



ST. LUKE Catholic Church

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil

4:00 p.m. - English
7:30 p.m. - Spanish

Sunday

8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. - English
12:00 Noon - Bilingual

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday

6:30 p.m. - Bilingual

Tuesday through Friday

8:30 a.m. - English

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday • Friday

9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

3:10 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. - English
6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. - Spanish
or by appointment

MISA EN ESPANOL

Jueves 7:00 p.m.
Sabado 7:30 p.m.

ANUNCIOS PERMANENTES

Charlas Pre-Bautismales

2.º y 4.º sábado del mes a las 5:00 p.m.
REQUISITOS: Traer certificado de nacimiento del niño(a), por lo menos un padrino tiene que ser católico, mayor de 16 años y tener sus 3 sacramentos principales. Para más información llamar al 615-459-9672 Ext.104

Grupo Mujeres de Fátima

Lunes a las 6:30 p.m.

Grupo de Parejas

Martes a las 6:30 p.m.

Misa Mensual de Fieles Difuntos

4.º Jueves de cada mes a las 7 p.m.

Adoración Eucarística continua de 24 Hrs

Jueves a las 8:00 a.m. hasta Viernes 8:00 a.m.

Renovación Carismática

Viernes a las 7:30 p.m.

Ministerio de la Adoración Nocturna

3º Sábado del mes, de 9:30 p.m. a 7:00 a.m. del día Domingo.

Llama de Amor

Rosario - 2.º y 4.º Sábado del mes después de misa de 7:30 p.m.

Vigilia mensual - 1er Sábado del mes después misa de 7:30 p.m.

Educación Religiosa

Miércoles, Sábados y Domingos



MASS INTENIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, September 30
 4:00 p.m. For All The Holy Souls of Purgatory
 7:30 p.m. For the Health of Alberto Sufia

Sunday, October 1
 8:00 a.m. † Jerry and Karolina Banas
 10:00 a.m. † Sterling Hall
 12:00 p.m. Maria A. Sufia
by Gertrudis Monsalve

Monday, October 2
 6:30 p.m. Priest Intentions

Tuesday, October 3
 8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Wednesday, October 4
 8:30 a.m. † Lucy Rundell
by Toni Comfort

Thursday, October 5
 8:30 a.m. For All The Holy Souls of Purgatory
 7:00 p.m. For the Health of Gertrudis Monsalve
by Gertrudis Monsalve

Friday, October 6
 8:30 a.m. Kyle Davis
by Joanne Speer

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM SEPTEMBER 17, 2023.

\$ 31,056.32 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations *(includes online giving)*

\$ 20,320.00 - Weekly Expenses for Parish needs and general operations

\$ 10,736.32 = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:

\$ 1,245.00 Restricted Designated Donations
(Includes online giving).

\$ 687.00 Last Resource Deposit
(Includes online giving)

\$ 271.00 Food Pantry Deposit
(includes online giving)

\$ 33,259.32 Total revenue collected
(general operations & designated donations)

\$ 59,330.00 - Weekly Overall Goal for Parish
(see formula below)

\$ (-26,070.68) = Overall weekly goal surplus (deficit) for Parish.
(Goal is based on 7.5% of average family income of \$47,000 x 875 families)

To make a quick Online Donation just scan this QR code for Vanco, to the right, with your smart phone!



You may also make a donation by PayPal — just scan this QR code to your left, or log in to your PayPal account and search for stluke123@comcast.net

LET US PRAY

For the Health & Recovery of our Parish Family

IIIII Marcille Miller, IIII Mike Baggett, IIII Fred Baggett, IIIIII Richard Marcrum, IIIIII Janice Miskell, IIIIII Mary Rende, I Ellen Friedl, I Aileen Such



*Names remain on this list for 6 weeks. Please call the office at 615-459-9672 or e-mail the frontoffice@stluketn.org to add or remove someone on this list.

