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SERVING TODAY

Chapel Guild: Sandra & Denis Dubois
Continental Breakfast: TJ & Stephanie McGoldrick
Open/Close: Roby Price

LEADERSHIP

ELDERS

Class of 2019:

Al Bridges, Beth Eisenmesser,
Sonny Jester, Bob Pile, Bob Polensek,
Terri Potter, Whitney Samuelson,
Steven Vivian, Sydney Sloan (*Youth Elder*)

Class of 2020:

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

Class of 2021:

Bob Burroughs, Steve Cashwell (*Asst.
Clerk of Session*), Tracy Coffie, Val
DeFriece, Matt Fogarty, Nael McCarty,
Todd Parker, Kristen Wescott

DEACONS

Class of 2019:

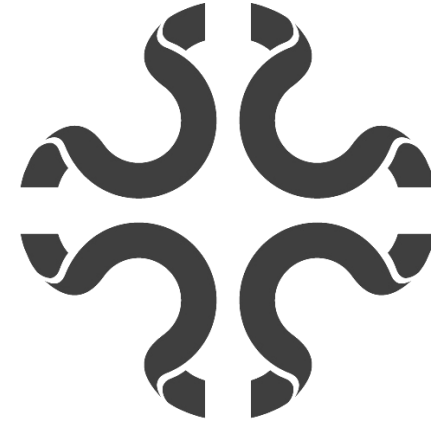
Melissa Blakely, Alyson Cohen,
Mark Douglass, A.J.Favero,
Carol Hickey, Dorothy Kitchens
(*Moderator*), Debbie Parkes, Carol
Waller, Al Wang, Rosie Coffie (*Youth
Deacon*)

Class of 2020:

Thomas Brown, Karleen Buchholz,
Jenny Cummiskey, Ron Davis, Kris Hull
(*Vice Moderator*), Daryl Moore, Emily
Ritzler, Vivian Smith, Suzanne Thatcher

Class of 2021:

Marylyn Brown, Kelda Hearn, Janis
Jones, Alan Keel, Christy Keohane, Betsy
King, Molly Naugher, Gena Spears,
Steve Wassell



SAINT LUKE’S
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February 3, 2019 8:15am



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1978 Mount Vernon Road Dunwoody, GA 30338
770.393.1424 www.slpres.org Office Hours: M-F, 8:30am-4:30pm

February 3, 2019

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Liturgical Color: Green

Liturgical colors can orient us to the season of the church year and help to engage the sense of sight in worship. Green is used for all other times not marked by specific festival or season.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:15am Chapel Communion Service

9:15am 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 Chapel where our Pastors 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 hearing devices, large print hymnals, large print bulletins 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 activity sheets and tactile activities are available on the table just outside the Chapel doors. For your convenience, there is a Family Restroom located in the administrative office's hallway, on the first floor, near the main lobby.

INFORMATION FOR ALL TARTAN TROT SUPPORTERS

RACE DAY IS FEBRUARY 23rd!

1 - REGISTER FOR THE RACE

We need runners! If you are a sponsor, please use the promo code already provided to you by email to take advantage of your complimentary race registrations! It's a perk of being a Sponsor. Use them yourself or give them away. You can register here: <https://raceroster.com/events/2019/16889/tartan-trot-5k10k>

2 - BECOME A SPONSOR OR PAY YOUR PLEDGE

There is still time to sponsor. Please feel free to do so online through Realm or using a pledge card. If you have already pledged, just a friendly reminder that you may fulfill your pledge online through Realm or you can drop a check off in the collection plate or the church office. Be sure to write "Tartan Trot 2018" in the memo line.

3 - VOLUNTEER

We can't make the Tartan Trot happen without all of the the volunteers. We have lots of opportunities outside and inside so please take a look at the sign up to find a spot or we can find one for you....

