



SAINT LUKE'S

P R E S B Y T E R I A N C H U R C H

MISSION Responding to God's call and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we invite all to join us in knowing, serving, and sharing Jesus Christ here and around the world.

VISION To be a beacon of faith, hope, and love – every member an active disciple in Christ's ministry.

Oct. 19, 2014  11:00 a.m.



October 19, 2014 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturgical Color: Green
Green is used to represent spiritual growth.

The flowers are given by Lou LaMotte to the glory of God and in loving memory of he and Lila Jean becoming sweethearts on October 27, 1946; on this date she accepted Lou's Fraternity pin.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

- 8:30 a.m. Chapel Communion Service
 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 - 11:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship Service
- Nursery available at all services & Sunday School*

SERVING TODAY

- Acolytes**Supervisor, Cailin Thelen
Bell Ringer..... Andrew Rice
Bible Bearer Luke Sloan
Candle Lighter Thomas Rice
CruciferChristine Turnbull
- Chancel Guild** Mark & Kimey Reed
- Continental Breakfast** Meg Wallace
- Faithful Friends** Kari Young
- Greeters** Shawn Hamlin, Joanna Mangum
- Nursery Supervisor** Leslie Hamlin
- Open/Close** Josh Nunez
- Sound Crew** Bob Burroughs
- Ushers** Supervisor, Paula Humer;
Jared, Linda, & Tanner Elliot; Katherine Robeson

WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are delighted you are worshiping with us!

DURING the Welcome, please print the requested information on the Friendship Pad and pass the Friendship Pad down the pew.

AFTER the worship service, please join Deacon Rebecca Strickland, Elder Samantha Holley, and our Pastors in the Narthex (Sanctuary lobby). They will answer questions and provide you with a Guest Packet and a homemade loaf of bread.

FOR MORE information about our programs, ministries or membership, please contact one of our Pastors at 770.393.1424.

THAT ALL MAY WORSHIP

ASSISTIVE hearing devices, large print hymnals, large print bulletins and pew cushions are available. Please contact an usher for further assistance.

CHILDREN are a precious part of our church family, and we encourage all families to include them in worship. Worship notebooks are available on the back ledges of the sanctuary for preschool and elementary ages, and we invite all children to walk up for an age-appropriate message during "Tell Us Our Story" each week. After that time children are welcome to remain in worship, to play and hear a Bible story in **child care** (PreK and younger), or to learn more about our worship traditions in **Faithful Friends** (for K, 1st and 2nd grades).



In Preparation for Worship

God of grace, You desire for us to know You. You show us what is true and beautiful. You reveal yourself in Scripture and silence; in words spoken and sung; in the world around us and in the lives of Your people. May our minds be open to receive Your truth; may our lives be conformed to Your will; may our hearts be shaped by Your love. Amen.



Gathering Prayer

Prelude

As the Deer, arr. Douglas Wagner

Welcome & Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minute for Tartan Trot

David King

* Call to Worship

Leader: God is great and greatly to be praised.

People: **We praise the great and awesome name of God.**

All: Let us worship God!

* Hymn #230

This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made

* Call to Confession

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

* Prayer of Confession

Holy God, You have loved us and put faith in us, even when we have disappointed You. Help us to remember Your good works on our behalf and to trust Your promises. Remind us to honor You with our lives. Lead us and sustain us by Your presence, that we may know You and find favor in Your sight. Hear now the confessions of our hearts as we silently pray... *(time of silent confession)*

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy,

All: Hear our prayer, Amen.

* Assurance of Forgiveness

* Song of Praise

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Tell Us Our Story

Catherine Anne Thomas

Parents may take their young children (through PreK) to our nursery. Parents of children in K, 1st or 2nd grade may take them to the Narthex and fill out a [Faithful Friends](#) name tag, provided a child authorization form is on file. If a form is not on file, parents should take their Faithful Friend to The Dock, Rm. 212.

Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

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.

Anthem

How Good to Thank Our God, arr. John Ferguson

Chancel Choir

(Choir sings first 4 verses; congregation joins in singing the 5th verse):

Then let us walk in love; by love our faith is
shown. Un - lov - ing, we are far from God. In
lov - ing, God is known: Through jus - tice, with
kind - ness we'll sing our Sav - ior's song!

