Hill (2026)
Staff-Parish Relations.....	Virginia Hopkins, Chair (2026)
.....	Jose Parra (2027)
.....	Stacy Taylor (2028)
Secretary.....	Virginia Hopkins

Staff

Senior Pastor.....	Rev. Dr. Bradley L. DeHaven
Director of Discipleship Ministries.....	Becky Hope
Treasurer (Ex-Officio).....	Annette Chapman
Traditional Music Ministries.....	Fernando Fernandez
Contemporary Music Ministries.....	Janice Bailey
Wednesday Worship Leader.....	Lisa DeHaven

Church Committees and Ministry Work Areas (Not part of the Church Council)

Committee on Finance	Rudy Martinez, Chair
.....	Melida Davis (Member at Large)
.....	Bill Hope (Council Chair)
.....	Bobby Hill (Trustees)
.....	Jose Parra (SPRC)
.....	Stacy Taylor (Lay Leader)
.....	Annette Chapman (Financial Secretary- Ex Officio)
.....	Becky Hope (Stewardship Chair- Ex-Officio)
.....	Bobby Hill (2026)
.....	Bill Hope (2026)
.....	Bruce Harbaugh (2027)
.....	Frank Lowry (2028)
.....	Linda Atwell (2028)

Board of Trustees.....

Committee On Nominations and Lay Leadership

<u>Class of 2026</u>	<u>Class of 2027</u>	<u>Class of 2028</u>
John Boudreau	Virginia Hopkins	Nancy Nesbitt

Bradley DeHaven, Chair

Ministry Work Areas (Not Part of the Admin Board)

Food & Fellowship Team Coordinators.....	Rada Radebaugh & Nancy Nesbitt
Discipleship Coordinator.....	Becky Hope
Traditional Worship Committee Chair.....	Gerry Carter
Missions.....	Pat Vaughn & Laura Jones
Witness.....	Gaylord Hoyt
Nurture.....	Nancy Nesbitt
Shepherding Ministries.....	Elvia Vidaurri
Membership Committee Chair.....	Virginia Hopkins
Stewardship Committee Chair.....	Becky Hope
Memorials Chairperson.....	Patty Engleking
Special Events Coordinator.....	Amber McMahon-Baxter
Church Photographer.....	Zenda Boudreau
Church Security Team Chair.....	Harry Carter

Health Committee

Wesley Nurse.....	Ashley Rodriguez
Chair.....	Mary Hill
Members at Large.....	Elvia Vidaurri, Laura Jones, Gail Kinnamon
Staff Liaison (Ex-Officio).....	Rev. Dr. Brad DeHaven, Pastor

Scholarship Committee (Dobson, Wheless, & Golf Scholarship Funds)

Chair.....	Hugh Dobson
Senior Pastor.....	Rev. Dr. Brad DeHaven
Members at Large.....	Carol Hill, Hugh Dobson, Virginia Hopkins, John Boudreau

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 4th Linda Justice
- 5th Becky Hope
- 8th Richard Aldridge
- 8th Karen Mauch
- 10th Rada Radabaugh
- 12th Sarah Hill
- 13th Sue Cotham
- 14th Chris Wise
- 26th Oliver Nguyen
- 26th Gwen Salazar
- 28th Len Cotham
- 28th Dan Matthews



Happy Anniversary

- 4th John & Gail Kinnamon
- 29th Bruce & Glenda Harbaugh

NOTE: If an error appears in the Birthday or Anniversary List, or if a name is missing, call the church office 361-854-5374 or send an email to stlukescc@gmail.com.



YOUTH



You belong. You matter. You are called.

Middle School and High School Youth

Are you fed up with the mundane and the same old routine? Do you seek something genuine, a sense of purpose, and a community to call your own?

Come hang out every Wednesday at 5:30 PM in the Youth Room upstairs.

Some things we did last month:



Served Communion



Assembled Mana bags



read liturgy

What's coming up:

- REVIVE Summer Camp
- Helping with Rebekahs Cupboard
- Serving at Vacation Bible School
- District Youth Event
- and more!



learned through games

Faith, Fun, & Friends Youth Event



Middle and High Schoolers get ready for the ultimate District wide Youth Event: July 31st-August 2nd at Asbury. We're talking movies, beach, food, games, laughter, and friends coming together for an amazing time centered on Jesus! Mark you calendars now!





