A black and white photograph of a theater stage. The scene is framed by heavy, dark curtains on both sides, which are tied back. In the center, a stage is visible with several spotlights hanging from the ceiling, casting a soft glow. The overall atmosphere is dramatic and theatrical.

ST. LUKE'S ON BROADWAY

Lessons and music from your favorite Broadway musicals.

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost
July 31, 2016
at Ten Fifty A.M.

The King and I

In this classic Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, a British schoolteacher moves halfway around the world to teach the king of Siam's family. Both Anna and the King struggle with their cultural differences, but in the end, both are able to see beauty in the other.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

(†Those who are able, please stand in honor of God.)

PRELUDE

Richard Rodgers

The March of the Siamese Children
St. Luke's Orchestra
Robert Fasol, organist
Eric Bradford, conductor

RINGING OF THE BELLS

†HYMN 73

LYONS

O Worship the King

O worship the King, all-glorious above, O gratefully sing God's power and God's love; our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

O tell of God's might, O sing of God's grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space, whose chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, and dark is God's path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold, Almighty, Thy power hath founded of old; hath stablished it fast by a changeless decree, and round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, in Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end, our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Wendy Lambert

The love of God

unites all humanity.

God brings us together

as children of one family.

We will be blessed when we seek to listen rather than speak,

when we seek to unite rather than divide,

when we seek to understand rather than judge.

We will strive to see Christ in everyone we meet.

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

As a family of faith, let us affirm our faith together.

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;

The third day He rose from the dead;

He ascended into heaven,

and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit;

the holy catholic* church;

the communion of saints;

the forgiveness of sins;

the resurrection of the body;

and the life everlasting. Amen.

(* universal)

†GLORIA PATRI

MEINEKE

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER

Rev. Jeremy Sanders

The peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

CALL TO PRAYER

Rev. Keith King

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CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

Almighty Father, hear our prayer, and bless all souls that wait before Thee.

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CHORAL RESPONSE

ANTHEM

R. Rodgers and O. Hammerstein II

I Whistle a Happy Tune/I Have Dreamed

Anna suggests to her young son on a way to overcome his fear by whistling a happy tune. / Tuptim and Lun Tha meet secretly to prepare a plan of escape, while expressing their undying love for one another.

Melissa Griffith Edgmon and Brandt Sterling, *soloists*

Robert Fasol, *piano*

Whenever I feel afraid I hold my head erect and whistle a happy tune so no one will suspect I'm afraid. While shivering in my shoes I strike a careless pose and whistle a happy tune, and no one ever knows I'm afraid.

The result of this deception is very strange to tell for when I fool the people I fear, I fool myself as well! I whistle a happy tune and every single time the happiness in the tune convinces me that I'm not afraid.

Make believe you're brave and the trick will take you far. You may be as brave as you make believe you are. You may be as brave as you make believe you are!

I have dreamed that your arms are lovely. I have dreamed what a joy you'll be. I have dreamed every word you'll whisper when you're close, close to me.

How you look in the glow of evening I have dreamed and enjoyed the view. In these dreams I've loved you so that by now I think I know what it's like to be loved by you. I will love being loved by you.

Alone and awake, I've looked at the stars, the same that smiled on you. And time and again, I've thought all the things that you were thinking, too.

LIFE AT ST. LUKE'S

Rev. Phil Greenwald

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Dr. Robert E. Long

OFFERTORY

R. Rodgers/O. Hammerstein II

Shall We Dance?

Anna explains the courtship customs of the west and the King asks Anna to teach him to dance. Both Anna and the king experience a love best unspoken.

Melissa Griffith Edgmon *soloist*

Robert Fasol, *piano*

Shall we dance? On a bright cloud of music shall we fly? Shall we dance? Shall we then say "goodnight" and mean "goodbye"? Or, perchance when the last little star has left the sky, shall we still be together with our arms around each other, and shall you be my new romance? On the clear understanding that this kind of thing can happen, shall we dance? Shall we dance? Shall we dance?

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†DOXOLOGY

OLD 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

†THE EPISTLE

Stephanie Greenwald

Now before faith came, we were confined under the law, kept under restraint until faith should be revealed. So that the law was our custodian until Christ came, that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a custodian; for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have been put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise. (Galatians 3:23 - 29)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Dr. Robert E. Long

St. Luke's on Broadway: The King and I

MUSICAL REFLECTION

R. Rodgers and O. Hammerstein II

Getting to Know You

Anna begins teaching the King's children.

Melissa Griffith Edgmon, *soloist*

St. Luke's Orchestra

Robert Fasol, *piano*

Eric Bradford, *conductor*

It's a very ancient saying but a true and honest thought, that if you become a teacher, by your pupils you'll be taught. As a teacher, I've been learning, (you'll forgive me if I boast), and I've now become an expert on the subject I like most, getting to know you.

Getting to know you, getting to know all about you, getting to like you, getting to hope you like me. Getting to know you, putting it my way, but nicely. You are precisely my cup of tea!

