



# ST. LUKE Catholic Church

10682 Old Nashville Hwy.  
Smyrna, TN 37167

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Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. • Wednesday - 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. • Friday - 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.  
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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

#### Platicas Pre-Bautismales

Para niños menores de 7 años. Cada 2<sup>do</sup> y 4<sup>to</sup> Sábado del mes a las 4:30 p.m. en el Salón Social. Los padrinos tienen que ser mayores de 16 años y haber recibido los Sacramentos de: Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Más información se le dará en la clase o 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 a.m. hasta Viernes 8 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 de misa de 7:30 p.m.

#### Programa de Educación Religiosa

Miércoles, Sábados y Domingos



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**Saturday, April 13**

4:00 p.m. † Mitch Gilley - by Cristina Gilley  
7:30 p.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by the Sorto Family

**Sunday, April 14**

8:00 a.m. † Frances "Fran" Gibson- by the St. Luke Women of Faith  
10:00 a.m. Joseph Commodore - by Catherine Skarbek  
12:00 p.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by the Sorto Family

**Monday, April 15**

6:30 p.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by the Sorto Family

**Tuesday, April 16**

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

**Wednesday, April 17**

8:30 a.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by the Sorto Family

**Thursday, April 18**

8:30 a.m. † Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus  
by Divine Mercy Assembly #2936  
7:00 p.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by the Sorto Family

**Friday, April 19**

8:30 a.m. † Niyalee Ormonde - by Ofelia Roberts

**WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM MARCH 31, 2024.**

\$ 32,831.98 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (includes online giving)

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

\$ 12,511.98 = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

**WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:**

\$ 1,177.00 Restricted Designated Donations (Includes online giving).

\$ 400.00 Last Resource Deposit (Includes online giving)

\$ 580.00 Food Pantry Deposit (includes online giving)

\$ 34,988.98 **Total revenue collected** (general operations & designated donations)

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

\$ (-24,341.02) = Overall weekly goal surplus (deficit) for Parish.

(Goal is based on 7.5% of average family income of \$47,000 x 875 families.)

**LET US PRAY**

**For the Health & Recovery of our Parish Family**

IIIIII Richard Marcrum, IIIIIII Fred Baggett, IIIIIII Mike Baggett, I RoseAnne Barnes, II Noah Blockley



\*Names remain on this list for 6 weeks. Please call the office at 615-459-9672 or e-mail the [frontoffice@stluketn.org](mailto: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, 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, Eric House, Cole Liko, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Peyton Oates, Grant Holland, Michael Mounce



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

[We] look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Jesus is the fulfillment of God's promises of salvation, and he has come to save us – body and soul. Our physical and spiritual realities are infused with one another, integrated within our creation as *Imago Dei* – made in the image of God. Christ was raised, body and soul, by the Father, and his glorified body was seen by the Apostles and many others. Through him we will be reunited to God, our Father and Creator, on the last day. As we profess in our creed, we look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

**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 at [litugy@stluketn.org](mailto:litugy@stluketn.org).

**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!*

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK APRIL 20 & 21 2024**

**Altar Servers**

4:00 p.m. Jimmy, Henry, and Christopher-Michael Forrest  
8:00 a.m. William, Joseph, and Joshua Krog  
10:00 a.m. Canon rost, Dominic and Solomon Opie

**Lectors**

4:00 p.m. Ty and Jennifer Anderson  
8:00 a.m. Jennifer Krog, Stephanie Nordhoff  
10:00 a.m. Kris Wynn, Christopher Svestka

**Eucharistic Ministers**

4:00 p.m. T. Anderson, T. Henry, C. & V. Logsdon, L. & S. Johnson  
8:00 a.m. M. Fell, C. Gartung, A. Kornau, A. Stanley, L. Collet, S. Vanns  
10:00 a.m. J. Lopez-Starr, S. Legaspi, T. Arnone, C. & D. Hagen, A. Warnatzsch

