

10:30 Worship Service Welcome to Saint Luke's! June 1, 2025

In Preparation for Worship

"Courage does not always roar, sometimes it's the quiet voice at the end of the day saying, I will try again tomorrow." - Mary Anne Radmacher

Prelude

Andante Giuseppe Tartini George Atwell

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship*

- Leader: Friends, we know what God desires of us:
- People: That we do justice, and love kindness, and walk humbly with God.
- Leader: We gather this morning to remind each other about that,
- People: To remember that now is always the right time to do these things.
- Leader: So with thanks in our hearts, let us worship God.

Opening Hymn* 35

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

Prayer of Confession*

Generous God, for all that sustains us;

air to breath, warmth and light, food to eat, water to drink, we offer our thanks and praise. For spiritual gifts that bind us together; one people, one body empowered for service we offer our hands and voices. For the Good News of the Gospel; healing and wholeness, freedom and justice we offer our hearts in service. Mend us, we pray, and make us new creations through the power and love of Christ, now also doing so with the silent prayers on our hearts... (a moment of silence is kept for personal prayers)

Leader: Lord, in your mercy **People: Hear our prayers. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness*

Song of Thanksgiving* 581 Glory Be to the Father

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

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Psalm 139:1-6; 13-18

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

Megan Brown

Hannah Brown

Tell Us Our Story

Catherine Anne Thomas

All children are invited to come forward for Tell Us Our Story. Afterwards, parents will walk their children to Room 120 for "Frolic" (ages PreK and K) or Room 117 for childcare (birth through 3's.) Since this is Family Worship Sunday, all elementary children will remain in worship with their families so that they may participate in Communion. Worship books and other faith formation resources are available on the worship carts and ledges in the Chapel narthex. At the conclusion of worship, any family seeking to learn more about children and communion may come to the front of the Sanctuary to learn more about communion from a pastor and receive resources to continue the conversation at home.

Sermon

Packing Courage and Leaving Fear

Apostles' Creed

Shannon Dill

Affirmation of Faith*

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.

Holy Communion

Invitation to Table

Prayers 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

The Offering

Hear My Prayer, O Lord Antonín Dvořák George Atwell

Lindsey Sanders & George Atwell

All are invited to participate in support of God's work at Saint Luke's, in one of three ways:

1) Giving envelopes, available in each pew, may be placed in the offering plates as they are passed.

2) Give online via slpres.org/giving.

3) Send a text message to 73256, starting with the keyword GIVETOSLPRES followed by the amount.

Commissioning of Habitat for Humanity Team

Closing Hymn* 695

Change My Heart, O God

Benediction*

Postlude*

Toccata Theodore Dubois George Atwell

Please join us in the church lobby for fellowship and conversation!

For the latest Saint Luke's news and information, go to <u>slpres.org</u>. If you would like to share prayer concerns, or know someone who would (with their permission), you may submit prayer requests for inclusion in the Prayer Guide by sending them to <u>prayerrequest@slpres.org</u>.