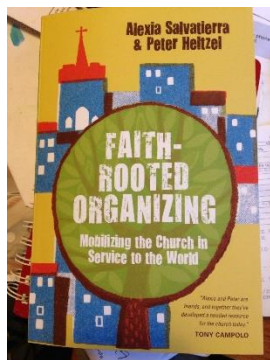


# UNILU NEWS AND EVENTS

## March 20, 2019



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### From Pastor Jon

Although I'm only midway through this book, my thanks to ELCA Pastor Alexia Salvatierra & Pastor and Professor Peter

Heltzel for sharing their wisdom!

A primary question I asked on my internship way back in 1998 was: "How do Community Organizing principles overlay with our Christian Faith?" is addressed concretely through their words and their experiences.

Tremendous social movements have been undergirded by the combination of deep, authentic faith in Jesus, and strategies for navigating politics and power. "Be as wise as serpents and innocent as doves" comes to mind.

Why this excites and encourages me is not so that I, or we as a congregation or denomination, grow in status or power, but so that we can better align ourselves with God's priorities in and for the world. This is not about vanquishing foes, but about loving neighbors and loving

enemies. It is about fighting against principalities and powers that divide and diminish instead of uplift and create.

This book is helping me grow and learn how I as a pastor, and we as a congregation, can continue to build on our strengths, and be taught by others in my/our areas of weakness. I confess I didn't enter Lent with a specific plan or spiritual discipline in mind. Yet through preparing for our midweek services, and discovering a few new voices, the last line of our Baptismal Affirmation, "to strive for justice and peace in all the earth" seems to keep popping up.

God's peace & hope, Pastor Jon

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## Clemson Spring Break Road Closures

Closure of Hillcrest Ave. at Hwy. 93 is scheduled to begin the morning of **Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> and last thru Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup>**. Also, southbound College Ave. will be closed at Hwy. 93 from **Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Additional information and updates to

the road closure schedule can be found on the University Facilities blog at : <https://blogs.clemson.edu/facilities/category/construction/hwy93/>. For additional questions, comments or concerns, contact Chris Miller with University Facilities at: [CMLLR@CLEMSON.EDU](mailto:CMLLR@CLEMSON.EDU).

## WELCA – Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle will meet **Monday, March 25 at noon in the church social hall**. All ladies are invited and encouraged to attend. Rachel Quesada is hostess for March and Karen Waltz has the program. Remember to bring your lunch. Drinks and dessert will be provided. Also please don't forget your paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, and Kleenex) for Clemson Community Care. These are needed items for them. See you on the 25<sup>th</sup>!

## Coffee Makers Needed for Sunday Coffee Service

We are in need of volunteers to help make coffee for the Sunday Coffee Service in the Narthex. Supplies and training are provided. Please contact Lena Jones at 425-2622 if interested.

Also, in support of the Lenten season bottled water will be available at the coffee service. Should we not have a volunteer for a particular Sunday to make coffee only water will be available.

## March and April Novel Selections for A Novel Bunch

University Lutheran's book club, *A Novel Bunch*, is reading *A House on Tradd Street* by Karen White as our March selection. This novel, the first in a series, features a Charleston real estate agent who specializes in the old house market and who finds herself attracted to and intrigued by the memories and secrets the house on Tradd Street holds within its walls and garden. We will discuss this book on **Thursday March 21st when we meet at noon in the Cry Room** near our Church's Sanctuary. You are most welcome to join us for a very lively discussion. Our April selection is *The No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency* by Alexander McCall Smith. We will meet on the **18th of April at noon** to discuss this novel.

-Calvin L. Schoulties  
Mild-Mannered Reporter for *A Novel Bunch*

## Hope Globe Workshop



If you were impressed and intrigued by the recent presentation describing Hope Globes—night lights

made to be given to patients at the GHS Children's Hospital--the WELCA Evening Circle invites you to join us in making some of these beautiful lights. We'll gather on **Monday, March 25, at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall**. So, mark your calendars and join the fun!

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## Operation In As Much

Save the Date!  
Let's all join forces on **Saturday March 30 at 9:30 am** with over 2000 churches in the compassion revolution.

We will be serving our community with several activities including:

- Habitat for Humanity (**starts at 9:00**)
- Abernathy Park work crew
- Scrub hat makers
- Hope Globe painters
- Placemat designers for Belvedere Commons and/or Clemson Downs (Children will be designers)

Come at 9:30 for a quick breakfast and then join an activity of your choice.

If you wish to help with Habitat for Humanity, let us know. A maximum of 10 can go and a waiver must be signed in advance.

If you have any questions, please contact Judy Aikens ([jbaikens57@gmail.com](mailto:jbaikens57@gmail.com)) or Michael Cook ([rcook8@g.clemson.edu](mailto:rcook8@g.clemson.edu))

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## Family Promise Co-Chair Needed

NEEDED: Person needed to be the Co-Chair of FAMILY PROMISE. Your responsibility would be to help Cindy Donnan coordinate people who have volunteered to stay overnight or to provide food to the people in this program. If you would like to help with this please contact Patty Hudson at 639-6931.