Getting to know you, getting to feel free and easy. When I am with you, getting to know what to say. Haven't you noticed? Suddenly I'm bright and breezy because of all the beautiful and new things I'm learning about you day by day.

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INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

If you desire to become a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church, please refer to the announcement insert for additional information.

†HYMN

AURELIA

Help Us Accept Each Other

Help us accept each other as Christ accepted us; teach us as sister, brother, each person to embrace. Be present, Lord, among us, and bring us to believe we are ourselves accepted and meant to love and live.

Teach us, O Lord, your lessons, as in our daily life we struggle to be human and search for hope and faith. Teach us to care for people, for all, not just for some, to love them as we find them, or as they may become.

Let your acceptance change us, so that we may be moved in living situations to do the truth in love; to practice your acceptance, until we know by heart the table of forgiveness and laughter's healing art.

Lord, for today's encounters with all who are in need, who hunger for acceptance, for righteousness and bread, we need new eyes for seeing, new hands for holding on; renew us with your Spirit; Lord, free us, make us one!

†SENDING FORTH

Dr. Robert E. Long

It is a blessing when we get to know others;
when we see more that unites rather than divides us.
We can help to bring peace in the world,
by seeing each person as a child of God.

POSTLUDE

arr. Robert Fasol

It's a Small World (Siam)
Robert Fasol, organist

LEADING IN WORSHIP

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St. Luke's On Broadway Welcomes Melissa Griffith Edgmon



Melissa Griffith Edgmon graduated cum laude from the University of Central Oklahoma with a Bachelor of Music in Music Theatre. Credits Include: Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma: *The Wizard of Oz* (Glinda), *Mary Poppins* (Mrs. Banks), *Oklahoma!* (Gertie), *A Little Night Music* (Mrs. Segstrom), *Lyrics A Christmas Carol* (Belle), *Some Enchanted Evening* (Julie); Shawnee Theatre of Greene Co. Indiana: *Boeing, Boeing* (Gloria); Edmond Summerstock: *The Music Man* (Marian Paroo). Melissa currently resides in Yukon with her husband Ryan, and serves as Academy Administrator and Arts Outreach Coordinator for Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma.



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Congregational Care Ministry

The St. Luke's family of faith desires to extend care to you in the times of concern and joy and all that is in-between. Please write your prayer concerns on an attendance card during Sunday services or email to ccm@stlukesokc.org. You may also call 232-1371 with your prayers concerns.

Faith Partners

Faith Partners seeks to educate, refer and walk with people along their journey towards recovery from addiction. If you or someone you love struggles with addiction and would like help, please go online to faithpartners.stlukesokc.org or email to ccm@stlukesokc.org.

Radio Programming

Listen to "Something to Think About" with Dr. Bob Long between 7:30 a.m. and 8 a.m. on following radio stations: 98.1 The Sports Animal and Magic 104.1. The sermon can be heard on KREF AM 1400 at 9:30 a.m. every Sunday morning.

TV Programming

St. Luke's Traditional service can be seen as a half-hour television program on KOCO channel 5 at 10:30 a.m. every Sunday morning. CDs are available in Threefold or contact Bev Barnes at 232-1371. We will be glad to mail a copy of the service to you. Cost is \$5 for a CD or \$10 for a DVD.

Online Worship Service

If you are unable to attend worship on any Sunday, you can join us online for the 10:50 a.m. Traditional Worship Service broadcast live from the Downtown Campus. You can watch on your computer, smartphone, or tablet. Simply look for the "Online Worship" link on the stlukesokc.org website. A link is also available on the St. Luke's App.

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God:

*In honor and in memory of the past and present members
of the United Methodist Women*

Welcome to Our Newest Members Joining in June:

Downtown: Kirby Johnson, Hannah Potter, and Shayna Sims

Edmond: Sara & John Sweeden

Asbury: Dee Moore

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Web Site: stlukesokc.org E-mail: Info@stlukesokc.org

Welcome to St. Luke's United Methodist Church.

We're so glad you've joined us for worship this morning. Our mission is to share God's love and bring hope to the world. We hope you leave here today inspired by a message of hope and ready to embrace life in the week ahead.

Helpful Information

Hymnals and Bibles are located in the arm rest of the seat.

Large print bulletins and hearing assistance devices are available in the Narthex.

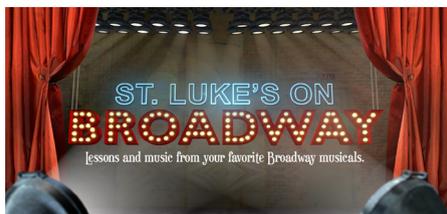
Children's Ministry is available during the worship service for infants - 5th grade.

Parents with active or tearful children can watch a live feed of the service in the Watchorn Chapel. A children's activity bag is also available in the Narthex.

A Hospitality Team member is at the Welcome Center to help.

Announcements

Call (405) 232-1371 for more info or visit stlukesokc.org.



