

# St. Luke Presbyterian Church

# EPISTLE

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## PRAYER FOR PENTECOST

"When the feast of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place."

ACTS 2:1 (*The Message*)

The season of Pentecost is a reminder that Christians from different backgrounds and viewpoints are one body of Christ. As we joyfully begin to put the pandemic behind us and meet face-to-face, we acknowledge that we do not always agree with one another, and in fact, dissatisfaction sometimes develops into anger. This truth has only been magnified by the stress of the past year, when so many critical decisions were required.

With all of this in mind, we embrace the lesson of Pentecost, and offer this prayer:

Gracious and Loving God, You have called us together to do the work of Your church. Create within us open minds and hearts, embracing each other, while seeking to grow in faith and a fuller understanding of Your will for us. Help us to listen to each other, share our thoughts in loving, honest ways and do all we can to maintain the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace. Through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

(Adapted from PCUSA materials)  
DAVID KEMP,  
on behalf of the Session of St. Luke

## Choir to Host Birthday Party, All Are Invited

The choir is having a birthday party for **Bob Hansen**, and we think that this past year has helped everyone at St. Luke realize how much we appreciate him. So, we are inviting everyone to join us to help him celebrate his birthday (which happens to be a somewhat significant one if you pay attention to numbers.) The event will be an outdoor party in **Helen Thorsheim** and **Quentin Smith's** backyard on Sunday, June 13, starting at 4:30 p.m. With luck, the weather will cooperate, but, if not, we can move inside or under various covers. We are planning on having a potluck dinner. Specific, logistical details will be forthcoming in the weekly bulletin. Let's all come celebrate Bob and enjoy each other's company!

## Congratulations

2021 GRADUATES



Myra  
Amarillo High School



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# Strokes of Grace

## Honey Lemon Simple Syrup Meditation from PASTOR KATI

May this syrup allow you to savor the sweet and tart moments of life! Use this as a sweetener for your iced and hot tea or add water to taste for a bright lemonade.

Ingredients:

- 1 cup of honey
- 3-6 cups of water (depending on desired sweetness)
- 3-4 lemons, juiced and zested (depending on desired level of tartness)

Mindfully prepare each ingredient using these questions as a guide to your thoughts:

1. What are my memories of this item?
2. How is this ingredient used in my culture and others? Now and in history?
3. Where did this ingredient begin and what road has it traveled to get to me?

Offer prayers for the impact of this creation in your life and in the life of others.

Bring water and honey to a simmer at medium low heat. Zest your lemons on the sides of the rind with a fine grater. Juice lemons using a juicer, or slice the lemon sideways in half and twist a fork in the middle. Add juice and zest to the honey water and let simmer for 3-5 minutes. Taste and add ingredients to fit your desired balance of tart and sweet. Allow to cool and strain the seeds and rind from the mixture as you pour the syrup into jars to be stored.

## Mission Opportunities

ANN HEFNER and CAMILLE HOY

Thanks to your generosity, the Mission Committee was able to help restock the shelves of the Kind House Ukraine Bakery with much needed baking supplies — flour, sugar, cornstarch, food wrap, aluminum pans, canned milk, and other items used by **Glenda Moore** in her magic kitchen. If you would like to continue to support Glenda and her elves, you can add one or more of the above-listed items to your grocery list, bring them to the church along with your peanut butter, and we will see that they are taken to the bakery each month. And please remember KHUB when you need to order a special dessert or party treat.

Those of you who like to get "down and dirty" in the service to our larger community will be glad to know the committee is excited to support the High Plains Food Bank garden project. Mark your calendars for June 26, and check the related article in this newsletter (pg. 8) and upcoming bulletins for further information. This should be a fun, productive way to get to know your fellow St. Luke congregants and to renew acquaintances after our long self-enforced stay-at-home time. We look forward to seeing you at the High Plains Food Bank garden in June.

