Summer Music



Summer worship needs you! This gives you an opportunity to share your talents with the congregation at any summer service and praise God in the process. Summer services are at 8:15 and 10:00. Talk to Cortney if you would

like to play or sing at one of these services.

Summer musicians include: Rachel Steiner – today

Peggy Crawford – July 30



German Fellowship

Pray for the German Fellowship with St. Albani in Goettingen, Germany. Pastor Keller, Eli and Micah will be with members of the church from July 9 to 18. Keep them in your prayers as they strive to make connections with our sister congregation and to grow in faith through God's Word.

God's Love at Work Highlights for St. Luke's: May 2017

This month in ministry we held services at Elmcroft and Saxony, and the church was Open for Prayer. We celebrated the love and care of our Mothers with hanging flower baskets and prayer. We asked for blessing on our soil, seed and water from our Holy Father and celebrated his bounty with Gardener's Paradise. The Youth raised funds for their Mission Trip through the Pancake Breakfast and Gardener's Paradise. We learned a little about music from the Reformation Era as we praised God in song on Church Music Sunday.

Income received 15,200 YTD income received 95,895 Income needed 20,737 YTD income needed 103,685 We still need 5,537 We still need 7,790

**Behind the Scenes: Did you know that Adam Hartzell faithfully changes the marquee on Main Street each week to reflect what is happening at St. Luke's? When you see Adam, give him a pat on the back!

OUR PRAYERS, JOYS, CARES AND CONCERNS

Thanksgiving/Joys/Celebrations: For answered prayers, healing, good test results, and recoveries, our graduates, expected babies (Cortney & Matt Christoforetti, Shelby & James Zellhart), Youth Works Mission Trip teens and leaders, a successful Yard Sale, the marriage of Mike and Jenna Bearrow (son of Cindy Bearrow), the birth of Emery Elizabeth Bubb on July 1st to Katie and Jason Bubb and big brother Nolan. Born at 6:14, she was 7 lbs and 20 inches Cares/Concerns: Gayle Schmidt (chemo & radiation), Persecuted Christians, Michael Cehily, summer ministries, Dalton Ingley (stage 5 kidney failure/dialysis), Bob Riekasie (liver tumor and cirrhosis), Raj Boehm (ALS) & her caretakers, Margot Frederick, Marge Reinhart, Sue Allman (Rose Martin's mother/transitioning from home), Jan Benson, Mat Meyer (Hodgkins), Alice Swartz, Phyllis (tests/not doing well), Tom Patterson (cancer returned), Karolina Walkin (cancer), Veryl Wolfe (Jennifer Goldinger's father), Joyce Scott (cancer), young woman (needs uplifted), Glen and Shirley Robinson (bad wreck), Susan (surgery), Ian Lark, Judy Franke (pulled leg muscle), Carol Nelson (chemo), Scouts camping at Philmont, Andy & Heather Nelson (discernment), John Foertsch, Germany trip, Austin Heade (walking pneumonia), Bethany Lang (rough pregnancy with twins)

Hospitalizations/Recovery: Baby Merek Wabazewski (Children's Hospital/intestinal surgery to remove blockages and scar tissue), Pat Rinebolt (knee surgery), Lynn Pickard (surgery), Anne Kronewetter (complication from hip surgery)

Bereaved: Friends and family of Bill Gordon, Sr., Gina Maloney (Pearl Parnell's niece), Mary Jane Thompson, Darlene Gulick **NALC Church of the Week:**

St. Mark's, Latrobe, PA: Rev. Mark A. Werner



ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of my father, Raymond Montag, by Amy Montag-Smith and Carl Smith.

New Chairs for Fellowship Gathering



The new chairs are here and the old chairs are available to take for a small donation. Any further donation will be used to reimburse the memorial fund. Please contact the church office if you are interested.



We would like to thank Kristen Begeman for leading our "Little Lambs" this past year as they listen to God's Word while playing. The Nursery will continue to be open for the 10:00 service during the summer for children ages 1.5 to 5 years old.



Come and join us for popsicles on July 23rd after the outdoor service on the Hattie Cooper Room Patio.



St. Luke's Sewing Ministry

The ladies of the Sewing Ministry finished 22 lap robes that they took to Elmcroft for the

residents. They are working on more to take to Saxony Health Center. These robes are made with caring hands to bring the comfort of God's love to all who have them.



Yard Sale Wrap Up!

They say it takes a village and that is particularly true when it comes to Yard Sales. Gayle and the Gundlach crew spent over a

week setting up the rooms with all of the donations that came in with the help of many who just dropped by to lend a hand for an hour or two. Then a group of girl scouts and others came to haul all that did not sell, to a donation center. All of this work to help St. Luke's Children's Ministry reach more people in the community hear God's Word and feel His love. The sale raised over \$1778, a record in it's 6 year history!



Sunday, July 9, 2017
8:15 Worship
10:00 Worship
2:00 Saxony Service
Wednesday, July 12, 2017
11:00 St. Luke's Stars
Saturday, July 15, 2017
Saxonburg Celebration
Sunday, July 16, 2017
8:15 Worship
10:00 Worship

Office Hours

Monday 9-3 Tuesday 9-3 Wednesday 9-3 Thursday 9-3



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Angelo Natili	7/11
Ed Cypher	7/12
Bob Bicker	7/14
Amaya Gayle	7/16
<u>Anniversaries</u>	
Clint & Lindsay Cunningham 7/9	
Pastor & Jennifer Keller	7/9
Ed & Dixie Cypher	7/12
Jesse & Alicia Haas	7/15
Amanda & Chris Jockel	7/16

GOLDEN MILESTONE MINISTRIES

Rirthdays

Margot Frederick Turned 90!

On June 30th, Margot Frederick became the latest St. Luke's member to reach the 90-year milestone. She was born June 30, 1927 in Darmstadt, Germany, located in the southern part of the Rhine-Main area. Margot attended schools in Darmstadt and later college in Frankfurt. Margot was baptized and confirmed in Darmstadt. She served as an interpreter. Margot moved to Saxonburg in 1948, and joined St. Luke's in 1961. In 1948, Margot married the late Homer Frederick in Germany. Homer was a military veteran and a lab technician. Margot has children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.