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 33:12-23; page 77

Justin Weisberg

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

Matthew 22:15-22; page 23

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Whose Face?

Shannon Dill

* Hymn

Rock of Ages Cleft for Me



1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.
2 Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fill thy law's de - mands.
3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; sim - ply to thy cross I cling;
4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when my eye - lids close in death,



Let the wa - ter and the blood from thy wound - ed side which flowed
Could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,
na - ked, come to thee for dress, help - less, look to thee for grace;
when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,



be of sin the dou - ble cure, cleanse from guilt and make me pure.
all for sin could not a - tone. Thou must save, and thou a - lone.
foul, I to the foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

* **Affirmation of Faith** From *The Brief Statement of Faith*, PCUSA Emily Wilmesherr

Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!" With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Offering Jesus, Name Above All Names; arr. John Wilson

* **Song of Thanksgiving** Doxology
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.

* **Prayer of Dedication**

* **Hymn #422** God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending; BEACH SPRING

* **Benediction**

* **Choral Blessing** As You Leave this Place, Kelly Sloan Chancel Choir
May the Lord watch over you as you leave this place. May He walk along your side every step of the way and take care of you, be there for you, as you carry His message to the world. Be ever mindful of His presence and give thanks. Amen.

* **Postlude** Come, Christians, Join to Sing; arr. Becki Mayo

Have You Committed?

For most of us, baptism occurred when we were babies. Our memories of baptism come mostly from celebrating the baptisms of the youngest members of Saint Luke's. We enjoy the baby's toothless smile as he or she tours the sanctuary in the arms of a pastor. Some may recall the vows parents make as part of the baptism. But do you remember the commitment we make as individuals within the congregation to guide and nurture the baby to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of His church?

So far, 129 pledges to support God's work through Saint Luke's many missions have been received. We are now 60% of the way to our goal thanks to these generous commitments.

Contributions of time and talent spread Saint Luke's good works even further. If you have already made your 2015 pledge, Thank You! Your time, talent and treasures enable Saint Luke's to fulfill those commitments we make as we celebrate the baptisms of our little ones!

In November, we will all have the opportunity to once again refresh, renew and rejoice as we wrap up our 2015 commitment campaign. The finance committee will prepare our 2015 fiscal budget and leaders of Saint Luke's many ministries will plan their activities based on your pledges of time, talent and treasure. If you have not had a chance to submit a pledge, please do so by sending a confidential email to commitment@slpres.org or by placing a hard copy pledge (available outside the sanctuary and chapel) in the offering plate or Treasurer's mailbox in the Saint Luke's offices.

When you were baptized, a congregation, perhaps even Saint Luke's, committed to helping to raise you in Christ's love. The many hearts around Saint Luke's attest to how we bring Christ's love to each other and His world. Your pledge of time, talent and treasure make it possible to continue growing and spreading Christ love within and beyond our doors.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN Circle meetings are held monthly in the Parlor the second Mon. at 9:30 a.m. (childcare available) and 7 p.m., and second Tue. at 9:30 a.m. Christy Keohane: christykeohane@yahoo.com.

FEAST FOR ALL! "FEAST" is our Wed. night fellowship & learning program. More details are in the brochures in the lobby or at slpres.org. Sign up weekly on the blue pew cards or call Sally Hawkins in the church office by noon on Mon.

R.O.C.K. (REACHING OUT THROUGH CROCHETING & KNITTING) Men and women of any age and skill level are welcome to join us every Wed., 10 a.m. to Noon in the Parlor.

IMPORTANT: Please plan to attend a congregational meeting on **Sunday, November 16**, after the 11:00 a.m. worship service. The purpose of this meeting is to elect two nominating committees.



Music Ministry

Clair Maxwell: clairmaxwell@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 227

ORGAN FACTORY TOUR Join us on Thurs., Oct. 23 from 10 a.m. – noon as we travel to the pipe organ shop of Robert Coulter Organbuilders. We'll see our sanctuary instrument being rebuilt and learn about the craft of organ building. Plan to carpool from the church and go to lunch afterwards. Reserve your spot or volunteer to drive by contacting Liz or Clair in the church office prior to the trip.