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## From the Education Committee

The season of Lent is a time of reflection and soul searching. It has been a time of preparation for Easter since the earliest days of the church. Our Lenten observances are often based on sacrifice such as giving up something we really like (Chocolate!). The Education Committee would like to challenge you to sacrifice your time to get more involved in the church as you observe this time of Lent. Here are some suggestions:

- Attend Sunday School – we have 2 adult classes, one college class and 2 children’s classes that meet at 9:45 each Sunday.
- Participate in a Bible Study – there’s one at Unilu on Tuesday or Wednesday at 10:00, or start your own.
- Participate in the Men’s breakfast which meets at Paws Diner on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday mornings at 7:00 (3/14, 3/28, 4/11.)
- Read the novel and join the Novel Bunch Book Club – They will meet on

Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at noon to discuss *A House on Tradd Street* by Karen White.

- Participate in Operation In As Much here at Unilu on Saturday, March 30 at 9:30.
- Participate in the WELCA Circles – one meets at noon and one meets at 6:30 on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month (3/25.)
- Attend the Lenten dinners followed by worship every Thursday during Lent. They begin on Thursday March 14<sup>th</sup> with dinner at 6 PM and Worship at 7 PM.
- Participate in Ash Wednesday (3/6 - Children’s Worship at 5:30 PM, Traditional service at 7 PM.)
- Participate in and Holy Week services (4/18, 4/19) here at UniLu.
- Serve at Our Daily Bread Fridays at 9:45am.
- The Education Committee has provided daily Lenten Devotional books in the narthex.

The 40 days of Lent are a great opportunity for you to reconnect with your church family, to reflect on Christ’s sacrifice for your life and to dedicate time to God’s word. We hope you will find something in the above suggestions that you can squeeze into your already busy days.

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## SHARE IT ----- POST IT



### A BIBLE VERSE

You are invited to share a Bible verse. You can post it or leave it in the basket to be posted. **You**

**can make Lent a special time by sharing.** You can post as many Bible verses as you want. To protect the walls please use the **BLUE BUIDLERS TAPE** in the narthex. Supplies are available in the Narthex or you can use paper of your choice. Any place is open for posting except in the sanctuary. Use the walls, bulletin boards, doors, bathroom mirrors, etc.

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## GOD'S GLOBAL BARNYARD

### LENTEN OFFERING MARCH 10 – APRIL 21 (Easter)

Save your coins and help purchase barnyard gifts such as: sheep, fish, cows, pigs, goats, honey bees and oxen.

*These gifts make a world of difference for a family in need.*

Barnyard coin boxes are available in the Narthex. You may also give by check through the church or directly to ELCA Good Gifts.

Questions to: Karen Dreher

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## Children's Message on Facebook

The Sunday morning Children's Message is now being posted on the University Lutheran Facebook page. It will be kept there for the whole week. This will give the children in families who cannot attend the service on a given Sunday, because of travel or illness, the opportunity to hear the message and see their friends.

You can provide a meaningful service to any family with small children, who attend a church that does not have a weekly message for the children or if they are unchurched, by forwarding the Children's Message to them.

Videos of the weekly Gospel Readings and

sermon are available on the University Lutheran Facebook page as well as on the [uniluclemson.org](http://uniluclemson.org) website. These videos are usually posted by noon on Sunday but may not be available until Monday mornings on rare occasions.

Posting the sermon videos on Facebook allows many other people to hear the word of God as preached in our church. Several hundred people are viewing the sermon video each week. This is significant since it indicates we are reaching out to people who are not presently attending our church. You can help extend this outreach by clicking the "share" button so it can be seen on your Facebook page or just emailing it to others who you think could benefit from hearing the Lord's word.



## New Office Hours

**Monday – Friday**  
**9am to 12noon**  
**1pm to 4pm**

## TUESDAYS TOGETHER Bible Study of Daniel

**“Boldly live in our modern-day Babylon without falling prey to its allure” pcu29163 Beth Moore DVD Study. Tuesdays through April 2, 2019. 10:00 a.m. in the Kevin Pletta Youth Room**

You may attend any or all of the classes. Workbooks are available for those who want one.

**QUESTIONS: KAREN DREHER / MARILYN DELOACH**



## Wednesday Morning Bible Study – Gospel of John

**At 10:00 AM on Wednesdays**, we meet for a Bible study of the Gospel of John. We meet in the downstairs adult Sunday School room. The study is led by John Wagner, and is proving to be a fascinating look into the fourth gospel. We are learning and seeing things that are new to so many of us. I invite any who can come at that time and wish to learn about the message of Jesus through the fourth gospel to join us.