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4AABAD2BA31-tartan>

4 - CAKE & PIES

We are famous in the running world for our awards of baked goods. We need **150+** homemade pies and cakes; and are very grateful to each on of you for your willingness to keep the tradition going. Please sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAAAF22A13-2019>

5 - GIVING BACK: ATHLETIC SHOE RECYCLING - From the faithful shoes that helped you cross many finish lines to those well-loved or unused sneakers hiding in the back of the closet, it's time to let go and give them a new life. On February 17 - 24th, drop your sneakers (athletic shoes only!) in the designated bins located in the Great Hall and lobby.

ADULT MINISTRY

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

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Individual classes have begun. Please see the website for a full description of each class.
(<http://slpres.org/program-ministries/adult-ministry/sunday-school>)

Faith Foundations: Room 232

House to House: Room 203

Seasons of the Spirit: Room 231/233

Soul Food: Room 234/236

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.

In Preparation for Worship

"Prayer may not change things for you, but it for sure changes you for things."
- Samuel M. Shoemaker

Prelude

Prelude on an Anthem *Jean Langlais*

Welcome and Announcements

If you are new to Saint Luke's today, welcome, we are so glad you are here! We have a gift of fresh bread we would love to give to you as a token of our gratitude. Please introduce yourself after worship to receive your welcome gift.

Please take the time now to fill out the Friendship Pads situated at the end of each pew. Write down your names and pass the pad down the pew, so that you may greet your pew neighbors by name and that we may know you are here.

Call to Worship*

Leader: Lord, as we search now, let us find You.

People: **As we knock, open the door to us.**

Leader: Let us know You, that we may praise You.

People: **Help us love You, that we may serve You.**

Opening Hymn #450*

Be Thou My Vision

Call to Confession*

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

Prayer of Confession*

Merciful God,

Your name is holy and You have called us to be holy. You know too well the sins we try to hide from others: the unkind word, the unspoken word of grace, the harbored resentment, the hoarded resources. Forgive us, and bring us into the light of Your kingdom, so that we live in holiness, as you intend...


(Silence is kept for personal reflection.)

Leader: Lord, in your mercy.

People: **Hear our prayer. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness*

Song of Praise #673* stanza 3



With the saints we lift our voi - ces, God of pow-er, God of might. All cre - a-tion
shines with glo - ry, sing - ing prais - es day and night: Al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly light.

Passing the Peace of Christ*

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Matthew 6:7-21 pg. 5 of the New Testament

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Tell Us Our Story

Children are always welcome to stay in worship. If preferred, parents may take their child(ren) to child care in Room 114.

Sermon

"Pray The Way"

David Lower

YOUTH MINISTRY

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

FEBRUARY 3

Sunday School: 9:15-10:15am in the youth room.

No youth group due to Super Bowl festivities around the city.

Parent Retreat still has spots available. Feb 8-10, Montreat, NC. www.authenticparents.org for details and registration.

Tartan Trot is coming. Check your youth emails or the Saint Luke's website under the volunteer tab for how you can volunteer for that awesome fundraiser.

Next week, Feb 10:

Sunday school: Breakfast out

Youth group: We are in full Tartan Trot mode. We will deliver notes to the neighborhood. Parents we need help with this activity. Talk to Erin or Phil Note delivery 4:00-5:30, before it gets dark.

MUSIC MINISTRY

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

JOIN A CHOIR

There are spaces open in all our groups, and we would love having you join us:
Cherub (age 4— 1st grade): Wednesdays at 5:15pm with Catherine Anne Thomas
Westminster (2nd—5th): Wednesdays at 5:00pm with Clair Maxwell
Festival Ringers: Wednesdays at 6:30pm with Clair Maxwell
Chancel: Wednesdays at 7:30pm with Clair Maxwell

SPLASH! CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

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

TODAY! SACRAMENT SUNDAY

Today, February 3, is our final Sacrament Sunday for Communion. After Tell Us Our Story at the 10:30am worship service, our PreK through 3rd grade children are invited to the chapel for time with Shannon Dill. Parents are welcome to attend – or they may pick up children at the conclusion of 10:30 worship.

Our Baptism series will take place during the same time on March 3, April 7, and May 5.