REHEARSALS: WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Chancel Choir *Adults*

7:30-9:00 p.m. / Choir Room

Westminster Choir *Grades 2-5*

5:00-5:45 p.m. / Choir room

Festival Ringers *Youth & Adults*

6:15-7:15 p.m. / Bell Room

Cherub Choir* *Age 4 - Grade 1*

5:15-5:45 p.m. / Dock

SUNDAY NIGHTS

Youth Choir *Grades 6-12*

7:00-8:00 p.m. / Choir Room

CHERUB CHOIR PARENTS: Mark your calendars for **Sun., Nov. 9th: the Cherub Choir will sing during the 11 a.m. worship service. They have been learning a medley of "This is the Day" and "Praise the Lord, All Creation." There are just three rehearsals remaining to get our anthem ready; encourage your kids to keep up the great work!*



Adult Ministry

Shannon Dill: shannondill@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 229

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES meet

most Sundays from 9:30-10:30 a.m.

The Story of the Bible	Rm 145
FINCH (Families in Christ)	Rm 203
Seasons of the Spirit	Rm 231-233
Faith Foundations	Rm 232
Soul Food	Rm 235

FEAST is our weekly Wed. night programming for all ages. See brochures in the Lobby or on our website (slpres.org).

DISCIPLE IV CLASS Tuesdays from 7-9 p.m., in the Session room.

FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Every Fri., fellowship and Bible study from 6:40-8 a.m. in the Parlor with Dan Joyce.

MOMS Come and be encouraged, laugh together, pray for one another, and grow! We meet on Wednesdays from 10-11 a.m. in the Session Room. Come when you can and as you are! Feel free to bring a friend! Childcare is provided (by reservation). Contact Shannon Dill to register.



Children's Ministries (SPLASH!)

Catherine Anne Thomas: cathomas@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 228

TRUNK-N-TREAT IS OCT. 26! The carnival starts at 4 p.m., car-to-car candy collecting at 5 p.m., and dinner at 5:30 p.m. Dinner tickets (Shane's Rib Shack) must be purchased in advance (from SLLS desk during preschool hours, or in the Lobby on Sundays). We need volunteers! Sign Up: <http://goo.gl/pFnPKT>. Throughout Oct., candy donations are being collected in the lobby for our friends at the Community Assistance Center.



Youth Connection

Phil Brown: philbrown@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 238

OCT. 19: MS Sunday School / HS Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Youth Group 5-7 p.m. Service for Sight Night: Come help create coloring pages for children who are visually impaired. This will be a fun night of fellowship and service.

OCT. 26: MS Sunday School / HS Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m.

No regular **Youth Group** tonight, it's Trunk 'n Treat! We need youth and their families to help with games, judging, set up, and clean up. Please sign up at <http://goo.gl/pFnPKT>. If you have any questions please contact Emily (emilywilmesherr@slpres.org).

HS FIRST SUNDAYS: *Join Emily Wilmesherr for lunch after the 11 a.m. service. (Parents, contact Emily if you can help drive: emilywilmesherr@slpres.org)*

HS TUESDAY MORNINGS: *On the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month, meet for breakfast at 6:45 a.m. and then head to school from there. (Parents, can you help shuttle kids to school? Contact Phil or Emily.)*

Oct. 28: *meet at Dunwoody Starbucks (by Fresh Market).*

HELPING HANDS This ministry matches short term needs (like setting up a computer, driving a member to an appointment, helping change light bulbs) with available resources (your time and talents). If you can help, contact Rebecca Strickland: rebstrick@gmail.com, 404.664.5392. If you need a Helping Hand, contact your Deacon.

