

ST LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Saint Luke the Evangelist by an unknown
Russian Orthodox painter of icons

Morning Prayer

Morning Prayer Monday-Saturday @ 9 a.m. on Facebook
Noontime Prayer Monday-Saturday @12 noon. on Facebook

OCTOBER 17, 2021

WEBCAST SERVICE BOOK

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The Rev Thomas C. Jackson, Priest-in-Charge
Arijit Chakraborty, Organist/Music Director
The Reverend Dr. Victor A. Rogers, Rector Emeritus

About St. Luke



Saint Luke as a painter before Christ on the Cross, 1630-9, by Francisco de Zurbarán

We are celebrating the Fest of St. Luke the Evangelist today and at Evening Prayer tomorrow to commemorate the patron saint of this parish.

Early Christians though Luke wrote both the Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles. If true, this Luke would have created more than a quarter of the New Testament, more than any other author. Prominent figures in early Christianity such as Jerome and Eusebius later reaffirmed his authorship. Modern scholars note the absence of conclusive evidence supporting this claim.

The New Testament mentions Luke briefly a few times, and the Pauline Epistle to the Colossians refers to

him as a physician (from Greek for 'one who heals'). Some say Luke was both a physician and a disciple of Paul. Whatever the case, since the early years of the faith, Christians have regarded him as a saint. He is believed to have been a martyr, reportedly having been hanged from an olive tree, though some believe otherwise.

We honor **Saint Luke the Evangelist** and as a patron saint of artists and this is reflected in the painting above by Spanish painter Francisco de Zurbarán. Some say he wrote the first icon in history – one of the Virgin Mary holding the infant Christ. Luke is also the patron saint of physicians, bachelors, surgeons, students and butchers.

Today we honor St. Luke as both an Evangelist and physician. In this time of pandemic, these days when science is derided and our nation is divided, Luke calls us to a life of evangelism and healing, of living lives with decisions based on science and reality and support for those who work in the health profession.

CHURCH'S CORNER

WELCOME TO ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH! --We are pleased that you have chosen to worship with us. Since the COVID-19 pandemic prevents us from being physically present in this sacred space, we have added a prayer to reflect our spiritual sharing of the bread and wine. Some of this service will be read by a member of the St. Luke's Lectors Guild while responses of the people will be led by our Eucharistic Minister. We will continue to webcast worship service *via* our Facebook Page for the duration.

TODAY'S WORSHIP TEAM :
LEE FEBOS, OFFICIANT
PAUL WHYTE, LECTOR
ARIJIT CHAKRABORTY, MUSIC DIRECTOR
FR. THOMAS C. JACKSON, PREACHER

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Great
are the
works
of the
Lord.*

THE FIRST LESSON
Job 42:1-6, 10-17
THE PSALM
Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22)
THE EPISTLE
Hebrews 7:23-28
THE GOSPEL
Mark 10:46-52



Visitors are warmly welcomed to join us online for meetings and worship. Worship books may be downloaded from our web site stlukeschurchnewhaven.com

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK, we pray for St. John's, Waterbury; Christ Church, Watertown; All Saint's, West Cornwall.

IN OUR COMPANION DIOCESE, we pray for Young adults, young adult ministries and networks, The Episcopal Service Corps and the Young Adult Service Corps of the Episcopal Church. St. Hilda's House, New Haven, Young Adult Episcopalians Ministry Network.

STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Please send in your weekly and monthly contributions to St. Luke's by mail. We are working to set up an online payment option. You may also ask your bank or credit union to set up a monthly payment to St. Luke's through their "Bill Pay" features.

VESTRY MEETS OCTOBER 26TH

THE VESTRY will hold their **next monthly online meeting, on Tuesday, October 26th at 6 p.m. on zoom**. Most of the meeting is open to members and friends of the parish. Please contact the church to join the meeting.

