

## St. Luke Announcements

New to St. Luke? Welcome! We're glad you're here! St. Luke is a church of hope and help and we welcome all. Interested in membership or learning more about St. Luke? Fill out our Connect Card (located in the entrance) and put it in the offering plate or contact directly with Pastor Eric by email: [anspachh2002@gmail.com](mailto:anspachh2002@gmail.com) or our office email: [office@stlukegoodhue.org](mailto:office@stlukegoodhue.org) or phone: 651-998-7106

## Youth & Families

**Online Giving:** Interested in signing up for online giving or making a one time donation? Scan this QR code with your smartphone or visit <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZHX5> for a direct link to St. Luke Church's secure giving site.



**Palm Sunday Brunch TODAY:** All are invited to join us for brunch today following worship!

**Holy Week Schedule:** Join us for Holy Week worship! Maundy Thursday Worship March 28th and Good Friday Worship March 29th, both at 6:45pm. Easter Sunday Worship March 31st, 7am at Zion Church (18910 360th St., Goodhue) and 9:30am at St. Luke Church.

**No Sunday School:** We will not meet for Sunday school on Easter morning, March 31. Join us for an egg hunt at 9am.

**Easter Egg Hunt:** All children are welcome to join us for an Easter egg hunt at 9AM on Easter morning, March 31st. Parents are encouraged to attend with their children and enjoy refreshments in the fellowship hall.

**Confirmation 2024:** Confirmation/Edu-Worship is at 6:45pm every Wednesday (unless noted). Pizza is available for students each Wednesday starting at 5:30pm. We will not meet on Wed, March 27th.

**8th Grade Confirmand Info:** On Wednesday, April 24th at 6pm our 2024 confirmands will have their photos taken prior to worship. Order forms will be available that evening. Sunday, May 12th is Confirmation Sunday during our regular 9:30am worship service.

**SWAG 9-12th Graders:** 9-12th graders are invited to join us every Wed. night (unless noted) for a meal from 6:45-7:30pm, and SWAG group from 7:30-8:30pm. We will not meet on Wed, March 27th.

**All Congregation Edu-Worship:** Edu-Worship is at 6:45pm each Wednesday evening (unless noted). All are welcome to join us for mid-week worship! We will not meet on Wed, March 27th.

**5th Grade First Communion:** First Communion Sunday for our 5th graders is April 14th.

**Seniors - O'Reilly Scholarship:** St. Luke High School seniors are encouraged to apply for the O'Reilly Scholarship. The deadline is April 15th. An email was sent out last week with details and the application form. If you need another copy sent please contact the office.

**Confirmation Feed My Starving Children Details:** On Wednesday, April 17th at 5pm our Confirmation students will depart from St. Luke's for FMSC in Eagan and return around 10pm. Save the date!

**AV & Sound Team Volunteers:** We're looking for more volunteers for both our AV Team & Sound Team. Please contact the office or Pastor Eric if you are interested or have questions.

**Zion Summer Worship:** St. Luke is discerning which night fits best for our summer Zion worship service, Wednesday night or Thursday night (7pm). If you are a regular attender of Zion summer worship services or plan to attend Zion summer worship services please take the survey by using this QR code or by visiting <https://forms.gle/JCAq1bL8RzLBmDyW6> This survey will be open until tomorrow, March 25th.



**Sunday School Snacks:** Each week we offer snacks during Sunday school. To help cover the cost, we are asking for donations. Goldfish crackers, animal crackers, & already popped popcorn are our favorites! Donations can be labeled & placed in the church kitchen. Thank you for your continued support!

**The Decor Team:** A team from St. Luke is working hard to beautify the new spaces in our church over the next few months. We gently ask that no new furnishings, wall-hangings, or other decor items find their way into our new spaces while the Decor Team does this good work on behalf of our church. Thank you!

**High School Ministries Facilitators called!** Jacob & Rachel McNamara will be our High School Ministries Facilitators starting on July 28th. Together they will share this position. Rejoice and thank Jacob & Rachel for this new partnership in ministry!

