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## SERVING TODAY

**Chancel Guild**– Mike and Dorothy Kitchens  
**Continental Breakfast**– Chip and Krissy Williams  
**Greeter**– Daryl Moore  
**Lay Reader**– Carol Ciepluch  
**Open/Close**– Josh Nunez  
**Sound Crew**– Brad Troha  
**Ushers**– Stacey Brooks, Captain; Gerald and Kari Aldridge, David and Andrea Stewart.

## LEADERSHIP

Terry Nall, *Clerk to Session*

## ELDERS

### Class of 2018:

Gerald Aldridge, Carol Allen,  
Barbara Douglass, Anne Hallum,  
Forrest Herrick (*Youth*), Dan Joyce,  
Jean Kammerer, Chip Williams,  
Bill Womack

### Class of 2019:

Al Bridges, Beth Eisenmesser,  
Sonny Jester, Bob Pile,  
Bob Polensek, Whitney Samuelson,  
Steven Vivian

### Class of 2020:

Carol Ciepluch, Leslie Hamlin,  
Kay Loerch (*Asst. Clerk of Session*),  
JJ Singley, Kelly Sloan,  
Steve Thornton, Brad Troha

## DEACONS

### Class of 2018:

Justine Burney, Bobby Ferretti,  
Kris Hull, Mary Frances Kitchens (*Youth*),  
Diane Lemaster, Joe Luranc,  
Lucy Painter, Debbie Parkes,  
Ron Valdes, Shari Wassell,  
Kristen Wescott (*Moderator*)

### Class of 2019:

Melissa Blakely, Alyson Cohen,  
Mark Douglass, A.J. Favero,  
Carol Hickey, Dorothy Kitchens (*Vice  
Moderator*), Carol Waller, Al Wang,  
Scott Zannini

### Class of 2020:

Thomas Brown, Karleen Buchholz,  
Jenny Cummiskey, Ron Davis,  
Daryl Moore, Emily Ritzler,  
Vivian Smith, Suzanne Thatcher



July 9, 2017

10:30am



SAINT LUKE'S  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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**July 9, 2017**

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

**Liturgical Color:** Green

*Green is used for all of the other time periods (called Ordinary Time) not marked by a specific festival or season.*

*The flowers are given by the Strickland Family to the glory of God and in loving memory of Rebecca's father, Grace and Julia's grandfather, Ron Curylo.*

**SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

8:30am Chapel Communion Service

9:30am Sunday School

10:30am Sanctuary Worship Service

*Nursery available at all services and Sunday School.*

**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.

**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 Sanctuary where our Pastors or a church officer will be available to answer questions and provide you with 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, or visit our website: slpres.org.

**THAT ALL MAY WORSHIP**

**ASSISTIVE** A hearing loop is accessible by switching hearing aids to T-coil. Also, large print hymnals and back cushions are available. Please contact an usher for further assistance.



**CHILDREN** are a precious part of our church family, and we welcome them in worship. Worship buckets and activity packets are available on the back ledges of the sanctuary for preschool and elementary ages. Each week, children are invited to walk up for an age-appropriate message during "Tell Us Our Story." After that time, they may remain in worship, or go to child care (PreK and younger).

**MOMMY AND ME, THE CLASSROOM**

**RENOVATION INITIATIVE**— We are very close to calling our mission to rehab three rooms at Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church for the Mommy and Me program expansion complete. Remaining are a few punch list items that we will work on completing in July. There is still much work to be accomplished as other rooms are "under construction". We will continue to use email to communicate opportunities to help other churches. If you are not already included in those communications and would like to be, just reach out to Tom McIntosh thomasmcintosh@bellsouth.net or Daryl Moore ddmoore@yahoo.com.

**8 STEPS TO A PAIN-FREE BACK**— Thursday, July 13, 6:30pm in the FINCH Room 203. Have you tried everything and your back, hip, neck, or shoulder still hurts? Experience what healthy posture can do for you in this free workshop held at Saint Luke's. Register online under "Free Workshop" at www.GokhaleMethod.com

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

**Clair Maxwell**    [clairmaxwell@slpres.org](mailto:clairmaxwell@slpres.org) / 770.393.1424 ext. 227

**SUMMER MUSIC**

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 10:30am services through August 20. All instrumentalists and singers are welcome and appreciated! Contact Clair Maxwell if interested.

## ADULT MINISTRY

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

### ADULT SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Classes will continue to meet between the worship services, 9:30-10:15am. Descriptions of current groups are available on our website (slpres.org) or <http://bit.ly/AdultSundaySchool>. Please join us!

