

UNILU NEWS AND EVENTS



UNIVERSITY
LUTHERAN CHURCH

From Pastor Jon

I won't have a column the next couple of weeks. Renee and I will be in the Holy Land. This two week educational tour is coordinated by the SC Synod and led by my Seminary Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew Dr. Monte Luker.

2019 Flower Sign up

The sign up sheets for 2019 Flowers for the sanctuary are in the narthex. Tiger Lily will bill you directly after the flowers have been delivered.

Epiphany Event

Please join the Youth on January 6th (Epiphany) after the 11 am service for an inter-generational event to share God's light with others! We will be painting night lights for hospitalized children in the Upstate to support The Hope Globe project. All artistic levels are welcome, and we will provide some snacks! <https://thehopeglobe.com/>. Contact Cyra Phelan with questions- Cyra.phelan@hotmail.com.

January 2, 2019

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Synod Communicator

Do you have communications skills that you would like to share? UNILU is in need of a Synod Communicator. This person will share communications from the South Carolina synod with the congregation. He or she will also provide information to the Synod about ways the Holy Spirit has been giving our congregation energy to reach out with the Love of Christ in our community. This will be in the form of a 250 to 300 word story accompanied by 2 or 3 pictures. Contact either Pastor Jon or Marion Fisher if you are interested.

ATTENTION 2018 and 2019 Committee Chairs!

2018 Chairs, please send your annual report to unilusecretary@gmail.com by January 15.

2019 Chairs, please send your list of committee members to unilusecretary@gmail.com by January 15.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR TUESDAYS TOGETHER BIBLE STUDY of DANIEL

**“Boldly live in our modern-day Babylon
without falling prey to its allure”**

Beth Moore DVD Study

Tuesdays, January 15 – April 2, 2019
10:00 a.m. in the Kevin Pletta Youth Room

You may attend any or all of the classes. Work books are available for those who want one. WORK BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO WANT ONE.

QUESTIONS: KAREN DREHER / MARILYN DELOACH

Novel Bunch Book Club Will Not Meet In January; Will Resume In February

Recent times have been so hectic for many of us *Bunchers*, that a January meeting is rolling around too fast for us to do justice to our current and very good book selection. We will resume meeting on Thursday, February 21st, when we will discuss *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towes. We will meet in the Cry Room at 12 noon. Please consider joining us for fellowship and for a lively discussion.

Calvin Schouties, Mild-Mannered Reporter of *A Novel Bunch*

Happy New Year!

Love One Another

Lutheran Services Carolinas (formerly Lutheran Family Services) is having a fund raiser- first in 18 years! The goal is \$1million. University Lutheran's goal is \$10,000. On three Sundays in January, there will be Temple Talks about the services provided by LSC. We will wrap up pledge Sunday in February. Keep in mind that your pledge can be paid over three years. More information to follow. If you have questions, please contact Myrna Johnson.

FAMILY PROMISE

We would like to shout out a huge "Thank You" to Eunice Lehmacher and Rachel Quesada for their service as co-chairs for Family Promise! Unilu partners with Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, the host Congregation, for 4 weeks during the year to:

- provide food for breakfast and bag lunches
- provide food and prepare dinner
- eat dinner with the guests
- stay overnight
- set up at the beginning of the week (Sunday afternoon)
- clean up at the end of the week (Sunday morning and afternoon).

Over the past several years, these two women have worked with Trinity to ensure that Unilu has provided volunteers to help perform these duties. After many years of great service, in 2019 they are stepping down from this role.

As we make our New Years Resolutions, it is time for each of us to determine how we wish to serve our community in 2019. If you wish to keep this ministry flourishing, please prayerfully consider taking on the role of Chairman or Co-Chairman of this committee. There are many eager volunteers to perform these tasks. Cindy Donnan has volunteered to be one of our two co-Chairman for this ministry. We are looking for a co-leader to make sure all tasks are covered.

**Sunday Worship
at 8:30am and 11am**

**Sunday School
at 9:45am**

Miss a service?

The recorded church sermons, audio and video, are posted weekly to the website:
www.uniluclemson.org

UniLu Web Site

www.uniluclemson.org

Council President

Marion Fisher
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Church Office Hours

The church office is open
Monday through Friday
8am-12noon and
1pm-3pm.

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can be reached through the church
office.

DEADLINE for NEWSLETTER

**Please have your information to
unilusecretary@gmail.com
by Tuesday at 3 pm.**

Mission Statement

University Lutheran is a family of faith, called by the Holy Spirit to be one ministry serving both our community and university. The Spirit calls us to make known, by word and deed, the story of God's love in Jesus. Our worship together empowers us to grow as disciples as we receive, celebrate, and share God's gifts with all of God's creation and created ones.