THIS WEEK AT ST. LUKE'S

- ✘ MORNING PRAYER, 9:00 A.M. MONDAY – SATURDAY @ [FACEBOOK.COM/WHALLEYAVE](https://www.facebook.com/whalleyave)
- ✘ NOON PRAYERS MONDAY – SATURDAY @ [FACEBOOK.COM/WHALLEYAVE](https://www.facebook.com/whalleyave)
- ✘ SUNDAY WORSHIP @ [FACEBOOK.COM/WHALLEYAVE](https://www.facebook.com/whalleyave)

Morning Prayer on the Feast of St. Luke's

Ordinary Time, Proper 24

Sunday, October 17, 2021

Video 01 Prelude

Arijit Chakraborty

Our service is led by an officiant, a lector who reads the lessons, and an Eucharistic Minister assists in the readings and leads the people in speaking. These titles are held over from pre-pandemic times when our first service was a Mass and in preparation for when we return to in-person worship.

The Officiant says

The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. *Habakkuk 2:20*

Confession of Sin

The Officiant then says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

A period of silence is observed.

Officiant and People together say

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Officiant stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.*

Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant Lord, open our lips.
People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

Officiant The earth is the Lord's, for he made it: Come let us adore him.

Psalm 100

Jubilate

Lector Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; *
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.

(Antiphon) *Alleluia*.

Know this: The Lord himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

(Antiphon) *Alleluia*.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

(Antiphon) *Alleluia*.

For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

(Antiphon) *Alleluia*.

Psalm appointed

Psalm 147

Laudate Dominum

Lector: 1 Hallelujah!

How good it is to sing praises to our God! *
how pleasant it is to honor him with praise!

2 The LORD rebuilds Jerusalem; *
he gathers the exiles of Israel.

3 He heals the brokenhearted *
and binds up their wounds.

4 He counts the number of the stars *
and calls them all by their names.

5 Great is our LORD and mighty in power; *

- there is no limit to his wisdom.
- 6 The LORD lifts up the lowly, *
but casts the wicked to the ground.
- 7 Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving; *
make music to our God upon the harp.
- 8 He covers the heavens with clouds *
and prepares rain for the earth;
- 9 He makes grass to grow upon the mountains *
and green plants to serve mankind.
- 10 He provides food for flocks and herds *
and for the young ravens when they cry.
- 11 He is not impressed by the might of a horse; *
he has no pleasure in the strength of a man;
- 12 But the LORD has pleasure in those who fear him, *
in those who await his gracious favor.
- 13 Worship the LORD, O Jerusalem; *
praise your God, O Zion;
- 14 For he has strengthened the bars of your gates; *
he has blessed your children within you.
- 15 He has established peace on your borders; *
he satisfies you with the finest wheat.
- 16 He sends out his command to the earth, *
and his word runs very swiftly.
- 17 He gives snow like wool; *
he scatters hoarfrost like ashes.
- 18 He scatters his hail like bread crumbs; *
who can stand against his cold?
- 19 He sends forth his word and melts them; *
he blows with his wind, and the waters flow.
- 20 He declares his word to Jacob, *
his statutes and his judgments to Israel.
- 21 He has not done so to any other nation; *
to them he has not revealed his judgments.
Hallelujah!

After the Psalms, all say together

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

Readings

A period of silence will follow each reading.

First Reading

Ecclesiasticus 38:1-4, 6-10,12-14

A Reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus.

Lector: Honor physicians for their services, for the Lord created them; for their gift of healing comes from the Most High, and they are rewarded by the king. The skill of physicians makes them distinguished, and in the presence of the great they are admired. The Lord created medicines out of the earth, and the sensible will not despise them. And he gave skill to human beings that he might be glorified in his marvelous works. By them the physician heals and takes away pain; the pharmacist makes a mixture from them. God's works will never be finished; and from him health spreads over all the earth. My child, when you are ill, do not delay, but pray to the Lord, and he will heal you. Give up your faults and direct your hands rightly, and cleanse your heart from all sin. Then give the physician his place, for the Lord created him; do not let him leave you, for you need him. There may come a time when recovery lies in the hands of physicians, for they too pray to the Lord that he grant them success in diagnosis and in healing, for the sake of preserving life.

