



WELCOME

to St. Lucas UCC

Transforming lives as the hands and feet of Christ since 1880

7:00 PM Worship

November 27, 2024

You are welcome and invited to join our active faith community. No matter where you are on your journey; no matter where your journey began; we want to replenish your spirit, refresh your faith and support you along the way.

Our Mission:

St. Lucas UCC unites Christians in the worship of God and affirms life-long Christian education, faithful discipleship and caring service in God's name.

Our Promise:

St. Lucas UCC members, united in Christ and led by the Holy Spirit, strive to live faithfully, grow spiritually and serve lovingly all of God's creations.



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ORDER OF WORSHIP/HAPPY THANKSGIVING

_____ * All who are able, please stand. _____

Welcome & Announcements (Hymns from Family of God)

Ringing of the Bell

Prelude

***Hymn** *Let All Things Now Living* #389

***Call To Worship**

Pastor: Make a joyful noise to the Lord.

People: Heaven and nature sings!

Pastor: Worship the Lord with gladness.

People: Jesus is our joy.

Pastor: We enter this place with joyful thanksgiving.

All: We give thanks to the Lord and bless God's name.

***We Welcome the Holy Spirit**

All: Breathe upon us, breath of God. May your Holy Spirit bring forth abundant fruit. Amen.

Scripture

Psalm 100

Sermon

Rev. George Miller

The Evening Prayer

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison)

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.

Evening Offering

Invitation to the Offering

All: We offer up our thanks for the whole planet, friends, family, and ourselves. We give our gifts in a quest for peace, wholeness, and justice for all. Amen.

***The Doxology**

All: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***The Unison Prayer of Dedication**

All: Receive our gifts, oh Holy One. Use them as you desire, making your grace and majesty known throughout the world. Amen.

Hymn *We Plow the Fields and Scatter the Good Seed

#395

***Benediction & *Postlude**

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK, DECEMBER 1—8, 2024

Sunday, Dec. 1

9:30 a.m.	Worship/First Sunday in Advent/Communion	Sanctuary
	Church School, age 3-5th Grade	Sanctuary/Social Hall
11:00 a.m.	Adult Ed	Room 18/20

Monday, Dec. 2

1:00 p.m.	Exploring God's Story Bible Study	Fireside Room
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Tuesday, Dec. 3

10:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Zoom
6:30 p.m.	Membership & Evangelism	Zoom

Wednesday, Dec. 4

6:30 p.m.	Choir Practice	Choir Room
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Thursday, Dec. 5

10:00 a.m.	Program Staff Meeting	South Narthex
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Friday, Dec. 6

Saturday, Dec. 7

5:00 p.m.	Worship	Sanctuary
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Sunday, Dec. 8

9:30 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary
	Church School, age 3—5th Grade	Sanctuary/Social Hall
11:00 a.m.	Adult Ed	Room 18/20
	Youth Trivia Night Question Writing	Youth Room

PRAYER CONCERNS

Mary Ellen Cox, Carol Huster
Allen Savat,
Scott Schmidt, Evelyn Stolz

MILITARY

Jeremi Williamson
Brandon Williamson

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ST. LUCAS UCC STAFF

Rev. George Miller	Senior Minister
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Amy Bush.....	Coordinator of Youth Ministries
Lynn Fey.....	Co-Coordinator of Youth Ministries
Trevor Follis.....	AV Technician
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Debbie Heagle.....	Administrative Assistant
Denee Bowers.....	Communications Coordinator
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