Affirmation of Faith*

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

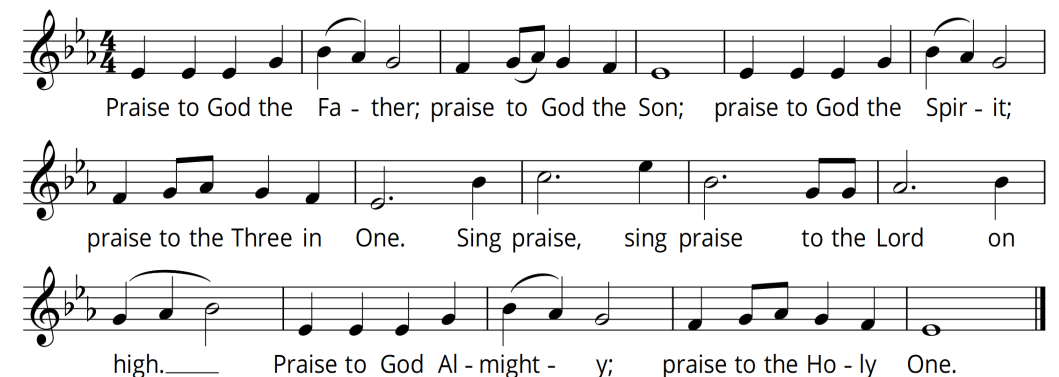
Offering Invitation

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

Chorale for Peace Jean Langlais

Song of Thanksgiving*



Praise to God the Fa - ther; praise to God the Son; praise to God the Spir - it;
praise to the Three in One. Sing praise, sing praise to the Lord on
high. Praise to God Al - might - y; praise to the Ho - ly One.

Holy Communion

Communion will be served by intinction (dipping the bread into the cup). Everyone is invited to participate in the sacrament. 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. If you would prefer to be served where you are sitting, please raise your hand.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and 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.

Words of Institution

Communion Music

Closing Hymn #465*

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Benediction*

Postlude*

Finale Anton Bruckner

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SUNDAY SPOTLIGHT:



VALENTINE BOXES: POSTAGE AND TREATS NEEDED — Donations for postage (\$8/box; leave in PW treasurer box) and treats— especially homemade baked goods such as brownies, cookies, rice crispy treats, etc.— are needed for PW Valentine boxes that will be sent to college students, military and homebound members. Homemade treats should be individually wrapped and brought to the Parlor, along with any store bought treats such as candy, popcorn, granola bars, etc., before 10 a.m. on February 11, which is when boxes will be packed. Please contact Jean Cronan, cronan39@msn.com or 770.630.8423 (cell) with questions or for more information.



NEXT SUNDAY! CELEBRATE THE OWLS —Please join us on **February 10th** for a church wide luncheon to honor the Older, Wiser, Loving Seniors (OWLS). Quentin will provide a delicious lunch following the 10:30 am service. All are welcome to attend the luncheon in the Great Hall, where we will give our favorite seniors a little extra love. The cost is \$5 a person with a \$20 family max. All seniors are free. Any questions, please contact Carol Waller at carolwaller38@hotmail.com.



MEN'S BREAKFAST ON FEBRUARY 9 at 8:00 am—Anne Hallum, director of Alliance for International Reforestation (AIR), will share updates and photos from the inspiring response of Saint Luke's and AIR after the massive eruption of Fuego Volcano in June 2018. Please RSVP to bobschultz9@icloud.com by February 6. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Tom Loftis at tomloftis01@gmail.com.



ONE WEEKEND. TWO RETREATS— It's not too late! Spots are still available for the Authentic Parents Retreat, Feb. 8-10, at Montreat, NC, and the Better Marriages Retreat, also Feb. 8-10, at Callaway Gardens. For more information, go to www.authenticparents.org and www.bettermarriagesga.org.



TODAY! SAINT LUKE'S BLOOD DRIVE — LifeSouth will be in the Great Hall from 8:00am until 1:00pm on **TODAY, February 3**. If able, please donate blood. Donors must be 17 or older (or 16 with parental consent). Please remember to bring your I.D.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT FEAST — Join us for "Dinner & Devotion" led by our pastors, from 5:45-7:00pm on Wednesday nights through March 6. Register via the SLPC web site.