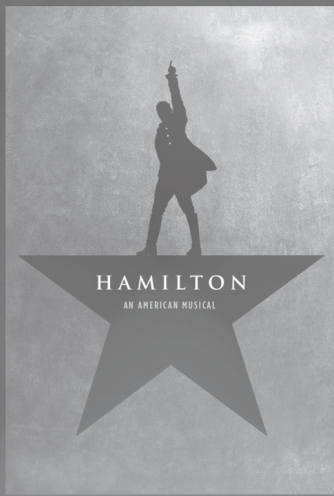


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**St. Luke's**  
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## WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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.

Hymnals, Bibles, 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.

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

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

PRELUDE

Lin-Manuel Miranda

*You'll Be Back*

Upon hearing about the colonists' revolutionary intent, King George reminds them that he is their king.

Alex Irwin, *soloist*

St. Luke's Instrumental Ensemble

Robert Fasol, *piano* Eric Bradford, *conductor*

RINGING OF THE BELLS

†HYMN

DUKE STREET

*How Great Our God's Majestic Name*

*How great our God's majestic name! His glory fills the earth and sky. His praise the heavenly host proclaim, eternal God and Lord most high.*

*His fingers set the moon in place, the stars their Maker's hand declare; in earth and sky alike we trace the pattern of His constant care.*

*And what of us? Creation's crown, upheld in God's eternal mind; on whom He looks in mercy down for tender love of human kind.*

*His praise the heavenly host proclaim and we His children tell His worth: how great is God's majestic name, His glory seen in all the earth!*

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Phil Greenwald

The God of mercy calls to us.

**We are in need of mercy.**

The God of love is with us.

**We need the love of God.**

God's mercy and love restores us.

**We need God's forgiveness to heal us.**

Despite our trials and mistakes,

**the forgiveness of God brings us new life.**

†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. David Poteet

The peace of the Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

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

L. Miranda

*Alexander Hamilton*

Alexander Hamilton introduces himself, where he came from, and what he plans to achieve.

Charlie Ludden, Alex Irwin and Ashlea Stewart, *soloists*

Chancel Choir and Instrumental Ensemble

Robert Fasol, *piano* Eric Bradford, *conductor*

*How does a poor begotten orphan son of a Scotsman, dropped in the middle of a forgotten spot in the Caribbean by providence, impoverished, in squalor, grow up to be a hero and a scholar.*

*The 10 dollar founding father without a father got a lot farther by working a lot harder, by being a lot smarter, by being a self-starter, by 14 they placed him in charge of a trading charter.*

*And everyday while slaves were being slaughtered and carted away across the waves, he struggled and kept his guard up. Inside, he was longing for something to be a part of. The brother was ready to beg, steal, borrow or barter.*

*Then a hurricane came, and devastation reigned, our man saw his future drip, dripping down the drain. Put a pencil to his temple, connected it to his brain and he wrote his first refrain, a testament to his pain.*

*Well the word got around, they said "This kid is insane, man!" Took up a collection just to send him to the mainland."Get your education, don't forget from whence you came, and the world's gonna know your name. What's your name man?"*

*Alexander Hamilton. My name is Alexander Hamilton. And there's a million things I haven't done, but just you wait, just you wait.*

*When he was 10, his father split, full of it, debt ridden. Two years later, see Alex and his mother bed-ridden, half-dead, sitting in their own sick, the scent thick. And Alex got better but his mother went quick.*

*Moved in with a cousin, the cousin committed suicide. Left him with nothing but ruined pride, something new inside: A voice saying, "Alex you gotta fend for yourself." He started retreating and reading every treatise on the shelf.*

*There would have been nothing left to do for someone less astute, he would have been dead and destitute without a cent of restitution, started working, clerking for his late mother's landlord, trading sugar cane and rum and all the things he can't afford.*

*Scamming for every book he can get his hands on. Planning for the future, see him now as he stands on the bow of a ship headed for a new land.*

*In New York you can be a new man, in New York you can be a new man, just you wait! In New York you can be a new man, in New York. Just you wait!*

*Alexander Hamilton, we're waiting in the wings for you. You could never back down, you never learned to take your time. Oh, Alexander Hamilton, when America sings for you, will they know what you overcame? Will they know you rewrote the game? The world will never be same, oh.*

*The ship is in the harbor now, see if you can spot him. Another immigrant coming up from the bottom. His enemies destroyed his rep, America forgot him...*

*We fought with him. Me? I died for him. Me? I trusted him. Me? I loved him. And me? I'm the darn fool that shot him.*

*There's a million thing I haven't done, but just you wait! What's your name man? Alexander Hamilton!*

LIFE AT ST. LUKE'S

Rev. Wendy Lambert

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Dr. Robert E. Long

*My Shot*

Alexander and his fellow revolutionaries plan to fight for their independence.

