



St. Luke's Episcopal Church Fairport, New York

Welcome to St. Luke's

We're happy to have you with us this morning. We invite you to share in praying, singing, and breaking bread with us. Become part of our journey in Christ.

Our Vision Statement

We are an open, Christ-centered community, caring for each other, and doing God's work in the world.

The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 5, 2012

Please note 'BCP' is The Book of Common Prayer

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

BCP, 355

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GATHERING RITE

The Acclamation

Presider: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity (said by Presider)

The Gloria

BCP, 356

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 40:21 - 31

Have you not known? Have you not heard?
Has it not been told you from the beginning?
Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth?
It is he who sits above the circle of the earth,
and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers;
who stretches out the heavens like a curtain,
and spreads them like a tent to live in;
who brings princes to naught,
and makes the rulers of the earth as nothing.
Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown,
scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth,
when he blows upon them, and they wither,
and the tempest carries them off like stubble.
To whom then will you compare me,
or who is my equal? says the Holy One.
Lift up your eyes on high and see:
Who created these?
He who brings out their host and numbers them,
calling them all by name;
because he is great in strength,
mighty in power,
not one is missing.
Why do you say, O Jacob,
and speak, O Israel,
"My way is hidden from the LORD,
and my right is disregarded by my God"?
Have you not known? Have you not heard?
The LORD is the everlasting God,
the Creator of the ends of the earth.
He does not faint or grow weary;
his understanding is unsearchable.
He gives power to the faint,
and strengthens the powerless.
Even youths will faint and be weary,
and the young will fall exhausted;
but those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength,
they shall mount up with wings like eagles,

they shall run and not be weary,
they shall walk and not faint.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Psalm

Psalm 147: 1 – 12, 21c

BCP, 804

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 9:16 - 23

If I proclaim the gospel, this gives me no ground for boasting, for an obligation is laid on me, and woe to me if I do not proclaim the gospel! For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward; but if not of my own will, I am entrusted with a commission. What then is my reward? Just this: that in my proclamation I may make the gospel free of charge, so as not to make full use of my rights in the gospel. For though I am free with respect to all, I have made myself a slave to all, so that I might win more of them. To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though I myself am not under the law) so that I might win those under the law. To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law) so that I might win those outside the law. To the weak I became weak, so that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, that I might by all means save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that I may share in its blessings.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The Holy Gospel: Mark 1:29 - 39

Presider: *The Holy Gospel according to Mark*

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus left the synagogue at Capernaum, and entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him.

In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, "Everyone is searching for you." He answered, "Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do." And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Nicene Creed BCP, 358

Prayers of the People: Form IV BCP, 388

The Confession and Absolution BCP, 360

The Peace

LITURGY OF THE TABLE

Offertory Sentence

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B BCP, 367

Sanctus BCP, 367

The Lord's Prayer (traditional) BCP, 364

Breaking of the Bread BCP, 364

The Communion of the People

SENDING RITE

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Presider: Let us pray.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

People: **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Blessing

Announcements

Presider: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

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Special Ministries in Today's Liturgies

8:00 am	Acolyte:	Mary Lou Plakus
	Lector:	Mary Lou Plakus
	Intercessor:	Mary Wilkinson
	Altar Guild:	Mary Ellen McDougal
	Lay Eucharistic Visitor:	none

St. Luke's Directory

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Calendar Of The Week

Wed, 2/8	10:30am Bible Study; 7:30pm Choir
Thurs, 2/9	7:00pm District Meeting – St. Luke & St. Simon Cyrene
Sat., 2/11	8:00-4:00pm Quilting Bee
Sunday, 2/12	8:00am Holy Eucharist: Rite I & Baptism
	10:00am Holy Eucharist: Rite II
	J2A Presentation on "Occupy Wall Street"
	2 Kings 5:1 – 14, 1 Corinthians 9:24 – 27, Mark 1:40 – 45

A warm welcome to our visitors this Sunday. Our greeters will be in the foyer Narthex after the service and would love to show you around St. Luke's and tell you more about our church.

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS—FEBRUARY

Many thanks to Steve and Patty Simpson; and Kathy Dorr Hanss for coordinating our coffee hour today!

2/12 – Alan & Deborah Lattime

2/19 Mary Ellen & Jim Ennis

2/26 Sue & Chris Veronda

QUILTING BEE – FEBRUARY 11

Our next quilting bee is Saturday, February 11, 8:00-4:00pm, or anytime in between. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Aufderheide at 200-2488.

OUR J2A YOUTH . . .

. . . will give us a special presentation on Public Policy Sunday, February 12 at the 10:00 a.m. service. The topic will be, "The Occupy Wall Street Movement."

JULIET LUNCHEON – FEBRUARY 16

Our next JULIET luncheon will be held on February 16th at Hong Wah restaurant, 1802 Penfield Rd., behind Dunkin Donuts. For reservations, call Rita Borden at 223-6601. All women of St. Luke's are welcome.

ST. LUKE'S BOOK CLUB—FEBRUARY 19

The Book Club will meet on February 19th to discuss "Missional Renaissance" written by Reggie McNeal and recommended by Bishop Singh.

Discussion will be led by Gary Gocek. All members of the Church are welcome. Come join us, we would love to hear your thoughts on the book. For more information, contact Rita at rmb60@localnet.com or by phone at 223-6601.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER – FEBRUARY 21

Celebrate Fat Tuesday, Mardi Gras, the Night Before the Beginning of Lent!

