



You Are Invited to the St. Luke's In-Person Sunday Morning Service Sunday morning at 9:00am If you are unable or prefer to join us on Zoom, we will send you a Zoom invitation through email. If you are not receiving the email, please send the office an email.



ST. LUKE'S WEEKLY SERVICES

Sundays Tuesdays Wednesdays Thursdays Morning Prayer at 9 AM Evening Prayer at 5 PM Bible Study at 10 AM Evening Prayer 5PM "Unless the grain of wheat falls to the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much fruit." John 12:24

SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE THANK YOU FOR SERVING THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO ARE SERVING ON SUNDAY, MARCH 17

PRESIDER: THE REV. RICHARD ROLLEFSON FIRST LESSON AND PSALM: KATHY HANSEN SECOND LESSON: JUDY LEWIS USHER GREETERS: MARY GRUBER & ANN HOLLEY

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO ARE SERVING ON SUNDAY, MARCH 24

Presider: The Řev. Caro Hall Musician: Laura DeLoye First Lesson and Psalm: Leann Brooks Second Lesson: Kathy Hansen Usher Greeters: Leann Brooks & Colton





ST. LUKE'S SPRING CALENDAR All Church Workday 9 a.m. - noon March 16 March 17 Rev. Richard Rollefson, presiding Lenten Study after coffee hour March 23 All Church Workday 9 a.m. - noon Palm Sunday Service - Rev. Caro Hall, presiding March 24 March 27 Tenebrae 7:00 p.m. at St. James March 28 Maundy Thursday 7:00 p.m. at St. James March 29 Good Friday Liturgy with Stations of the Cross noon at St. James Good Friday Liturgy 7:00 p.m. at St. James March 30 The Great Easter Vigil 8:00 p.m. at St. James March 31 Easter Sunday Service -- Rev. Karen Siegfriedt, presiding April 7 Rev. Karen Siegfriedt, presiding Community Wide Yard Sale April 20 May 17 & 18 Plant Sale St. Luke's Community Feast June 2

JOIN US FOR EVENING PRAYER



This is a wonderful way to bookend your day with a varied and brief service every

Tuesday and Thursday at 5:00 PM. You may use the link available on the St. Luke's website (www.stlukesatascadero.com) or use any Zoom Evening Prayer invite you have on file. We welcome you to join us.

Got Newsletter Articles? Please send them to Kathy Hansen <u>Rubykat710@att.net</u> Put "Newsletter" in the subject line. The deadline for each week is

Tuesday evening.

LENT AT ST. LUKE'S 2024



The Lenten Study continues next Sunday. Please join us for a video and then a discussion on the topic. Last week we were finished by 10:30.

Grab your hot drink and join us in the Sanctuary to watch short videos from the National Church. Life transformed- the way of love in Lent, Lenten Study will be shown on March 17.





To everything there is a season... THIS is the time to plant (for the plant sale) May 17-18

Plant your vegetables, flowers, take your cuttings and dig your seedlings to prepare for our annual plant sale. Proceeds will be split between our Capital Fund and our outreach partners; Atascadero Loaves and Fishes and Center for Family Strengthening (formerly Transitional Food and Shelter)

To kick off the sale, Jeanne's blooming bulbs will be available soon.



Clothes needed for Echo. There is still a need for warm clothes for the homeless. Please place in container in narthex and they will be delivered to Echo.

Work Days March 16 and 23



Please join us for some spring clean-up on Saturday March 16 from 9-12. Bring your gloves, clippers, trowel and a smile. There will be coffee, doughnuts and fruit in the office to fuel your energy. Joe and I will have a list of things to be done. Mary will be caring for the roses and if you would like to help her please let her know. We have chosen two weekends and hope that you can come to help. Many hands make light work. Questions? Call Ann at 805-400-9406.



TREATS FOR THE EASTER EGG HUNT



On Easter Sunday, March 31 we will have an Easter Egg Hunt for the children. If you would like to help the Easter Bunny, please bring decorated eggs or small wrapped candies, stickers or tiny toys in plastic eggs to church by Sunday morning. Leave them in the undercroft so The Bunny can hide them during the service. This is a perfect time to invite friends with children to enjoy the fun at St. Luke's.



ST. LUKE'S CHRISTMAS BAZAAR 2024

We will keep the long standing tradition of having a Christmas Bazaar again this year. This is a wonderful way for our St. Luke's family to come together and share our time and gifts of crafts, baking, canning, etc. I will need and appreciate you help to make it another successful fundraising project.

I am open to any suggestions and ideas for new items to add to our sale. If you see something while you are out and about, please take a picture and send it to me and we can see if one of us is able to make it.

I really will need all of the help that I can get.

Thank you with love and God's help. Janice Hickok



DONATIONS FOR GET ON THE BUS



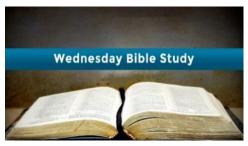
Last Sunday we enjoyed a wonderful presentation by Katie and Gabby of Get on the Bus. Katie told us how much the annual trips to visit parents in prison mean to children who otherwise may not get to see their mothers or fathers for years on end. The Get on the Bus event for SLO County this year will happen in April. We have just enough time to help with the event by taking a collection of needed supplies. Gabby told us that they have not yet gotten donations of beverages for the families as they travel and when they are at the prison. We will have a box in the back of the church for donations of bottled water, juice, sodas, etc. from this week through the 7th of April. Please bring beverages if you wish to help in this way.



If you need to leave something for Sylvia, please leave it on the desk. You can add a note or send her an email to give additional information. Please don't leave items inside of the drawers. Thank you for helping communication go smoothly.



SMALL GROUP STUDIES



Bible Study has resumed! St. Luke's Bible Study Group meets Wednesday mornings at 10:00 a.m. – call Holly Cooper for the meeting location.



Gather with Taizé Music Sunday Evenings at 7:00 pm If interested and would like an invitation to attend, please send an email to <u>castlewoodr6@gmail.com</u> to get on the list.

THE BIDDING BOOK & PRAYER REQUESTS



Over the past several years the parish prayer list has experienced an enormous growth. This warms the heart. The issue has become how to most effectively offer these prayers during our worship services over the course of a week. So effectively offer our intercessions and

thanksgivings we will do the following;

During the Sunday services we will pray only for those who are listed in the bidding book (which you will find on the podium at the back of the church) and from the 'chat' on Zoom. During Evening Prayer on Tuesdays and Thursdays we will offer our prayers using the parish prayer list which is managed by the Daughters of the King. This prayer list is updated and refreshed on a regular basis.

We are grateful for the faithfulness of the community in praying for those in need.

We will review this practice of sharing our corporate prayer concerns on a regular basis.