

January 29, 2017

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Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

### **Liturgical Color:** Green

Green is used for Sundays not marked by a particular season or festival and is utilized to indicate Ordinary time.

**FLOWERS** 

### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30am Chapel Communion Service 9:30am Sunday School 11:00am 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 notebooks 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 ageappropriate message during "Tell Us Our Story." After that time, they may remain in worship, go to Faithful Friends (K-2nd) or go to child care (PreK and younger).

## In Preparation for Worship

"Evangelism is just one beggar telling another beggar where to find bread."

-D.T. Niles

## **Gathering Prayer**

Prelude Prelude Alexis Chauvet

**Chiming of the Hour** 

**Welcome and Announcements** 

**Moment for Recognition of Roby Price** 

Call to Worship\*

Leader: Arise, shine, for your light has come,

and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you!

People: The brightness of God's light shines upon all nations.

All are welcome to the brightness of God's dawn!

Leader: God gathers us from near and far and carries us,

giving abundantly and filling our hearts.

People: We respond in praise. With our gifts and with ourselves we worship God!

**Opening Hymn #15\*** All Creatures of Our God and King LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Call to Confession\*

Leader: The Lord be with you. **People:** And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

## **Prayer of Confession\***

God and Creator of all that is,

You created us and the world for good.

We often try hard and mean well,

but fall short of the goodness and community for which You created us.

We have our moments, Lord, when we prioritize ourselves, when we judge others, or when we leave important things undone.

Standing before Christ,

we can feel unworthy and incapable of Your call upon our lives.

Touch us with Your grace, and dispel our fear and doubt,

that we may arise with renewed spirits to serve and speak of You,

our sovereign Lord.....(time of silent confession)

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

# Assurance of Forgiveness\*

## Song of Praise\*



# Passing of the Peace of Christ\*

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

## **Prayer for Illumination**

Katherine Robeson

Scripture Lesson

Luke 5:1-11, page 58 of the New Testament

Katherine Robeson

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

## **Tell Us Our Story**

**Catherine Anne Thomas** 

Parents may take their children (through PreK) to our nursery, Room 120 in Sheppard Hall.
Parents of children in K, 1st or 2nd grade may take them to Faithful Friends in The Harbor, Room 213.

**Anthem** 

Walk in the Light arr. John Barnard

**Chancel Choir** 

The spirit lives to set us free, walk in the light. He binds us all in unity.
Walk in the light of the Lord.
Jesus promised life to all.
The dead were wakened by his call.
He died in pain on Calvary
to save the lost like you and me.

We know his death was not the end.
He gave his spirit to be our friend.
By Jesus' love our wounds are healed.
The father's kindness is revealed.
The spirit lives in you and me.
His light will shine for all to see.

Damian Lundy

Sermon

Sonny Jester and David Lower

Hymn #721\*

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

PESCADOR DE HOMBRES

## **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 Alexis Chauvet

# Song of Thanksgiving\*



## **Prayer of Dedication\***

Closing Hymn #726\*

Will You Come and Follow Me KELVINGROVE

# **Benediction Response\*** The Lord Now Sends Us Forth *Michael Burkhardt* Chancel Choir



# Postlude\*

Postlude Alexis Chauvet

Worship Notes:

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## SUNDAY SPOTLIGHT:

**GO MAD FOR PLAID**—Scottish Heritage Sunday is on Feb. 5. The 11am worship service is traditional and much is based on the Church of Scotland. It is intended to encourage all participants to reflect with thanksgiving on their own family and ethnic heritage. A reception will follow the 11am worship service.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN (PW) 2017 VALENTINE BOXES**—Presbyterian Women (PW) of SLPC will send approximately 70 Valentine Boxes to college students, military family members, and our homebound members. We invite your help in the following ways:

- ▼ **SUBMIT** name and address of individuals you'd like included to Pam Melton in the church office, <u>pammelton@slpres.org</u>, by Thurs., Feb 2nd.
- ♥ **POSTAGE** is around \$7.00 per box. We appreciate any donations to help in offsetting the cost. Drop off in the church office in an envelope marked PW Treasurer.
- ▼ TREATS (candy, cards, snacks, hot chocolate packets, etc.) may be donated and placed in the parlor collection box (Room 145).
- ♥ **HOMEMADE** treats are awesome! Individually wrapped treats may be brought to Parlor collection box on/before 10am Feb. 6th.
- ▼ **TIME** of fun and fellowship. Please join us on Mon.,10am, Feb. 6th in the Session Room for filling each box with sweetness and love from our church family! The boxes will be mailed afterwards.
- ♥ **CONTACT** Sandra Clay, <u>sandrabclay@comcast.net</u>, or cell, 678.778.7335, with questions or for more information.