Serving this Sunday – Epiphany of Our Lord

Assisting Minister at 8:30	Chris Cox
Assisting Minister at 11:00	Cathy Harris
Communion Assistant at 8:30	Reed Severance
Communion Assistant at 11:00	Cindy Sanders
Lector at 8:30	Reed Severance
Lector at 11:00	Rosalyn Flanigan
Minister of Music	Judi Key
Altar Guild	Aija Seflic, Michael Seflic, Diana Vetter, Jim Vetter
Cantor at 8:30	Amy Cox
Cantor at 11:00	
Greeters at 8:30	Michael and Aija Seflic
Greeters at 11:00	Ed and Jean Mehlman
Ushers at 8:30	Rick Blob and Anita Edge
Ushers at 11:00	Jim and Diana Vetter
Acolyte at 8:30	Miles Rockow
Acolyte at 11:00	
Tellers	Bill and Jimmie Pletta
Audio Visual Team at 8:30/11:00	Ned Johnson/Jim Keogh

PRAYER CONCERNS

† For University Lutheran Members, Family and Friends: Wayne Gilchrist; Marvin Doerr; Sarah Heyer; Gail Paul; Emma Piazza; Pat Wagner; Jack Flanigan; Mark Smith; George Harris; Tony Quesada; Gene Copenhaver; Elise Burns, (Pastor Jon's and Renee's daughter); Randy Gilchrist, Larry Bock

† for expectant parents Josh and Jessica Wiltgen

☪ Celebrating birthdays this week: Dave Beckley; Trey Schumpert; David Huizenga; Meg Moyle; Ignatius Green; Marie Lynn

♥ Celebrating wedding anniversaries this week: Jack and Libby Queener; Chris and Amy Cox; David and Carina Huizenga

Calendar

Parish

THIS SUNDAY

LCM

Pastor Jon and Renee will be in the Holy Land through January 9, 2019.

Worship at 8:30am and 11am
Sunday School and coffee at 9:45am
Parish Life Committee meeting at 9:45am
Worship and Music Committee meeting at 12:30pm
Epiphany Event at 12:30pm

Monday

Pastor Chris will be attending the Leadership Retreat through Wednesday.
Lutheran Men in Mission meeting at 7pm

Tuesday

Tuesdays Together at 10am

Wednesday

Bible Conversation at 10am
Handbell Rehearsal at 6:30pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30pm
LCM Dinner at 6pm

Thursday

Men's Breakfast at Paw's Diner at 7am

Friday

Saturday

NEXT SUNDAY: Worship at 8:30am and 11am
Sunday School at 9:45am
Education Committee meeting at 12:30pm

Women of the ELCA

Our next meeting is Wednesday, January 16, at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Our speaker for this month will be Frank Honeycutt. He will be talking about his cross-country bike trip. There is a sign-up sheet located on the cabinet on the right in the narthex as you leave the sanctuary, so we can plan for food.

Hope to see you there and bring someone with you.

Karen Waltz



Prayer Fellowship

The following is a list of people for whom prayer has been requested. If you know of anyone in need of prayer, please email unilusecretary@gmail.com with their name, address if you'd like a card sent to them, and the reason for the request if it is not confidential. Please also let us know if they improve and need to be removed.

Dana Beville
Marge Butler
Mary Durnin
Kathy Francis
Lee Honeycutt
Theo Hurst
Ken Ingram
Don Joseph
Mac Kennedy
Bob and Faye Lawson
Ilse and Eberhard Lemcke
Barbara Lemcke
Fran and Billie Mentz
Kay Powers
Abby Roe
Linda Smith
Gavin Todd
Robert Washabau

Friend of Marie Lynn
Sister of John Wagner
Friend of Marie Lynn
Friend of the Wagners
Brother of Frank Honeycutt
Grandson of Michael and Aija Seflic
Father of Cheryl Smith
Friend of Bruce Booher
Friend of Becky Spray
Friends of the Sanders
Parents of Susanne Lemcke
Sister of Susanne Lemcke
Uncle and Aunt of Kerry Smith
Friend of Patty Hudson
Friend of the Lusk Family
Friend of Rosalyn Flanigan
Son of Cindy Donnan
Brother-in-law of Ada Lou Steirer



PRAYER OF THE DAY for Upcoming Sunday

O God, on this day you revealed your Son to the nations by the leading of a star. Lead us now by faith to know your presence in our lives, and bring us at last to the full vision of your glory, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.