## 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.



**Hearing Aid User Survey:** St. Luke is currently exploring options for a hearing assistance system in our worship space and we need your input. If you are a hearing aid user, please pick up a questionnaire at the sound booth or contact Calvin Ryan at 651-380-5876. All questionnaires may be submitted to the office. Thank you!

<u>All Congregation Edu-Worship/Confirmation</u>: Edu-Worship/Confirmation has started with a pizza dinner served to confirmation students each Wednesday (unless noted) at 5:30pm before 6:45pm Edu-Worship. All are welcome to join us for Edu-Worship every Wednesday (unless noted) at 6:45pm.

<u>SWAG 9-12th Graders:</u> SWAG group will continue on Wednesday evenings from 7:30-8:30pm, with an optional meal at 6:45pm. Friends are welcome to join!

<u>Snacks Needed</u>: Every Sunday we like to offer the Sunday school kids a light snack, typically either goldfish crackers or animal crackers. We are currently seeking donations. Snacks can be labeled and dropped off in the kitchen. Thank you for your support.

<u>Nancy Nord Funeral Service</u>: Please keep the family of Nancy Nord in your prayers. Nancy's visitation will be at St. Luke Church on Nov. 1st from 4-7pm. Her funeral will be at St. Luke Church on Nov. 2nd at 11am with a reception in the fellowship hall to follow.

**Tech Team Help Needed:** We are looking for a few more volunteers to join our Tech Team. No prior skills needed, you will be trained on how to record Sunday morning worship services. Email the office or contact Pastor Eric with questions or to sign up.

<u>Blessing of New Drivers</u>: If you/your child has recently become a new driver or will soon be a new driver we invite you to join us during worship on October 13th for a special *Blessing of Our New Drivers*.

<u>7-12th Roadside Clean-Up</u>: Roadside clean-up for grades 7-12th will be on Sunday, October 27th at 10:30am after worship. Meet in the church fellowship hall and dress for the weather. There will be a meal to follow. All are welcome to join, bring a friend!

<u>Christian Care Team</u>: The Christian Care Team is looking for new members (Prayer Warriors) starting January 1st. Please reach out to any of the CCT if you are interested in joining a great team or have any questions.

<u>Sunday School Christmas Program Team</u>: We are doing an original production of the Christmas story this year called, "The Wise Men's Journey" and we are looking for youth and adult volunteers! We are needing help with stage design, music, costumes, tech, set up and more! Please reach out to Nicole Wananda for more information.

<u>Choir Rehearsal:</u> St. Luke's choir will practice every Sunday after worship from 10:45 to 11:30am. All are welcome to join!

Worship & Music Meeting: The Worship & Music Committee will meet on Sunday, October 13th after worship.

<u>**Table Altar Guild Volunteers:**</u> We are currently seeking more help on our Table Altar Guild Committee. Please contact Sharon Buck to volunteer or with questions. sharon.buck58@gmail.com or 651-380-1125

**Trunk or Treat Fall Festival:** We are super excited to announce that we are hosting a Fall Festival on Wednesday, October 30th from 4:30-6:00pm. There will be a trunk or treat in our new parking lot, along with indoor games, cookie decorating, and a bounce house. Bring a friend. Wear a costume. If you'd like to decorate your car & hand out candy, register via email office@stlukegoodhue.org. We'll have a prize for the most creative car!

<u>Annual St. Luke Church Fishing Trip</u>: This year St. Luke will take a break from the ice and head to Forestville/ Mystery Cave State Park for our annual church fishing trip. All are welcome! The trip will be from Thursday, May 15th through Saturday, May 17th. We will reserve a group campsite (tents only). The cost should not exceed 25\$ per person. People may enjoy hiking, fishing, exploring Mystery Cave, and more. Bible study and faith discussion will accompany our experience. The signup deadline is December 15th in order to reserve a group site. Please email Tara in the office to sign up (office@stlukegoodhue.org).

## <u>Connect</u>

<u>ABC Bible Study (Adult Bible Study Community!)</u>: 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!

**Faith in the Home Small Group:** Faith is formed best when families bring faith practices from church into their homes. This fall, Pr Eric and Nicole Wananda are looking for families who are interested in participating in a 6 week small group that will learn about building and practicing at-home faith practices. Questions like, "How do I pray with my kids?", "How do we read the Bible together?", "How do we bring blessing and faith conversation into our weekly routine?" will be explored. This small group will be geared toward families with young children but will provide pertinent learning for families with kids of any age. We'll meet every Sunday evening from October 20th through November 24th. Interested? Please contact Pr. Eric (anspachh2002@gmail.com) or Nicole (nicole.c.hinsch@gmail.com).

<u>Aging but Dangerous</u> is a group for anyone who is older today than they were yesterday. That's everyone! We'll meet Thursday, October 10th 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.

<u>Church Quilting:</u> Church quilting will start again on October 16th at 9:30am in the church fellowship hall. All are welcome to join! 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.

## **Serve**

**Hospitality Team:** Ever wonder how those delicious treats show up after worship? Ever have a good conversation with somebody over a cup of coffee and a brownie right after church? If so, somebody provided that opportunity for you! St. Luke's hospitality team is looking for people interested in providing treats and making coffee on Sunday morning. Interested? Tell Pr. Eric or contact Tara in the office (office@stlukegoodhue.org).

<u>Christian Care Team</u>: 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 Ph: 651-998-7106.

<u>Food Shelf Donations</u>: 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

**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) or Pr. Eric, (612-834-2149, 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.

**Blessing Barn:** Our Blessing Barn contains a variety of supplies and is staying at our old church location. 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.

St. Luke Lutheran Church · PO Box 276 · 37750 County 6 Blvd. Goodhue, MN 55027 Sunday Worship: 9:30AM · Starting June 12th: Zion Church Wednesday Worship 7PM Pastor Eric Hanson · Cell: 612-834-2149 · E: anspachh2002@gmail.com www.stlukegoodhue.org · P: 651-998-7106 · E: office@stlukegoodhue.org · FB: @stlukegoodhue Organist: Debbi St. John · Administrative Assistant: Tara Marklevits · Treasurer: Sara Nolte Sunday School Coordinator: Nicole Wananda · Faith Formation Facilitators: Jacob & Rachel McNamara