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## Congregational Care

DONNA CLOPTON

The Congregational Care Committee is made up of members of the congregation who wish to do what they can to serve their fellow church members. We meet monthly on the first Tuesday of every month at 4:00 p.m. to pray for our church and its members and to talk about how we can best support members who have special needs. If possible, we would like to provide support when members have health needs, are in the hospital, have suffered a loss of some kind, just need friendship, or are hurting in some way. We are a strong prayer group, can visit and listen to concerns, and when needed, provide some meals. We are always glad to visit people in the hospital. Those members who would like the support of the committee should contact the church office, and Pastor **Kati** can make a referral through **Melissa**. Also, she will alert our prayer team when asked to do so. We believe strongly in prayer and would like to pray for you when you have a special need.

Members of the congregation who are interested in serving on the Congregational Care Committee should make the office aware of that, and we will be glad to have you join our team. Many hands make light work. We wish God's abundant blessings on all of you, now and always.

## Your Tithes & Offerings Matter to... Seminary Students

Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary is a program selected by the Mission Committee to receive a monthly, budgeted donation. In 2021, we aim to give a total of \$500 to the seminary's Annual Fund.

The following letter comes to us from Rev. Alan Krummenacher, DMin, Director of Development.

"... Thank you for your recent gift to the Seminary in support of the Annual Fund.

We are all God's Easter people. Your gift demonstrates your commitment to the education of the next generation of servant leaders for the church and other forms of Christian service. Your gift is an act of faith in God's plan and purpose for the lives of our students. And your gift is a bold affirmation of hope in the resurrection promises of Easter.

I thank God for the saints of St. Luke Presbyterian Church and your support of the mission of Austin Seminary. ..."

"For the glory of God and to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ, Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary is a seminary in the Presbyterian-Reformed tradition whose mission is to educate and equip individuals for the ordained Christian ministry and other forms of Christian service and leadership; to employ its resources in the service of the church; to promote and engage in critical theological thought and research; and to be a winsome and exemplary community of God's people." This information and more about Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary can be found on their website at <https://www.austinseminary.edu/>.

# THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL GIVING

Detailed financial reports are always available for review by church members. Simply stop by the church office during regular hours and request to examine the previous month's financial documents.

April 2021

Year-to-Date

## “Unraveled” Summer Worship Series

Over the summer, we will be incorporating the liturgy and art projects from a series called, *Unraveled: Seeking God When Our Plans Fall Apart*, created by Hanna Garrity and Lisle Gwynn Garrity of A Sanctified Art. The Communion Table will feature cloth to be woven by the congregation into fabric medallions. Watch your bulletins for more information and opportunities to help with this project.

"This Table installation represents our hopes and dreams unraveled, the way our life and plans sometimes disintegrate under our feet, leaving us scrambling for the footing God is leading us toward.... Throughout the series, the unraveled components in the Table installation will diminish and transform into beautiful woven, round tapestries. This project tangibly portrays God's presence in our moments of unraveling as well as the promise that God hems us in—behind and before. When our plans fall apart, may God weave us together with love." (from A Sanctified Art)

## Youth Sunday a Success!

The worship service on May 23, led by the youth, was outstanding! The young people performed the music and singing and led the liturgy, with high school senior **Myra** delivering a heartfelt and moving sermon. We are lucky at St. Luke to have such talented young members.

## Synod Youth Workshop WHATAGREATGOD

**Keynote Speaker: Martin Osae**  
Commissioned Pastor and leader of the  
Ghanaian Fellowship Ministry of  
Woodhaven Presbyterian Church in Irving, TX

**July 12 - 17, 2021**  
University of Tulsa, Tulsa, OK

Rising 9th graders to graduated Seniors  
(also 2020 graduated Seniors)  
\$396, students & adults with a home group  
\$496, individual students without a home group

For more information go to: [synodyouthworkshop.com](http://synodyouthworkshop.com)

**WE WORSHIP, WE SERVE, WE PLAY,  
WE LIVE IN COMMUNITY**



3 • Travis	1 • Sara
3 • Betty	2 • Dona
4 • Louise	2 • David
7 • JoAnn	7 • Katelynn
8 • Ruth	12 • Becka
9 • Alex	12 • Kary
10 • Gary	20 • Courtney
16 • Christian*	21 • Sallie
16 • Robert	30 • Jonathon
18 • Dannette	30 • Janet
21 • Sam	31 • Delma
23 • Elizabeth*	* Friend of St. Luke
24 • Chip	
26 • Lilly	
27 • Dale*	
29 • Doyle	
30 • Celinda	

