



PENTECOST



SAINT LUKE'S
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May 15, 2016 ✦ 8:30 a.m.



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Liturgical Color: *Red*

*Red is used on days when celebrate
the work of the Holy Spirit.*

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

Chapel Guild Bob Smallwood

Continental Breakfast Stacey Kruse

Open/Close Josh Nunez

WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are delighted you are worshipping 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 us outside the Chapel where our Pastors will be available to answer questions and provide you with a Guest Packet and a loaf of freshly-baked 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'S WORSHIP notebooks and activity sheets are available on the table just outside the Chapel doors. For your convenience, there is a Family Restroom located in the hallway of the administrative offices, on the first floor, near the main lobby.

In Preparation for Worship

“The essence of spirituality is contained in this phrase: complete and utter abandonment to the will of God.”

Jean-Pierre De Caussade



Prelude

Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire

Welcome

* Call to Worship

Leader: Spirit of the living God, descend upon us again this day.

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

Leader: Like a rushing wind that sweeps away all barriers,

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

Leader: Like tongues of fire that set our hearts aflame,

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

Leader: With speech that unifies the confusion of our tongues,

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

Leader: With love that overlaps the boundaries of race and nation,

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

Leader: With power from above to make our weakness strong,

People: Come, Holy Spirit.

* Hymn #1

Holy, Holy, Holy

* Call to Confession

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

* **Prayer of Confession**

God of wind and flame, we confess that we do not always live as resurrection people.
When Your Spirit speaks, we turn deaf ears, fearful of what You might call us to do.
When Your Spirit touches our lips, we close our mouths, embarrassed to speak Your Word.
When the wind of Your Spirit blows, we close the windows of our hearts, afraid the breeze
will disrupt our ordered lives. When the fire of Your Spirit touches us, we move to keep a
distance, unwilling to be ignited. Forgive us, O Lord... (*time of silent confession*)

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy,

All: Hear our prayer, Amen.

* **Assurance of Forgiveness**

* **Song of Praise**

Thine Is the Glory *JUDAS MACCABEUS*

Thine is the glory, risen, conquering Son; endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won!

Tell Us Our Story

Catherine Anne Thomas

Children are always welcome to stay in worship. However, parents may take your child(ren) to the nursery.

New Testament Reading

Acts 2:1-21; page 119

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Propelled

David Lower

* **Hymn #286**

Breathe on Me, Breath of God *TRENTHAM*

* **Affirmation of Faith** from *A Brief Statement of Faith* (1983)

We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles
rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,
engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism,
feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,
and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church.
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!"

Offering The Gift of Love arr. Hal Hopson

Giving is a tangible sign of worship. If you give electronically, there is a blue, laminated, 'electronic giving' card in the pew rack to place into the offering plate as it is passed.

* **Song of Thanksgiving** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow *LASST UNS ERFREUEN*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia,
alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

* **Prayer of Dedication**

* **Passing of the Peace**

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

The Lord's Supper

Communion will be served by intinction (dipping the bread into the cup). If you would like to be served where you are sitting, please raise your hand. Everyone is invited to participate in the sacrament. Children who have discussed the sacrament with their parents and/or a pastor are welcome. The cup holds grape juice, not wine, during this service. A server with gluten-free wafers will be standing directly in front of the communion table for those who prefer this option.

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.

Prayers of the People

* Hymn

Come O Spirit, Dwell Within Us

1. Come, O Spir - it, dwell a - mong_ us,
2. We would raise our al - le - lu - ias
3. Come, O Spir - it, dwell a - mong_ us;

come with Pen - te - cos - tal_ pow'r. Give the church a
for the grace of yes - ter_ years; for to - mor - rows
give us words of fire and_ flame. Help our fee - ble

strong - er vi - sion, help us face each cru - cial_ hour.
un - known path - way, hear, O Lord, our hum - ble_ prayers.
lips to praise you, glo - ri - fy your ho - ly_ name.

Built u - pon_ a firm foun - da - tion, Je - sus Christ, the
In the church's_ pil - grim jour - ney you have led us
Fa - ther, Son_ and Ho - ly Spir - it, Three in one: what

Cor - ner - stone. Still the church is called to mis - sion
all the way, still in pres - ence move be fore_ us,
mys - ter - y! We would sing_ our loud ho - san - nas

that God's_ love_ shall_ be made_ known.
fire by_ night_ and_ cloud by_ day.
now and_ through e - ter - ni - ty.

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Tune: Austrian Hymn

* Benediction

* Postlude

Fanfare *William Mathias*

Sunday Spotlights:

Today is the Installation of David Lower at the 11:00 a.m. Worship Service:

Installation Commission

KEN WHITEHURST, *Ruling Elder, Moderator of the Presbytery of Greater Atlanta,
Trinity Presbyterian Decatur*

MARK ROBERSON, *Ruling Elder, Roswell Presbyterian Church*

FRANCES ST. JOHN, *Ruling Elder, Central Presbyterian Church*

BONA ALLEN, *Ruling Elder, Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church*

REV. SHANNON DILL, *Teaching Elder, Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church*

REV. PHIL BROWN, *Teaching Elder, Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church*

REV. BETSY TURNER, *Teaching Elder, Luther Hays Presbyterian Church*

REV. JEREMY LEWIS, *Executive Director of Urban Recipe Atlanta*



TODAY AFTER 11:00 WORSHIP: RECEPTION IN THE GREAT HALL

Don't miss the celebration! We are thrilled to "officially" receive David Lower as Saint Luke's new Senior Pastor!