**Ushers / Greeters**

4:00 p.m. Karen and James Perkins, Mark Moshea, Jack Payne  
8:00 a.m. Johnny Gerald, Carlos Rivera, Kenneth Krog, Shararose Legaspi  
10:00 a.m. JR Gerald Jr., Jim Noyes, Nathan Opie, Tom Nolan

**Primera lectura**

**Hch 3, 13-15. 17-19**

En aquellos días, Pedro tomó la palabra y dijo: "El Dios de Abraham, de Isaac y de Jacob, el Dios de nuestros padres, ha glorificado a su siervo Jesús, a quien ustedes entregaron a Pilato, y a quien rechazaron en su presencia, cuando él ya había decidido ponerlo en libertad. Rechazaron al santo, al justo, y pidieron el indulto de un asesino; han dado muerte al autor de la vida, pero Dios lo resucitó de entre los muertos y de ello nosotros somos testigos. Ahora bien, hermanos, yo sé que ustedes han obrado por ignorancia, de la misma manera que sus jefes; pero Dios cumplió así lo que había predicho por boca de los profetas: que su Mesías tenía que padecer. Por lo tanto, arrepíentense y conviértanse, para que se les perdonen sus pecados".

**Segunda lectura**

**1 Jn 2, 1-5a**

Hijitos míos: Les escribo esto para que no pequen. Pero, si alguien peca, tenemos como intercesor ante el Padre, a Jesucristo, el justo. Porque él se ofreció como víctima de expiación por nuestros pecados, y no sólo por los nuestros, sino por los del mundo entero. En esto tenemos una prueba de que conocemos a Dios, en que cumplimos sus mandamientos. El que dice: "Yo lo conozco", pero no cumple sus mandamientos, es un mentiroso y la verdad no está en él. Pero en aquel que cumple su palabra, el amor de Dios ha llegado a su plenitud, y precisamente en esto conocemos que estamos unidos a él.

**Aclamación antes del Evangelio**

**Cf. Lc 24, 32**

**R. Aleluya, aleluya.**

Señor Jesús, haz que comprendamos la Sagrada Escritura. Enciende nuestro corazón mientras nos hablas.

**R. Aleluya.**

**Evangelio**

**Lc 24, 35-48**

Cuando los dos discípulos regresaron de Emaús y llegaron al sitio donde estaban reunidos los apóstoles, les contaron lo que les había pasado en el camino y cómo habían reconocido a Jesús al partir el pan. Mientras hablaban de esas cosas, se presentó Jesús en medio de ellos y les dijo: "La paz esté con ustedes". Ellos, desconcertados y llenos de temor, creían ver un fantasma. Pero él les dijo: "No teman; soy yo. ¿Por qué se espantan? ¿Por qué surgen dudas en su interior? Miren mis manos y mis pies. Soy yo en persona. Tóquenme y convéncense: un fantasma no tiene ni carne ni huesos, como ven que tengo yo". Y les mostró las manos y los pies. Pero como ellos no acababan de creer de pura alegría y seguían atónitos, les dijo: "¿Tienen aquí algo de comer?" Le ofrecieron un trozo de pescado asado; él lo tomó y se puso a comer delante de ellos. Después les dijo: "Lo que ha sucedido es aquello de que les hablaba yo, cuando aún estaba con ustedes: que tenía que cumplirse todo lo que estaba escrito de mí en la ley de Moisés, en los profetas y en los salmos". Entonces les abrió el entendimiento para que comprendieran las Escrituras y les dijo: "Está escrito que el Mesías tenía que padecer y había de resucitar de entre los muertos al tercer día, y que en su nombre se había de predicar a todas las naciones, comenzando por Jerusalén, la necesidad de volverse a Dios para el perdón de los pecados. Ustedes son testigos de esto".

**BAUTIZOS – Nuevo Horario**

La Clase para los BAUTIZOS para los niños menores de 7 años (2do y 4to Sábado de mes) comenzará con el Registro a las 4:30pm y la Clase comenzará a las 5pm. Favor de entregar los documentos necesarios, asistir personalmente los papás y los padrinos a la clase y SER PUN-TUALES. Gracias.