*If your birthday is not listed or if there is an error, please call the church office.*

## From the Bibliophile:

St. Luke Library has acquired a fascinating and well-researched account of the 500-year peregrinations of a single copy (Number 45) of the Gutenberg Bible from its monastic home in Germany through the hands (and libraries) of individual collectors in England and the United States, to its final resting place in a steel vault at a university library in Tokyo, Japan. That book is *The Lost Gutenberg*, by Margaret Leslie Davis. I highly recommend this absorbing volume to thoughtful readers.

For the rare-book collector, the Gutenberg Bible is something of a be-all and end-all, a capstone for any collection and a touchstone of Western civilization. It is considered to be of the highest artistic value and historical significance. Of no more than 185 copies printed, only forty-nine are known to have survived, and only twenty-one of those are complete. Five are in the United States. The nearest is at the University of Texas in Austin, another is at the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., and a third is at the Morgan Library and Museum in New York City. There are also complete copies at Harvard and Yale universities.

The remaining copies are distributed around the world, mainly at scholarly institutions, with a concentration in England and Europe. The last copy known to have changed hands (the one at UT) sold for \$2.2 million in 1978. Current value of a complete copy is estimated at \$20-25 million. Individual leaves can be had for as little as \$150 thousand, in case you are in the market. Good facsimile editions can be purchased for around \$850.

Composed in Latin in the 1450s, it was among the earliest major works to be printed using movable metal type cast or handmade in the shops of Johannes Gutenberg in Mainz, Germany. Most copies were printed on hand-made paper from Italy although some were printed on vellum or calfskin. It took at least three years for the complete print

run. Each Royal folio sheet was about 11" x 16" in size and a complete volume or set could weigh a hefty fourteen to twenty-five pounds. Often hand-illuminated, they were bound according to the taste and means of the purchaser, most of whom are thought to have been associated with Catholic monasteries in Europe.

It took centuries for the Gutenberg Bible to be properly appreciated, studied, and valued. My interest in such arcane matters stems from several years on the faculty at the University of Virginia Library as field archivist, collecting manuscripts and rare books. I never handled a Gutenberg or a Shakespeare first folio, but I can say I once laid trembling hands on an Audubon elephant folio of *Birds of America*, another collecting avatar. It was in a private collection at an estate in rural Virginia, at a location I would be honor-bound not to disclose, even if I could remember it those many years since!

Bookishly yours, *Doug Tanner*

## Epistles

### Dear Saints of St. Luke Presbyterian,

Thank you so much for the beautiful prayer shawl. It is something I will treasure always.

You all have been a blessing to me and the Mesa Verde community. With love, *Charla Cobb*

### Dear St. Luke,

Thanks to St. Lukan's for the meals that have been donated. They are wonderful and greatly appreciated.

**Tom** and I say "Yum" to all!!! *Tom & Margaret Heyde*

## Holiday Weekend Observed

Church offices will be closed and there will be no adult piano class on Monday, May 31 in observance of Memorial Day. **Melissa** will be on vacation June 1 and 2. **Susan Barnes** will open the office on those two days.

## BUFFALO GAP 2021 SUMMER CAMP DATES

Our local Presbyterian summer camp (at Buffalo Gap Presbyterian Encampment outside of Abilene) will be holding camp in person with a "pod-style" camp experience! Their COVID-19 protocols will help contain any spread of the virus to a small group and will include a mask-wearing policy for all camp-wide events. You can find more information on their procedures on their FAQ page: <https://www.buffalogapcamp.org/covid-19>.

For more information and registration: <https://www.buffalogapcamp.org/summer-camps>

Please let us know when you have registered your kid(s) so that we can connect any parents who might need assistance in transportation and so that we can pray for the faith growth of your camper!

If you have any questions about the camp specifically, you can contact Pastor **Kati** or **Ashley Denham**. Ashley will be serving as a counselor for all camps.

