

WELCOME TO ST. LUCAS! We are glad you are here. Please fill out the *I'm Here Today* card in your worship folder and drop it in the offering plate. May our Lord bless your worship with us.

CHILDCARE AREA & RESTROOMS For families with infants & toddlers there is a nursery area in the lower church that has speakers so you may listen to the service while you attend your children. Restrooms are also in the lower church. You may access these areas via the narthex stairwell or the stairwell by the baptismal font.

MEMORIAL/HOPE CANDLES Worshipers are invited to light candles in remembrance of a loved one or of hope against some darkness in their lives. These remain lit during the service only. Prayer intention candles are under the crucifixion side hymn board main sanctuary and at the front altar lower church for Saturday worshipers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL September-May we offer Sunday School every Sunday at 9:15 am in the education building for all ages preschool—adult. All welcome.



WELCOME & HAPPY NEW YEAR! A special welcome to our guests and visitors. Please be sure to fill out an "I'm Here Today" worship registration card and place it in the offering plate.

ST. LUCAS 2016 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP CHART (8 DATES TO FILL) is on the narthex bulletin board. Please help beautify our space by signing up to sponsor flowers for a Sunday or two or three. Open dates still needed to fill are May 1, 8 & 29, Aug. 14, Oct. 16 & 30, Nov. 20.

WORD IN SEASON devotionals for January, February & March are on the narthex tables. Please take one home for your daily devotions.

ST. LUCAS FACEBOOK PAGE Have you checked out St. Lucas on Facebook yet? We encourage you to leave comments. Tell us what you would like to see featured. Listen to a favorite sermon again. Share it with friends. "Like" us so we show up on your feed automatically. The sound is so much better now that we have plugged into the sound system. Look at the pictures we have posted of St. Lucas from 1887 to present. Share your pictures of an event at St. Lucas.

THRIFT SHOP NOW OPEN ON FRIDAYS: ADDITIONAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

"The St. Lucas Thrift Shop will now be open another day each week. Our schedule is now Wednesday, Thursday, **AND FRIDAY**. The time is the same, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. We would like to hear from ladies who may be available a day or two or to fill in when there is illness or unavailability. Don't be shy, we have great ladies who would be happy to work with new Volunteers. Please talk to me or call me if you are interested. Joyce Mason 419-382-4551."

CINDY'S CORNER RAFFLE BEGINS TUESDAY Beginning this Tuesday Cindy's Corner will be selling raffle tickets for a \$100 gift card to Georgio's Restaurant. Raffle tickets will be offered at \$5. Proceeds to St. Lucas Cindy's Corner ministries.

ALTAR FLOWER PICK UP We thank Paul Babcock who picked up the altar flowers for us for years, but whose health now prevents him from continuing to do so. We also thank Janice Lydic who has been helping out, since Paul's absence, but is not able to perform the task for the long term. If you would be willing to pick up the flowers for us at Flower Market at Monroe and Promedica Parkway (near Toledo Hospital) on Saturday morning or Friday afternoons, please speak to Pastor Billmeier. If no volunteers come forward,

we have now learned that Flower Market will deliver them to us on Friday afternoon for a \$9 charge, so that altar flowers would be \$39 to place instead of the \$30 we had been accustomed to. This is still a reasonable price, when you consider that this cost has not gone up for 20 years. Thanks to all who have served and who have volunteered to place flowers for us.

FREETASTESGOOD.COM MEAL The Freetastesgood.com Sunday supper for January will be January 24th from 4-5:30pm. This is the 4th Sunday rather than the third due to schedule issues for Jamie and Joni who head the meal up.

WELCOMING SUNDAY January 31 will be "Welcoming Sunday" at St. Lucas, celebrating our "Reconciling in Christ" status as a congregation dedicated to full inclusion of all people in our life and work. This is a good Sunday to invite a friend who does not have a faith community to call home.

WALLEYE FOR LUNCH The Toledo Walleye Hockey team chef will prepare chili and team members of the Walleye will serve at the St. Lucas Cindy's Corner Café this Tuesday, Jan. 12 at noon. Thanks to Neil Neukam and Anna Ponce for helping with arrangements.



attendance

Jan 2	4:00	13
Jan 3	8:30	11
	10:30	67
	<u>Total</u>	91

THANKS BE TO GOD! For all who contributed to the Christmas Boost appeal in December and who contributed to the Pastor's Summer Appeal previously (Total received: \$12,029). Total for both appeals so far: \$28,015.

DARTBALL NEWS

The "Oxen" St Lucas Dartball season is now half completed. Our record is 9 wins & 12 losses. We are in 5th place of the 8 team league. Our current roster consist of Captains Charlie Bowes & Tim Steele, Team player of St. Lucas, George Brasel, Russ Wells, and Holy Trinity's Dean Weygandt. Friends of St. Lucas: Jim Fedor, Glenn & Robb Collins, Matt Potts, Tom Geraghty, Kevin Hejnicky, Correy Samuelson, Barb Fedor, Melvin Smith & Paul Schmidit. The second half of the begins this Monday, Dec 21, 2015 at home vs St. John's #2. Anyone interested in participating, or just wanting to observe is welcome.

A BIG THANKS to all those who stayed last Saturday and Sunday after church to help with the task of taking down the Christmas decorations. "Many hands make light work."

BIG THANKS II Thanks also to Ron Lang and Rob Dael for accompanying hymns on trumpet for the Advent and Christmas seasons. We are blessed to have so many talented musicians at St. Lucas, are we not?



prayer list

HOSPITALIZED

Recovering at Home
Roy Deeds

VISITATION LIST
rarely out/unable to
attend church

LOIS BENING, BILL COTTLE, RUTH FOX, PAT GOEBLE, BILL GRANGER, CARL & JUDY HISCHKA, JAMES HOCH, CHERYL JONES, HELEN NOSTRANT, MARILYN POCKMIRE, CARL & ALICE RITTER

ST. LUCAS THANKSGIVINGS
FOR ALL THOSE WHO GAVE TO THE
CHRISTMAS BOOST APPEAL



altar flowers

ARE GIVEN TO THE
GLORY OF GOD IN LOV-
ING MEMORY OF BRADY

SIKORSKI'S JAN. 11 BIRTHDAY BY
KEN SIKORSKI & DAN MARKLEY

memorials/honor gifts

GENERAL FUND

NONE

GENERAL FUND REPORT

NOV. 1 BAL.	\$(37,261.85)
RECEIPTS	28,710.95
DISBURSEMENTS	(15,376.98)
NOV. 30 BAL.	(23,927.88)
BAL. LAST YEAR	(23,607.16)

sunday school window fund gifts

Phil Chambers	5.00
George Pfaff & Steve Hudson	5.00
Barb Beaverson	2.00
Bill Reddington	5.00

cindy's corner gifts

Allan Gilmore*	100.00
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*Through Buckeye Cable Community

Sunday School Window Fund

Loan Amount	\$56,000.00
<u>Donations to date</u>	20,244.00
Remaining Goal	35,755.50

organ fund gifts

Phil Chambers	5.00
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christmas boost appeal

Previous Balance	15,036.00
<u>Received This Week</u>	950.00
To Date Total	15,986.00



CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

The St. Lucas church council meets this Tuesday at 7pm. Thanks to Lee Jagodzinski and Theresa Johnson who have gone off council and welcome to Jason Slough, Alan Langevin and Georgia Steele who are coming on council in 2016. Installation of council members will take place at all services the weekend of Jan. 24.

St. Lucas This Week at a Glance

S 10 BAPTISM OF JESUS 8:30 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship	M 11 Office closed 10am AA Meeting	T 12 Office Open 9-3 9:30-12:00 Cindy's Corner Outreach 12-1:00 Cindy's Corner Cafe 7:00 Church Council	W 13 Office Open 9-3 9:00 Prop. Team at work 9:30 Property Mtg. 9:30-12:00 Cindy's Corner Outreach 9:30-11:30 Thrift Shop 11:45 Chapel 12-1:00 Cindy's Corner Cafe 6:00 Catechism Class	Th 14 Office Open 9-3 9:30-12:00 Cindy's Corner Outreach 9:30-11:30 Thrift Shop 10:00 AA Meeting 10-Noon Free Bread Ministry 12-1:00 Cindy's Corner Cafe 7:30 Choir Practice	F 15 Office Open 9-3 9:30-11:30 Thrift Shop 7:00 AA Meeting	Sa 16 4:00 Worship	S 17 2ND SUN. AFTER EPIPHANY 8:30 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship
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