



ST. LUKE Catholic Church

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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
Misa en Español
Jueves 7:00 p.m.
Sabado 7:30 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday 9:00 a.m.
until
Friday 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

3:10 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. - English
6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. - Bilingual

Wednesday

After 8:30 Mass
or by appointment

ANUNCIOS PERMANENTES

Clases Pre-Bautismales

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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.

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, September 7

4:00 p.m. † Christina Schiessl - by Joey Albanese & Jenny Banker
7:30 p.m. † Gregorio Ledezma - by the Ledezma Family

Sunday, September 8

8:00 a.m. † John Viele - by Carol and Family
10:00 a.m. † Anton Nguyen
12:00 p.m. Anna Medley - by the Guitard Family

Monday, September 9

6:30 p.m. † Pascual Rodriguez

Tuesday, September 10

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Wednesday, September 11

8:30 a.m. † Phaolo Tran

Thursday, September 12

8:30 a.m. Peter Do Quang Chau
7:00 p.m. † Alejandro Drouet

Friday, September 13

8:30 a.m. † Jozef and Agnieszka Ramanek

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM AUGUST 25, 2024.

\$ 23,324.19 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (includes online giving)

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

\$ 3,004.19 = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:

\$ 1,047.00 Restricted Designated Donations (Includes online giving).

\$ 400.00 Last Resource Deposit (Includes online giving)

\$ 743.54 Food Pantry Deposit (includes online giving)

\$ 25,514.73 **Total revenue collected** (general operations & designated donations)

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

\$ (-33,815.27) = 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

IIIII Richard Marcrum, IIIII Mike Baggett, IIIII Aileen Such, IIIII Frederick St. Amour, I Marcile Miller, I BJ Miller



*Names remain on this list for 6 weeks. Please call the office at 615-459-9672 or e-mail the frontoffice@stlukefn.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, Cole Liko, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Peyton Oates, Grant Holland, Michael Mounce, Greg Kilpatrick, Miss Dorris



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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.

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!*

God's loving presence is with us always.

God is with us, intimately close, just as Jesus was to the man in the Gospel today. In the Mass, Jesus reaches out to touch us and offer his healing. May we always be granted an open heart and clear vision to see his loving presence among us.



If you have completed Cursillo and want to be part of a new group meeting at St. Luke Parish, please contact Ann Strode at (615) 424-4248 for more information. www.nashvillecursillo.com

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 liturgy@stlukefn.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK SEPTEMBER 14 & 15

Altar Servers

4:00 p.m. Jimmy, Henry, and Christopher Forrest
8:00 a.m. Sam Jones, John Diehl, Owen Guidry
10:00 a.m. Gage Zimmerman, Dominic, Solomon and Mary Opie

Lectors

4:00 p.m. Stephanie Byars, Pat McKown
8:00 a.m. Alan Stanley, Ken Diesburg
10:00 a.m. Stephanie Nordhoff, Don Ward

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00 p.m. E. Bohan, K. Fischer, L. & S. Johnson, C. & V. Logsdon
8:00 a.m. S. Gerba, M. Guitard, J. & C. Jones, A. Kornau, S. McBride
10:00 a.m. A. Parker, J. Rost, K. Sytsma, J. Schultz, A. Strode, A. Warnatzch

Ushers / Greeters

4:00 p.m. Mark Moshea, Jack Payne, Leonard Persinger, Joshua Lucas
8:00 a.m. Carlos Rivera, Shararose Legaspi, Ken and Jean Mills
10:00 a.m. Tom Nolan, Rowena Grady, JR Gerald, Jr., Adam Parker

Primera lectura

Is 35, 4-7a

Esto dice el Señor: "Digan a los de corazón apocado: '¡Animos! No teman. He aquí que su Dios, vengador y justiciero, viene ya para salvarlos'. Se iluminarán entonces los ojos de los ciegos y los oídos de los sordos se abrirán. Saltará como un venado el cojo y la lengua del mudo cantará. Brotarán aguas en el desierto y correrán torrentes en la estepa. El páramo se convertirá en estanque y la tierra seca, en manantial".