**La Iglesia Católica de San Lucas  
Los invita a saborear diferentes vinos**

\*\*\* Debe tener 21 años o más para asistir \*\*\*



26 de Abril, 2024

Salón Social

6:30 –9:00 PM

10682 Old Nashville Hwy. In Smyrna

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~ Aperitivos ~

~ Entretenimiento en vivo ~

~ Copa de vino conmemorativa ~

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Fechas de Preventa después de misas:

Abril 6-7, 13-14, 20 & 21

**Salmo Responsorial**

**Salmo 4, 2. 7. 9**

**R. (7a) En ti, señor, confío. Aleluya.**

Tú que conoces lo justo de mi causa,  
Señor, responde a mi clamor.

Tú que me has sacado con bien de mis angustias,  
apiádate y escucha mi oración.

**R. En ti, señor, confío. Aleluya.**

Admirable en bondad

ha sido el Señor para conmigo,

y siempre que lo invoco me ha escuchado;

por eso en él confío.

**R. En ti, señor, confío. Aleluya.**

En paz, Señor, me acuesto

y duermo en paz,

pues sólo tú, Señor,

eres mi tranquilidad.

**R. En ti, señor, confío. Aleluya.**

**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

**PROGRAMA DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA**



**Divisiones Domingo y Miércoles:**

Último día de Clases de los DOMINGOS es el 5 de Mayo

**Junta para los Papás de los niños que harán su Primera Comunión:**

Sábado 20 de Abril, 2024 a las 5:30pm  
En el Salón Social

**Día de las Primeras Comuniones:**

Sábado 1 de Junio a las 4 p.m.



**Reading 1**

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19

Peter said to the people: "The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and denied in Pilate's presence when he had decided to release him. You denied the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murderer be released to you. The author of life you put to death, but God raised him from the dead; of this we are witnesses. Now I know, brothers, that you acted out of ignorance, just as your leaders did; but God has thus brought to fulfillment what he had announced beforehand through the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer. Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away."

**Reading 2**

1 Jn 2:1-5a

My children, I am writing this to you so that you may not commit sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous one. He is expiation for our sins, and not for our sins only but for those of the whole world. The way we may be sure that we know him is to keep his commandments. Those who say, "I know him," but do not keep his commandments are liars, and the truth is not in them. But whoever keeps his word, the love of God is truly perfected in him.

**Alleluia**

Cf. Lk 24:32

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

**Gospel**

Lk 24:35-48

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way, and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread. While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have." And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them. He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

**Responsorial Psalm**

Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9

R. (7a) Lord, let your face shine on us.

When I call, answer me, O my just God, you who relieve me when I am in distress; have pity on me, and hear my prayer!

R. Lord, let your face shine on us.

Know that the LORD does wonders for his faithful one; the LORD will hear me when I call upon him.

R. Lord, let your face shine on us.

O LORD, let the light of your countenance shine upon us! You put gladness into my heart.

R. Lord, let your face shine on us.

As soon as I lie down, I fall peacefully asleep, for you alone, O LORD, bring security to my dwelling.

R. Lord, let your face shine on us.

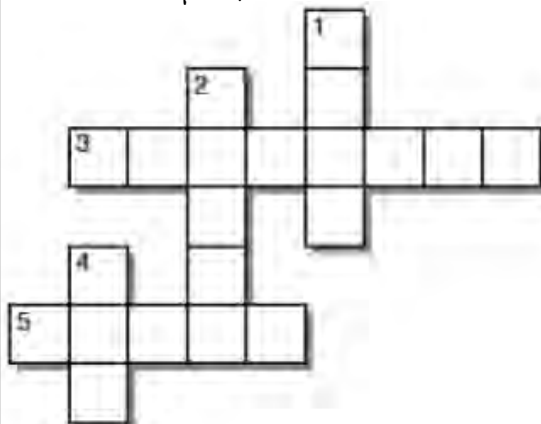
**PROFESSION OF FAITH**

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**

**Third Sunday of Easter**  
Gospel of Luke 24:35-48



**Across**

- The disciples knew it was Jesus in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the bread.
- In the old testament, \_\_\_\_\_ was instructed by God to write the ten commandments.