St. Luke is fortunate to have funds dedicated to scholarships for summer camp, so here are the details for this summer:

June 6-11	<b>High School Retreat</b>	\$80 (completed grade 9, 10, 11, or 12) Coupon Code for \$200 scholarship: STLUKEHS
June 15-18	<b>Mini-Camp</b>	\$ 0 (completed grade 1, 2, or 3) * Coupon Code for full scholarship: STLUKEMC
June 20-25	<b>Elementary Camp</b>	\$80 (completed grade 3, 4, or 5) * Coupon Code for \$200 scholarship: STLUKEEC
June 27 - July 2	<b>Middle School Camp</b>	\$80 (completed grade 6, 7, or 8) Coupon Code for \$200 scholarship: STLUKEMSC

\* Campers who completed 3rd grade can choose between Mini-Camp or Elementary Camp.

**Threads of Love** The crocheters and sewers and embroiderers and knitters and crafters of the church will continue to meet during the summer months. Please join us Thursdays at 2 p.m. in the fellowship hall.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>SUNDAY SCHEDULE</b></p> <p>10:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal</p> <p>11:00 a.m. In-Person Worship Service</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Service will stream Live on Facebook</p> <p>2:00 pm Recording will upload to YouTube</p>		<p>1</p> <p>Melissa is on vacation.</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p>	<p>2</p> <p>6:00 pm LOGOS Com. Mtg. (I-P)</p>	<p>3</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>2:00 pm Threads of Love</p> <p>6:30 pm - ACA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Pastor Kati is on vacation.</p>	<p>5</p>
<p>6</p> <p>Communion will be celebrated. "Peanut Butter Sunday"</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Pastor Kati is on study leave.</p> <p>10:30 am Adult Piano Class</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>8</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>4:00 pm Congregational Care Com. (I-P)</p> <p>5:45 pm Worship Com. Mtg. (Z)</p>	<p>9</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 pm LOGOS Event</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>2:00 pm Threads of Love</p> <p>6:30 pm - ACA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>
<p>13</p> <p>Elder Ross Clopton will fill the pulpit.</p> <p>4:30 pm Birthday Party honoring Bob Hansen (pg. 1)</p>	<p>14</p> <p>10:30 am Adult Piano Class</p> <p>5:30 pm Mission Com. Mtg. (Z)</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>15</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>12:00 noon Finance Com. (Z)</p> <p>2:00 pm Threads of Love</p> <p>6:30 pm - ACA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Last day of study leave</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Juneteenth</p>
<p>Father's Day 20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>10:30 am Adult Piano Class</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>22</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>2:00 pm Threads of Love</p> <p>6:30 pm - ACA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA*</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p>9:00 - 11:00 am HPFB Community Garden</p>
<p>PC(USA) World AIDS Day 27</p> <p>9:45 am "Being Presbyterian" Class</p> <p>12:00 noon Stated Session Mtg.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Pastor Kati is on vacation.</p> <p>10:30 am Adult Piano Class</p> <p>8:00 pm - AA</p> <p>8:00 pm - Al-Anon*</p>	<p>29</p> <p>10:00 am Exercise Group</p> <p>7:00 pm Farkle Group</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>JUNE</p>		



# SESSION REPORT

A report of the May 16 Session meeting is below:

Clerk's Report:

1. April 2021 average attendance for worship – 58
2. Active membership as of April 30, 2021 – 158
3. Communion was celebrated on May 2, 2021.

Rev. **Scott Campbell**, Executive Presbyter and **Lee Stribling**, Committee on Ministry Liaison, made their annual visit to the Session. The CoM routinely does annual visits to area churches to touch base and maintain the close relationship between each church and the Presbytery. Due to the pandemic, last year's visit did not take place, so Rev. Campbell and Ms. Stribling were especially pleased to be able to visit with St. Luke's Session in person. They acknowledged that the pandemic has been a very difficult challenge for all the churches, and that, by and large, St. Luke has come through it well. Our main challenge now is to be reconnecting with our members as we emerge from this lengthy period of isolation, which is mercifully ending.