IT'S TIME TO SIGN UP FOR SUMMER CAMP See page 11 for details.

LITTLE SAINTS PRESCHOOL has limited openings for the 2016-2017 school year.
Contact Carol Perry at 770.393.1424, ext. 240.

Saint Luke's welcomes the following special guests to worship leadership as part of David's installation, including preacher Jeremy Lewis and singer Brenda Turner.

JEREMY LEWIS, an ordained Baptist minister, is the Exec. Dir. of *Urban Recipe*, an Atlanta-based organization dedicated to creating food security, building community, and helping people continue to develop while affirming their dignity. Previously, Jeremy was the founding Exec. Dir. of *Clarkston Development Foundation*, an organization committed to working alongside the US born and refugee population in Clarkston, GA. Prior to that, Jeremy was the National Coordinator of a rural community development program, *Together for Hope*, working in 20 rural counties across the United States, with a focus on asset-based community development principles. During his career, Jeremy has worked in a wide range of communities on issues from education, health, recreation, small business development and agriculture. Jeremy is married to Beth, who teaches at Decatur High School, and they have two young children. Jeremy and David Lower met at Woodward Academy and attended the Candler School of Theology together.

BRENDA MARIE TURNER has sung with Orlando Opera, Palm Beach Opera, and Cincinnati Opera, as well as many opera companies in Chicagoland. She recently started her own opera company, *Opera Ouvert*, where just last weekend she successfully presented her first production, *La Boheme*. For the past six years, she served as soprano soloist at Winnetka Presbyterian Church under its pastor David Lower. Brenda studied music education at Stetson University and earned a degree in Film at Northwestern University.

ADULT MINISTRY

Shannon Dill

shannondill@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 229

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL classes meet between the worship services, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Descriptions of current groups are available on our website (slpres.org) or <http://bit.ly/AdultSundaySchool>. Please join us!

FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY Fellowship and Bible study every Fri. from 6:40-8:00 a.m. in the Parlor with Dan Joyce.

YOUTH CONNECTION

Phil Brown

philbrown@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 238

Stay current with Saint Luke's Youth Ministry by signing up for text message updates. Dial 81010 and text:

for Middle School updates: youth, text **@6th-8thSL** parents, text **@MSparentSL**
for High School updates: youth, text **@9th-12thSL** parents, text **@HSparentSL**
for Youth Choir updates: text **@choirSL**

Two adults are needed for Mt. T.O.P. (June 19-25) and **1 female adult** for Massanetta Springs (July 12-15). Without the mandatory number of adults, we will have to reduce the number of youth allowed to attend. Please contact Phil if you can help.

TODAY: Mandatory Summer Trip meetings:

1:30 - 3 p.m. Mt. TOP Tool safety training. Bring a 16 or 20 oz. claw hammer.

3 - 3:45 p.m. Massanetta Springs

3:45 - 4:30 p.m. Montreat

May 22: End of the Year Parties

4 - 5:30 p.m. Middle School

6 - 7:30 p.m. High School

June 13-16: Vacation Bible School - youth volunteers needed!

Check out the huge sign-up board in Sheppard Hall.

SPLASH! CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Catherine Anne Thomas

cathomas@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 228

June 13-16 / 9:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

CAVE QUEST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT SAINT LUKE'S

Kids learn that Jesus is the one who lights our way and gives us hope!

Register online: www.slpres.org/vbs-2016-cave/

IT TAKES MANY HANDS to make Vacation Bible School a fun and memorable adventure for our young friends! **We are in desperate need of 2 - 4 adults to lead our 'Mini Moths' (2-yr-olds)**. Please visit the info & sign-up board in Sheppard Hall or contact Catherine Anne Thomas (info above).

LIGHTEN OUR LOAD by donating specific snacks and supplies for this year's Vacation Bible School. To see what's needed, pick up a tagged rock from the display in the lobby for the details. All items need to be turned in by June 3. Thanks a ton!

MUSIC MINISTRY

Clair Maxwell

clairmaxwell@slpres.org
770.393.1424 ext. 227

Weekly Choir Rehearsals:

Sundays	12:15-1:00 p.m.	Youth Choir
Wednesdays	5:15-5:45 p.m.	Cherub Choir
	5:00-5:45 p.m.	Westminster Choir
	6:30-7:20 p.m.	Festival Ringers
	7:30-9:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir

SUMMER MUSIC SUNDAYS We are currently scheduling music for our summer worship services while our choirs take the summer off. If you play an instrument, take music lessons, or can't sing with the choirs during the year, this is your chance to share your gifts with the congregation. Music is needed at the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services from June 5 to Aug. 14; all singers and instrumentalists (as soloists or in ensembles) are welcome and appreciated! Contact Clair Maxwell (info above) if you would like to participate.

OWLS (Older, Wiser, Loving Seniors)

WELCOME BITSYLAND! Join us for an old-fashioned, family-friendly musical program that will make you laugh and tap your toes! Music and laughter come together through the traditions of old-time music and wholesome entertainment. Meet us in the Great Hall on Tues., May 24th at 11:30 a.m.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to prepare and serve the dinner meal for 26 homeless men at Journey on Sun., July 24. Sign up on the poster in the lobby, or contact Al Bridges at 770.394.6581. Thank you.

LAST CALL FOR NAME TAGS Thank you for continuing to wear your name tag! If you would like a free name tag call the church at 770.393.1424 by **MAY 17**. We will resume making tags in the fall.

SUMMER LUNCHESES The CAC (Community Assistance Center) is collecting items for the many children who do not eat lunch in the summer because school is not in session. You can help fill their lunch bags with a donation from the following list of food items:

Juice boxes, snack bars (Quaker Bars, Kellogg bars, etc.), 4 oz. fruit cups, mac & cheese, canned pasta (like Spaghetti O's), packs of Tuna & Crackers, instant Yakisoba, chili bowl
Please drop off donations in the "Buy One, Share One" bins in the lobby.

LET THE KIDS ACT UP THIS SUMMER An amazing summer camp is offered by ACT UP (Arts, Creativity & Theatre Uniting People) at Saint Luke's with the Missoula Children's Theatre. Children and youth (entering 1st grade - high school seniors) spend a week learning and rehearsing "The Princess and the Pea." July 25-29, 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Space is limited. Register online at www.slpres.org.

CAVE QUEST VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT SAINT LUKE'S June 13-16 / 9:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Register online: www.slpres.org/vbs-2016-cave/

CAMP LITTLE SAINTS Saint Luke's preschool is offering two fun camps for kids who turned 2 by Sept. 1, 2015, through kids who have completed Kindergarten. M-F, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Space is limited. Contact Carol Perry at 770.393.1424 ext. 240.

LITTLE SAINTS SCIENTISTS // May 31-June 3 // This camp is for curious kiddos who love experimenting, questioning and discovering! Meet each morning in the Little Saints Science Room and explore the world of super cool science.

GONE WILD AT THE ZOO! // June 6 - June 9 // Pack your bags and join us as we travel to zoos all over the globe. We'll visit koalas in Australia and giant pandas in Beijing. In Peru, we'll go to the Tapiche Rainforest Reserve to see monkeys and toucans. Lastly, we'll travel to the Johannesburg Zoo in South Africa and hang out with the lions, zebras, elephants and giraffes!

ATTENDANCE

MAY 8	WORSHIP	NURSERY	VISITORS
8:30	81	1	3
11:00	280	21	19

*Each Sunday, many of our pews have first-time or repeat visitors. Your smile and welcoming words make **you** a beacon of faith, hope, and love!*

CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor	David Lower
Associate Pastor	Shannon Dill
Associate Pastor	Phil Brown
Director of Music & Organist	Clair Maxwell
Director of Children's Ministries	Catherine Anne Thomas
Director of Saint Luke's Little Saints Preschool	Carol Perry
Intern for Children & Youth Ministry	Emily Wilmesherr
Director of Communications	Tina Knoedler
Administrative Assistants	Liz Catlett & Lindsay Moss
Receptionist	Sally Hawkins
Facilities Manager	Roby Price
Treasurer	Gary Phipps
Assistant Treasurer	Mark Rogers

SAINT LUKE'S PERIMETER COUNSELING CENTER

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LEADERSHIP

Terry Nall, *Clerk to Session*

ELDERS

Class of 2016:

Claire Cummiskey (*youth*),
Rich Crutchfield, Mary Guerrant,
Tom Loftis, David McKenney,
Mark Ryan, David Tharp,
Allison Thornton

Class of 2017:

John Eagar, Saralyn Hill,
TJ McGoldrick, Paula Morris,
Donna Nall, Rob Price,
Pete Shelton

Class of 2018:

Gerald Aldridge, Carol Allen,
Barbara Douglass, Anne Hallum,
Dan Joyce, Jean Kammerer,
Chip Williams, Bill Womack

DEACONS

Class of 2016:

Sandra Clay, Amanda Dunnick,
Shawn Hamlin, Niki Rabren,
Katherine Robeson,
Rebecca Strickland (*moderator*),
Jenny Troha, Michelle Vail,
Hayley Wolfe (*youth*)

Class of 2017:

Sandra DuBois, Kris Hull,
Joyce Kratzenberg, Stacey Kruse,
Joanna Mangum, Stephen Moss,
Sharon Polensek, Russell Wolfe

Class of 2018:

Justine Burney, Bobby Ferretti,
Diane Lemaster, Joe Luranc,
Lucy Painter, Debbie Parkes,
David Stover, Shari Wassell,
Kristen Wescott



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