- Seasons of the Spirit (**Room 231/233**) – a study of the scripture lessons used in Sunday sermons.
- Soul Food (**Room 234/236**) – Study focuses on a variety of topics to illuminate our faith and understanding of the Christian life in this complicated world.
- Faith Foundations (**Room 232**) – Using the Kerygma study guides, this class explores Scripture, Christian Belief, and our faith with the goal of growing as Christian Disciples.
- FINCH (**Room 203**) – Representing parents of children and youth, our studies hope to support and encourage you and your family. *(Does not meet in July)*

### FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Fellowship and Bible study every Friday from 6:40-8am in the Parlor with Dan Joyce.

### BIBLE STUDY: "WAYFARERS"

Come join David, Shannon or Phil as this week's preacher leads a study of the scripture for the upcoming Sunday's worship. Meet on Wednesdays at 10am in the church library through June 28. Study will resume on July 26.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

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

**Emily Wilmesherr** emilywilmesherr@slpres.org / 770.393.1424 ext. 234

### YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

No Youth Sunday School this week

### BRAVES GAME AND NEEDTOBREATHE POST CONCERT

Next Sunday, July 16, the Braves play the Diamondbacks at 1:35pm. After the game there is a Needtobreathe concert. If you are interested in going please talk to Emily (615-668-0134) by Monday. We will leave directly following the 10:30am worship service.

## In Preparation for Worship

Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls.

~ The Prophet Jeremiah, Jeremiah 6:16



## Gathering Prayer

### Prelude

Morning *Felix Mendelssohn*

## Chiming of the Hour

## Welcome and Announcements

### Call to Worship\*

Luke 11:2-4

**Leader:** As we gather today, we dare, as Jesus taught, to call to you, and humble ourselves before you.

**People:** **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.**

**Leader:** As we gather today, we seek your ways, not our own:

**People:** **Your Kingdom come.**

**Leader:** As we gather today, we acknowledge our need for you.

**People:** **Give us this day our daily bread.**

**Leader:** As we gather today, we confess our shortfalls, and plead for your keeping.

**People:** **Forgive us our sins, as we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us.**

**Leader:** And do not bring us into the time of trial.

**People:** **For yours is the Kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

### Hymn #665\*

As Morning Dawns *WAREHAM*

### Call to Confession\*

**Leader:** The Lord be with you.

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Leader:** Let us pray.

## Prayer of Confession\*

Dear God,  
You call us to be with you.  
You call us to walk with you.  
You call us into relationship with you.  
You call us to see your light in everyone we meet.  
Forgive us when we abandon you or leave you on the side of the road.  
Forgive us when we leave you hungry or when we stray from your path.  
Holiness is about you embracing us,  
teach us to embrace you each and every day...*(Silence is kept for personal confession)*

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy,  
People: Hear our prayer. Amen.

## Assurance of Forgiveness\*

### Song of Praise\*

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
let the earth hear God's voice!  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,  
And give God the glory, great things God has done!

## Passing of the Peace of Christ\*

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.  
People: And also with you.

## Prayer for Illumination

Carol Ciepluch

## Scripture Lesson

Matthew 6:1-15, *page 5 of the New Testament*

Carol Ciepluch

Leader: The Word of the Lord.  
People: Thanks be to God.

## Tell Us Our Story

Emily Wilmesherr

*Faithful Friends is taking a "summer break" and will resume in September. We invite this age group (K-2<sup>nd</sup>) to remain in worship and enjoy the activities in our worship buckets; however, all children are welcome in our child care rooms.*

## Sermon

"Hallowed Be Thy Name"

Phil Brown

## Hymn #169\*

Dear Lord and Father of Mankind *REST*

## SPLASH! CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Catherine Anne Thomas [cathomas@slpres.org](mailto:cathomas@slpres.org) / 770.393.1424 ext. 228

### THE FLASHCARD PROJECT CONTINUES!

One of our big VBS projects with our older children was coloring a tremendous number of flash cards for the Mommy & Me refugee preschool in Clarkston. The kids and volunteers did a tremendous job but we still have a long way to go!

If you find yourself with any spare time, please stop by the church and any staff member should be able to direct you to the flashcard table located in the small conference room. Please take a packet or two and color any uncolored pictures as realistically as possible since these pictures are how the refugee families are learning the right word. As fun as a blue gorilla may be, it won't really help them when they go to the zoo! This is a project for adults, youth, and older elementary students. We are coloring instead of simply printing in color to add a more personal touch to the project, as well as to save on color printing. We are using markers rather than crayons, because the laminating process is hot and crayons may smudge. Feel free to take a packet or two and return by the end of July. Thanks!

### TAKE-OUT CHURCH!

If your family was not able to join us for Vacation Bible School, be sure and pick up a box of summer activities in the main lobby. There are so many great reminders of how God created us for a purpose!