The current COVID-19 protocol was revisited. The mask policy was changed so that masks are optional except for nursery staff and volunteers. Also, group limitations were lifted.

The resignations of **Susan Burnette** and **Mark Morey** from Session were received. **Ashley Denham** will become the moderator of the Christian Education Committee through the end of the year. **Doug Tanner** will moderate the Personnel Committee. **Bob McCracken** will continue, as moderator, in the Fellowship Committee. The Nominating Committee will be called into service to fill the opening in the Session Class of 2022.

Commendations go to:

- **Doug Tanner** and **Ashley Denham** for stepping up in new leadership positions.
- **Mary Holmlund**, for conducting an informal poll of

worshippers on May 16 to determine their opinions about mask-wearing.

- Rev. **Campbell** and **Lee Stribling** for attending the May Session meeting.
- **Bob Hansen, Mila Abbasova, Steve Parker**, and chancel choir members for wonderful special music in April and May.
- **Ashley Denham** for being head usher during transition to in-person worship, and all ushers for rolling with the punches each Sunday..
- Liturgists – **Phillip Periman, Cheri Castleberry, Ashley Denham, Dave Kemp, and Melissa Croft.**
- **Krista Berry** for a Minute for Mission for the request of donations for Kind House Ukraine Bakery.
- **Ashley Denham** and **Mary Holmlund** for a report at the May 9 worship service on our most recent Presbytery meeting.
- **Colby Barrow** for her service coordinating our nursery and caring for our young people.
- **Nicole Payne** and **Jennifer Denham** for bringing "the life of the party" (**Samantha** and **Hayden**) into the sanctuary for the children's time each week and being so patient with our little ones.
- **Helen Thorsheim, Kyle Hadley, and Travis Kemp** for attending training on worship technology.
- **David Barrow** for his years of service on the Finance Committee and for staying on the committee as we transitioned from his leadership to that of the incoming moderator.
- **Kaci Jones** for submitting all the necessary paperwork to apply for the PPP loan forgiveness, to which Kaci jokingly replied that we should wait until it is approved.
- Session members and treasurer for supporting our in-person and online worship services.
- St. Luke Women for creatively providing different options for safety and involvement at their luncheon.
- **Kendra Jones** for serving as moderator of St. Luke Women during 2020-2021.

## LOGOS Summer Fun!

BY DONNA CLOPTON

Calling all St. Luke kids and their friends for an evening of fun, food, and fellowship on June 9 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.! We will gather at the church to enjoy hot dogs, snacks, and s'mores and to play games and do those activities we most enjoy doing in warm weather. You might want to wear clothes that you don't mind getting wet and bring along a towel for drying off in case water is involved at some point.

You don't have to sign up, and of course your friends are welcome. If you could let us know if you will be there and how many friends you are bringing by calling one of the sponsors or the church office, that would be helpful so we can have enough food. If you don't get a chance to let us know, come anyway. We plan to have a fun, fun evening. Hooray for summer and LOGOS!

## Study Leave for Pastor Kati

Pastor **Kati** will be virtually attending classes in Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University June 7-18 and will be on vacation June 28 - July 6. If you have pastoral needs, please contact the office to be connected with someone who can help. Session members and their committees are listed so that you may also contact them if you are interested in helping with their efforts.

### CLASS of 2021

—vacancy—

**Ashley Denham**  
Outreach & Christian Ed.

**Mary Holmlund**  
Worship

**David Kemp**  
Finance & Endowment

### CLASS of 2022

**Joyce Baughn**  
Congregational Care

**Cheri Castleberry**  
Property

**Donna Clopton**  
LOGOS & Cong. Care

—vacancy—

### CLASS of 2023

**Ann Hefner**  
Mission

**Camille Hoy**  
Mission

**Bob McCracken**  
Fellowship

**Doug Tanner**  
Personnel

## Summer Reading: Study with Pastor Kati

Would you like to hear more about Pastor **Kati**'s studies towards her Doctor of Ministry degree? Join one of the discussion groups in July to consider how the subject matter of these books can add inspiration for our congregation.

Wednesday, July 14 at 2 p.m.

