



# ST. LUKE Catholic Church

10682 Old Nashville Hwy.  
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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

Necesita pre-registrarse. Para ello tiene que comunicarse con la persona encargada al número de teléfono 615-444-9394. Niños menores de 7 años. Copia del certificado de nacimiento. Los padrinos por lo menos uno, tiene que ser mayor de 16 años. Tener: **Bautismo, Primera comunión y Confirmación.** Si son dos padrinos tiene que ser **hombre y mujer, no se aceptan niños** durante las pláticas. Si no tiene alternativa favor de hablar con el director de Educación Religiosa (información en el boletín). Gracias por su cooperación y muchas bendiciones

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, November 9**

4:00 p.m. † Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary  
by Legion of Mary  
7:30 p.m. People of the Parish

**Sunday, November 10**

8:00 a.m. † Jane Doe - by Susan Akers  
10:00 a.m. † Ed Perona - by Barbie Valerio  
12:00 p.m. The Welch Family - by Judy King

**Monday, November 11**

6:30 p.m. † Daniel Alberto Ruiz Nava - by the Ruiz Nava Family

**Tuesday, November 12**

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

**Wednesday, November 13**

8:30 a.m. Robert Baiocco

**Thursday, November 14**

8:30 a.m. Joseph Commodore - by Catherine Skarbek  
7:00 p.m. Kit Gartung - by the Guitard Family

**Friday, November 15**

8:30 a.m. † Jackson Fisher - by Toni Comfort

**WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM OCTOBER 20, 2024.**

\$ 23,376.10 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (includes online giving)

\$ 24,619.00 - Weekly Expenses for Parish needs and general operations

\$ (-1,242.90) = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

**WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:**

\$ 1,118.00 Restricted Designated Donations (Includes online giving).

\$ 473.00 Last Resource Deposit (Includes online giving)

\$ 663.54 Food Pantry Deposit (includes online giving)

\$ 25,630.64 **Total revenue collected** (general operations & designated donations)

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

\$ (-33,699.36) = 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 David Williams, III Ron Blockley, III Barrett Jones, II Kit and Ernie Gartung, II Dave Guitard, II Rick St. Amour

\*Names remain on this list for 6 weeks. Please call the office at 615-459-9672 or e-mail the [frontoffice@stlukekn.org](mailto:frontoffice@stlukekn.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, Hailey Rissler, Jeff Hineman, Carl Templeton, Justin Laprise, Liam Smith, 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!*

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK NOVEMBER 16 & 17, 2024**

**Altar Servers**

4:00 p.m. Jacob, Lucas, and Nicholas Barnard  
8:00 a.m. Drew Brackman, Caden Frith, Samuel Jones  
10:00 a.m. Dominic Opie, Cannon Rost, Luke Zimmerman

**Lectors**

4:00 p.m. Kris Wynn, James Perkins  
8:00 a.m. Cyndi Gartung, Margaret Guitard  
10:00 a.m. Connie and Jim Noyes

**Eucharistic Ministers**

4:00 p.m. T. Anderson, J. Banker, D. & J. Spehn, T. Henry, P. Muenich  
8:00 a.m. S. Gerba, K. Martinez, J. & C. Jones, G. Wisniewski, S. Legaspi  
10:00 a.m. K. Sytsma, A. Strode, S. Warnatzsch, DiCarlo, J. Schultz, C. Schulte

**Ushers / Greeters**

4:00 p.m. Joey Albanese, Mark Moshea, Jack Payne, Leonard Persinger  
8:00 a.m. Johnny Gerald Linda Horenkamp, Gary and Donna Wisniewski  
10:00 a.m. Fannie and Felino Rosario, Craig Rost, Mark Corrado

**God calls us to give all we have, putting our trust in him.**  
Our readings today feature two widows who teach us about faithfulness. To have faith is not just to hold our breath and aimlessly wish for good outcomes. Rather, God calls us to a faith that is endless trust in him, knowing in our deepest heart that God loves and cares for us beyond measure.