Segunda lectura

Sant 2, 1-5

Hermanos: Puesto que ustedes tienen fe en nuestro Señor Jesucristo glorificado, no tengan favoritismos. Supongamos que entran al mismo tiempo en su reunión un hombre con un anillo de oro, lujosamente vestido, y un pobre andrajoso, y que fijan ustedes la mirada en el que lleva el traje elegante y le dicen: "Tú, siéntate aquí, cómodamente". En cambio, le dicen al pobre: "Tú, párate allá o siéntate aquí en el suelo, a mis pies". ¿No es esto tener favoritismos y juzgar con criterios torcidos? Queridos hermanos, ¿acaso no ha elegido Dios a los pobres de este mundo para hacerlos ricos en la fe y herederos del Reino que prometió a los que lo aman?

Aclamación antes del Evangelio

Cfr Mt 4, 23

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Jesús predicaba el Evangelio del Reino y curaba las enfermedades y dolencias del pueblo.

R. Aleluya.

Evangelio

Mc 7, 31-37

En aquel tiempo, salió Jesús de la región de Tiro y vino de nuevo, por Sidón, al mar de Galilea, atravesando la región de Decápolis. Le llevaron entonces a un hombre sordo y tartamudo, y le suplicaban que le impusiera las manos. Él lo apartó a un lado de la gente, le metió los dedos en los oídos y le tocó la lengua con saliva. Después, mirando al cielo, suspiró y le dijo: "¡Effetá!" (que quiere decir "¡Abrete!"). Al momento se le abrieron los oídos, se le soltó la traba de la lengua y empezó a hablar sin dificultad. Él les mandó que no lo dijeran a nadie; pero cuanto más se lo mandaba, ellos con más insistencia lo proclamaban; y todos estaban asombrados y decían: "¡Qué bien lo hace todo! Hace oír a los sordos y hablar a los mudos".

Salmo Responsorial Salmo 145, 7. 8-9a. 9bc-10

R. (1) Alaba, alma mía, al Señor.

El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra, y es quien hace justicia al oprimido; él proporciona pan a los hambrientos y libera al cautivo.

R. Alaba, alma mía, al Señor.

Abre el Señor los ojos de los ciegos y alivia al agobiado.

Ama el Señor al hombre justo y toma al forastero a su cuidado.

R. Alaba, alma mía, al Señor.

A la viuda y la huérfano sustenta y trastorna los planes del inicuo.

Reina el Señor eternamente, reina tu Dios, oh Sión, reina por siglos.

R. Alaba, alma mía, al Señor.

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**

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PROGRAMA DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA

Divisiones Domingos, Miercoles y Sabados:

División Domingo:

Inscripciones para niños de 4 años a 6to grado ya están **CERRADAS**. Las clases cominenzan el 15 de Septiembre.

División Miercoles: Par estudiantes de Con24 (No de Pre-Confirmación)

Oct 5—Horas de Servicio para la Confirmación
Oct 9—No Hay Clases. Regresan el 16 de Octubre.
Oct 12—Retiro Espiritual Mandatorio
Oct 16—Repaso Mandatorio
Oct 20—Dia de las Confirmaciones
Oct 23—Ultimo Dia de Clases

División Sabado:

Inscripciones para niños de 15, 16 y 17 años ya están **CERRADAS**. Las clases cominenzan el 7 de Septiembre.



LOS CABALLEROS DE COLÓN TORNEO

Los Caballeros De Colón Tendrán un torneo de fútbol en San Lucas el dia 18 de Septiembre a Las 7 p.m. Niños y niñas de 9-14 años de edad. Si necesitan Mas información favor de comunicarse con Joe Kisor at 812-584-7143.

Reading 1

Is 35:4-7a

Thus says the LORD: Say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God, he comes with vindication; with divine recompense he comes to save you. Then will the eyes of the blind be opened, the ears of the deaf be cleared; then will the lame leap like a stag, then the tongue of the mute will sing. Streams will burst forth in the desert, and rivers in the steppe. The burning sands will become pools, and the thirsty ground, springs of water.