Cahalan, Kathleen A. & Bonnie J. Miller-McLemore, editors. *Calling All Years Good: Christian Vocation Throughout Life's Seasons*. Eerdmans, 2017.

Pohl, Christine. *Living into Community: Cultivating Practices that Sustain Us*. Eerdmans, 2011.

Wednesday, July 28 at 2 p.m.

Lowney, Chris. *Pope Francis: Why He Leads the Way He Leads*. Loyola Press, 2013.

Merton, Thomas. *New Seeds of Contemplation*. New Directions, 2007. Kindle Edition.

## How does your garden grow?

Let's get our hands dirty at the High Plains Food Bank's community garden! The Mission Committee has scheduled a workday on Saturday, June 26 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. for mission and fellowship. The location is 815 Ross Street. Please bring a pair of work gloves and water bottle. All ages are welcome, so this is a great opportunity for adults and youth to get outside and do some mission work at the same time! For more information contact **Camille Hoy**.

## Joys & Concerns

*Continue to remember:*

the people of Johnson Chapel A.M.E. Church; **Glenda Moore** (Kind House Ukraine Bakery); and the students, teachers, and staff at Mesa Verde Elementary School.

## Youth Sunday

The LOGOS sponsors are so proud of all the kids who led worship on Sunday, May 23. We thought they did a fabulous job and want to commend them. They even had to fill in last minute spots due to those children who got sick.

Those participating included: **Myra**, sermon and leader; **Jude**, Children's Sermon and Scripture; **Elanna**, violin solo prelude, Prayers of the People, and Our Life Together at St. Luke; **Jeff**, Call to Worship and Call to Confession, Invitation to Giving, cello solo for the Offertory, and Prayer of Dedication; and all children, bells.

Also to be commended are LOGOS sponsors **Kary Wingo**, **Cathy Weber**, and **Helen Thorsheim** for their work in helping the children get ready for the worship service.

## MISSION OPPORTUNITIES *continued from page 2.*

As we begin our annual summer hiatus, the committee would like for you to know that we have several mission opportunities planned for the fall months leading up to the holidays. For instance, in September, we will sponsor a drive for personal hygiene supplies needed for the Amarillo Children's Home. For those of you who like to plan ahead, the items they are asking for are body lotions or creams, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner, shaving cream, men's and women's razors, deodorant and anti-perspirant (non-aerosol), hair brushes, hair ties and scrunchies, body wash and body sponges, feminine products, Chapstick, face wash and lotion, and men's hair gel. (No travel sizes, please.) There will be more information in the August newsletter, so keep a weather eye out.

Have a great summer, everyone!

## Church Sign Repaired

CHERI CASTLEBERRY

Our Bell Street sign has been partially repaired! In case you hadn't noticed it, the plexiglass was split in pieces and partially blown away, causing somewhat of a safety issue. The top of the sign is in the works for repair, but the Property Committee is waiting to get together to finalize the plans. **Jason Smith** was recommended to the Property Committee for repairs. Jason not only repaired the sign, but charged for only the supplies--he donated his labor. If you are looking for an honest, punctual handyman to do any odd job, you might consider giving him a call (806) 220-6225. And be sure to tell him thanks for the sign repair!

## You Don't Have to Be a Techy

ROBBIE COLLINS, Technology Coordinator

"God doesn't call the equipped, but he equips those he calls." If there is someone in our church who has felt particularly blessed by our streaming, and they have a smart phone, I'd love a chance to show them how they can help multiply this blessing. If you can run a smart phone, you can run this camera. A brief users' guide will be yours to refer to. I hope to hear from you.

## Address Correction for Carsons

When the **Bonnie** and Rev. **Bob Carson** moved to their new apartment at The Craig, they were given the wrong address. Please correct your directory to this address:

## Postscripts

Instructor **Mila Abbasova** recently received recognition "for the positive impact [she's] had on residential students at WTAMU." She received thanks for "the immeasurable amount of effort and care shown." Congratulations, Mila!

**Robbie Collins** is to be commended for accomplishing the first livestreaming of a St. Luke service ever. It's quite an achievement, and we appreciate his hard work.