For Those on Active Duty in the Military

Benjamin Anderson, Cody Hopper, Charles Lane, Michael Leaver, Jeremy Minner, Manuel Pineda, Mike Plouff, Sean Torres, Johnathan Stark, Dylan Williams, Matthew Moshea, Alek Nochowicz, Patrick Rissler, Jeff Hineman, Carl Templeton, Justin Laprise, Liam Smith, Caroline Simmons, Logan Garrett, Jeb Sloan, Tom Janssen, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Brendan Moore



There will be a 2nd collection on the last weekend of every month for the Bishop's Annual Appeal / Legacy Campaign.



COFFEE & DONUTS

Please come join us in the Social Hall after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Mass for coffee and donuts. This is a great opportunity to meet and mingle with fellow parishioners. Donations appreciated to help cover the cost. *Thank you!*

Turn away from sin and follow Christ.

In today's Gospel parable there is a model son, who gives honor to his father by verbally assenting to his father's wishes. But his words are hollow, and his virtue is a mirage. How does our own reality measure up to our Christian ideals? Loving our neighbor sounds like a lovely sentiment, until they cut us off on the highway. May Christ who calls us always to conversion help us root out any hollowness and hypocrisy in our own lives that we may truly confess that Jesus is Lord.

New to the Parish? WELCOME!

To register as a parishioner of St. Luke Catholic Church, Please contact the church office 615-459-9672 or visit our website at : <https://www.saintlukesmyrnatn.com>

Liturgical Ministry

Anyone interested in being a part of the St. Luke Liturgical Ministry serving as a Eucharistic Minister, Lector or Altar Server, please contact Laura Nota by email: litugy@stluketn.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK OCTOBER 7 & 8, 2023

Altar Servers

4:00 P.M. Christopher, Michael, Jimmy and Henry Forrester
 8:00 A.M. Avery Frith, Brooklynn Reynolds, Hadley Hollingsworth
 10:00 A.M. Hunter Adams, Hayden Garrett, Frederick Svestka

Lectors

4:00 P.M. Gayle Hilyer, Jennifer Banker
 8:00 A.M. Emily Dauerer, Ken Diesburg
 10:00 A.M. Lori Kendall, Jerilyn Rost

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 P.M. S. Byars, J. Banker, K. Fischer, D. & J. Spehn, C. Pineda
 8:00 A.M. M. & E. Dauerer, J. Ezell, M. Fell, C. Gartung, S. McBride
 10:00 A.M. T. Anderson, B. Parrish, Macaspac, Lopez-Starr, Sytsma, J. Schultz

Ushers / Greeters

4:00 P.M. Jonathan Jones, Mark Moshea, James and Karen Perkins
 8:00 A.M. Carlos Rivera, Johnny Gerald, Gary and Donna Wisniewski
 10:00 A.M. Ezekiel Opie, Vinnie DiCarlo, Rick Frani, JR Gerald, Jr.



Primera lectura Ez 18, 25-28
Esto dice el Señor: "Si ustedes dicen: 'No es justo el proceder del Señor', escucha, casa de Israel: ¿Conque es injusto mi proceder? ¿No es más bien el proceder de ustedes el injusto? Cuando el justo se aparta de su justicia, comete la maldad y muere; muere por la maldad que cometió. Cuando el pecador se arrepiente del mal que hizo y practica la rectitud y la justicia, él mismo salva su vida. Si recapacita y se aparta de los delitos cometidos, ciertamente vivirá y no morirá".

Segunda lectura Fil 2, 1-5
Hermanos: Si alguna fuerza tiene una advertencia en nombre de Cristo, si de algo sirve una exhortación nacida del amor, si nos une el mismo Espíritu y si ustedes me profesan un afecto entrañable, llénenme de alegría teniendo todos una misma manera de pensar, un mismo amor, unas mismas aspiraciones y una sola alma. Nada hagan por espíritu de rivalidad ni presunción; antes bien, por humildad, cada uno considere a los demás como superiores a sí mismo y no busque su propio interés, sino el del prójimo. Tengan los mismos sentimientos que tuvo Cristo Jesús.

Aclamación antes del Evangelio Jn 10, 27
R. Aleluya, aleluya.
Mis ovejas escuchan mi voz, dice el Señor; yo las conozco y ellas me siguen.
R. Aleluya.