**Down**

- Today's Gospel is from the Gospel according to \_\_\_\_\_.
- Jesus always greets his friends the disciples with this word after he has risen- "\_\_\_\_\_ be with you."
- Another word for happy, "They were filled with \_\_\_\_\_!"

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**



**Sunday & Wednesday Divisions:**

Last Day of **Sunday** classes is May 5.

**First Communion Parent Meeting:**  
Sat. April 20, 2024 at 5:30 p.m. in the social hall.

**First Communion:**  
Saturday, June 1, 2024 at 4 p.m.

## Crown Him with Many Crowns

DIADEMATA

Crown him with many crowns,  
The Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark! how the heav'nly  
anthem drowns  
All music but its own.  
Awake, my soul, and sing  
Of him who set us free,  
And hail him as your  
heav'nly King  
Through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of life,  
Who triumphed o'er the grave,  
And rose victorious in the strife  
For those he came to save.  
His glories now we sing,  
Who died and rose on high,  
Who died, eternal life to bring,  
And lives that death may die.  
And round his pierced feet

Text: SMD: Revelation 19:12; verses 1, 3-5, Matthew Bridges, 1800-1894; verse 2, Godfrey Thring, 1823-1903; alt. Music: George J. Elvey, 1816-1893.

## Rain Down

Jaime Cortez

*Rain down, rain down,  
rain down your love on your people.  
Rain down, rain down,  
rain down your love, God of life.*

Faithful and true is the word of our God.  
All of God's works are so worthy of trust.  
God's mercy falls on the just and the right;  
full of God's love is the earth.

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## Worthy Is the Lamb

Ricky Manalo, CSP

*Worthy is the Lamb that was slain  
to receive honor and glory.  
Worthy are the ones who believe  
to receive the goodness of God.*

Worthy are you, O Paschal Lamb.  
Wisdom and strength belong now to you.  
You laid down your life and died upon the cross  
We've become a people of hope.

Worthy are you, O Bread of Life.  
Salvation and joy belong now to us.  
By conquering death and rising to new life,  
We've become a people of praise.

Worthy are you, O Risen Christ.  
Wonders and signs, revealing your might.  
Your power and glory shine upon our lives:  
We've become your light for the world.

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## The Breaking

Sarah Hart and Jeff Thomas

In the beginning, there was the Word, and the Word was God  
Word became flesh, light of the earth, dwelling among us  
The Son of man, the Sacred Lamb, broken to save us all

*Here at the table, Here in the breaking of the Bread  
Mercy unending, our hearts remembering we are fed  
We are unworthy, yet by the Word, Your will is done  
Here in the breaking of the Bread, we are made one.*

All who are hungry, come and receive, and you shall be blessed  
He is alive, Oh taste and see and be filled with Goodness  
The Hope of us, the saving Love, there is enough for all

All who have tasted go now and share what you have received  
Walk in the truth given to you, live and believe  
Offer the Wine, the Bread of Life, food to be shared with all

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## Christ Is Risen

Let no one caught in sin remain  
Inside the lie of inward shame  
But fix our eyes upon the cross  
And run to Him who showed great love  
And bled for us  
Freely You've bled for us

**Christ is risen from the dead  
Trampling over death by death  
Come awake come awake  
Come and rise up from the grave  
Christ is risen from the dead  
We are one with Him again  
Come awake come awake  
Come and rise up from the grave**

## In the Breaking of the Bread

Bob Hurd

**In the breaking of the bread  
We have known him; we have been fed.  
Jesus the stranger, Jesus the Lord,  
Be our companion; be our hope.**

Bread for the journey, strength for our years,  
manna of ages, of struggle and tears.  
Cup of salvation, fruit of the land,  
bless and receive now, the work of our hands.