**New COR Website**

Click the QR to see the new Cor website.  
(Or enter the URL [9168cor.com](http://9168cor.com) in your browser)  
Send us your Feedback!



**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@stlukekn.org](mailto:liturgy@stlukekn.org).

**Primera Lectura**

1 Rey 17, 10-16

En aquel tiempo, el profeta Elías se puso en camino hacia Sarepta. Al llegar a la puerta de la ciudad, encontró allí a una viuda que recogía leña. La llamó y le dijo: "Tráeme, por favor, un poco de agua para beber". Cuando ella se alejaba, el profeta le gritó: "Por favor, tráeme también un poco de pan". Ella le respondió: "Te juro por el Señor, tu Dios, que no me queda ni un pedazo de pan; tan sólo me queda un puñado de harina en la tinaja y un poco de aceite en la vasija. Ya ves que estaba recogiendo unos cuantos leños. Voy a preparar un pan para mí y para mi hijo. Nos lo comeremos y luego moriremos". Elías le dijo: "No temas. Anda y prepáralo como has dicho; pero primero haz un panecillo para mí y tráemelo. Después lo harás para ti y para tu hijo, porque así dice el Señor de Israel: 'La tinaja de harina no se vaciará, la vasija de aceite no se agotará, hasta el día en que el Señor envíe la lluvia sobre la tierra'. Entonces ella se fue, hizo lo que el profeta le había dicho y comieron él, ella y el niño. Y tal como había dicho el Señor por medio de Elías, a partir de ese momento, ni la tinaja de harina se vació, ni la vasija de aceite se agotó.

**Segunda Lectura**

Heb 9, 24-28

Hermanos: Cristo no entró en el santuario de la antigua alianza, construido por mano de hombres y que sólo era figura del verdadero, sino en el cielo mismo, para estar ahora en la presencia de Dios, intercediendo por nosotros. En la antigua alianza, el sumo sacerdote entraba cada año en el santuario para ofrecer una sangre que no era la suya; pero Cristo no tuvo que ofrecerse una y otra vez a sí mismo en sacrificio, porque en tal caso habría tenido que padecer muchas veces desde la creación del mundo. De hecho, él se manifestó una sola vez, en el momento culminante de la historia, para destruir el pecado con el sacrificio de sí mismo. Y así como está determinado que los hombres mueran una sola vez y que después de la muerte venga el juicio, así también Cristo se ofreció una sola vez para quitar los pecados de todos. Al final se manifestará por segunda vez, pero ya no para quitar el pecado, sino para salvación de aquellos que lo aguardan y en él tienen puesta su esperanza.

**Aclamación antes del Evangelio**

Mt 5, 3

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Dichosos los pobres de espíritu, porque de ellos es el Reino de los cielos.

R. Aleluya.

**Evangelio**

Mc 12, 38-44

En aquel tiempo, enseñaba Jesús a la multitud y le decía: "¡Cuidado con los escribas! Les encanta pasearse con amplios ropajes y recibir reverencias en las calles; buscan los asientos de honor en las sinagogas y los primeros puestos en los banquetes; se echan sobre los bienes de las viudas haciendo ostentación de largos rezos. Éstos recibirán un castigo muy riguroso". En una ocasión Jesús estaba sentado frente a las alcancías del templo, mirando cómo la gente echaba allí sus monedas. Muchos ricos daban en abundancia. En esto, se acercó una viuda pobre y echó dos moneditas de muy poco valor. Llamando entonces a sus discípulos, Jesús les dijo: "Yo les aseguro que esa pobre viuda ha echado en la alcancía más que todos. Porque los demás han echado de lo que les sobra; pero ésta, en su pobreza ha echado todo lo que tenía para vivir".