Reading 2

Jas 2:1-5

My brothers and sisters, show no partiality as you adhere to the faith in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ. For if a man with gold rings and fine clothes comes into your assembly, and a poor person in shabby clothes also comes in, and you pay attention to the one wearing the fine clothes and say, "Sit here, please," while you say to the poor one, "Stand there," or "Sit at my feet," have you not made distinctions among yourselves and become judges with evil designs? Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?

Alleluia

Cf. Mt 4:23

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Mk 7:31-37

Again Jesus left the district of Tyre and went by way of Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, into the district of the Decapolis. And people brought to him a deaf man who had a speech impediment and begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!" — And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly. He ordered them not to tell anyone. But the more he ordered them not to, the more they proclaimed it. They were exceedingly astonished and they said, "He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

R. (1b) Praise the Lord, my soul!

The God of Jacob keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives food to the hungry.

The LORD sets captives free.

R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

The LORD gives sight to the blind; the LORD raises up those who were bowed down.

The LORD loves the just;

the LORD protects strangers.

R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

The fatherless and the widow the LORD sustains, but the way of the wicked he thwarts.

The LORD shall reign forever;

your God, O Zion, through all generations.

Alleluia.

R. Praise the Lord, my soul!

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

September 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

The Church has celebrated Mary's birth since at least the sixth century. A September birth was chosen because the Eastern Church begins its Church year with September. The September 8 date helped determine the date for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception on December 8.

September 12 - The Feast of the Most Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

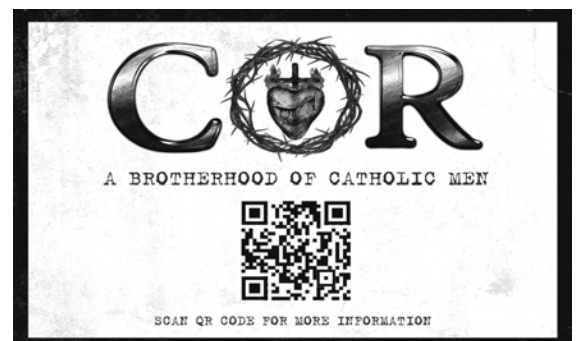
This Feast Day originated in Spain and was approved in 1513, to be celebrated on September 12, four days after the Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Mother. In 1970, the feast day was removed from the universal calendar, but was reinstated by Pope John Paul II in the third edition of the Roman Missal, issued in 2003, as an "optional memorial."

September 15 - Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows.

On October 13, 1917, during her last apparition and the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima, Mary appeared not only as Our Lady of the Rosary and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, but also as Our Lady of Sorrows.

Join us for our weekly meeting on Wednesday mornings at 9:15 a.m. We meet in the adult education Classroom B. **Visitors are welcome.**

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



Our God Is Here

Here in this time here in this place
Here we are standing face to face
Here in our hearts here in our lives
Our God is here
Here for the broken here for the strong
Here in this temple we belong
Here in our hearts here in our lives
Our God is here

And we cry holy holy holy are You
We cry holy holy holy and true
Amen we do believe our God is here
Our God is here

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O Come To The Altar

Are you hurting and broken within
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well
Jesus is calling

O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born
Jesus is calling

*Oh what a Savior; Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen!
Bow down before him, for he is Lord of all
Sing alleluia Christ is risen*

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

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Give Me Jesus

In the morning when I rise
In the morning when I rise
In the morning when I rise
Give me Jesus

Give me Jesus
Give me Jesus
You can have all this world
But give me Jesus

And when I am alone
Oh and when I am alone
And when I am alone
Give me Jesus

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The Feast Meant for Everyone

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Bread for the immigrant, bread for the poor,
bread for the hungry who beg at our door.
Food for the outcast waiting to belong;
come to the feast meant for everyone.