Reader Here ends the Reading

Canticle A

A Song of Wisdom *Sapientia liberavit*

Eucharistic Minister: Wisdom freed from a nation of oppressors *

a holy people and a blameless race.

She entered the soul of a servant of the Lord, *

withstood dread rulers with wonders and signs.

To the saints she gave the reward of their labors, *

and led them by a marvelous way;

She was their shelter by day *

and a blaze of stars by night.

She brought them across the Red Sea, *

she led them through mighty waters;

But their enemies she swallowed in the waves *

and spewed them out from the depths of the abyss.

And then, Lord, the righteous sang hymns to your Name, *

and praised with one voice your protecting hand;
For Wisdom opened the mouths of the mute, *
and gave speech to the tongues of a new-born people.

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4:5-13

A Reading from Paul's Second letter to Timothy.

Eucharistic Minister: As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully. As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. Do your best to come to me soon, for Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica; Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful in my ministry. I have sent Tychicus to Ephesus. When you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at Troas, also the books, and above all the parchments.

Reader Here ends the Reading.

Canticle 2

A Song of Praise *Benedictus es, Domine*

Eucharistic Minister: Let us read the Second Canticle responsively by half verse.

Lector: Blessed art thou, O Lord God of our fathers; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou for the Name of thy Majesty; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou in the temple of thy holiness; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou that beholdest the depths,
and dwellest between the Cherubim; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou on the glorious throne of thy kingdom; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou in the firmament of heaven; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; *

praised and exalted above all for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Gospel Reading

Luke 4:14-21

A Reading from Luke.

Eucharistic Minister: Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.” And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.”

Reader Here ends the Reading.

People Thanks be to God

Canticle 3

The Song of Mary *Magnificat*

Eucharistic Minister My soul doth magnify the Lord, *
and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior.
For he hath regarded *
the lowliness of his handmaiden.
For behold from henceforth *
all generations shall call me blessed.
For he that is mighty hath magnified me, *
and holy is his Name.
And his mercy is on them that fear him *
throughout all generations.
He hath showed strength with his arm; *
he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.
He hath put down the mighty from their seat, *
and hath exalted the humble and meek.
He hath filled the hungry with good things, *
and the rich he hath sent empty away.
He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, *
as he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Homily

Fr. Thomas C. Jackson

Apostles' Creed

All say together with the Officiant.

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers

Officiant Hear our cry, O God.

People And listen to our prayer.

Officiant Let us pray.

Officiant and People

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,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Officiant and People (Eucharistic Minister) say responsively

A.

V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;
R. And grant us your salvation.
V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
R. Let your people sing with joy.
V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
R. For only in you can we live in safety.
V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;
R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
V. Let your way be known upon earth;
R. Your saving health among all nations.
V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

Collect of the Day

The Officiant then says Collect of the Day

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Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

A Collect for Sundays

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your

kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Video 02 Office Hymn

By all your saints still striving

Hymnal 232



1 By all your saints still striv - ing, for all your saints at rest,
2 *(Insert the stanza appropriate to the day)*
3 Then let us praise the Fa - ther and wor-ship God the Son



your ho - ly Name, O Je - sus, for ev - er - more be blessed.
and sing to God the Spi - rit, e - ter-nal Three in One,



You rose, our King vic - tor - ious, that they might wear the crown
till all the ran - somed num - ber who stand be - fore the throne



and ev - er shine in splen - dor re - flect-ed from your throne.
a - scribe all power and glo - ry and praise to God a - lone.

Verse 2 for Saint Luke's Day

For Luke, beloved physician,
all praise, whose Gospel shows
the healer of the nations,
the one who shares our woes.
Your wine and oil, O Savior,
upon our spirits pour,
and with true balm of Gilead
anoint us evermore.