Charlie Ludden, Alex Irwin and Ashlea Stewart, *soloists*

Chancel Choir and Instrumental Ensemble

Robert Fasol, *piano* Eric Bradford, *conductor*

*I am not throwing away my shot. I am not throwing away my shot. Hey yo, I'm just like my country, I'm young, scrappy and hungry, and I'm not throwing away my shot.*

*Ay, let 'em hear ya! Let's go! Whoa, whoa, whoa I said shout it to the rooftops!*

*Whoa, whoa, whoa said, to the rooftops! Whoa, whoa, whoa come on! Come on, let's go!*

*Rise up! When you're living on your knees, you rise up. Tell your brother that he's gotta rise up. Tell your sister that she's gotta rise up. When are these colonies gonna rise up? When are these colonies gonna rise up? When are these colonies gonna rise up? When are these colonies gonna rise up? Rise up!*

*I imagine death so much it feels more like a memory. When's it gonna get me? In my sleep, seven feet ahead of me? If I see it comin', do I run or do I let it be? Is it like a beat without a melody? See, I never thought I'd live past twenty. Where I come from some get half as many. Ask anybody why we livin' fast and we laugh, reach for a flask. We have to make this moment last, that's plenty.*

*Scratch that, this is not a moment, it's the movement where all the hungriest brothers with something to prove went? Foes oppose us, we take an honest stand, we roll like Moses, claimin' our promised land.*

*And? If we win our independence? Is that a guarantee of freedom for our descendants? Or will the blood we shed begin an endless cycle of vengeance and death with no defendants?*

*I know the action in the street is excitin', but hey, between all the bleedin' 'n fightin', I've been readin' 'n writin'. We need to handle our financial situation. Are we a nation of states? What's the state of our nation?*

*I'm past patiently waitin'. I'm passionately smashin' every expectation, every action's an act of creation. I'm laughin' in the face of casualties and sorrow, for the first time, I'm thinkin' past tomorrow.*

*And I am not throwing away my shot. I am not throwing away my shot. Hey yo, I'm just like my country, I'm young, scrappy and hungry. And I'm not throwing away my shot. We're gonna rise up. We're gonna rise up. We're gonna, rise up, rise up. It's time to take a shot! Rise up, rise up! It's time to take a shot, time to take a shot! And I am not throwing away my shot!*

## †DOXOLOGY

OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>

*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 GOSPEL

Rev. David Poteet

While he was in one of the cities, there came a man full of leprosy; and when he saw Jesus, he fell on his face and besought him, "Lord, if you will, you can make me clean." And he stretched out his hand, and touched him, saying, "I will; be clean." And immediately the leprosy left him. And he charged him to tell no one; but "go and show yourself to the priest, and make an offering for your cleansing, as Moses commanded, for a proof to the people." (Luke 5:12-14)

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## SERMON

Dr. Robert E. Long

*Hamilton*

From the Sermon Series: St. Luke's on Broadway

## MUSICAL REFLECTION

L. Miranda

*Who Lives, Who Dies, Who Tells Your Story*

Hamilton's legacy lives on in the memory of those who knew him; his wife Eliza spends the rest of her life carrying out Alexander's unfinished work.

Charlie Ludden, Alex Irwin and Ashlea Stewart, *soloists*

Chancel Choir and Instrumental Ensemble

Robert Fasol, *piano* Eric Bradford, *conductor*



*Let me tell you what I wish I'd known, when I was young and dreamed of glory.  
You have no control; who lives, who dies, who tells your story?*

*President Jefferson...I'll give him this: his financial system is a work of genius.  
I couldn't undo it if I tried, and... I've tried.*

*Who lives, who dies, who tells your story?*

*President Madison...He took our country from bankruptcy to prosperity.  
I hate to admit it, but he doesn't get enough credit for all the credit he gave us.*

*Who lives, who dies, who tells your story?*

*Every other Founding Father's story gets told. Every other Founding Father gets to  
grow old. And when you're gone, who remembers your name, who keeps your flame?  
Who tells your story? Who tells your story?*

*(Eliza) I put myself back in the narrative. (Eliza) I stop wasting time on tears, I live  
another fifty years. It's not enough. (Eliza) I interview every soldier who fought by your  
side. She tells our story. I try to make sense of your thousands of pages of writings.  
You really do write like you're running out of time. I rely on Angelica.*