## Connect

**ABC Bible Study (Adult Bible Study Community!):** All are welcome to join us for ABC Bible study! We will meet every Sunday (unless noted) from 8:30-9:15am in Family Room at church. This Bible study is a great way for adults to grow in faith & life together! \*We will not meet next Sunday, Easter morning.

**2024 Goodhue Volksfest 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament:** Do you love basketball? Love getting some exercise with good friends? Join our Volksfest 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament happening on Saturday, June 8th! This tournament is open for kids going into grade 4 through adults. Registration forms and details can be found in St. Luke's narthex, by contacting Tara at [office@stlukegoodhue.org](mailto:office@stlukegoodhue.org) or by going to St. Luke's website (use this QR code or look under the teal St. Luke tab on the website).



**Women's Book Club/Bible Study:** Starting Sunday, April 7th at St. Luke Church there will be a weekly Book Club/Bible Study on Sunday evenings. We will be reading/studying "The Women of The Bible Speak" which you can purchase on Amazon. At 5pm we will gather for potluck, 5:30pm discussion begins and 7pm wrap things up. Join when you can. Childcare will be provided.

**4H Bingo:** TODAY come and support your local Happy Go Lucky 4H club and play Bingo from 1-4pm at the Bellechester Community Center. Food available for purchase.

**Goodhue Education Foundation Spring Auction:** All are welcome to join on April 14th at the Goodhue School gym #1 from 11:30-1pm for the GEF silent auction, free carnival games, bounce house and food! The live auction starts at 1:15pm with lots of great items to bid on!

## Serve

**Southeast Minnesota Synod Annual Synod Assembly Invitation:** It is the privilege and duty of our church to lend our voice to the direction & ministry of the SE MN Synod of the ELCA. St. Luke has the privilege of sending two representatives to the Annual Synod Assembly on May 11th in Mankato. Interested in representing St. Luke? Please contact Pr. Eric ([anspachh2002@gmail.com](mailto:anspachh2002@gmail.com)) or Tara in the office ([office@stlukegoodhue.org](mailto:office@stlukegoodhue.org)).

**Christian Care Team:** Please send us your prayer requests through phone call, email or in-person. Our team: Susie Matthees, Sharon Pagel, Courtney Meyer, Kristin Diercks, Jennifer Rehder, Sheila Pasch, Sue Majerus, Christie Hanson, Jolene Mann, and Jacki Ebner. Email: [careteam@stlukegoodhue.org](mailto:careteam@stlukegoodhue.org) Ph: 651-998-7106.

**Food Shelf Donations:** Donations of non-perishable foods or basic necessities are welcomed. Cash donations are also welcomed & can be placed in the offering plate during worship. A collection bin is located in the narthex at church.

**Helping Hands Service Team:** "Helping Hands" is a group of St. Luke members ready to help members of our community who are in need of assistance due to limited resources or mobility. If you or someone you know is in need of a "Helping Hand" please contact Tara in the church office (651-998-7106, [office@stlukegoodhue.org](mailto:office@stlukegoodhue.org)) or Pr. Eric, (612-834-2149, [anspachh2002@gmail.com](mailto:anspachh2002@gmail.com)). If it is an immediate need, please contact Pastor at 612-834-2149. Examples but not limited to: grocery delivery, gutter cleaning, appt. rides, yard work, bird feeder refill, etc.

**Powerful Tools for Caregiver Class:** This is a workshop designed to help caregivers develop self-care tools and strategies to better manage the unique challenges facing them. All are invited. Registration required by March 27th to Jessica 507-287-2047 Ext. 133 or [jmollison@ccsommn.org](mailto:jmollison@ccsommn.org). Wednesday's April 3-May 8 from 9:30-11am at Goodhue Living 108 Cty 9 Blvd Goodhue. Free of charge. Space is limited.

**Blessing Barn:** Our Blessing Barn has been replenished with supplies and is staying at our old church location. The new owners have approved this and the Outreach team will keep it stocked. Take what you need and give what you can! Self care items such as deodorant, shampoo, toothbrushes/paste; cleaning items like laundry soap, dish soap; & baby care items are most needed. If you have donations drop them off in the church office.

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**Sunday Worship: 9:30AM**

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**Sunday School Coordinator: Nicole Wananda · Faith Formation Facilitators: Jacob & Rachel McNamara**