Prayers of the People

Please remain standing as you are able.

Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

For yours is the majesty, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Prayers of the People on St. Luke's Day

Lector serves as intercessor while Eucharistic Minister leads the people's response.

V To Jesus Christ, the divine physician, let us pray

R. *Heal your people, O lord!*

V. Open the ears of those who are deaf to your word,

R. *That they may hear and believe the good news of salvation.*

V. Bind up the wounds of the brokenhearted

R. *That they may rejoice in your love.*

V. Inspire compassion in the nations of the world,

R. *That they may open their borders and their resources to those exiled by war
famine persecution and disease*

Please insert your personal intentions

Intercessor

God of mercy and compassion, you hold out to us the hand of your mercy to raise us up from the misery and selfish sinfulness brought upon us and upon those whose lives we touch. Teach us to weep where we have cause weeping, to mourn where we have caused mourning, and to lift up that which we have brought low. In hope and trust, we turn to you for healing, through Jesus Christ your Lord, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

St. Luke's Prayers

The Officiant leads prayers for the Church family of St. Luke's.

Prayers for Birthdays

Oct. 17 th	Carolyn Rhinehart	Deborah Hogan
19 th	Bryant Grimes	
20 th	Jennifer Gorley	
21 st	Fred Taylor	Calvin Wright

Presider Let us join in praying for those having birthdays this week this prayer from the Book of Common Prayer. #50. *For a Birthday*

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants (*name all with birthdays by first name*) as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Prayers List

We pray by first name for those on our prayer list:

Genevieve Jones, Rose Jones, Craig Lindsey, Ed Mapp, Nneoma Obi, Brenda Smith, Dorothy Smith, Evelyn Singley, Gloria Brown, Carol Williams-Davis, Patricia Harris, Connie Mills, Ula Robertson, John & Leslie White, Gloria Williams, Phyllis Lindsey, Colleen Ormsby, Elnora Potter, June Davis, Melvin Esdaile, Nushi Biscoff, Anne-Marie Etienne, Valerie Jackson-Pittman and her daughter Andrea, Sheila Martin-Corbin, Susana Mendez, Clarence and Emma Philip, Isabel Bellamy, Doty Jackson, Alicia Lopez, Elnora Carroll, Eileen Esdaile, Michael Fulham, Shaina Stanley, Ed & Suzy Burke, Laurence Downes, Marion Conklin, Ashland & family.

Let us pray that they may be comforted by our prayers and God's blessing. May the Church say *Amen! Amen!*

We pray for protection and good health for those who staff the supermarkets, serve in hospitals, care for the elderly, teach our students, drive the bus, or provide emergency services during the continuing COVID-19 pandemic. May the Church say Amen! *Amen!*

We pray for those who have contracted Covid-19 and those who are still recovering. We also pray for friends and families that have lost loved ones during these difficult times. May the Church say Amen! *Amen!*

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Officiant Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

Video 03 Closing Hymn *God Will Take Care of You*

LEVAS 183

1. Be not dis-mayed_ what - e'er be - tide, God will take care of you;—
2. Through days of toil___ when heart doth fail, God will take care of you;—
3. All you may need___ He will pro- vide, God will take care of you;—
4. No mat - ter what___ may be the test, God will take care of you;—

1. Be - neath His wings___ of love a - bide, God will take care of you.____
2. When dan - gers fierce___ your path as - sail, God will take care of you.____
3. Noth - ing you ask___ will be de - nied, God will take care of you.____
4. Lean, wea - ry one,___ up - on His breast, God will take care of you.____

God will take care of you, Through ev - 'ry day, O'er all the way;



Officiant

Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Officiant

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. *Amen. Ephesians 3:20, 21*

Announcements *Lay reader or Fr. Jackson or Officiant*

Video 4 Closing Video

Officiant: As we conclude our time together, let us now take a look at how artists around the world have viewed the scriptures set for next Sunday.



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