WELCOME to St. Lucas UCC

Transforming lives as the hands and feet of Christ since 1880

9:30 AM Worship

January 26, 2025

You are welcome and invited to join our active faith community. No matter where you are on your journey; no matter where your journey began; we want to replenish your spirit, refresh your faith and support you along the way.

Our Mission:

St. Lucas UCC unites
Christians in the worship of
God and affirms life-long
Christian education, faithful
discipleship and caring
service in God's name.

Our Promise:

St. Lucas UCC members, united in Christ and led by the Holy Spirit, strive to live faithfully, grow spiritually and serve lovingly all of God's creations.





ORDER OF WORSHIP

* All who are able, please stand.

Welcome & Announcements

(Hymns from The Family of God)

Ringing of the Bell

Prelude

Great Is the Lord

*Hymn

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God, vs. 1& 3

#118

*Call To Worship

Pastor: Jesus stands beside us no matter what we are going through. People: From the shore to the desert, wherever we are, Christ is there.

Pastor: The teachings of Jesus have the ability to transform lives and nourish our souls.

People: Speak to us sweetly, O Holy One, that our nets may be filled.

Pastor: Though the waters may seem deep, God is near to all who call. All: Fill us with your healing power and heavenly grace.

*We Welcome the Holy Spirit

All: Breathe upon us, breath of God. May your Holy Spirit fill this place. Amen.

Time With Young Disciples

Michele Ottinger

Scripture Luke 5:1-11

Sermon Rev. Damien Lake, MMS Associate Conference Minister

Silent Reflection

Words of Confession

ALL: Gracious One, we come before you with our very human mis takes and broken hearts. Forgive us for the wrongs we have done; heal our spirits so that we can continue to live the way in which you desire.

Words of Assurance

Pastor: The Lord hears what is spoken from our hearts. We are forgiven the guilt of our sins and our debts are no more. In Christ, we are set free. Amen.

Hymn Because He Lives #292

The Morning Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever! Amen.

Morning Offering

Invitation to the Offering

All: As a response to the goodness of God, we are invited to give with generous spirits, knowing that Christ cares for all of creation. Amen.

*The Doxology

All: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*The Unison Prayer of Dedication

All: Receive our gifts, oh Holy One. Use them as you desire, making your grace and majesty known throughout the world. Amen.

*Hymn Standing On the Promises, vs. 2 & 4 #69

*Benediction

*Postlude O Worship the King

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK, JANUARY 26—FEBRUARY 2, 2025

<u>Sunday, Jan. 26</u>

11:00 a.m. Adult Ed Room 19/Zoom

Monday, Jan. 27

Tuesday, Jan. 28

10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour Zoom **AV Meeting** Zoom 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 29

6:30 p.m. **Choir Practice** Choir Room

Thursday, Jan. 30

8:00 a.m. Fireside Room Backpack

Friday, Jan. 31

Saturday, Feb. 1

5:00 p.m. Worship/Communion Sanctuary 5:00 p.m. Youth Soup & Chili Cookoff Social Hall

Sunday, Feb. 2

9:30 a.m. Worship/Communion Sanctuary

Church School, age 3—5th Grade

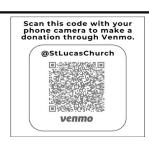
Sanctuary/Social Hall Room 19/Zoom 11:00 a.m. Adult Ed

PRAYER CONCERNS

Scott Schmidt, Evelyn Stolz

MILITARY

Jeremi Williamson **Brandon Williamson**



ST. LUCAS UCC STAFF

Rev. George Miller	Senior Minister, ext. 6118
Rev. Janet Pillman	Associate Minister of Pastoral Care, ext. 6119
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