

In Response to God
Activities for the week of October 16, 2022

Today's Lectionary: Jeremiah 31:27-34; Psalm 66:1-12; 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Luke 17:11-19

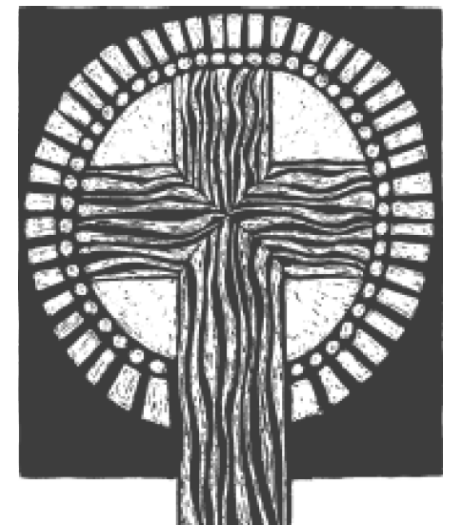
Sunday	October 16	9:00 am – Church School 10:00 am – Worship
Monday	October 17	3 -7 pm – Houston Dragon Academy
Tuesday	October 18	3 -7 pm – Houston Dragon Academy 10 am-2 pm CCSC food collection
Wednesday	October 19	3 -7 pm – Houston Dragon Academy
Thursday	October 20	3 -7 pm – Houston Dragon Academy 6:30 pm – Montrose Street Reach
Friday	October 21	3 -7 pm – Houston Dragon Academy
Saturday	October 22	9 am-6 pm – Houston Dragon Academy
Sunday	October 23	9:00 am – Church School 10:00 am – Worship

ST. LUKE'S STAFF

Pastor	The Rev. W. Scott Harbison
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The Order of Worship

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Please begin quiet preparation for worship as the Tolling begins.

TOLLING

WELCOME/PASSING OF THE PEACE .

OPENING HYMN 376
HYFRYDOL

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

CONFESSION OF SIN AND ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

People's Response: Thanks be to God

HEARING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 81)

Luke 18:1-8

ANTHEM

Janet Bardin and Jadon Campos

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

John Dykes, arr. Tom Fettke

REFLECTION ON THE WORD

Rev. W. Scott Harbison

“Don't Stop Believing”

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

HYMN OF RESPONSE 357
MARYTON

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYERS

OFFERTORY

Based on Psalm 8

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name

Tom Fettke

CLOSING RESPONSE

A Blessing Song

Marvin Gaspard (c) 2014

Voice

May the Lord sup-ply ev-ery-thing you need, ac - cor-ding to His rich-es in
glo - ry. As you go from this place, may His light shine up-on you and
give you peace. A - men.

The image shows three staves of musical notation for a voice part. The first staff is labeled 'Voice' and contains the first line of the song. The second staff continues the melody. The third staff contains the final line of the song. The lyrics are written below the notes.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Allegro Maestoso from *Water Music*
George Frederic Handel (1685-1759)



Welcome to St. Luke's Presbyterian Church! If you are looking for a church home in Houston, we invite you to unite with St. Luke's. If you would like more information, please speak to Rev. Harbison after worship.

Masks Optional: Because of changes in guidance from the CDC, masks are now optional at St. Luke's.

Sunday School: Children's Sunday School meets in Room 115 at 9 a.m. with Don Mims teaching the class. **The Adult Sunday School** class meets in the Library at 9 a.m. Patti Ernst is leading the class on a study of the Book of Romans. Our **Youth Group** meets at 9 a.m. in the history room (#129). Children and adult classes offer a virtual class alternative. Please let us know if you would like to receive a Zoom invitation.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in honor of Eleanor's 11th birthday by her parents and little sister.

Improvements to our church grounds: Will Lucas has planned his Eagle Scout project to benefit St. Luke's. He and his fellow scouts will be building a retaining wall along the sidewalk on Timberside Drive to prevent topsoil erosion. The work will be done on Saturday, October 22nd, starting at 10 a.m. Volunteers are welcome! Lunch will be provided.

Cookie Time is back! Drop by the Cookie Room after worship today and enjoy refreshments and fellowship. If you would like to provide cookies for an upcoming Sunday, please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the Cookie Room.

Montrose Street Reach October 20: St. Luke's partners with Montrose Street Reach to serve a meal to 125-150 people experiencing homelessness in the Montrose area. Would you be interested in baking cookies or brownies for our dessert portion of the meal? Call Ed Dickinson (832.274.5526) or Jeanne Leach (713.409.0997) for more information.

Food Sunday/Every Sunday: Non perishable food items are collected every Sunday for Christian Community Service Center food pantries. We also collect items on Tuesday's from 10 a.m.– 2 p.m. when our red grocery basket is placed outside to provide non-contact drop off for our neighbors.

Our Youth will be participating in Presbytery of New Covenant's Rally Day on November 12th at Pines Presbyterian Church. The mission project will be making pet beds. You can assist them by donating old t-shirts and stuffing to make the beds. You can also donate extra supplies for cats and dogs such as quality pet food, flea shampoo and treatment, leashes, toys and puppy pads. Bring your donations to church on Sunday or drop off during church office hours. More information can be found on the bulletin board in the narthex.

Jingle Bell Express 2022: You can help CCSC spread Christmas cheer to 2,500 children (from newborn to age 15) and their families by donating new toys and books and volunteering at the event. More information can be found on the bulletin board in the narthex and at www.ccschouston.org.