LITTLE SAINTS

Every 3rd Sunday, all children meet in the little saints area, **Room 103**, for music time (June 17, 2026)

10:00 A.M. Sunday School
1st-5th Grade with Debbie Lancaster & Amy Gideon upstairs in **Room 203**
Preschool-Kinder with Lynn Martinez upstairs in **Room 205**

Every 5th Sunday is designated as 5th Sunday Sing, where the children sing during the worship service. The Next 5th Sunday is **August 30, 2026**



Vacation Bible School
VBS is Monday, July 20th through Friday, July 24th. Each day will begin at 9am and end at 12:35pm. Please use the McCall Street entrance.
A VBS celebration and luncheon will be held on Sunday, July 26th at 11am and the entire family is welcomed to attend.



Wesley Nurse's Corner

June Health Spotlight: National CPR & AED AWARENESS



Ashley Rodriguez
Wesley Nurse

Every second counts during a cardiac emergency. June is recognized as **National CPR and AED Awareness Month**, a time to raise awareness about the importance of learning lifesaving skills that can help save a life before emergency responders arrive.

Cardiac arrest can happen suddenly and without warning. Immediate CPR and the use of an AED (Automated External Defibrillator) can significantly increase a person's change of survival. Hands-only CPR is simple to learn and can be performed by anyone.

What To Do in an Emergency

1. Call 911 immediately
2. Begin chest compressions hard and fast in the center of the chest
3. Send someone to locate an AED if available
4. Follow the AED voice prompts until help arrives

Many churches, schools, and community centers not have AEDs onsite. Taking a few minutes to familiarize yourself with their location could help save a life. St. Luke's has an AED located above the water fountain in the main hallway.

As a church community, we are called to care for and support one another physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Learning CPR is one practical way we can serve our neighbors and be prepared to respond in a moment of need.

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." --Galatians 6:2

Please join us every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday for Chair Exercise from 10am - 11am in Moore Hall.

Visit your Wesley Nurse today for a free Health screening.
Call 361-994-5054 to schedule.



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Check your Weekly Worship email, Sunday bulletin, or Hallway Calendar for any changes or updates.

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Special Events at Church
Special Events not at Church
Groups, Classes, Meetings, Etc
Committee Meetings
Holidays
Office Notifications

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 7:30a Men's Breakfast Group 10a Exercise Class 6:30p Children's Hula Class with Susan Strong	2 10a Exercise Class 12p Class Meeting - room 109 5:30p Men's Group	3 5:30p Youth Group 7p Wednesday Night Worship 7:30p Choir Practice	4 10a Exercise Class 12p Emmaus Group 2p Epic of Eden: Ruth	5	6
7 9a Infuse Worship 10a Sunday School 11a Traditional Worship 12:15p Privilege of Prayer	8 7:30a Men's Breakfast Group 10a Exercise Class 6:30p Children's Hula Class with Susan Strong	9 10a Exercise Class 12p Class Meeting - room 109 5:30p Men's Group 5:30p VBS Planning Meeting	10 2p Wall Shakers 7pm Youth going to Revive meet at Asbury GMC 7p Wednesday Night Worship 7:30p Choir Practice	11 10a Exercise Class 1p Food Pantry	12 10a VBS Decor Team Meeting	13
14 <i>Graduation Sunday</i> 9a Infuse Worship 10a Sunday School 10a Graduate Reception 11a Traditional Worship 12:15p Privilege of Prayer	15 7:30a Men's Breakfast Group 10a Exercise Class 5:30p Girlfriends in Grace 6:30p Children's Hula Class with Susan Strong	16 10a Exercise Class 12p Class Meeting - room 109 5:30p Men's Group 5:30p Finance Committee Meeting	17 5:30p Youth Group 7p Wednesday Night Worship 7:30p Choir Practice	18 <i>Deadline for Newsletter</i> 10a Exercise Class 12p Emmaus Group 5:30p Church Council Meeting	19	20
21 <i>Father's Day</i> 9a Infuse Worship 10a Sunday School 11a Traditional Worship 12:15p Privilege of Prayer	22 7:30a Men's Breakfast Group 10a Exercise Class 6:30p Children's Hula Class with Susan Strong	23 10a Exercise Class 12p Class Meeting - room 109 5:30p Men's Group	24 5:30p Youth Group 7p Wednesday Night Worship 7:30p Choir Practice	25 10a Exercise Class	26 10a VBS Decor Team Meeting 7p 42 Fellowship Youth at Revive Summer Camp	27 Youth at Revive Summer Camp
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