### FUN SUNDAY MORNINGS AHEAD!

Our summer Sunday morning schedule for the month of AUGUST. *(We take July off)*  
Join us from 9:30-10:15am for:

- Eye-Popping Bible Stories in Room 120 (preschool)
- Faith Factory Games in the Great Hall (elementary)

Our games in the Great Hall require two adult volunteers each week. Please go to: <https://tinyurl.com/GreatHallGames>, to tell us which Sunday you'll be able to help lead. All lessons are prepared and all supplies are provided. It's easy and so much fun!

### SAVE THE DATE!

Gear Up for School Family Game Night, Friday, August 4 from 7-8:30pm. Bring friends! We would love some help to plan and host the event. Please email Catherine Anne Thomas at [cathomas@slpres.org](mailto:cathomas@slpres.org) if you would be interested in helping out.



**JULY MISSION TRIPS**— Please keep these travelers in your prayers. They are responding to God’s call and are empowered by the Holy Spirit. We invite you to support them through your thoughts and prayers in knowing, serving, and sharing Jesus Christ here and around the world. This list includes Saint Luke’s members, family and friends going to: Mexico, Massanetta, Thornwell and Montreat.

Emily Anderson	Peter Keohane	Kay Sedberry
Brian Anderson	Catherine Kitchens	Sally Shelton
Ainsley Brown	Mary Frances Kitchens	Casey Singley
Phil Brown	Mike Kitchens	Sydney Sloan
Zach Burroughs	William Koller	Grace Strickland
Landon Clark	Charlotte Kuhn	Julia Strickland
Rosie Coffie	Becky Loftis	Martha Tate
Bob Crutchfield	Amanda Lower	Allison Thornton
Christine Crutchfield	Anna Jean Lower	Laura Thornton
Henry Crutchfield	David Lower	Brad Troha
James Crutchfield	Matthew Lower	Emma Troha
Claire Cumiskey	Landis Mangum	Jack Troha
Nelson Cumiskey	Mary Martin	Morgan Underhill
Brown Cutler	Anna Maxwell	Sydney Underhill
Val DeFriece	Clair Maxwell	Allie Unold
Don Dill	Owen Maxwell	Emily Vail
Shannon Dill	Farrah Mcintosh	Maura VandeWiele
Claira Dixon	Tom Mcintosh	Ansley Wassell
Madeleine Douglass	Rebecca Miller	Sam Wassell
Beth Dresher	James Moebes	Shari Wassell
Jacob Eisenmesser	Michelle Moebes	Steve Wassell
Linda Farley	Andrew Munn	Georgia Wescott
Forrest Herrick	Chad Munn	Brad Whitcomb
Mikayla Hertz	Emma Parker	Anna Wills
Ellie Hull	Andrea Price	Emily Wills
Katie Hull	Roby Price	Drew Wilmesherr
Caroline Hurst	Cathy Rogers	Emily Wilmesherr
Oliver Hurst	Bonnie Ruggiero	Bill Womack
Davis Keel	Ann Sargeant	Ellen Womack
Aidan Keohane	Charlotte Sargeant	
Christy Keohane	David Schifino	
Danny Keohane	Jack Schifino	

**Affirmation of Faith\***      Apostles’ Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
 Maker of heaven and earth,  
 and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;  
 who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
 born of the Virgin Mary,  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate;  
 was crucified, dead, and buried;  
 He descended into hell;  
 the third day He rose again from the dead;  
 He ascended into heaven,  
 and sitteth on the right hand  
 of God the Father Almighty;  
 from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
 I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
 the holy catholic Church;  
 the communion of saints;  
 the forgiveness of sins;  
 the resurrection of the body;  
 and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Prayers of the People**

**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.**

## Offering Invitation

*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 in the offering plate as it is passed.*

## Offertory

Offertory *Dale Wood*

## Song of Thanksgiving\*



God, we hon-or you. God, we trust in you. God, we wor-ship and a- dore you.



Take what we bring, of-fered to you. Teach us to show your a-bun-dant bles-sings.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, a - men.

## Prayer of Dedication\*

## Closing Hymn #330\*

Our Help Is in the Name of God *OLD 124TH*

## Benediction\*

## Postlude\*

In the Name of the Father *arr. Paul Manz*

*Worship Notes:*

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## SUNDAY SPOTLIGHT



**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**— A brief congregational meeting will be held immediately following the 10:30am worship service on Sunday, July 16 to fill officer vacancies on the Session (Class of 2019 and 2020) and Diaconate (Class of 2020).



### SAINT LUKE'S UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sunday, July 30- Churchwide Cookout, Celebrating Emily Wilmesherr!
- Friday, August 4- Geared Up For School Family Game Night
- Saturday, August 5- Men's Breakfast Football Forecast with Tony Barnhart
- Sunday, August 27- Kickoff Sunday Pancake Breakfast
- Wednesday, September 20- FEAST Begins
- Weeks of October 15 and October 22, Family Promise
- Sunday, October 22- Bluegrass Mass Concert