

Announcements

The Food Pantry is in need of peanut butter and tuna.

Break Bread Together Again! Join us TODAY after Worship at Jason's Deli. Just go through the line, sit down at the St. Luke's table, and enjoy a relaxed time with your church family. Everyone is welcome!

Charge conference is October 9th at 6:00 pm in the Chapel. All are invited to attend, but only voting members of the Church Council can vote.

Trunk or Treat: Families, mark your calendars for Trunk or Treat on Friday, October 24th from 5:30-7:30 pm. We need donated candy and volunteers to help out as well as people to decorate their trunks! Candy can be left behind the front desk and please reach out to Mary Page Contreras for more information or to help out! Text at (901)826-3493 or email at marypage.contreras@stlukesumc.org

Fun Bunch: On October 15th, the Fun Bunch will meet in the CLC Craft Room at 11:00. We will be making Decorative Fall Wreaths. Bring your sack lunch and a drink. We will be providing the craft supplies and ice cream! Please sign up at the Hospitality Hall Desk.

Yard Sale: On October 25, from 7am-1pm, there will be a yard sale benefitting the United Methodist Neighborhood Centers of Memphis. For donations or if you would like to volunteer, please call Mark Matheny at 901-428-4633

Prayer Requests

Jordan Northcross, David Hensley, Dr. Jimmy Padgett, the Dee's family (friends of Katherine Shepherd), Mac Mathis, Rita Richardson's niece Teresa Grant, Betty Carter, Steve Melinkovich, wife Racquel and boys Wesley and Melo (friends of Sally Coulson), and David Day.

Christian Love and Sympathy to the family of Shirley Moore in her passing.

If you would like to be added to our prayer list, please contact Pat Anderson at pata9276@gmail.com or call the church office at 452-6262

Monthly Stewardship Report

Pledged and Non-Pledged Contributions Corrected

<u>September 2025</u>	<u>YTD 2025</u>
Actual Giving: \$28,518.00	Actual Giving: \$438,893.90
Budgeted: \$53,383.50	Budgeted: \$480,451.50



October 5, 2025

World Communion Sunday

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are becoming a faithful community of disciples striving to share the heart, mind and hands of Jesus Christ with all people.

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Church Office Hours

Monday- Thursday- 8:30am-3:00pm
Friday- Closed

Order of Worship

The flowers in the Sanctuary are in honor of Maureen Pera in celebration of her birthday, from her children.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Amy Martin

PRELUDE

Wes Kirkpatrick, Organist

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Arr. Kenneth Varner

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Creator God, Father and Mother of us all, we worship you.

People of every tribe, nation, language and culture praise you!

Risen Christ, your sisters and brothers around the world
give thanks to you.

People of every kind and status,

in every hut and cathedral sing to you!

Holy Spirit, you make us one, the Body of Christ, throughout the world.

May there be unity among us.

May we be one in the love and faith of Christ,

One in the spirit, and one in ministry to all the world,

to the glory of God. Alleluia!

***OPENING HYMN**

UMH 548

In Christ There is No East or West

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

Children ages 4 through 3rd grade are dismissed to Children's Worship in the Lighthouse rm. 215 during the second verse of the opening hymn.

SHARING PRAYER CONCERNS

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**

TFWS 2007

Holy, Holy, Holy (Santo, Santo, Santo)

SCRIPTURE

Mirria Hendrickson

2 Timothy 1:1-14

New Testament Pew Bible Page 199

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

In This Very Room

Ron and Carol Harris

MESSAGE

Rev. Harry Colter

UNISON OFFERTORY PRAYER

God of all goodness and grace, receive the gifts we offer; and grant that our whole life may give you glory and praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OFFERTORY

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Arr. Dale Wood

***DOXOLOGY**

UMH 94

AN INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

UMH 12

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hendrickson Daughters

Please listen as the prayer is said in Spanish and then join using whatever language you know best.

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

The communion offering today will help fund a new washer and dryer at the Wesley Foundation.

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

God, we thank you for this mystery in which you have given yourself to us. As you have nourished us, may we go into your world to bring a feast of peace and hope to others, in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

***SENDING HYMN**

UMH 714

I Know Whom I Have Believed

***BENEDICTION**

Bright Oware

May God the Father bless and keep us.

AMEN.

May Christ the Son make his face to shine upon us.

AMEN.

May the Holy Spirit grant us peace, now and forever.

AMEN.

POSTLUDE

Rejoice, Ye Pure of Heart

Arr. Douglas Wagner

***Congregation stand as able.**

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If you are interested in uniting in membership, please contact Pastor Jim.