

The Choir of Saint Luke's

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A VIEW FROM THE CHOIR LOFT

GOOD MORNING ST. LUKE'S.

THE CHOIR WOULD LIKE TO GIVE YOU A BIRD'S EYE VIEW FROM THE LOFT. EACH SUNDAY WE SIT AND WATCH YOUR LOVING WAYS WITH EACH OTHER AS YOU ENTER FOR WORSHIP AND TO GREET SPECIAL FRIENDS AND LOVED ONES. IT IS A JOY FOR US TO BE ABLE TO BE PART OF THIS WEEKLY WORSHIP.

AS WE PREPARE OUR ANTHEMS FOR WORSHIP WE ASK OURSELVES: "WILL THEY LIKE THE ANTHEM? WILL IT MOVE SOME HEARTS? WILL WE SOUND GOOD?" ALL GOOD QUESTIONS BUT THE REAL REASON THAT WE DO WHAT WE DO IS TO HONOR OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST. THAT'S IT! THAT IS WHAT WE DO AND WHY WE DO IT.

WE KNOW THAT YOU APPRECIATE WHAT WE DO AS IT IS OUR OFFERING TO THE LORD FOR HIS GREAT GOODNESS TO ALL OF US. TO US, SCRIPTURE COMES ALIVE IN A VERY SPECIAL WAY WHEN WE SING. WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL BE INSPIRED AS WE HAVE BEEN INSPIRED BY HIS WORD IN SONG.

NOW ABOUT WORSHIP ITSELF:

EACH SUNDAY OUR ORGANIST KAY HOUSER PREPARES A PRELUDE TO WORSHIP THAT IS GENERALLY ABOUT 4 TO 5 MINUTES LONG. BEFORE SHE PLAYS THE PRELUDE, SHE SOUNDS THE CHIMES THREE TIMES WHICH SERVES AS A CALL TO WORSHIP. MANY OF YOU HAVE SAID TO HER THAT IT TRULY SETS THE TONE FOR WORSHIP. AS WE GATHER TO WORSHIP PLEASE CONSIDER THAT THE SOUNDING OF THE CHIMES IS THE BEGINNING OF WORSHIP SO THAT EVERYONE CAN FOCUS ON SOME QUIET TIME TO REFLECT WHAT IS ABOUT TO TAKE PLACE.

ENJOY THE MUSIC FROM THE LOFT. WE PLAY AND SING FOR HIS HONOR AND GLORY.

THE CHOIR OF ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL