

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.



WEDNESDAY LENTEN SUPPER SCHEDULE

	Soup	Salad
Mar. 2	Sandy Harden/Diane Porter	
Mar. 9	Kathryn Maddox/Kathryn Maddox	
Mar. 16	Lorraine Willoughby/Lorraine W.	

We need folks to bring in their soup/salad dishes by 5:30 on Wednesday so we can set up for the supper at 6:00. **This week potato soup.**

LENTEN COIN FOLDERS are available for Lenten almsgiving, “a quarter a day” for the 40 days of Lent. This year the folder donations will go to the St. Lucas Cindy’s Corner ministries.

EASTER BASKETS FOR FAMILIES IN NEED The Community Ministry Team is preparing Easter baskets for families in need. If you know a family in need, or need help yourself, please write the names and addresses on the back of your *I'm Here Today* card. Donations from the congregation toward the Easter food bags are most welcome. \$10 for groceries, \$20 for a ham. A bag of candy would be great too. Please use a pew envelope, mark it Easter Baskets and drop it in the offering plate. We'll have a box in narthex for candy received.

LUTHERAN MINISTRIES OF MERCY ANNUAL MEETING Mar. 14, 2016 at Hilton Garden Inn, 5665 Levis Commons Blvd., Perrysburg. Registration 5:00, Dinner 6:00, Keynote by Charlotte Haberaedker, pres. & ceo of Lutheran Services in America. If you would like to represent St. Lucas please speak to Pastor. Luth. Ministries of Mercy oversees the Filling Memorial Home of Mercy, Luth. Social Services and Luther Home of Mercy. The 2 homes serve the developmentally differently abled.

EASTER FLOWERS See the insert this weekend to help decorate the church for Easter. Proceeds to the St. Lucas youth group. Deadline to order Mar. 14.

TOLEDO LUTHERAN COLLEAGUES meeting of the Toledo Conference of Lutheran congregations is at St. Lucas this Thursday, Mar. 3 with this schedule:

9:00	Gathering & refreshments in the Sunday School Community Room
9:30-10:30	Worship in the Sanctuary
10:30-Noon	Program: Pastor Jim Martin Update on the Synod Appeal
Noon	Lunch at Cindy’s Corner Café

LENTEN WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Wednesdays Mar. 2, 9, 16

Noon	Midday Prayer & Communion
12:45pm	Lunch with Cindy’s Corner
6-6:30pm	Soup/Salad Supper
7:00pm	Holden Evensong Service

Wed. Sermon Series:

Our Faith Expressed in the Psalms

Mar. . 2	Individual Lament, Trust & Thanksgiving Psalms
Mar. 9	Royal Psalms
Mar. 16	Psalms That Teach

Parking lot monitored for the evening services.

INVITATION FROM PASTOR FOR A LENTEN FAST & PRAYER DAY

On Friday from 8am to 4pm. Here are three prayer intentions to make as part of the fast: (1) for St. Lucas and our ministries (2) make an intention for our Northwestern Ohio Synod of the ELCA as we elect a new bishop in May at our Synod Assembly, and (3) have an intention for peace to prevail on the earth, especially in the Middle East, that Muslims, Jews and Christians there will join together and become a powerful force for peace. When you miss the thing you are giving up go to God with your three intentions. Spend 10 to 15 minutes in focused prayer sometime during the 8 to 4 time period.

ADDRESS BOOK CORRECTIONS There is a large edition of the upcoming new address book on the narthex tables. Please review your information and make corrections and additions, so we have your info correct for the new directory.

PRAYER MOVIE We received this notice from Julie Alley. The movie *War Room: Prayer is a Powerful Weapon* will be shown at Bethel Lutheran Church at 1853 South Ave. on Sunday Feb. 28 at 1pm. Join us for a prayer journey after the movie. Open until 9pm Saturday and 5pm Sunday. Bring a Bible, a journal and an open heart to hear God speak to you. Free admission. Questions? Call Julie 419-270-3488.



attendance

Sat.	Feb 20	4:00	16
Sun.	Feb 21	8:30	15
		10:30	65
Lenten Wed.		Total	96
Feb. 24			
Noon	13		
7:00	25		
Total	38		



altar flowers

ARE GIVEN TO THE
GLORY OF GOD BY RICK

CHARCHOL & JASON SLOUGH IN
LOVING MEMORY OF
MARY CHARCHOL

memorials/honor gifts

TO GENERAL FUND

In memory of...

Marilyn Pockmire given by

Roy & Vicki Deeds 20.00

Bevars & Mary Mabry 25.00

Marcia Clark given by

Roy & Vicki Deeds 20.00

Bruce Stine given by

Roy & Vicki Deeds 20.00

sunday school window fund gifts

Phil Chambers 5.00

George Pfaff & Steve Hudson 10.00

Bill Kahlenberg 10.00

Sunday School Window Fund

Loan Amount \$56,000.00

Donations to date 20,397.00

Remaining Goal 35,602.50

organ fund gifts

Phil Chambers 5.00

GENERAL FUND REPORT

JAN. 1 BAL. \$ (248.92)

RECEIPTS 26,158.97

DISBURSEMENTS (18,747.82)

JAN. 31 BAL. 7,660.07

JANUARY GENERAL FUND

REPORT We praise God that for the first time in recent memory St. Lucas finished January with a surplus! Give thanks to God!

DARTBALL SCHEDULE

Feb. 29 St. Mark's

Mar. 7 Tournament @ St. John's

Mar. 21 Trinity

Apr. 04 Make-ups or play offs

Apr. 18 Dartball Banquet @ St. L.

LUTHERAN MARRIAGE

ENCOUNTER sponsors a unique

Weekend for any Christian couples

who value their marriage and understand that a growing marriage takes

nurture and attention. The LME

Weekend offers you the chance to

focus on each other in an encouraging and safe environment. The next

one takes place April 15-17 at the

comfortable Fairfield Inn & Suites,

Beachwood (or another November

11-13 at the historic Hotel Millersburg in Holmes County). For

either, contact Registrars Duffy &

Nan Guthrie at 440/599-9090 or

nguthrie@suite224.net to ask questions, or go online to

www.GodLovesMarriage.org. At the

end of the Weekend you will be

asked for a confidential contribution. (By the way, scholarships are available, even for the \$100 reservation

fee, just ask the Guthries about them.) **WHAT DOES A MARRIAGE**

ENCOUNTER WEEKEND DO

FOR COUPLES? In 2010, a survey

was sent out to couples who had attended a Worldwide Marriage

Encounter Weekend (of any faith expression). Over 2000 people

replied online, and here are some of the key statistics: 97% rated the

Weekend as Excellent or Good 73% said that the Weekend changed

their relationship with the church and that they decided to become

more active in the church afterwards 90% have encouraged a relative

to attend.



prayer list

HOSPITALIZED
ST. LUKE'S JIM HOCH
(RELEASED)

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, CARL & ALICE RITTER

ST. LUCAS THANKSGIVINGS
LENTEN SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

March 19 Palm/Passion Day

4:00pm Worship

March 20 Palm/Passion Day

8:30am Worship

10:30am Worship

March 24 Maundy Thursday

Noon Worship

7:00pm Worship

March 25 Good Friday

11:00am CROSS Walk from
St. Lucas

Noon CROSS Worship @
St. Lucas

8:00pm Tenebrae Service

(Service of Shadows)

March 26 Holy Saturday

4pm Easter Vigil Service

March 27 Easter Sunday

8:30am Worship

9:00am Easter Breakfast

10:30am Worship

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME begins March 13.

SYMPATHY & PRAYERS for those who mourn the death of Bob Arquette. Bob was formerly a member of St. Lucas serving as an usher and coach for youth sports. He was also an advocate for those with mental illness. He passed on Jan.24.

SPRING is only 21 days away.

St. Lucas This Week at a Glance

S 28 Lent III 8:30 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship 1:00 Prayer Movie @ Bethel.	M 29 Office closed 10am AA Meeting 7:00 Dartball @ First St. Mark	T 1 Office Open 9-3 9:30-12:00 Cindy's Corner Outreach 12-1:00 Cindy's Corner Café	W 2 Office Open 9-3 9:00 Prop. Team 9:30-12:00 Cindy's Corner Outreach 9:30-11:30 Thrift Shop NOON Lenten Worship 12-1:00 Cindy's Corner Café 6:00 Lenten Supper 7:00 Lenten Evensong 8:00 Choir Rehearsal	Th 3 Office Open 9-3 9-Noon Toledo Luth. Colleagues @ St. Lucas 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	F 4 Office Open 9-3 8-4 Lenten Fast 9:30-11:30 Thrift Shop 7:00 AA Meeting	Sa 5 4:00 Worship	S 6 Lent IV 8:30 Worship 9:15 Sunday School 10:30 Worship
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