

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 Patti Welch, Preacher: Pastor Beth Brashear

Music: Modern Worship Team, Rejoice Choir

Ushers: Bruce Bayley, Carol Cryder, Janet and Dan Swan

Please see the back of our bulletin for St. Luke's Holy Week schedule

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).

<u>Prayers for the Departed</u>: Jon Tennant; 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: Scott Petersen (hospitalized); Marlene Roth (lung cancer treatment); Meri Alrick (multiple health concerns, that they remain stable); Kris Peirce (surgery); Shannon (bacterial infection; friend of Lisa Sickler); Susan G. Knodell Humprey; Fran Daniels (recovering from fall); 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); Cindy Gibbon (cancer treatment); Sybil Tremper (lymphoma); 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); 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





Thank you to today's passion narrative readers!

Narrator/Mark: Katie Insalaco; Jesus: Dean Gustafson; Peter: Pat Howard; Judas: Gary Rhinesmith; High Priest: Walt Brickwedel; Pontius Pilate: Lisa Knudsen; Bystander: Becky Tuttle; Centurion: Diana Tuttle; Servant Girl: Melody Drangstveit; Chief Priests: Pastor Beth Brashear and Pastor Patti Welch



Spring Break: March 23-31. No educational programming. Sundays, March 24 & 31.

Pastor's Schedule: Pastor Patti will be away April 1-6th. Pastor Beth will be the pastor on call.

University of Portland Guided Visual Holy Week Meditation: Wednesday, March 27, 12:45 - 1:15pm at Chapel of the Cross. Depart St. Luke at 11:15am and return to St. Luke by 2pm. Lunch at University of Portland. For more information please contact Pr. Beth at pastorbeth@stlukechurch.com

An Evening with Bonhoeffer: Tuesday, April 9th from 6-8pm at the Brockers' - German Lutheran Pastor and Professor Dietrich Bonhoeffer was hung by the Nazis on April 9, 1945, for his role in a plot to assassinate Adolf Hitler. On Tuesday, April 9th our Theologian in Residence, Mark Brocker and his wife, Donna would like to invite approximately twelve people from the St. Luke community to their home to remember the life and death of Bonhoeffer and to reflect on what we can learn from him for us today. A simple soup supper will be served at 6pm and we will be done with our conversation by 8pm. Please RSVP to Mark by email (brockerms11@gmail.com) or by phone (503) 502-8762.

Serve SW Outreach: A local group called SW Outreach is in need of some clean, new and used clothing. SW Outreach is a group of volunteers who help our houseless neighbors. They visit people at their campsites, bringing kindness, supplies and assistance in connecting with community services. One day per week, in conjunction with Rivergate Church in Multhomah Village, they provide a hot shower, a hot meal and warm friendship. Please support this ministry by donating gently used clean clothes for people to wear after their shower. Questions? Contact Joan Frazer or Joan Bridgman. Please place donations in the bin in the Ministry Center (hallway with bulletin boards):

- Jeans - size 30-36 waist, any length
- T-shirts both short and long sleeved medium and large (any color) •
- Low-cut hiking boots all sizes

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!

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

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