



ST. LUKE'S ON BROADWAY

St. Luke's LifeLight Worship

August 9, 2020

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 today inspired by a message of hope and ready to embrace life in the week ahead.

Leading in Worship:

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**St. Luke's
LifeLight Band**

Want to Join St. Luke's?

Are you interested in joining the St. Luke's mission to share, grow and serve the community? You can contact Logan Fish, Campus Director of Hospitality at 285-2002 or lfish@stlukesokc.org or you can go online at stlukesokc.org/membership.

Welcome and Call to Worship

Rev. Josh Attaway

Time of Praise

*This Is Amazing Grace
How He Loves Us*

St. Luke's LifeLight Band

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

The peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Rev. Josh Attaway

Special Music

Mama Says

Discouraged by the town's negative attitude toward dancing, Ren considers abandoning his idea to hold a town dance. Willard encourages Ren not to give up, because as his mama says, "You can't back down!"

Sam Briggs
LifeLight Band

Life at St. Luke's

Rev. Josh Attaway

Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Almost Paradise

As Ren prepares to go before the town council, hoping to persuade them to end the ban on dancing, Ariel gives him Bible passages to use in his argument. The two realize that they have fallen in love.

Sam Briggs and Maura McMurray
LifeLight Band

Doxology

The Psalm

I will extol thee, O Lord, for thou hast drawn me up, and hast not let my foes rejoice over me. O Lord my God, I cried to thee for help, and thou hast healed me. O Lord, thou hast brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit. Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.

Rev. Josh Attaway

Thou hast turned for me my mourning into dancing; thou hast loosed my sackcloth and girded me with gladness, that my soul may praise thee and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to thee for ever. (Psalm 30: 1-4, 11-12)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Message

Footloose

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

Dr. Bob Long

Song of Reflection

Let's Hear It for the Boy

An embarrassed Willard confesses to Ren that he doesn't know how to dance. Rusty overhears their conversation and assures Willard that she loves him anyway, and Ren proceeds to teach Willard how to dance.

Lexi Windsor
Lifelight Band

Invitation and Sending Forth

Rev. Josh Attaway

Postlude

Footloose

Lifelight Band

St. Luke's On Broadway Welcomes



Sam Briggs

Lexi Windsor



Maura McMurray



The stage adaptation of the popular movie celebrates the spirit and optimism of young people fighting for change. When city boy Ren moves to a small town where dancing is outlawed, he finds himself an outsider and a target of the local preacher who pushed for the ban. Ren challenges the community to reverse the rule and heal from the tragedy that kept their hearts from dancing.

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St. Luke's

United Methodist Church

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Luke's on Broadway

Today, we are enjoying the music from the hit Broadway play, *Footloose*. Next week, St. Luke's on Broadway continues with *Shrek*, a story about an ogre, a donkey and a princess who go on a life-changing journey. When life becomes a mess, there's an unlikely hero, who proves he's the right kind of hero. Invite a friend to next week's St. Luke's On Broadway online service.

Bible Study with Wendy

You might not be able to travel to the Holy Land right now, but there is a way you can experience the biblical importance of the locations - join Rev. Wendy Lambert on a virtual "Journey Through the Holy Lands." You can watch the weekly Bible Study in its entirety on our website at stlukesokc.org/studym or you can watch a section of it each day posted on our Facebook page at 9 p.m. Wendy will look at the importance of Egypt and what it's like to visit that country - as well as Jordan, Turkey, and Greece. There will be pictures of the areas including the Sea of Galilee, Bethlehem, Jericho, and Jerusalem.

Stuff the Bus School Supply Drive

Support our students by "stuffing the bus!" St. Luke's is hosting a school supply drive for the kids returning to virtual or in-person classes this fall. On Saturday, August 22, from 10 a.m. - noon at the Downtown Campus, and 1 - 3 p.m. at the Edmond Campus, volunteers will be accepting donations in a drive-by format. You can make financial gifts, or drop off some of the following supplies: Crayola crayons, construction paper, Crayola markers, wide rule spiral notebooks, composition books, glue sticks, Elmer's glue (small), pencils (pre-sharpened), colored pencils, ruler, scissors, 3 X 5 index cards, wide rule filler paper, highlighters, folders (with brads), pink erasers, Post-it Notes, three-ring binders. After you drop off your donations, be sure to get a free snow cone and enjoy the music! For details, email Lori Hall at lhall@stlukesokc.org.

