



June 25, 2023

THANK YOU: I would like to thank everyone, from the bottom of my heart, for their condolences on the passing of Craig's sister. The family in Indiana, along with Craig and I, are beyond grateful for your continued prayers. While Amber has been sick for a very, very long time, the pain of her loss is still great. As we look towards what is next for her family (she had three children and two grandchildren) we ask that you continue to hold us in prayer. The power of prayer for one another is beyond amazing. Please know that Craig and I give thanks for each of you every day.
Pr. Jason

DIRECTORY: As seen in the Thursday blog, we are looking to get our online directory filled with members as soon as we can. Please enter your info today! Here's the link: <https://stlukeithaca.org/church-directory/>

TRAFFIC ALERT: College Ave between the stone arch bridge and Campus Road will be closed through August 10, 2023, for a major water main replacement project.



BASTILLE DAY ORGAN RECITAL Friday, July 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Local organists share the bench for this favorite event, with French wines, cheeses, and sweets! Baritone Steven Stull will join us for a selection from *Les Miserables*, and organist Mary Holzhauser will be joined by a violinist as well. Other organists include Sondra Wayman, Ian Woods, and Gerald Wolfe.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP AND PICNIC August 6 at the Cass Park Pavilion. More organizing info to come, but expect a "hot dogs/hamburgers and bring a dish to pass" sort of event. Mark your calendars as there will be no service on Oak Avenue that day.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Our very own Ronald Shewchuk is turning 86 on Saturday, July 1st, 2023. Robin Sacco is hosting a party to which the St. Luke family is invited! The gathering starts at 3:00 p.m. goes till sundown or when people are gone, rain or shine.

Please RSVP by sending your name and how many +'s (including kids) you'll be bringing to: Robin Sacco: 607-319-0998 (house phone no texting) or 607-262-1677 (cell) or occar@yaho.com

Location: 112 Winston Drive Ithaca

Please bring your own folding chairs if you can.

Dishes to pass are not required but are welcome. Please check with Robin first to make sure someone else isn't already bringing the same thing. There will be enough food to feed at least 60 people already provided.

ITHACA KITCHEN CUPBOARD (IKC): Please continue to be generous and donate needed food to the IKC. For the month of June the Social Ministry Committee is requesting donations of **cereal** (boxed low sugar cereals such as Kix, Oatmeal Squares, Honey Bunches of Oats, Total, etc.; boxed oatmeal, baby cereal). Please put food donations in the collection baskets near the Social Ministry table in the Narthex. Thank you!



PRAYER: Please direct prayer requests to Pastor Jason. A prayer chain of St. Luke folks prays confidently and confidentially for those who have requested prayer. If you would like to be part of the prayer chain, please contact Louise McGee rmcgee5@twcnny.rr.com or Pastor Jason.