*While she's alive, we tell your story. She is buried in Trinity Church near you. When  
I needed her most, she was right on time. And I'm still not through, I ask myself,  
what would you do if you had more time. The Lord, in his kindness, He gives me what  
you always wanted, He gives me more time. I raise funds in D.C. for the Washington  
Monument. She tells my story. I speak out against slavery, you could have done so  
much more if you only had time. And when my time is up, "Have I done enough?"  
Will they tell your story?*

*Oh. Can I show you what I'm proudest of? The orphanage, I establish the first private  
orphanage in New York City. The orphanage, I help to raise hundreds of children,  
I get to see them growing up. The orphanage, in their eyes I see you, Alexander.  
I see you every time. And when my time is up, have I done enough? Will they tell your  
story? Oh, I can't wait to see you again, it's only a matter of time. Will they tell your  
story? Time...who lives, who dies, who tells your story? Time...will they tell your  
story? Who lives, who dies, who tells your story?*

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Dr. Robert E. Long

†HYMN 140

FAITHFULNESS

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

*Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning  
with Thee; Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not; as Thou hast  
been, Thou forever wilt be. Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed Thy hand hath  
provided; great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

*Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in  
their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to Thy great  
faithfulness, mercy, and love. Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy  
faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed Thy hand  
hath provided; great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

*Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and  
to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine,  
with ten thousand beside! Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed Thy hand hath  
provided; great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!*

†SENDING FORTH

Dr. Robert E. Long

Listening to God's voice reminds us that we are God's children.

**God declares us worthy.**

We have been forgiven and restored.

**We are given new life.**

POSTLUDE

Frederic Chopin

*Revolutionary Etude, Op. 10, No. 12*

Robert Fasol, organist

# LEADING IN WORSHIP

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**Rev. Wendy Lambert**  
Senior Executive Pastor

**Rev. Phil Greenwald**  
Executive Pastor of Administration

**Rev. David Poteet**  
Pastor of Congregational Care

## *Musicians*

**Robert Fasol**, *Organist/Choirmaster*

**Eric Bradford**, *Conductor*

**Charlie Ludden, Alex Irwin, and Ashlea Stewart**, *Soloists*  
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Orchestral arrangements for *Hamilton* by Mervin Tay



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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 the prayer request cards found in the Registration Pads and place them in the offering plates or email to [ccm@stlukesokc.org](mailto:ccm@stlukesokc.org). You may also call 232-1371 with your prayers and 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](http://faithpartners.stlukesokc.org) or email to [ccm@stlukesokc.org](mailto:ccm@stlukesokc.org).

### **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 at [stlukesokc.org/live](http://stlukesokc.org/live).

### **Want to Join St. Luke's?**

Are you interested in joining the St. Luke's mission to share, grow and serve? You can join St. Luke's on Sunday morning during Worship. For more information about membership contact Morgan Jones, Director of Welcoming Ministry at 609-1028 or [mjones@stlukesokc.org](mailto:mjones@stlukesokc.org).

## One Church with Multiple Campuses

**Edmond Campus**  
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## Sharing God's Love and Bringing Hope to the World

The mission of St. Luke's is to share God's love and bring hope to the world. We accomplish that by sharing the message of Christ, growing in our faith, and serving the community. Listed below are new and exciting ways for your entire family to be involved. For information about growing in your faith every week, stop by the Welcome Center today, call 232-1371, or visit [stlukesokc.org](http://stlukesokc.org).

## HAPPENING TODAY

### Welcome Folder

We are so glad you decided to worship at St. Luke's! There's a new way to register your attendance for worship. Please look for a Welcome Folder that is on the left end of each aisle. During announcements you will be asked to fill out your information and pass the folder down the row for others to do the same. Inside the folder you will also find prayer request cards and offering envelopes to fill out and place in the offering plate when it is passed.

## FIND YOUR PLACE TO SERVE

At St. Luke's, we believe serving is a vital part of our Christian walk. We are committed to be the hands and feet of Christ in our local community and around the globe. We encourage you to find your place to serve with your family of faith on Sundays, in the local community, or globally. Information is available at the Connection Point or online at [stlukesokc.org/serve](http://stlukesokc.org/serve).

### Serve Locally

There are a number of areas that you can serve in the community. Each is currently looking for volunteers. Specific information about what each ministry area is currently needing is at the Connection Point.

**Arts at St. Luke's**  
**El Sistema Oklahoma**  
**Ending Hunger OKC**  
**Faith Partners Addiction Ministry**

**Lee Elementary School**  
**Pet Ministry**  
**Studio 222**

### Connection Point

In an effort to help everyone find a place to serve, the Connection Point is updated with information on all the ways you can serve on Sundays, locally, or globally. The Connection Point is located outside of the Narthex and by the Welcome Center at the south end of the Christian Life Center.