Evangelio Mt 21, 28-32
En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a los sumos sacerdotes y a los ancianos del pueblo: "¿Qué opinan de esto? Un hombre que tenía dos hijos fue a ver al primero y le ordenó: 'Hijo, ve a trabajar hoy en la viña'. Él le contestó: 'Ya voy, señor', pero no fue. El padre se dirigió al segundo y le dijo lo mismo. Éste le respondió: 'No quiero ir', pero se arrepintió y fue. ¿Cuál de los dos hizo la voluntad del padre?" Ellos le respondieron: "El segundo". Entonces Jesús les dijo: "Yo les aseguro que los publicanos y las prostitutas se les han adelantado en el camino del Reino de Dios. Porque vino a ustedes Juan, predicó el camino de la justicia y no le creyeron; en cambio, los publicanos y las prostitutas, sí le creyeron; ustedes, ni siquiera después de haber visto, se han arrepentido ni han creído en él".

Salmo Responsorial Salmo 24, 4bc-5. 6-7. 8-9
R. (6a) Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos.
Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos, guíanos con la verdad de tu doctrina. Tú eres nuestro Dios y salvador y tenemos en ti nuestra esperanza.
R. Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos. Acuérdate, Señor, que son eternos tu amor y tu ternura.
Según ese amor y esa ternura, acuérdate de nosotros.
R. Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos. Porque el Señor es recto y bondadoso indica a los pecadores el sendero, guía por la senda recta a los humildes y descubre a los pobres sus caminos.
R. Descúbrenos, Señor, tus caminos.

PROFESIÓN DE FE

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible. Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos: Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no creado, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y por nuestra salvación bajó del cielo, y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre; y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato; padeció y fue sepultado, y resucitó al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor y dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y gloria, y que habló por los profetas. Creo en la Iglesia, que es una, santa, católica y apostólica. Confieso que hay un solo Bautismo para el perdón de los pecados. Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida del mundo futuro. Amén

Festival de Otoño de San Lucas
VENTA DE BOLETOS
Se vendrán después de TODAS las misas empezando el 9 de Septiembre. Boletos Individuales & brazaletes (wristbands) para la Zona de Niños se pueden vender el día del festival. También los boletos están disponibles para comprar en la oficina durante la semana.

Sabado, 7 de Octubre, 2023
10 am a 3 pm

Se necesita DONACIONES!

- Cajas de Agua y Refrescos
- Dulces envueltos individualmente y snacks!

SOCCER CHALLENGE
Los Caballeros De Colón Torneo
Los Caballeros De Colón Tendrán un torneo de fútbol en San Lucas el día 3 de Octubre a Las 6 p.m. Niños y niñas de 9-14 años de edad. Si necesitan Mas información favor de comunicarse con Josh Ezzell joshzez@yahoo.com

PROGRAMA DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA



DIVISION DOMINGO:

- No Hay Clases el 8 de Octubre (Fall Break)
- Clases Regresan el 15 de Octubre

DIVISION MIERCOLES:

- No Hay Clases el 4 de Octubre
- Horas de Servicio Parte 1 el 5 de Octubre, 4pm a 8pm
- Clases Regresan el 11 de Octubre

Reading 1 Ez 18:25-28
Thus says the LORD: You say, "The LORD's way is not fair!" Hear now, house of Israel: Is it my way that is unfair, or rather, are not your ways unfair? When someone virtuous turns away from virtue to commit iniquity, and dies, it is because of the iniquity he committed that he must die. But if he turns from the wickedness he has committed, and does what is right and just, he shall preserve his life; since he has turned away from all the sins that he has committed, he shall surely live, he shall not die.

Reading 2 Phil 2:1-5
Brothers and sisters: If there is any encouragement in Christ, any solace in love, any participation in the Spirit, any compassion and mercy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, with the same love, united in heart, thinking one thing. Do nothing out of selfishness or out of vainglory; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves, each looking out not for his own interests, but also for those of others. Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus.

Alleluia Jn 10:27
R. Alleluia, alleluia.
My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me.
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel Mt 21:28-32
Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people: "What is your opinion? A man had two sons. He came to the first and said, 'Son, go out and work in the vineyard today.' He said in reply, 'I will not,' but afterwards changed his mind and went. The man came to the other son and gave the same order. He said in reply, 'Yes, sir,' but did not go. Which of the two did his father's will?" They answered, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you. When John came to you in the way of righteousness, you did not believe him; but tax collectors and prostitutes did. Yet even when you saw that, you did not later change your minds and believe him."