Membership Sunday

Thinking about becoming a member of St. Luke's? Join us on August 23 for (virtual) Membership Sunday. At the end of the Online Worship Service, a video will play that will explain what it means to become a member of our family of faith. You can call the church and talk to a pastor or staff member, ask questions, and take the vows of membership over the phone! Watch the service via stlukesokc.org, or our Facebook page, then call (405) 232-1371 - no RSVP needed. For details, email Morgan Jones at mjones@stlukesokc.org.

Meals on Wheels

The need is growing to deliver hope to vulnerable residents in our community. The Meals on Wheels program has grown from 475 meals being delivered each week in 2019 to our volunteer drivers now delivering over 900 meals each week. With the Meals on Wheels program growing, a larger space was needed to accommodate the meal preparation and delivery set up. In July, the St. Luke's Asbury Campus kitchen was remodeled to be used for the Meals on Wheels program. With the exciting move to a larger space and being able to reach more homebound seniors, Meals On Wheels needs volunteer drivers to deliver hot meals from Monday through Saturday. Routes originate from St. Luke's Asbury and Downtown campuses. You pick the schedule. We need anyone who is willing to drive once a month, once a week, or be an "on call" substitute driver. Sign up at endinghungerokc.org, complete the background check, then sign up for a shift.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth - Senior Send Off Today

It's been a challenging year for our High School Seniors, so let's wish them well in style! All 2020 graduates and 6th - 12th grade youth are invited to attend the High School Senior Send Off today, from 7 - 8 p.m. in the gardens at the Downtown Campus. This free event will allow our youth group to celebrate and send off our recent graduates.

STAYING CONNECTED

Connect with St. Luke's on Social Media!

If you love fun, personal, and inspirational messages on your social media channels, be sure to Like/Follow/Subscribe to the St. Luke's social media channels! We are on Facebook (St. Luke's United Methodist Church, St. Luke's Edmond and St. Luke's Asbury), YouTube (St. Luke's United Methodist Church), and Instagram (@stlukesokc). Follow us for extra photos and content throughout the week!

Pastor's Cut

Do you ever wonder if Dr. Long has more to say about his sermon? Be sure to catch the Pastor's Cut, as Dr. Long shares with us extra stories and information from the previous Sunday's Broadway show. You can watch the Pastor's Cut at stlukesokc.org/broadway

Coffee with Bob

Each morning, around 8 a.m., Dr. Long starts your day with a positive message as you sip your morning coffee. Bob shares words of hope, books he is reading, stories, and scriptures as we continue to find new ways to stay connected. Watch this on our Facebook page (St. Luke's United Methodist Church and St. Luke's Edmond).

Virtual Small Groups

You can find a connection with others through Virtual Small Groups! For example, Community Groups and Sunday School classes are meeting during this time "virtually" - growing in their faith through technology. If you are interested in being part of a group, please email Rev. Josh Attaway at jattaway@stlukesokc.org and he will get you connected with a group that fits your schedule.

FOOD OUTREACH MINISTRY

Mobile Market Truck Needs Volunteers

Join us each week as we bless our community through delicious meals and fresh produce. There are many opportunities every Thursday and Friday to help our neighbors in need. Also there are opportunities to help with the Mobile Market stops on the last Saturday of the month. During these challenging days, we can come together to safely help children, families, and seniors access nutritious foods. We have a variety of volunteer opportunities **every** week in this important program. For more information or to sign up, please go to stlukesokc.org/help.

Volunteer needs:

Cooking and Meal Service

Thursdays 3:30 - 5:15 p.m. at Uptown @ Kelley Apartments

Meal Packaging

Thursdays 3 - 5 p.m. at the Downtown Campus CLC

Mobile Market Produce Packing and Truck Loading

Fridays 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. at the Downtown Campus Fellowship Hall

Mobile Market Stops

Fridays 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. and the last Saturday of the month - 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Mobile Market Truck

The Mobile Market is a volunteer-centered program that enables St. Luke's to distribute fresh fruits and vegetables, a family meal for 4 - 6 people, and other kitchen staples to individuals and families throughout the metro area. It's a simple way to help our community! The stops will alternate each week to have the greatest impact in underserved neighborhoods. If you or someone you know needs help, please go to stlukesokc.org/help.