Ken Cothran



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

**Sunday School  
at 9:45am**

### **Council President**

Marion Fisher  
[marionfisher@bellsouth.net](mailto:marionfisher@bellsouth.net)

### **Church Office Hours**

The church office is open  
Monday through Friday  
9am-12noon and  
1pm-4pm.

Mailing Address  
111 Sloan Street  
Clemson, SC 29631

Phone: 864/654-4232

### **DEADLINE for NEWSLETTER**

**Please have your information to  
[unilusecretary@gmail.com](mailto:unilusecretary@gmail.com)  
by Tuesday at 3 pm.**

### **Miss a service?**

The recorded church sermons, audio and video, are posted weekly to the website: [www.uniluclemson.org](http://www.uniluclemson.org) and to the University Lutheran Facebook page.

### **UniLu Web Site**

[www.uniluclemson.org](http://www.uniluclemson.org)

### **Staff Listing**

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843/304-5664

Chris Heavner- Campus Pastor  
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864/506-0080

Gene Copenhaver - Pastor Emeritus  
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[276/698-4471](tel:2766984471)

Judi Key- Minister of Music  
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Rebecca Quesada- Handbell Director  
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Cyra Phelan-Youth & Family Ministries  
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864/654-4232

Rachel Quesada – Treasurer  
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Melissa McKenzie -Custodian  
can be reached through the church  
office.

## 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-Third Sunday of Lent

Preaching/Presiding	Pastor Jon Heiliger/Pastor Chris Heavner
Assisting Minister at 8:30	John Broadwell
Assisting Minister at 11:00	Gary Smith
Communion Assistant at 8:30	Myrna Johnson
Communion Assistant at 11:00	Jan Fritz
Altar Guild	Cheryl Summers, Nora Espinoza, Rick Blob, Suzanne Keogh
Organist	Judi Key
Handbell Director	Rebecca Quesada
Lector at 8:30	Kandee Beckley
Lector at 11:00	Linda Holt
Cantor at 8:30	Anita Edge
Cantor at 11:00	Gary Smith
Greeters at 8:30	Ned & Myrna Johnson
Greeters at 11:00	Ed & Jean Mehlman
Ushers at 8:30	Roger Liska & Judy Morrison
Ushers at 11:00	Harold & Linda Holt
Acolyte at 8:30	Bella Rockow
Acolyte at 11:00	Marion Fisher
Tellers	John & Karen Dreher
Audio Visual Team at 8:30/11:00	Miles Rockow/Jim Keogh

### PRAYER CONCERNS

† for University Lutheran Members, Family and Friends: Wayne Gilchrist; Gail Paul; Emma Piazza; Pat Wagner; Rosalyn Flanigan; George Harris; Tony Quesada, Gene Copenhaver; Randy Gilchrist, Larry Bock; Joyce Lillehamer; Jean Doerr; George Rasula; Katie Healy's friend, Anne; Monte Bedford's sister, Shelley.

Celebrating birthdays this week: John McGavin; John Dreher; Karen Dreher; William Shields; Erika Summers; Allen Barrow, Jr.; Debbie Paul.

Attendance last week at 8:30am was 73 and at 11am was 67.

# Calendar

<b>Parish</b>	<b>THIS SUNDAY</b>	<b>LCM</b>
Worship at 8:30am and 11am Sunday School and Coffee 9:45am Stewardship Meeting 9:45am		LCM Ministry Teams 12:15pm
	<b>Monday</b>	
WELCA Ruth Circle 12pm Staff Meeting 1pm WELCA Evening Group 6:30pm Council Meeting 7pm		LCM Men's Group at 8pm
	<b>Tuesday</b>	
Tuesdays Together Bible Study at 10am Reconciling In Christ Taskforce 6:30pm		LCM Lunch at noon Women's Group at 8pm
	<b>Wednesday</b>	
Bible Conversation at 10am Handbell Rehearsal at 6:30pm		LCM Wednesday Nite at 6pm
	<b>Thursday</b>	
Men's Breakfast at Paw's Diner 7am Lenten Supper 6pm Lent Worship Service 7pm Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30pm		
	<b>Friday</b>	LCM Weekend Camping Trip
Operation In As Much 9am	<b>Saturday</b>	

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Worship at 8:30am and 11am  
Sunday School and coffee at 9:45am  
Listening Workshop 12:30pm

## 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](mailto: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  
Bob and Faye Lawson  
Ilse and Eberhard Lemcke  
Barbara Lemcke  
Billie Mentz  
Kay Powers  
Abby Roe  
Linda Smith  
Gavin Todd  
Robert Washabau  
Bernice Holt

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  
Friends of the Sanders  
Parents of Susanne Lemcke  
Sister of Susanne Lemcke  
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**

*Eternal God, your kingdom has broken into our troubled world through the life, death, and resurrection of your Son. Help us to hear your word and obey it, and bring your saving love to fruition in our lives, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*

*Amen.*