Responsorial Psalm Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9
R. (6a) Remember your mercies, O Lord.
Your ways, O LORD, make known to me;
teach me your paths,
guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my savior.
R. Remember your mercies, O Lord.
Remember that your compassion, O LORD,
and your love are from of old.
The sins of my youth and my frailties remember not;
in your kindness remember me,
because of your goodness, O LORD.
R. Remember your mercies, O Lord.
Good and upright is the LORD;
thus he shows sinners the way.
He guides the humble to justice,
and teaches the humble his way.
R. Remember your mercies, O Lord.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten son of God, born of the father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

LEGION OF MARY

October is the month of the Rosary

October 7 – Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary. Known for several centuries by the alternate title of "Our Lady of Victory," the feast day takes place in honor of a 16th century naval victory which secured Europe against Turkish invasion.

Join us on Wednesday Mornings after 8:30 Mass. Adult Ed, Classroom B. Visitors are welcome. We also pray the rosary every weekday morning after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Our Lady of Light, invites all to pray the rosary every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. before the 4:00 p.m. Mass and Sunday at 7:30 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass. We meet in the cry room.

SACRED HEART ENTHRONEMENT

The Legion of Mary offers an Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus statue to be placed in your home for two weeks. Consecrating ourselves to the Sacred Heart is a personal and loving way to renew and live our baptismal vows. We acknowledge Jesus' sovereignty in our lives, pledging our love back to Him who has so graciously and sacrificially loved us. If you are interested, and for more information, please contact the front office at 615-459-9672.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

SUNDAY DIVISION:

- No Classes on October 8 (Fall Break)
- Classes Return on October 15

WEDNESDAY DIVISION:

- No classes on October 4
- Service Hours Part 1 October 5, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Classes Return on October 11



For questions or for more information you may email: relgioused@stluketn.org

All Are Welcome

All are welcome in this place
Behold Love's amazing grace
All are welcome: All are welcome
Bring your hopes bring your dreams
Mercy flows and Love redeems
All are welcome: All belong!



Welcome all the broken-hearted
All who sorrow and despair
You are not alone for you are God's own
Together we sing and we proclaim

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Servant Song

Donna Marie McGargill, OSM

What do you want of me, Lord?
Where do you want me to serve you?
Where can I sing your praises?
I am your song.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the Lord.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.

I hear you call my name, Lord,
and I am moved within me.
Your Spirit stirs my deepest self.
Sing your songs in me.
Jesus, Jesus, you are my Lord.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.

Above, below and around me,
before, behind and all through me,
your Spirit burns deep within me.
Fire my life with your love.
Jesus, Jesus, be the warmth of my heart.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.

You are the light in my darkness.
You are my strength when I'm weary.
You give me sight when I'm blinded.
Come, see for me.
Jesus, Jesus, you are my Light.
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.

I am your song and servant,
singing your praise like Mary.
Surrendered to your Spirit,
"Let it be done to me."
Jesus, Jesus, "Let it be done to me."
Jesus, Jesus, you are the way.

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Miracle Of Grace

Miracle of grace mystery of faith
Calling us to venture to the deep
Though our senses fail Your graces still prevail
And we become the love that we receive

Bread of Life Bread of Life
Those who eat this bread shall live and never die
Bread of Life Bread of Life
Your true presence in this holy sacrifice
Bread of Life

Unworthy though we are You feed the hungry heart
With bread come down from heaven above
And like a grain of wheat we fall down at Your feet
Dying here with You oh let us rise

Your faithfulness revealed
In this covenant You've sealed
With your very body and Your blood
Come claim Your bride again
With love that cannot end
For what God joins no one can divide

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Blessed Be Your Name

Blessed be Your name
In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

*Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord still I will say*

Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name

You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord blessed be Your name

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INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), is for any adult who is interested in becoming full participating members of the Catholic Church. Participants will go through the process of studying the gospel and nurturing their relationship with God, becoming familiar with Catholic teaching and practices, professing their faith in Jesus and the Church and receiving the sacraments of initiation; Baptism, Communion and Confirmation. *St. Luke extends an invitation to anyone who is interested in RCIA.* Meetings are held every Thursday evening, beginning October 19, from 7 to 8 p.m., until Easter. For more information and to register, please contact Deacon Roger Huber at 615-605-6545 or email: rogerhuber258@msn.com.



"St. Michael Academy has opened applications for grades Pre-K3 through 5th which began on September 15. Admissions testing and interviews will follow in December and January. Please visit our social media or website for more information. We look forward to seeing your application!"

Additionally, we are celebrating the Feast of St. Michael on September 29 on our campus! The building will not be completed yet so we will have it outside the Mother Teresa rectory beginning at 11 a.m. with Adoration, followed with a 12 p.m. Mass & Pot Luck.



BBQ, Bourbon, and Blues

Friday, October 6
6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
featuring music by

Big Monti

\$20 Individual
\$30 Couple
\$60 family

St. Luke International Fall Festival

Saturday, October 7, 2023
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

We call it International because there will be food from over a dozen Latin American countries, as well as Polish, Cajun, Filipino and more!

Activities will include:

- Classic Car Cruise-In
- Pumpkin Patch
- Kid's Play Area with Inflatables
- Craft Vendors
- Beer Garden
- Raffle
- Silent Auction
- Live Music
- AND MORE!!!**

The Festival is free and open to everyone. Tickets for food and Kid's Area can be purchased in the church office or at any Mass prior to the event or the day of the Festival.

Come Join us! Share some food and fun with us and help us celebrate this wonderful community!



ST. LUKE'S FALL FESTIVAL RAFFLE 2023

Drawing on October 8 @ 3 p.m.
St. Luke's Social Hall

Do not have to be present to win*

1 ticket = \$25
5 tickets = \$100

WIN ME! 2012 NISSAN ROGUE

- SV Sport Utility 4D
- 102,152 miles
- 4 door
- Engine: 4 Cylinder, 2.5 Liter
- All wheel drive
- Automatic - CVT
- New battery and connectors 06/2023
- New tires 08/2022
- Trans service 09/2022
- Rear seat camera monitoring system 05/2023
- A/C clutch replaced and serviced 06/2023

Never smoked in, regularly serviced, and in good operating condition!



BAKE SALE

The St. Luke Women of Faith will be holding a Bake Sale at our International Fall Festival! We will have COOKIES, CAKES, LOAVES, AND PIES to enjoy or take home. Your contribution of sweets to our fundraising will be most appreciated. Please drop your goodies off on Friday, October 6 or at our table located in the John Kirk Room the day of the festival. THANK YOU!!! If you have any questions, please contact Martha Fraley 615-896-5780.



SILENT AUCTION

NOTICE OF DATE CHANGE

Thanks to everyone who have generously donated to the Silent Auction!

We have a wide variety of items in all categories, including new furniture to choose from. Bidding will begin Saturday, **September 30**, after all weekend Masses. Last day of bidding will be Sunday, October 8, at 2:00 p.m. SHARP! Please make sure to stop by the John Kirk room and make your bid.

The St. Luke Women of Faith will be collecting donations for the Domestic Violence Center starting September 16 thru October 8. A labeled basket will be located in the Narthex during those dates. You are also invited to bring them to the Women of Faith meeting on October 12 at 6:30 p.m.

Some suggestions are:

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|----------------|---------------------|
| Hand Wash | Paper Towels |
| Hand Sanitizer | Laundry Detergent |
| Body Lotion | Dryer Sheets |
| Shampoo | Trash Bags |
| Conditioner | Waste Basket Liners |
| Body Wash | Household Cleaners |
| Deodorant | Bottled Water |
| Toilet Paper | Lunch Box Snacks |

Thank you for partnering with us in this effort. For questions, call Sharon Nelson at 615-478-2373.



SOCCER CHALLENGE

The Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge will be at St. Luke, on Tuesday, October 3, at 6 p.m. Boys and girls ages 9-14 can participate. For more information, please contact Josh Ezzell at joshezz@yahoo.com.

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR FALL FESTIVAL!