## **SEE YOU AT THE START LINE!**

On Feb. 4, 2017, an anticipated 1,500 runners will gather to the sound of bagpipes to compete in the 2017 Tartan Trot 5K/10K race. The Tartan Trot features two full loop "Peachtree qualifying" races that start and end at Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church!

## WE ARE A WALKER, STROLLER, DOG FRIENDLY EVENT!

Last year, the race hosted 1,150+ runners and raised approximately \$110,000.

These funds, along with generous donations from corporate and individual sponsors, helped St. Luke's provide financial and hands on support to many outreach partners locally and around the world.

## PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION

www.tartantrot.com

# SPLASH! CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

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

Children's Ministries kicks off the new year with a "splash"! Mark your calendars for:

**COMMUNION WORKSHOP**, Jan. 29th, 9:30-10:30am, Meet at The Dock.

Hey kids and adult volunteers, did you know that you are....

"Created by God, Built for a Purpose?"

Maker Fun Factory, VBS, June 12-15th

Join us this summer for the best ever vacation bible school!
Registration will begin soon.

# **MUSIC MINISTRY**

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

#### **CHOIR REHEARSALS ON WEDNESDAYS:**

5:00-5:45 p.m. Cherub Choir, Ages 4-5, Kelly Sloan, Director.

5:00-5:45 p.m. Westminster Choir, *Grades 1-5, Clair Maxwell, Director.* 

6:30-7:20 p.m. Festival Ringers, Youth & Adults, Clair Maxwell, Director

7:30-9:00 p.m. Chancel Choir, Youth & Adults, Clair Maxwell, Director

### INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CHOIR?

All our choirs are open ensembles with no auditions or experience required. We work with your schedule, and would enjoy having you in one of our groups! Talk to a current choir member or Clair Maxwell for more info.

### **CELEBRATE THE ARTS**

- Performing Slots Open for Chastain @ Saint Luke's on Sun., April 30 at 6:30pm.
   Contact Clair Maxwell with your interest and suggestions for participation in this event before Feb., 1.
- **Coro Voci Presents: Reflections on Love,** Sun, Feb. 12, 3pm, Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church Sanctuary. Be sure to find some time to indulge on a Sunday afternoon in February and reflect on the many facets of love.

## **ADULT MINISTRY**

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

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL** classes meet between the worship services, 9:30-10:30am 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 6:40-8:00am in the Parlor with Dan Joyce.

**DISCIPLE SERIES** The final study in the Disciple Series, *Christian Believer*, focuses on essential doctrines of the Christian faith and makes connections between the doctrine and daily living. Classes are Tuesdays, 7-9pm.

**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. Wed. at 10am in the church library.

**MOM'S GROUP**– This group (moms w/ children of all ages) meets on Wednesdays at 11am, Session Rm., through Mar. 15. We will focus on a study called, "Love Does", by Bob Goff. Questions? Contact Shannon Dill. Childcare provided for preschool age children with prior reservation– please let Shannon know by Mon. morning if childcare is needed for Wed.

# 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** – Join us in the Youth Room from 9:30-10:30am.

**YOUTH GROUP**–The Tartan Trot is almost here, so it's time to decorate the church. Join us this Sun. night from 4-6pm in the Great Hall for all youth, especially if you are going on summer trips with Saint Luke's. *We still need a few more adult volunteers*. Please let Emily know if you are available (emilywilmesherr@slpres.org)

**CONFIRMATION CLASS** -Meet upstairs in the Youth Room at 2:30-3:30pm. Please come with a parent. Please talk to Phil if you would like to participate.

**PARENTS, WE NEED YOUR HELP** We could use your help with the Middle School group. We also have a few special events that we need help with. Links to sign up are in your weekly emails.

**PLEASE NOTE**--There was a typo in the Youth Summer Packets. The actual dates for Mountain TOP are June 18th-24th.

### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

Feb. 3rd: Tartan Trot Volunteer Dinner/ Feb. 4th: Tartan Trot / Feb. 5th: No youth group Mar. 5th: Hunger Walk (all day/afternoon event)

**PAIN IN THE BACK?**—Please join Lori Szalay for a free workshop about the Gokhale Method for relieving back pain. Thur., Feb.2 at 6:30pm in the FINCH Room 203.

DODD-STERLING AND SAINT LUKE'S, DOING GOOD THINGS TOGETHER—Feb.11, 8am.

