

Worship at
St. Lucas UCC
November 2, 2019
5:00 p.m.



WE ARE
THE CHURCH

ST. LUCAS UCC

*Transforming lives
as the hands and feet of Christ*

***Invitation to rise as you
are able; in body,
in spirit, in voice.**

~Please don't forget to
sign our Friendship Pads!

St. Lucas UCC

Mission Statement:

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.



St. Lucas UCC

Promise Statement:

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.

Welcome and Announcements

Ritual of Fellowship

Ringling of the Bells

Prelude

With Peace in My Soul

Paxton

*Call to Worship

Every generous act of giving is a tribute to God's love for us.

Lord, let us be people of generous and abundant gifts for others.

Be ready to listen and slow to react in anger.

Lord, prepare us to be peaceful people.

Keep your hearts and spirits ready to serve the Lord.

**Lord, open our hearts to hear and respond to your words
of life in ministries of hope and peace. Amen.**

*Hymn

For The Beauty Of The Earth

#1

*Prayer of Confession (unison)

God of justice and righteousness, your call beckons to us: to live faithful lives, to turn from wickedness, to walk in your ways; yet it is so easy to turn aside: to speak a thoughtless word, to ignore those in need, to strike out in anger, to forget your ways. Forgive us. Implant your word in our hearts, and cleanse us from all evil. By the power of your love, save our souls, that we might faithfully serve you. Amen.

*Words of Assurance

God's word has the power to save your soul. God has anointed you with gladness. You are forgiven to live in joy.

Scripture Reading

James 1:19-27, pg. 1100

The word of God for a people of God,
thanks be to God!

Sermon

The Parable of the Looking Glass Pastor Carleton

In Our Prayers

Recent Hospitalizations

Prayer Concerns

Don Beinart
Rick Diemert
Brian Heine
Phyllis Kuhns
Mike Lindner
Elsie Montgomery
Jared Naslund
Anne Sabbert
Richard Scharlott
Evelyn Stolz

Military Active & Deployed

George Butler
Jason Lee
Sean Kingsland
Jeremi Williamson

Joys & Concerns of the St. Lucas Family

Prayers of the People

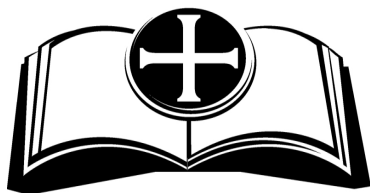
The Lord's Prayer

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.

Communion - *In Remembrance of Me*

Prayer of Thanksgiving (unison)

Bountiful God, we give thanks that you have refreshed us at your table by granting us the presence of Christ. We give thanks for this reminder of to whom we belong: you, O God, and one another. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and send us forth into the world in courage and peace, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



*Hymn

I Love To Tell The Story

#619

*Benediction

*Postlude

Choral Song

Wesley/Wells

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Thank You to All Who
Helped with Worship
this Evening.

Worship Leader

Rev. Carleton Norton

Organist

David Kuhns

Ushers

Ken & Ginny Fischer

A/V Technician

Scott Benack

Scripture Readings

James 1:19-27

¹⁹You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; ²⁰for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. ²¹Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls. ²²But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. ²³For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; ²⁴for they look at themselves and, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. ²⁵But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing. ²⁶If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. ²⁷Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. LUCAS UCC, NOVEMBER 4—NOVEMBER 10, 2019

Monday, Nov. 4

10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Fireside Room
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Tuesday, Nov. 5

4:00 p.m.	Adult Ed	Room 18/20
6:30 p.m.	Membership & Evangelism	South Narthex
7:00 p.m.	New Member Information Session	South Narthex

Wednesday, Nov. 6

9:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting	South Narthex
10:00 a.m.	Bridge	Fireside Room
11:00 a.m.	Women's Fellowship	Social Hall
6:00 p.m.	Handbells	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class	Youth Room/Room 18/20
7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Thursday, Nov. 7

11:35 a.m.	Pick-Up Chapel	Sanctuary
2:05 p.m.	Pick-Up Chapel	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m.	Cabinet Meeting	Fireside Room
7:00 p.m.	Bible Study with Pastor Kelly/Childcare in Crib Room	South Narthex
7:00 p.m.	Women's Exercise Group	Social Hall

Friday, Nov. 8

11:35 a.m.	Pick-Up Chapel	Sanctuary
2:05 p.m.	Pick-Up Chapel	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Volleyball	Social Hall

Saturday, Nov. 9

8:15 a.m.	Yoga Class	Rehearsal Hall
5:00 p.m.	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary

Sunday, Nov. 10

7:55 a.m.	Confirmation Class	Fireside Room
9:00 & 11:00 a.m.	Child Care—Birth through age 3	Room 232
9:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
	Church School, age 3—5th Grade	Sanctuary/Social Hall
	Middle School Discussion	Sanctuary/Youth Room
10:10 a.m.	Adult Ed/ <i>Bible Study using the Lectionary Reading</i>	Room 18/20
10:15 a.m.	Blood Pressure Screening	Welcome Center
10:30 a.m.	Annual Meeting	Sanctuary