Coming Attractions on Broadway

Continue to experience the excitement of Broadway through guest performers and meaningful messages. Next Sunday features music from *Aladdin* with Alex Ross and Isaiah Bailey as the guest performers. The schedule for the next features are: August 14 - *Man of La Mancha*. August 21 - *South Pacific*. August 28

- *Mary Poppins*. To help you invite your friends and family to worship next Sunday, there are invitation tickets available. Stop by the Welcome Center and pick up some tickets.



Volunteer to Help Students

St. Luke's partners with a number of schools and school programs in the Oklahoma City metro area to help students in reading, math, music, arts and provides mentors. These school ministries are able to make a difference because of volunteers. Outreach programs at Rancho Village Elementary, Sequoyah Middle School, El Sistema and Studio 222 have opportunities for you to help make a difference. If you would like to find out more about the School Outreach ministries that St. Luke's participates in, and volunteer, you can visit the website at stlukesokc.org or stop by the Welcome Center and pick up an information sheet.

**UMW
GARAGE
SALE**

AUG. 4 - AUG. 6

UMW Garage Sale

The Annual UMW Garage Sale is Thursday, August 4, from 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., Friday, August 5, from 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Saturday, August 6, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. If you have something you would like to donate, please bring your donations to the Fellowship Hall, using the Harvey Street entrance by the Children's Center. Donation times are: today from 2:30 - 4:30 p.m., Monday and Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. and Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. If you are interested in helping to sort, price or work during the sale please call Pat Morton at 752-7598 or Janice Low at 787-0983. Men are especially needed to help move items.



**St. Luke's
Children's Center**

St. Luke's Children Center Job Opportunities

St. Luke's Children's Center has openings for full and part time teachers for our three downtown centers, as well as our new center in Edmond that will open on September 6. They are accepting applications and interviewing for Lead

and Assistant Teachers. If you are interested in any of these positions and would like to work in childcare we would love to meet with you. Please pass this along to anyone you know that might be interested. For more information, please call the center 232-2391.

Joining St. Luke's

If you wish to place your membership with St. Luke's this morning, please complete this card and bring it to the front during the final hymn.

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Date of Birth? _____

Are you transferring from another church? Yes No

If yes, where? _____

If you would like more information about other ways to join or upcoming membership events, please contact Beth Armstrong, Director of Welcoming Ministry, at (405) 609-1045 or barmstrong@stlukesokc.org.

Announcements

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Passages Grief Recovery Course

If you have lost a spouse, St. Luke's would like to help you through the healing process. You're invited to join the six-week Passages Grief Recovery Course. This course will be taught by Marla Cole, a licensed professional counselor, specializing in the field of grief and loss. Join us Tuesdays, beginning August 16 through September 20, from 6 - 7:30 p.m. in Room 202. There is no cost. Online signup is available at stlukeokc.org. For questions contact Morgan Jones at 600-3415, or mjones@stlukesokc.org.

Rebuilders Divorce Recovery

Have you experienced divorce? God offers hope in these times of struggle and loss. In Rebuilders Divorce Recovery Class, you will work through the sadness and pain to find hope for your future. The goal is to increase self awareness and gain understanding about why your relationship ended. Classes meet every Thursday, beginning August 11 through October 13, 6:30 - 9 p.m. in Room 205. Register online at stlukesokc.org, or contact Steve at 751-2227 for more information.

Movie Night - Aladdin

St. Luke's Asbury invites you to come and watch the Disney movie that that Robin Williams made famous - Aladdin! It's also one of the musicals that will be featured in "St. Luke's On Broadway." Join in the laughs on Friday, August 5, at 7 p.m. in the Gym at St. Luke's Asbury Campus. Snacks and drinks will be available. Please invite your family and friends! Warning: Be prepared to laugh. Robin Williams steals the show as the Genie!

Make a Splash Sunday

Need a place to cool off, have fun, and meet new friends? Then bring your children to St. Luke's Splash Pad! It's open on August 7, from 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. on the west side of St. Luke's (Harvey St. between 14th and 15th). The kids will enjoy the Splash Pad, water inflatables, hot dogs, and more! There's no registration or cost. Just show up! We'll be celebrating the beginning of another school year. For more information, contact Susan Easttom at seasttom@stlukesokc.org or call 609-1036.

Mommy & Me

Join us for a special "tortoise" play date with Lennie and Iris at Mommy & Me! It's August 8, 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Lennie and Iris are two curious and friendly 25-pound Leopard Tortoises that will be visiting. Susan Easttom will be reading a special book about tortoises for story time with the kids, which is available in Threefold. Then your children will have the opportunity to meet and interact with these silly tortoises. Fellow Mommy & Me mom, Sam Goza, will be answering questions and sharing fun facts about the adventurous life of her pet tortoises. Lunch is \$5 and kids eat free. For more information, contact Jamie at moms@stlukesokc.org or 609-1012.

Youth Pool Hop

Want to hop in a pool? Let's call it... a POOL HOP! 6th-12th grade youth are invited to a fun afternoon of fellowship and swimming at homes of youth families! It's August 7 from noon - 3 p.m. There's no cost. Just show up and lunch will be provided. Don't forget to bring a swimsuit and a friend! For more information, contact Amy: agivens@stlukesokc.org or call 609-1027.