MEAL MINISTRY provides meals for members recovering from a surgery or illness, suffering the loss of a loved one, or celebrating a birth or adoption. If you are interested in delivering a meal or would like more info, please contact Krissy Williams: kcwills7104@yahoo.com.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD You can change lives with shoeboxes through Samaritan's Purse's *Operation Christmas Child*. Fill a shoebox with simple gifts, school supplies, and toiletries; add \$7 for shipping; help change the life of a child around the world. Shoeboxes and brochures are available in the lobby today through Nov. 16. Filled shoeboxes are due back to church on Mon., Nov. 17. Contact Meg Wallace at megwallace24@gmail.com / 404.293.1328 with any questions.

OCT. 21: ANNUAL LIFE SCREENING EVENT

in the Great Hall. Five painless, non-invasive tests are available that can detect the early warning signs of stroke, aneurysm and vascular disease. Preregister by phone (1.800.324.9458) or online (helpinghandsforhealth.com) to receive \$10 off the price, and Life Screen will make a \$10 donation to Saint Luke's. Flyers with more info are located in the Narthex, outside the Chapel and in the lobby.

HOLIDAY SHOPPING SPREE! It's time for the Saint Luke's Little Saints Preschool & Kindergarten annual fundraiser. Join us in the Great Hall and discover all kinds of unique gifts.

Nov. 5: 9 a.m.-1 p.m. & 5-8 p.m.

Nov. 6: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

OWLS: OCT. 28, 11:30 A.M. The "Gerry-at-Tricks" is a musical group of seniors entertaining audiences with a mix of Broadway, hymns, sing-a-longs and favorites from the 30's, 40's and 50's. The audience is encouraged to sing along. Sign up in the church lobby. (OWLS = Older, Wiser, Loving Seniors)

The **TARTAN TROT SPONSORSHIP CAMPAIGN** is kicking off TODAY! We are thrilled to be putting together another wonderful race for you on **Saturday, February 7th, 2015**. In the meantime, please give your support by pledging today! Fill out a Sponsor Card and put it in the collection plate OR at the Tartan Trot table in the lobby. Your gracious support enables Youth mission activities and supports other Saint Luke's Outreach partners. Thank you in advance for your donation to Tartan Trot 2015.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Nov. 15, 8 a.m. Dr. Steve Vance, our new Interim Pastor, will share his thoughts about Saint Luke's as he begins his time with us. Of course, we will start with a fantastically delicious breakfast! (*NOTE: This breakfast is on the 3rd Sat. rather than the usual 2nd Sat.*) Contact Daryl Moore: (H) 770.395.6278, Cell: 404.993.6203, email: ddmoore@yahoo.com

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT GROUP meets Oct. 19 and Nov. 16. Kimey Reed for more details: kimeyreed@gmail.com / 404.441.8614.

STAY & PLAY ON FRIDAYS Our very own Saint Luke's Little Saints offers a brand-new program called "Stay & Play" for preschoolers on Fri. mornings, 9:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Church members: pick up a copy of your *Child Authorization Form* for Children's Ministries (available in the CE office) for quick registration. Contact Carol Perry, 770.393.1424, ext. 240.



Worship at Saint Luke's
Service Opportunities on Sundays

ACOLYTES Cailin Thelen
cailinthelen@gmail.com / 770.330.9622
SIGN UP: <http://acolytes.slpres.org>
2nd-8th Graders; training required

CHANCEL GUILD Tricia Igleheart: 770.395.0412
triciaigleheart@gmail.com

CHAPEL GUILD Bill Barbin
wjbpsu70@comcast.net

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST Meg Wallace
megwallace24@gmail.com / 404.293.1328
SIGN UP: <http://breakfast.slpres.org>
Bring breakfast on Sunday morning. (Reimbursable)

FAITHFUL FRIENDS Catherine Anne Thomas
cathomas@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 x228
SIGN UP: <http://faithfulfriends.slpres.org>
*Lead our K, 1st & 2nd Graders during the 11:00 service,
after "Tell Us Our Story." Materials & lessons provided.*

FLOWERS Celeste Fischer: 404.434.8099
Faye Cashwell: 770.409.1960
SIGN UP: **Lobby Bulletin Board; \$80**
*Flowers for the Sanctuary can be given
in honor/memory of someone or a special event.*

GREETERS Meg Wallace
megwallace24@gmail.com / 404.293.1328
SIGN UP: <http://greeter.slpres.org>

SOUND & VIDEO Roby Price
770.393.1424 x244 / RobyPrice@slpres.org
SIGN UP: <http://soundcrew.slpres.org>
Training required, contact Roby Price

USHERS Paula Humer
pvhumer@gmail.com

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Sometimes love
comes knocking at the door
Not to judge, but just to be there
through the thin times

Not to heal,
but to allow God to heal

Not to be the answer,
but to be a conduit

Not to have the words,
when God fills the silent room

Sometimes love comes through
and from a Stephen Minister.