### Volunteer Fair and Orientation

All current volunteers and anyone interested in volunteering for the first time are invited to attend a Volunteer Fair and Orientation on Wednesday, September 4. The evening will start with a free meal in the Christian Life Center from 5:15 - 6:15 p.m. An inspirational message from Dr. Long will be followed by breakout orientation sessions for each ministry area. All volunteers attending will also receive a free t-shirt. Please RSVP for the event and provide your t-shirt size by filling out a volunteer form at the Welcome Center or online at [stlukesokc.org](http://stlukesokc.org).

### Studio 222 Needs Volunteers

Drive a student to a better future! Transportation is vital for our after-school program, Studio 222, which uses art to help students develop self-esteem and resilience against at-risk behaviors. We need van drivers from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. and 6 - 7:15 p.m. Monday through Thursday during the school year, beginning August 19. If you can help, please email Julie Robinson at [jrobinson@stlukesokc.org](mailto:jrobinson@stlukesokc.org) or call 609-1009.

## Reading Buddies

There are 168 hours in a week. In just one of those hours, you can bless a young life. Starting the week of September 16, St. Luke's will be partnering with Lee Elementary to provide Reading Buddies to the students of this OKC school (SW 29th and Walker). The volunteer schedule is flexible! You choose the day and time that's best for you. Not only will you be helping a child academically, your support will provide a loving presence in their life. You will feel blessed as well! For more information, email Rev. Keith King at [kking@stlukesokc.org](mailto:kking@stlukesokc.org).

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Wednesday Night Alive

St. Luke's "Wednesday Night Alive" is coming back! The 2019 Fall semester of WNA offers a variety of amazing classes for everyone - children, youth, and adults. Dinner will be served at 5:15 p.m. (\$5 for adults - children 12 and under eat free). Classes start on September 11 at 6:30 p.m. Keep watching for class and registration information.

### St. Luke's On Broadway - *Lion King*

Pick up your invitation tickets today at the Welcome Center for "St. Luke's On Broadway!" This inspiring sermon series concludes next week with *Lion King* - a musical based on the 1994 Disney film about a young lion prince who overcomes tragedy with the help of unlikely friends to fulfill his destiny. Did you know in 2014, *Lion King* became the top-earning title in box office history, surpassing the record previously held by *The Phantom of the Opera*? Enjoy the inspiring music and uplifting message of *Lion King* next Sunday, August 25.

### Broadway Revue!

Enjoy all of the incredible music from St. Luke's on Broadway during a special concert in the Christian Life Center at the Downtown Campus on Wednesday, August 28 at 7 p.m. You'll hear guest soloists and music from shows that were featured during St. Luke's on Broadway over the past six years. Tickets are \$15 (kids 12 and under are free) and can be purchased at [stlukesokc.org/tickets](http://stlukesokc.org/tickets).

### Parent's Night Out

Parents, treat yourself to a Friday night on the town with St. Luke's free childcare event! Parent's Night Out is Friday, August 23, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. at the Downtown Campus. This event is for children from infant through 5th grade. You **must** register your child online [stlukesokc.org/events](http://stlukesokc.org/events) by August 21. For details, email Susan Easttom at [seasttom@stlukesokc.org](mailto:seasttom@stlukesokc.org) or call 609-1036.

### UMW Garage Sale Thank You

Many thanks to those who donated items for the sale and a special thank you to the many hard workers who donated their time to organize, price and work at the sale. The UMW Garage Sale raised \$??? this year with all of the proceeds being given to missions. Thank you!

### Community Orchestra Starting

Here's your chance to express your love of music in an exciting, supportive environment. St. Luke's is starting a new community orchestra! There will be a rehearsal every week, and there will be a few concerts throughout the year. They will meet Monday evenings from 7 - 9 p.m., beginning August 26, at the Edmond Campus Worship Center. This is for anyone who currently plays or has previously played an instrument - all playing levels are welcome! Dues are \$50 per year (50% discount for HS and college students) which cover the cost of music and supplies. Register online today at [stlukesokc.org](http://stlukesokc.org) or email Candace Fish at [cfish@stlukesokc.org](mailto:cfish@stlukesokc.org).

## YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Youth vs. Parents Game Today

It's going to be the matchup of the year - the St. Luke's Youth face the parents for a game of volleyball! Join us today, from 2 - 4 p.m. at Mesta Park in OKC and let the games begin. All 6th - 12th grade youth and their parents are invited. Simply show up for fun and fellowship with other families.