

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 or our office email: 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.



All Congregation Edu-Worship: All are welcome to join us for Edu-Worship every Wednesday (unless noted) at 6:45pm. *We will not meet Feb. 19th.

Confirmation/Edu-Worship: Confirmation students are welcome to come for a pizza dinner each Wednesday (unless noted) at 5:30pm before 6:45pm Edu-Worship. Edu-Worship is every Wednesday (unless noted) at 6:45pm.

SWAG 9-12th Graders: SWAG group meets on Wednesday evenings 7:30-8:30pm, with an optional meal at 6:45pm. All are welcome to join!

Offering Counters Needed! We are currently looking for volunteers to count the offering on Sunday mornings after worship. This is a rotational schedule and we will train you! Contact the office with questions or to sign up.

Join the Tech Team! We are looking for volunteers to join our Tech Team. No prior skills needed, you will be trained on how to record Sunday morning worship services. Contact the office with questions or to sign up.

Kitchen Donation: The church kitchen is in search of approximately 10-12 place settings of good dishes/china. Please contact Sue Majerus if you have donations 651-764-0152.

Camp Wapo 4th-9th Graders: Current 4th-9th graders who are interested in going to Camp Wapo July 27th-August 1st, registration opens January 15th and the sign up deadline is February 15th. Sign up on the camp website using this QR code. Cost is \$700 per person (financial assistance is available if needed). Activities include capture the flag, swimming, arts and crafts, canoeing, gaga ball, soccer, basketball, dodgeball, Bible studies, etc.



Sunday School Family Day: Our Sunday school families (mom, dad, and siblings) are invited to join us on Sunday, February 9th at 8:30am for doughnuts and an activity. The activity this month is called the "1 John 4:19 Challenge". We will be discussing different ways to receive & share God's love in the family & then there will be a SUPER fun take home challenge that the whole family is sure to enjoy!!!

Broomball: All ages are invited to join us for a game of broomball at Ben and Peggy Zillgitt's home on Sunday, February 16th at 2pm. We'll be playing broomball on their pond. Please plan to dress warm and wear good boots. All other equipment will be provided.

SAVE THE DATE - First Communion & Class: First Communion Class will take place on March 9th following worship, for our 5th graders. Sunday, April 6th during 9:30am worship will be First Communion recognition.

SAVE THE DATE - Confirmation: Confirmation Sunday is May 11th during worship for our 8th graders.

Rice Lake State Park Church Fishing/Camping Trip Organizational Meeting: An organizational meeting to talk about food, gear, and other planning details for St. Luke's camping/fishing trip (May 15-17) will take place on Sunday, March 16th right after worship. If you're going on the trip, please plan on attending this meeting.

Understanding PTSD & Veterans in Crisis Presentation: Dr. Steve Lansing & Lake City coauthor B. Wayne Quist will present their new book, "Veterans in Crisis" on Sun, March 2nd from 6-7:30pm at St. Luke Church. The public is welcome for this important community service event on post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) & suicide prevention. Dr. Lansing is a top specialist in PTSD, a licensed mental health counselor, & a retired veteran of the U.S. Air Force. Dr. Lansing's presentation will provide valuable info for veterans, first responders, & all people affected by PTSD (from military service or otherwise), & their caregivers. His talks are designed for the general public, easy to understand & often humorous. No registration necessary, all are welcome at 6pm on March 2nd.

March Faith Formation Food Shelf Challenge: March is National Food Share Month. For the Sundays of March 2nd through March 23rd St. Luke's Sunday school, Confirmation Ministry, and SWAG Ministry will participate in a friendly Food Shelf Competition on behalf of the Zumbrota Food Shelf. Each group is invited to bring non-perishable food items to church from Sunday, March 2nd through Sunday, March 23rd. After church on March 23rd a determination will be made on which group brought in the most food. That group will be awarded an Ice-Cream Bar on Sunday, March 30th, during our regular Sunday school time, to be served by the two groups that did not win. All are welcome to participate. When you bring food in, please make sure to designate which group it's for.

Moving With the Spirit February Classes: Join Maggie Voth for Faith + Fitness classes! We will be doing mobility/strength/cardio movement while also digging into a specific scripture each class. All fitness levels welcome - there will be options/modifications! All are welcome so bring a friend! Please bring an exercise mat if you have one. Additional optional items: light dumbbells and/or resistance band. Classes will take place in the Fellowship Hall at St. Luke. Each class is 1 hour long which includes warm-up and cool-down. Cost: \$8/class (cash/check/Venmo/PayPal). Payment can be made at class. Registration is required - please scan QR code.

