



Thank you for joining us in worship!

If you are new or visiting today, welcome! We invite you to fill out our visitor card located in the back of the pews and place it in the offering plate. We are glad you are here.

Hearing assistance is available – please see an usher.

Today's Worship:

Presider: Pastor Beth Brashear, **Preacher:** Pastor Patti Welch

Table Talk: Marsha Swantz, Memory Café Coordinator

Readers: 9:15am: Lisa Knudsen

10:30am: Karyn O'Bryant, Walt Brickwedel

Music: 9:15am: Modern Worship Team

10:30am: Rejoice Choir; Stephanie Schoap, soloist

Ushers: 9:15am: Dan and Janet Swan

10:30am: Dean Gustafson, Kirsten Kyllingstad

Worship

In Holy Communion, Christ enters our lives anew: all who hunger to grow in connection with God are welcome to partake. **Communion is via intinction only:** Ushers will invite you forward via the center aisle to receive Communion wafer. Wine (red) and grape juice (clear) are in the chalices (cups) held by the Communion Assistants. **Please bring your wafer to the chalices and dip it into the wine or grape juice before consuming your wafer.**

- Gluten-free wafers are available: simply ask a pastor.
- If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead of Holy Communion, come forward and cross your arms over your chest.

St. Luke's Nursery: The nursery is open offering care to children ages birth – 5 years every Sunday during the second service (10:15-11:45am).

Prayers for the Departed: Lesley Bertram; Tim Curran (Michael Curran's brother); Ed Mattingly; Marie F. Leighton (cousin of Dan Gott); Dennis Simpson (neighbor and friend of Joan Frazer); Gina Paulson (daughter-in-law's sister of Bill and Lori Loehr); John Jackson; Dave Reynolds; Esther Petersen (mother of Kris Roley).

Prayer List: Jon Tennant; Susan G. Knodell Humprey; Fran Daniels (broken hip and hand); Fraser Rasmussen (pneumonia); Fay Brown (awaiting wrist surgery); Kathy Darby (Sarah Johnson's mother); Gloria Miniszewski; Elmer Skurdahl (fractured pelvis); Georgann Dustan (gallbladder surgery); Anne Bender (broken back); Evelyn Kausch (Jane Chan's mother); Arlys Chesnutt (hospitalization); Cindy Gibbon (cancer treatment); Sybil Tremper (lymphoma); John Chesnutt (post-hospitalization); Barb Dahlgren (surgery); Bill Loehr (surgery); Sue Seiffert (stage 1 breast cancer); Carter West (neurological disease); Rev. Myrin Bentz (hospice/Senior Pastor of St. Luke from 1969 – 1998); Lorna Beckley (brain cancer surgery #2); Tim Spofford (strokes/Cathy Spofford's brother-in-law); Dave Simmons (cancer); Bev Westlund (knee surgery); Sandra Hamari (metastatic cancer); Michael Butler (cancer and surgery); Elaine Woodward (stroke); John Jessen; Dee Mills; Jeremy Eckhardt and those incarcerated.

PHONE PRAYER CHAIN:

9am-5pm, Monday-Friday: Church Office (503) 246-2325

9am-5pm any day: RuJeanne Anderson (503) 297-2246

5pm-10pm any day: Carol Greene, 503-245-4189





Connect

Final Midweek Lenten Service - Holden Prayer Around the Cross: Wednesday March 20th at 6:30pm. All are welcome to this lovely midweek healing Lenten service. The service will also be livestreamed.

St. Luke Recycles! Today from 8:30-11am. All are invited to bring various non-curb-side items to the Shalom Center driveway at St. Luke. Items must be clean and sorted by category: styrofoam or packing peanuts (no foam rubber); cork; small appliances; batteries sorted into alkaline, rechargeable or button; and CFL lightbulbs (no fluorescent tubes).

Benson Family Foundation Scholarships: To obtain more information about the scholarship application process, the Trust Fund Committee will be holding a Zoom presentation on Monday, March 18th at 7 pm. Scan the QR code for the Zoom link. For more information contact Earl Cahoe: earl.cahoe@gmail.com

Table Talk with Rev. Dr. Mark Brocker: Following Martin Luther's example, we gather and discuss topics pertaining to life and faith. Join us in the discussion of "Politics from the Pulpit?" Tuesday, March 19th 7pm on Zoom and Saturday, March 23rd at 11am in Upper Shalom. For more information scan the QR code. Meeting ID: 815 3502 6421 Passcode: 738081

F.A.B. (Fifty and Beyond) Coffee Hour: March 20th at 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Come hear St. Luke member, Dan Gott, give a humorous presentation with sketches on the positive and negative aspects of scuba diving. Come learn about what it takes to go beneath the surface in the Pacific NW waters.

St. Luke's Library: Calling all children! Come check out the newly arranged children's section of the library. The librarians have made it easier for you to find your favorite Berenstain and picture books.

Serve

Church Council Meeting: Today at 11:45am in the Conference Room.

All Church Cleanup Work Party! Saturday, March 23rd from 9:30am to 12pm rain or shine! For more information contact Dan Gott: three_dot_dan@hotmail.com

SW Hope: We are raising food and funds to support the Neighborhood House Free Food Market. Monetary donations are also highly encouraged. We are still collecting non-perishables. Scan the QR code for more information or to join St. Luke's 5k team for April 6th!

2 additional readers needed! Palm Sunday Passion Narrative – Gospel of Mark: Tell the story of Jesus on Palm Sunday, March 24th! This Sunday we share the Passion Narrative, where each character in the story of Jesus' final days has a voice. Sign up to read the voice part of Jesus, a disciple, or an enemy, and help to bring the story to life. We rehearse from 10-11am on Saturday, March 23rd, and then share the story in worship on Sunday, March 24th at the 10:30am service. Scan the QR code for the signup and scripts!

St. Luke Staff

Blessings in the journey of faith!

Pr. Patti Welch, Lead Pastor
Pr. Beth Brashear, Associate Pastor
Gerry Brenes, Director of Music
Emily Brabham, Director Youth/Service Ministries
Kim Weber, Children's Ministry

Annamarie Pearson, Administrative Assistant & Organist
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