Bread of the promise, people of hope,  
wine of compassion, life for the world.  
Gathered at table, joined as his body  
sealed in the Spirit, sent by the Word.

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Lessons will be once  
a month. The next lesson  
will be April 13 at  
1:30 p.m. in  
classroom #8.





St. Luke Wine Tasting tickets are on sale this weekend after all the masses. Be sure to stop by the table in the narthex and purchase your tickets for this wonderful annual event that will be held in the Social Hall Friday April 26 from 6:30 to 9:30. Tickets are \$25 pre-sale and \$30 at the door. Tickets also available in the office during the week. Wine is provided by Legacy Wine & Spirits.

### Father & Son Bible Build and Bond



Women of Faith will be hosting a father & son bible build and bond on April 20, from 12-2 p.m. We will have a contest to build either Noah's Ark or Moses basket. There will be an escape room and sporting activities outside (weather permitting), along with door prizes. This will be a great opportunity for fathers and sons to bond. Tickets are \$10 for the first two and then go down to \$5 a person. All proceeds raised will go to fund charitable events sponsored by the St. Luke Women of Faith. Tickets will be on sale April 6, 7, 13, and 14 in the narthex after all Masses as well as at the door on April 20 in the social hall.

### Mother & Daughter Tea Party



Women of Faith will be hosting a mother & daughter tea party on April 21 from 1 - 3 p.m. There will be a picture opportunity, nail painting, games, and door prizes. This is a great opportunity for mothers and daughters of all ages to spend time together. Tickets are \$10 for the first two and then go down to \$5 a person. All proceeds raised will go to fund charitable events sponsored by the St. Luke Women of Faith. Tickets will be on sale April 6, 7, 13, and 14 in the narthex after all Masses as well as at the door on April 20 in the social hall.



Faith, Formation, Fraternity

Men, are you looking to become a better Catholic? Do you want a closer relationship with God? Do you want to meet your fellow St. Luke parishioners? Check out the COR men's group. Contact Tom Labrado for more info: [9168cor@gmail.com](mailto:9168cor@gmail.com).

### CLASSIC CARDS MINISTRY

St. Luke Classics invites you to play cards/dominos/and games every Friday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. For more information you may contact Joanne Speer at 615-300-8656.



### LAST RESOURCE

Last Resource is one of our St. Luke Ministries that helps members of our parish & community with utility expenses in the Smyrna and LaVergne area that are in need due to unforeseen circumstances.

Last Resource needs your help!! Please consider giving to this ministry by using our Last Resource envelopes, online giving or simply dropping your donation in the box which is located in the Narthex. **Thank you for your donations.**

### FOOD PANTRY

**THANK YOU** to all who have donated to the Food Pantry! **What is needed especially now is: instant potatoes, pancake mix, pancake Syrup & Jelly. Other items are canned fruit, canned applesauce, soups, chicken bouillon, rice, oatmeal, canned pastas (like Ravioli for kids), pasta, pasta sauce, canned chicken, dry or canned beans, sugar, salt, flour, instant coffee, cooking oil, maseca, canned jalapeño's, chipotles (\*\*please no glass jars\*\*).** Please only give what you can financially afford. All food donations are greatly appreciated! Thank you for your generosity.

### LEGION OF MARY

Nashville Marian Conference 4/26 & 27 Our Lady of the Lake Hendersonville, TN. Open to all: [NashvilleMarianConference.com](http://NashvilleMarianConference.com)

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.

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



- Michelle Blodgett
- Shelby Lokey
- Ashley Cano
- Emily Reed
- Mery Hanbury
- Danielle Boyd-Garrett

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: [joanne.speer@comcast.net](mailto:joanne.speer@comcast.net) to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS APRIL AWARD WINNERS



#### Knight of the Month – Marty O'Haver

This award is presented to a Knights of Columbus member who makes significant contributions to the parish, church and local community.

#### Family of the Month – Ken & Lori Dougherty

This award is presented to a parish family that models Christian family values and lives by them every day.