Saturday, February 8 from 8:30-9:30 a.m. Monday, February 10 from 4:45-5:45 p.m.
Monday, February 17 from 4:45-5:45 p.m. Tuesday, February 25 from 5:00-6:00 pm



Seniors - O'Reilly Scholarship: St. Luke High School seniors are encouraged to apply for the O'Reilly Scholarship. The deadline is April 15th. Scan this QR code to download the application from St. Luke's website.



Connect

Couples in Christ Small Group: Couples in Christ will be holding a Bible study called Growing a Strong Marriage for 4 consecutive weeks on February 9th from 11-1pm, Feb. 16, 23 and March 2 from 5-7pm at St. Luke (the March 2nd gathering will be at an alternate location). Our focus will be on the biblical foundations of marriage along with spiritual growth in our relationships with Christ and our spouses. Space is limited, so please RSVP to Ross & Susie Matthees at church, or phone 651-764-5833, or at susie.breuer@hotmail.com.

Tea Party! Dressed to a Tea! Invite your friends to join us for an afternoon steeped in friendship and tradition, dress up, decorate a table, view vintage clothing displays, and enjoy your tea party! Saturday, April 12th at 2pm in St. Luke's Fellowship Hall. School age and above are welcome! Cost is \$25 per person. Tables seat up to 8 people. To reserve a table and get the info needed to decorate your tea table please contact Karen O'Reilly at 651-347-2044 or Sharon Buck at 651-380-1125. Deadline to reserve a table and sign up your guests at the table is April 4th.

Aging but Dangerous: Aging But Dangerous is a group for anyone who is older today than they were yesterday. That's everyone! Our next gathering will be February 13th in the church fellowship hall from 5-7pm & will continue on the 2nd Thursday of each month throughout the school year. We'll start with a meal & then Scripture study & prayer. Bring a dish to pass if you'd like. Questions or for a ride, contact Jeff & Harriet 651-764-3172 or Jim & Vickie 507-358-5750.

ABC Bible Study (Adult Bible Study Community!): All are welcome to join us for ABC Bible study! We meet every Sunday (unless noted) from 8:30-9:15am in the Family Room at church year round. This Bible study is a great way for adults to grow in faith & life together!

Church Quilting: All are welcome to join to us for quilting in the fellowship hall! The quilters will continue to meet the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month from 9:30-12pm through the month of April. Contact Bev O'Reilly with questions.

Griefshare: Griefshare, a Christian grief support group, will be beginning a new session beginning Tuesday, February 4th from 6:30-8:00pm at First Covenant Church in Red Wing. Registration is appreciated so that an adequate supply of workbooks are available. Register online at griefshare.org (find a group) or call Doris Wenzel 651-380-3402.

Serve

Meal on Wheels Help Needed: Volunteer drivers are needed Monday-Friday from 10:15-11:15am. For more info. or to sign up contact David Kujawa at 507-321-0404 or dkujawa@threeriverscap.org

Serve with the Zumbrota Food Shelf: The Zumbrota Food Shelf is looking for volunteers to serve on the Food Shelf Board or as a Food Shelf volunteer. Interested? Contact Craig Nord (nord812.cnc@gmail.com) or Ron or Jan Horsman (507-732-7527).

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. Hours and info is on their website: <https://www.findfoodgoodhuecounty.com/find-food-zumbrota>

Christian Care Team: Please send us your prayer requests through phone call, email or in-person. Our team: Sharon Pagel, Courtney Meyer, Kristin Diercks, Jennifer Rehder, Grace Buck, Sue Majerus, Christie Hanson, Jolene Mann, Amy Jenson, Tiffany Gadiant, Melanie Lodermeier and Jacki Ebner. Email: careteam@stlukegoodhue.org Ph: 651-998-7106.

Blessing Barn: Our Blessing Barn contains a variety of supplies & is at our old church location 308 First Ave Goodhue. Take what you need and give what you can! Laundry soap, dish soap, hand soap, and cleaning supplies are items that are needed the most at this time. A collection bin is located in the narthex at church for donations.