Date: Tuesday, February 21st

Time: 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Where: Great Hall

Cost: \$5 per adult; \$2.50 per child 12 and under

Come one, come all!

Suzanne Roscoe, 377-7531 and Patty Simpson, 924-8856 are coordinating this event. If you can help with set-up, cooking, or clean-up, please give them a call.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES – FEBRUARY 22

Holy Communion and Imposition of Ashes

7:30 a.m. Prayer Chapel

Noon Church

7 p.m. Church

INDIAN FOOD DINNER – FEBRUARY 25

The Indian Dinner to raise funds for education of Dalit children in India and children in the carpenters' kids program in Tanzania is scheduled for Saturday, February 25, 5:00 p.m. here at St. Luke's. Cost is \$12.00 per person; children 10 and under free. People are welcome to make extra donations. We are also looking for people to donate ingredients and vegetables. There is a sign up sheet for volunteers on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Lenten Series for Adults, Children and Youth

Sundays, Feb. 26, March 4, 11, 18, 25

5 p.m. Potluck Dinner in Great Hall

6:00 p.m. Programs begin

Adult Program in Great Hall:

Economics and Faith

On Money, Capitalism, and Doing Good

A Series Brought to Us from the Krista Tippet on Being Radio Program

What role does economics play in the life of people of faith? The moral life of a nation? The interaction of a nation like the US on the world stage?

Come, listen, and share with great discussion with others.

Children and Youth Program in Undercroft

Youths aged 5-17 are invited to participate in a production of the Genesis story of Joseph. Adults are also needed to help with scenery, costumes, directing, etc. This story was popularized in the musical "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat", and our production will use music from that show. Speaking and musical roles are available for everyone. Roles will be assigned according to ability.

The performance will occur on Sunday, April 1 (Palm Sunday) at 5:00 p.m. after a potluck dinner. Contact Gary Gocek, 223-3826, gary@gocek.org, if you have questions about the Youth Program and watch for sign-up sheets at the church.

7:00 p.m. Closing Prayer

A NOTE FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE

If you or someone in your family has recently been recognized or involved in community or school events or won awards, please drop a note in the secretary's mail slot or send an email to her at slukefpt@fairportnet.net. We would love to share the news with everyone!

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

PERINTON FOOD SHELF – FEBRUARY NEEDS

Canned beef stew, canned corned beef hash, coffee (regular, small cans preferred), flour, kids' juice boxes or packets, paper towels, pudding mix, salad dressing, sugar, toilet paper.

LIFESPAN

Nominations Sought!

People who have pursued a dream at age 60 or older.

Inspiring long distance swimmer **Diana Nyad** will be the guest speaker at Lifespan's 2012 *Celebration of Aging* on Tuesday, March 27th, noon at the Convention Center.

Lifespan is seeking nominations of people who, like Diana, did not let their age stop them from pursuing their dreams. We will honor five people with our Eli rudin

Second Half Hero Awards at the March 27th Celebration of Aging. Nominations are due no later than Wednesday, February 22. Go to <http://www.lifespan-roch.org/eli-rudin-nomination.htm> for nomination form. For tickets, call Julie at 244-8400, ext. 182 or email jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org.

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED

For the world:

For peace among the peoples of the world.
For peace in the Middle East, Iraq, and Afghanistan.
For our military, and their families.

For the church:

From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for The Anglican Church of Canada
The Most Revd Frederick Hiltz

From our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

For the Presiding Bishop Katharine Jefferts Schori, for our Bishop Prince Singh, for other church leaders; Matthew Clark (RC), Marie Jerge (Lutheran), and Marcus Matthews (Meth).

For Christ Church, Corning
Standing Committee
Cora Booth, Kenneth Bordner, priests
Prisoners, Victims of crime

From our parochial concerns:

For the ministries of our companion parish St. John's Honeoye Falls and The Rev. Dahn Gandell.

For Deven our priest, Susan and Cindy, our wardens, all the members of the vestry, our delegates, our parish and all other leaders.

For those known to us serving in the conflict with Afghanistan:

Jim DeCann (friend of Rita Borden and Mavis Rossborough), Peter McKendrick (friend of Cathy Thayer).

For the church and school for Dalit children in Kotha - palli- mitta, India, and our efforts to build a companion relationship with families and children there.

For those who are sick or in need: Jonathan Allen, Maia Allen, Jill Andolina, Butch Bellanca, Ken Borden, Chris Brian, Virginia Clark, Maryann Delfino, Johnny Demarest, Marilyn Ertell, Kay and Frank Faila, Libby Gallis, Betty Harris, Scott Horler, Katie, Madison Knapp, Dorothy Kunz, Joan Manning, Sue Meldrum, AmyElizabeth Munier, Baby Pa'a (infant), The Very Rev. William Petersen, John Plakus, Lucas Remington, (baby), Beverly Schenk, Carl Schenk, Warren Shaddock, Margaret Mary Shine, Karin and Bob Shull, Pat Smith, Augusta Stinnett, Stephen Tisa, Dwight Turner, Mildred Turner, Shelly Weiss, Kelly Wellman, Thornton Wierum, Faith Wolfe, those who struggle with any affliction, as well as all who care for them.

For those who have died:

Thanksgiving for:

Those celebrating a birthday: Harold Schwartz, Sarah Aufderheide, Hannah Aufderheide (2/5); Jon Liston, (2/6); Dave Prener, Paul Cusker, (2/7); Jackie Masciangelo, Janet Machamer, (2/8); Renee Fischer (2/9).