

Weekly News

St. Luke's Episcopal Church
210 SE Ninth St., Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74003

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July 3, 2019

Vacation:

My family vacation begins today, Tracy and I are excited to be headed to Colorado for some time of rest and relaxation. I have always appreciated the church's generosity with vacation time. In our culture of workaholism I appreciate that I am not under extreme pressure to be available "all the time". Thankfully, St. Luke's has a great staff and active lay people that make taking some time away easy. I'm also thankful that the Watkins made it back from Oregon in time to take over the liturgical and pastoral care duties while I'm away.

In some bittersweet news, Mike and Laurie have sold their home in Bartlesville and will be moving to Eugene, Oregon, on the second of August. I hope you will come to church on July 7 and 14, as the Watkins will lead worship and preach. Our deacons have been called away, so we need to cherish their last weeks of serving among us. The vestry is planning a parish picnic (indoor and outdoor) to celebrate the Watkins' ministry, and to send them on their way. The picnic is planned for the afternoon of Sunday, July 28, so please put the date on your calendars and watch *The Steeple* and our Facebook page for updates.

I hope everyone takes some time off this summer for renewal and relaxation, and I ask you to keep me and my family in your prayers as we travel westward and back over the next couple of weeks.

Christ's Peace,
Father Steve

THANK YOU ALL!

Our CONCERN food drive was a tremendous success, with both a gross and a net weight of 704 pounds – we didn't have to throw away anything! That represents 11% of the total net weight received in the Stamp Out Hunger campaign in May. On Monday, Anneke and I helped the people from CONCERN load the goods in the van, weigh, sort and put them away. When we came across some cans of tuna, Jolly asked Anneke to put them straight into the pantry (not in storage) since they only had 8 or so cans left! In addition to the goods, \$48.73 was donated for us to give to CONCERN to buy more.

Thank you all so much for opening your hearts to help our community through CONCERN.

The Church Gift Shop will be closed the month of July 2019. Close-out sale on the cookbooks, Come to the Table, for only \$10.00

SAVE THE DATE

SUNDAY, JULY 28TH

~it's a parish picnic~

HONORING

MIKE & LAURI WATKINS

more info to come...

(if you would like to help please contact Nancy Woods
918-333-4299 or nancywoods120@gmail.com)



Church Women United invites any woman helpers who "sew, cut, pin, or tye quilts" for "Create for Missions" 9:30 to 2:00, July 12th, Friday, at First Presbyterian Church, 505 S. Dewey Street. Women can work at their own pace on items to donate for nursing homes, senior centers, and other groups who request these items. Lap quilts, pillows, bibs, etc. \$5 if you want lunch. Call Mary at 918-331-729, for more information. Lots of helpers needed, come for the day, or only a couple hours. Bring your machine, fabric scissors or rotary cutters if you have them, but mostly bring willing hands.

Pat L. Netzer-Willard, Church Women United Communications Volunteer

A banner with a rainbow background. The text is white and bold. It reads: 'Bartlesville Pride 2019' at the top, 'Community Worship Service' in the middle, and 'Disciples Christian Church - 7PM - Tuesday, July 9, 2019' at the bottom.

Bartlesville Pride 2019
Community Worship Service
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The church office summer hours are: Mon. - Thurs. 9-1 and closed on Fridays.

ST. LUKE'S PRAYER LIST Please keep the following persons in your prayers:

Elizabeth, Jenny, Thelma, Georgia, Diana, Millie, Bryson, Sydney, Ed, Evelyn, Toni, Milton, Joyce, Joseph, Lyndee, Alan, Pris, Bill, Karen, Lee, Linda, Annette, Ethan, Elaine, Marjean, Helen, Mark, Darian, Cynthia, Steve, Don, Barbara, Brent, Katie, Ruth, Lu, Rex, Suzanne, Glenn and all members of our armed forces and their families.

If you have a prayer request, contact our Prayer Ministry Coordinator Thelma Blackburn 918-333-7902 or TPBGEN@aol.com or the church office at 918-336-1212 or office@episcopalbartlesville.org.
(Names on the Prayer List are rotated off every 4 weeks. If there is need for continued prayers, please let us know.)

Scriptures Sunday, July 7:

- [Isaiah \(66:10-14\)](#)
- [Galatians \(6;1-6,7-16\)](#)
- [Psalm 66:1-8](#)
- [Luke \(10:1-11,16-20\)](#)

Greeters:

June 16:
8:00am: Monica Martin
10:30am: Carol Murphy
June 23:
8:00am: Sally Canfield
10:30am: D.J. & Jerry Nezam,
Jim & Nancy Warring
June 30:
8:00am: Gretchen Hoyt
10:30am: Carol Murphy

Agape Mission

Thursday, June 13:

9-11am: Jeanne Julstrom, Becky Liehr
10:45am – 1pm: Kris Bonner, Rita Childers, Becky Liehr,
Kathy Zervas, Dolores McCreary
1:00 – 2:45pm: Peter Julstrom, Miriam Petrovich, Wendy
Hall

Thursday, June 27:

9-11am: Jim Liehr
10:45am – 1pm: Jeff Birk, Molly Ferguson, Glenda
Garrison,
Darian Kedy, Jen Peterson,
1:00 – 2:45pm: Carol Murphy, Radomir Petrovich, Becky
Olsen

Ushers:

June 16:
8:00am: Dean Zervas
10:30am: Glenn Bonner, Jim
Warring
June 23:
8:00am: Dean Zervas
10:30am: Jim Grillot, Nancy Megee
June 30:
8:00am: Dean Zervas, Don Davidson
10:30am: Jeff Birk, Karl Franks

Layreaders:

June 16:
8:00am: Darian Kedy, Jim Grillot
10:30am: Judy Currey, Juanita Green
June 23:
8:00am: Judy Currey, Jeff Birk
10:30am: Juanita Green, Jim Warring
June 30:
8:00am: Scott Williams
10:30am: Penny Williams, Judy Currey

Nursery Volunteers:

June 16: Joshua Wolfe
June 23: Blair Ellis
June 30: Diana Crawford

Bereavement Committee

Team 2:

Laura Birk, Thelma Blackburn,
Sally Canfield, Rita Childers,
Debbie Muegenborg

Sunday Plate Counter:

June 16: Glenn Bonner
June 23: Jim Grillot
June 30: Karl Franks

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00am-4:00pm, Fridays 9:00am-12:30pm

Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8am & 10:30am; Wednesday 5:30pm, Thursday 12pm

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