Together, we will be a part of a big deal... putting up another Habitat house! The 21st in fact! The start date is Mar. 4th. Our friends from Dodd-Sterling will be with us for Men's Breakfast on Feb. 11th to help us energize this Christian mission and become fully ready to rocket off the DOING-GOOD-THINGS-TOGETHER starting blocks. Saint Luke's women and their guests are always welcome. We need to know the number of people who are coming. Deadline for responding is Wed., Feb. 8th. Daryl Moore (H)770-395-6278, (M)404-993-6203, ddmoore@yahoo.com.

**ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION** & CORPORATION— Feb.12, immediately following the 11:00am worship service for these stated purposes: 1) Elect a new class of Elders and Deacons; 2) Report from the Financial Committee on 2016 results & 2017 budget; 3) Approve Terms of Call for Pastors; 4) Conduct any other business pertinent to the congregation.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT GROUP (MEG) — Will not meet this month. They will reconvene on Sun., Mar.19. See you then.

**MOVE INTO BETTER HEALTH**—Join us on Mon. and Wed. mornings from 8:15-9:15am for light movement and walking in the Great Hall. Led by Sally Joyce. Questions? Please feel free to email her at sallyjoyce@comcast.net.

WOMEN'S RETREAT —will be held on Mar., 3-5 in Dillard, GA. We are excited to announce our guest speaker will be Kelly Fitzgerald, who is a former intern for Saint Luke's. Join us for a weekend of fellowship, fun & spiritual growth! Registration continues through Feb. 19. Cost is \$250 (\$258 if paying online). Contact Christy Keohane at christykeohane@yahoo.com, Jenny Troha at jbtroha@bellsouth.net or Shannon Dill at shannondill@slpres.org.

COOL MOUNTAINS OF GUATEMALA—In the middle of Atlanta's summer heat, please join our Mission Team on its' summer mission in Guatemala to build a stove, visit a school & plant trees with Mayan farmers. AIR-Guatemala is a long time partner with Saint Luke's and will handle ALL of the details except airline flights. Dates are June 4th-10th & we need to know by Mar. 15 if you plan to attend. Please contact Anne.Hallum@AIRGuatemala.org for more info. We will share our faith by planting HOPE.

**MEXICO MISSION TRIP**—JULY 9-15, Make plans to be a part of our annual mission trip to the Yucatan Peninsula of Mexico! We will work with an amazing Presby. church to help them expand their growing church facility. We stay in a great little hotel, eat yummy food, and share in the joy and fellowship of serving together! This experience is open to all church members ages 6<sup>th</sup> grade & up! We fly in/out of Cancun. Contact Shannon Dill and/or attend an info. mtg. on Sun., Feb. 12, 10:15 a.m., Session Rm.

**THORNWELL MISSION TRIP**—The dates are set! July 20-22nd. The cost per adult is \$160; youth are supported by the proceeds from Tartan Trot. This year we will have to limit our size to 50 volunteers. Questions or to reserve your spot for this amazing mission trip, please contact Sally Shelton at sshelton@cwtvacatios.com or 770-396-5156.

### **CHURCH STAFF**

Senior Pastor
Associate Pastor Shannon Dill
Associate PastorPhil 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
Director of CommunicationsTina Knoedler
Facility ManagerRoby Price
TreasurerMark Rogers
Intern for Children & Youth Ministry Emily Wilmesherr
Church Administrator Pam Melton
Administrative Assistant, CE & Music Ministry Liz Catlett
Receptionist Sally Hawkins

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### **SERVING TODAY**

Acolytes: Supervisor-Cailin Thelen

Bell Ringer- Thomas Rice Bible Bearer- Mason Douglass Candle Lighter- Marshall Douglass

Crucifer- Hannah Price

Chancel Guild- Stacey Brooks

Continental Breakfast-The Zannini Family

Open/Close-Miles Young

**Lay Reader**– Katherine Robeson **Sound Crew**–Bob Burroughs

**Ushers**– Captain, Jenny Troha; Brad Troha, Emma Troha, Jack Troha, Dustin Waller, Carol Waller, Wells Waller and Cooper Waller.

### **LEADERSHIP**

Terry Nall, Clerk to Session

#### **ELDERS**

### Class of 2017:

Zachary Burroughs (youth), John Eagar, Gil Hearn, 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

#### Class of 2019:

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

### **DEACONS**

#### Class of 2017:

Sandra DuBois, Kris Hull, Caroline Hurst (youth), Joyce Kratzenberg, Stacey Brooks, Joanna Mangum, Stephen Moss, Sharon Polensek, Rebecca Strickland (Moderator), Russell Wolfe

### Class of 2018:

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

#### Class of 2019:

Melissa Blakely, Mark Douglass, A.J.Favero, Carol Hickey, Dorothy Kitchens, Richard Lawry, Carol Waller, Al Wang, Scott Zannini