Bread for the sheltered, bread for the rich;
those who need nothing but all Jesus is.
Food for all people, empty, we all come;
come to the feast meant for everyone.

*Oh, how great is the love of God
in this body broken, this saving blood.
Oh, how great is the love of God
here in the feast meant for everyone,
here in the feast meant for everyone.*

Drink for the brother, thirsting for more;
drink for the sister who's run out of hope.
This cup is healing, more than just enough.
Come to the feast meant for everyone. (to Refrain)

Gather the sinners, gather the saints,
all souls in heaven and here in this place.
This is the table where we are made one,
here in the feast meant for everyone.

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Shout To The Lord

My Jesus my Saviour
Lord there is none like You
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter
Tower of refuge and strength
Let every breath all that I am
Never cease to worship You

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name
I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

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QUILTING MINISTRY

The Quilting Ministry
welcomes anyone who would
like to participate. You do not
need to know how to sew! For
more information, please
contact Suzie Patterson at
615-473-4777. Next meeting
will be September 21 at 9 a.m.

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 in October 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@gmail.com.



ST. LUKE WOMEN OF FAITH

Next meeting:
Thursday, September 12
Location: John Kirk Room
Time: 6:30 p.m.

We welcome all women of St. Luke to join us!

FREE - BILINGUAL GROUP VOICE LESSONS FOR ST. LUKE PARISHIONERS

We all want to do our best for Our Lord, Jesus! Why not be the best Singer you can be? Bilingual Group Voice Lessons are being offered for St. Luke Parishioners by our Music Director, Deb Thomas Cox. All levels of singers welcome! Please call 615-556-0035 or email: 4dk@comcast.net if you are interested! Lessons will be on the 2nd Saturday of each month. The next lesson will be September 14, at 1:30 p.m. in classroom #8.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sunday Division

Registrations for 4 year olds through 6th grade are **CLOSED**. Classes begin September 15.

Wednesday Division: For our Con24 Students only (not Pre-Con)

October 5—Confirmation Service Hours
October 9—No classes. Classes return on October 16.
October 12—Mandatory Confirmation Retreat
October 16—Mandatory Rehearsal
October 20—Confirmation Day
October 23—Last Day of Class

Saturday Division:

Registrations for 15, 16, and 17 year olds are **CLOSED**. Classes will begin September 7.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. LUKE ANNUAL SOCCER CHALLENGE

The Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge will be at St. Luke on Wednesday, September 18 at 6 p.m. Boys and girls ages 9-14 who are interested can participate. For more information, please call or text Joe Kisor at (812) 584-7143.



ST. LUKE INTERNATIONAL FALL FOOD FESTIVAL INFORMATION



GIL GANN!

Announcing this year's
**BBQ, Bourbon, &
Blues Band!**

Friday, October 4
6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

*Tickets will be available for
purchase after all Masses.*

Get ready for some real
down-home blues!

St. Luke International Fall Food Festival

Saturday, October 5, 2024

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

What we need now...

Silent Auction Items needed

Dinner or movie gift cards, bottles of wine / alcohol, games, timeshares, store gift cards, services from businesses, baby items, sports gear. Contact Ginny Williams at 615-957-6509 or ginnyyow@icloud.com. Drop off by items by September 15. [New items only, please]

Vendors / Crafters

If you are a vendor / crafter and want to have a booth at our festival, you may rent a space for \$60. For more information and to obtain a registration form, contact Joey Albanese at (704) 493-8600 or by email at jalbanese01@gmail.com or contact the parish office at 615-459-9672. Deadline for sign up and payment is September 23.

Food Booths

If you would like to have a food booth, please contact Joey Albanese at (704) 493-8600 or jalbanese01@gmail.com. The deadline for sign-up is September 23.

Donations Needed

Donations needed by September 30:

- ~ Cases of water and soda
- ~ Individually wrapped candy and small snack bags
- ~ Napkins, plates, etc...

Raffle Tickets for our 2024 International Food Festival are Available NOW!