*Please reach out to Stephen Leaders
Laura Strange or Shannon Dill for a referral.*

SQUARE DANCE & DESSERT!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9,
6:30-8:30 P.M.

**CONGREGATIONAL
CHRISTMAS PARTY**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13,
AT THE JOYCE'S HOME,
5:30-8:30 P.M.

A Mountain Top Mission

Please keep in your prayers the following
members, who are making a difference
this weekend at Mountain T.O.P.:

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| Bruce Herrick | Tom McIntosh |
| Val Defriece | John Eager |
| Marylyn Brown | Jennifer Colquitt |
| Anne Patrick | Daryl Moore |
| Ted Guerrant | |

FINANCE SUMMARY

Month: Sep 2014	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VARIANCE
Total Income	\$ 95,560	\$ 80,000	\$15,560
Total Expenses	113,495	131,129	- \$17,635
NET	- \$ 17,935	- \$ 51,129	\$33,195

Year-to-date: 9/30/2014	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VARIANCE
Total Income	\$1,166,432	\$1,121,591	\$44,840
Total Expenses	1,193,456	1,211,433	- 17,976
NET	- \$ 27,025	- \$ 89,842	\$62,817

Financial reports available online.

ATTENDANCE

OCT 12	WORSHIP	NURSERY	VISITORS
8:30	62	4	3
11:00	177	5	16

CHURCH STAFF

Associate Pastor & Acting Head of Staff Rev. Shannon Dill
 Associate Pastor Rev. Phil Brown
 Pastor Emeritus Dr. E. Moss Robertson
 Director of Music & Organist Clair Maxwell
 Director of Children's Ministries Catherine Anne Thomas
 Director of Saint Luke's Little Saints
 Preschool & Kindergarten Carol Perry
 Director of Communications Tina Knoedler
 Administrative Assistants Liz Catlett & Bonnie Farrar
 Receptionist Sally Hawkins
 Facilities Manager Roby Price
 Treasurer Gary Phipps

SAINT LUKE'S PERIMETER COUNSELING CENTER

Georgia C. Griffin, J.D., M. Div.
 Director, Perimeter Center
 Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist/Mediator
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ELDERS

Class of 2015:

Jennie Burroughs, Jared Elliot,
 Samantha Holley (*youth*),
 Tricia Igleheart, Fern Mitropoulos,
 Mark Reed, Chris Wiseman,
 Les Woodsides

Class of 2016:

Rich Crutchfield, Mary Guerrant,
 Tom Loftis, David McKenney,
 Wayne Radloff (*Clerk*), Mark Ryan,
 David Tharp, Allison Thornton

Class of 2017:

Candy Cox, John Eagar,
 Saralyn Hill, Brian Lamb,
 TJ McGoldrick, Donna Nall,
 Gary Phipps, Pete Shelton

DEACONS

Class of 2015:

Maria Barnhart, Matt Biggerstaff,
 Sarah Caverhill, Peter Keohane,
 Julie Knotts, Jack McKenney (*youth*),
 Billy Martin (*Moderator*),
 Gena Spears, Taylor Vivian,
 Krissy Williams

Class of 2016:

Sandra Clay, Amanda Dunnick,
 Shawn Hamlin, Niki Rabren,
 Katherine Robeson,
 Rebecca Strickland, Jenny Troha,
 Michelle Vail, Meg Wallace

Class of 2017:

Joyce Kratzenberg, Stacey Kruse,
 Joanna Mangum, Stephen Moss,
 Sharon Polensek, Barry Smith,
 Russell Wolfe



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