#### Parishioner of the Month – Tom Labrado

This award is presented to a parishioner who makes significant contributions to the parish, church and local community.



### 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 a member of St. Luke's parish to attend and we have all ages including teens participating each month. Email [htgpartyof8@gmail.com](mailto:htgpartyof8@gmail.com) for more details.



Due to high demand, St. Michael Academy is opening a Third Kindergarten Class for the 2024-2025 school year!

Schedule a tour! 615-941-1073  
Apply today: [stmichaeltn.org](http://stmichaeltn.org).

#### NASHVILLE MARIAN CONFERENCE AT OUR LADY OF THE LAKE

April 26-27, Our Lady of the Lake. Do you know Mother Mary? She is our model as parents, so we can trust in her. She knows parenting is difficult. The Nashville Marian Conference is a chance for you to learn from her and to grow as a parent or grandparent. Hosted at Our Lady of the Lake Parish, April 26, 27. Tickets are available now at [www.nashvillemarianconference.com](http://www.nashvillemarianconference.com).

Cor Iesu: A Seminarian Education Dinner and Auction (May 21) May 21, 6:00 p.m., Catholic Pastoral Center and Unity Hall, 2800 McGavock Pike, Nashville, TN, 37214. Save the date for our 15th annual event supporting our seminarians here in the Diocese of Nashville. We are excited to have a new name for our annual fundraising dinner: Cor Iesu (pronounced: Core Yay-Zoo). The name is Latin for "Heart of Jesus." We are excited to host our 2024 event on May 21 at the brand-new Unity Hall, located at the Catholic Pastor Center. Your \$150 ticket gets you a 3-course meal, an open bar, words from Bishop Spalding, a time to meet and socialize with our seminarians, an exciting live auction, and so much more. Please spread the word, and we can't wait to see you there! This event sold out last year, please don't wait to secure your ticket(s) or table at [coriesu.org](http://coriesu.org).

Pilgrimage to the National Eucharistic Revival with the Diocese of Nashville July 17-21, Indianapolis, Indiana. We know what happens when two or more are gathered in the Lord's name, so what happens with 80,000?! Join your Catholic brothers and sisters at the 10th National Eucharistic Congress. This historic five-day gathering of missionary disciples will be a new Pentecost, a powerful anointing and personal commission to invite others to know Christ. Your life—and our Church—will never be the same. Visit [nashvillefaithformation.com/mfl-events#nec](http://nashvillefaithformation.com/mfl-events#nec) for more information. Resources: Two Page Brochure ([English](#) and [Spanish](#)), poster/bulletin insert ([English](#) and [Spanish](#)), half page classified [English](#) and [Spanish](#).



**MARRIED COUPLES:** A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is like Springtime. It's a weekend of fresh air, the rebirth of romance and new beginnings. If you'd like to make your marriage even more special than it already is – register for a weekend!

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is September 13-15, 2024, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Retreat Center in Stanton, TN just outside of Memphis. For more information visit our website at [wwme.org](http://wwme.org) or e-mail: [apply@arkansaswwme.org](mailto:apply@arkansaswwme.org), or call (501) 772-1803.



#### Retrouvaille: A Marriage Recovery Program

Retrouvaille, a marriage recovery program for struggling couples who are considering separation or divorce, is Catholic in origin and orientation but is open to all married couples regardless of religious background. For confidential information about the program: 800-470-2230 or 615-523-0631 or [nrv3043@gmail.com](mailto:nrv3043@gmail.com) or [HelpOurMarriage.org](http://HelpOurMarriage.org).

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**MONDAY:** Fr. Austin Gilstrap  
**TUESDAY:** Fr. Alejandro Godinez  
**WEDNESDAY:** Fr. Phillip Halladay  
**THURSDAY:** Fr. John Hammond  
**FRIDAY:** Fr. Mark Hunt  
**SATURDAY:** Msgr. Mike Johnston  
**SUNDAY** Seminarians of the Diocese



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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.

##### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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