Thanks to all who have already donated, however we are still in need of:

- Cases of Water & Soda
- Individually wrapped candy & snacks
- Volunteers for day of Festival

Please join us in prayer for these expectant mothers in our parish:

- ~ Lena Francescon
- ~ Megan Steen
- ~ Michelle Blodgett
- ~ Ellen Crabtree



If you are expecting a baby we would love to pray for you! Please call Joanne Speer at 615-300-8656 or email her at: janne.speer@comcast.net to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.



ST. LUKE HOMESCHOOL MINISTRY

St. Luke Homeschool Ministry is for homeschool families to meet the first Wednesday morning of every month from September to May with the goal of attending morning Mass, celebrating the feasts and seasons of the liturgical year, and participating in various clubs and activities. We use Kendra Tierney's Catholic All Year Compendium to guide our monthly events and celebrations. We also have separate clubs and peer-group activities to finish our morning together. Interested families do not have to be members of St. Luke's parish to attend and we have all ages including teens participating each month. Email htqpartyof8@gmail.com for more details.

Attention all boys interested in Wrestling

Nashville Catholic Wrestling (NCW) is open to all boys K-8. Middle School parents will meet for info on Monday, September 25 at 5:30 p.m., with first practice October 16. For newcomers, WrestleMania Camp runs October 16-20, and the Crumbsnatchers season (K-4) starts November 5 at 4:30 p.m. All activities will be in the Coach Simpson Wrestling Facility at Father Ryan. No experience necessary and all boys are encouraged to give it a try. NCW coaches provide complete instruction and everyone makes the team. There are many High School State Champions and Collegiate wrestling alumni who started with NCW. Wrestling is a low cost sport and financial aid is available. Details and information can be found at www.nashvillecatholicwrestling.com

The Troops of St. George

Parents, would you like to have your boys in a scout troop that celebrates and deepens their Catholic Faith? Would you like your sons to experience the outdoors, work on achievements, and enrich their Catholic faith together with their fathers every step of the way? **The Troops of Saint George** is a Catholic organization that uses the outdoors as a canvas and the sacraments as a path for formation, friendship, and service to the Church. Troop 501 meets on Tuesday evenings at 7 o'clock, starting September 5, in the St. Rose of Lima gym and courtyard. Find out more about the amazing opportunities we have for your boys, ages 6-18, and their fathers. Please see the following video and website to see the best reasons for joining! troopsofsaintgeorge.org www.youtube.com/watch?v=xTbSygBCGPg
For Troop 501 information contact: Michael Arndt, 615-785-0243 or michael.arndt@mtsu.edu or strosesgeorge@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL CONFERENCE

Join Catholics from around the Diocese of Nashville for the Office of Faith Formation's **second bilingual Eucharistic Revival Conference (November 11)**, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Catholic Pastoral Center, 2800 McGavock Pike, Nashville. Hear dynamic speakers like Dr. John Bergsma; Katie Prejean McGrady; Fr. Malachy Joseph Napier, CFR; and Deacon Anselmo Ambriz. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop J. Mark Spalding. We will have adoration, confession, Catholic vendors, and more. Cost: \$20; lunch is included. Learn more about the event at www.soundscatholic.com under "Eucharistic Revival".



4 Stages of Marriage – The 4 stages of marriage are: (1) Romance, (2) Disillusionment, (3) Misery, and (4) Awakening. Many marriages experience the first 3 Stages. Marriages that end in divorce never make it to the 4th **Stage of Awakening. Don't give up** without learning about the 4th Stage of Awakening. If your marriage suffers from Disillusionment or Misery, please contact

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i). For confidential information about or to register for the September program beginning with a weekend on September 8-10 call 800-470-2230 or 615-838-6724 or email: nrv3043@gmail.com or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (INFANT - AGE 7)

Please contact the Parish Office to arrange for the celebration of this Sacrament. If this is your first child to be baptized, parents are encouraged to participate in a class before a date for the Baptism can be set.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:15-3:50 p.m. (or following Saturday vigil Mass) and any time by appointment. Call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The Diocese of Nashville requires a minimum four month preparation period. Contact the office for details.

ANONING OF THE SICK

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