Your Choice + other Cash Prizes



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117,000 Miles



2017 Club Car
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LADIES AUXILIARY OF COUNCIL #9168

Calling all ladies! There is a new opportunity to connect with and/or participate in parish life at St. Luke. The kick-off meeting for the Ladies Auxiliary of Council 9168 will be held on Monday, September 16 at 7:00 p.m. in the John Kirk room. For more information - contact Frances Ezzell by sending a message to ladiesof9168@gmail.com. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SEPTEMBER AWARD WINNERS

Knight of the Month – Scott Garrett

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 – Tony and Danielle Arnone

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

Parishioner of the Month – Hunter Thompson

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

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

Ericka Zambrano
Emily Reed
Joanna Espinoza
Maria Padilla
Brandy McLin
Danielle Boyd-Garrett
Cristina Ocando



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: joannespeer@comcast.net to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.

CONGRATULATIONS!



To Melanie and Brendan Hoden on their new baby girl!

August 31, 2024

Isabella Ann Hoden

5lbs. 5oz.—18 1/2 Inches



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 & celebrations. We also have separate clubs & peer-group activities to finish our morning together. Interested families do not have to be a member of St. Luke parish to attend & we have all ages including teens participating each month. Email htgpartyof8@gmail.com for more details.

FATHER RYAN

Pride in the Pit - Homecoming at Father Ryan - September 27, 2024, 5:00-6:30 p.m. Enjoy the best BBQ in Nashville before the game and vote for your favorite. Tickets: \$5/Father Ryan student with school ID, \$10/person, \$30/family of four. Season Pass holders are admitted for free. All proceeds benefit Father Ryan's Mission Trips. More information- fatherryan.org

Junior Irish Night - All students 8th grade and younger are invited on Friday, September 27 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. for Junior Irish Night. All events will take place outdoors on the Father Ryan Campus. Wear your purple and join the Father Ryan community before the football game to enjoy carnival and lawn games, a DJ, and a Father Ryan swag bag. Admission is free, but registration is required to secure your swag bag. All children registered for Junior Irish Night receive free admission to the football game. [Registration here](#). With questions, contact the Admissions Team at admissions@fatherryan.org.

YOUNG CATHOLIC PROFESSIONALS Three year Anniversary Gala at the Cathedral of the Incarnation, Fleming Center, September 20, 2024 from 7 p.m. -10 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres, Music, and Dancing. Free for members or members can buy a ticket for their non-member plus one for \$10. Couples non-members \$30, Individual Non-members \$20.



Don't take a summer vacation from your marriage, have it enrich your marriage. Time with your spouse on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend is an

investment that will pay dividends. Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience! Upcoming date: 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 or call 501-772-1803 or email: apply@arkansaswwme.org.



NASHVILLE DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (NDCCW) Cathedral of the Incarnation 2015 West End Ave. Nashville is hosting the Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's Fall Meeting on Saturday, September 21, 2024 beginning at 9:00 a.m. through 2:00 p.m. Guest Speaker Mia Figlio Miller – "Waking the Brain with the Power of Music." RSVP to Laura Nota, Treasurer, at (615) 319-3606 or laura.nota@yahoo.com by September 14. Lunch is \$15 payable at the door.

TOGETHER IN HOLINESS MARRIAGE CONFERENCE, Married and engaged couples are invited to the fourth annual Together in Holiness marriage conference on **September 21 from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Center** in Nashville, TN. This one-day conference will help you strengthen your relationship with your spouse and discover God's plan for your family. Registration: \$64/couple and \$5/child for on-site childcare. An Early Bird discount is available through August 5 as well as scholarships upon request. This conference is presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Nashville. For more info, visit togetherinholiness.org or email TH@forlifefamily.org.

Retrouvaille helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship and is a Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, which couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend. It is primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love. The Nashville community is having the next Retrouvaille weekend August 30 to September 1, 2024. For more information, email 3043@helpourmarria, visit <https://retrouvaille.org> or call (931) 820-2115.

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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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