**DE LOS CABALLEROS DE COLON**

El Miércoles 13 de Noviembre, de 6:30 pm a 7:30 pm. San Lucas será el anfitrión de la oración de la Rosa Mística. ¿Que es más poderoso que pasar algo de tiempo en oración con el símbolo de Nuestra Señora? El Programa de la Rosa Mística será realizada en inglés y español para ayudar a fortalecer y unir más el lazo cultural que nosotros compartimos dentro de nuestra parroquia. Desde 1960, la rosa Mística a hecho su recorrido desde Canadá, por los Estados Unidos, llegando a su destino final en la Basílica de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe en Monterrey, México el 12 de Diciembre por la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, Patrona de las Américas. La noche será patrocinada por los Caballeros de Colón, quienes les gustaría invitar a todos los feligreses a participar y ser parte de el Programa del Rosa Mística.

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

R. (1) El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra.

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.

R. El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra.

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.

R. El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra.

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

Reina el Señor eternamente,

reina tu Dios, oh Sión, reina por siglos. R.

R. El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra.

**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 Domingos, Miercoles y Sabados:



**División Domingo:**

NO HAY CLASES el Domingo 24 de Noviembre y 1 de Diciembre por el día festivo de Acción de Gracias. Las clases regresan el 8 de Diciembre.

**División Miercoles: Par estudiantes de Con24**

**CON24: ¡Felicidades a nuestros nuevos estudiantes confirmados!**  
-Los certificados y fotografías estarán disponibles en la oficina si el estudiante estaba ausente en el Último Día de Clase (Oct-23-2024).

**PRE-CONFIRMACIÓN: ¡Felicidades, Estudiantes de Pre-Con!** Ahora ustedes son la nueva generación de clase (CON25) para ser confirmados en Octubre del 2025.

-El Primer día de Clase (CON25) será el Miércoles 22 de Enero, 2025 a las 6:30 p.m. ¡Disfruten sus días festivos!

-También, la primer Junta de Papás será el 22 de Enero a las 6:50 p.m. en la Iglesia. Es una junta importante de atender. Hablaremos de las expectativas y fechas importantes.

**Las fotografías y certificados de la primera comunión del 1 de junio, 2024, están disponibles en la oficina: lunes, miercoles y Viernes de 9am a 12pm.**

Reading I

1 Kgs 17:10-16

In those days, Elijah the prophet went to Zarephath. As he arrived at the entrance of the city, a widow was gathering sticks there; he called out to her, "Please bring me a small cupful of water to drink." She left to get it, and he called out after her, "Please bring along a bit of bread." She answered, "As the LORD, your God, lives, I have nothing baked; there is only a handful of flour in my jar and a little oil in my jug. Just now I was collecting a couple of sticks, to go in and prepare something for myself and my son; when we have eaten it, we shall die." Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid. Go and do as you propose. But first make me a little cake and bring it to me. Then you can prepare something for yourself and your son. For the LORD, the God of Israel, says, 'The jar of flour shall not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, until the day when the LORD sends rain upon the earth.'" She left and did as Elijah had said. She was able to eat for a year, and he and her son as well; the jar of flour did not go empty, nor the jug of oil run dry, as the LORD had foretold through Elijah.

Reading II

Heb 9:24-28

Christ did not enter into a sanctuary made by hands, a copy of the true one, but heaven itself, that he might now appear before God on our behalf. Not that he might offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters each year into the sanctuary with blood that is not his own; if that were so, he would have had to suffer repeatedly from the foundation of the world. But now once for all he has appeared at the end of the ages to take away sin by his sacrifice. Just as it is appointed that human beings die once, and after this the judgment, so also Christ, offered once to take away the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to take away sin but to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him.

Alleluia

Mt 5:3

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel [Include the bracketed text for long form] Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

[In the course of his teaching Jesus said to the crowds, "Beware of the scribes, who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces, seats of honor in synagogues, and places of honor at banquets. They devour the houses of widows and, as a pretext recite lengthy prayers. They will receive a very severe condemnation." ] He sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."

Responsorial Psalm

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

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

The LORD 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 he 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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO HOST SILVER ROSE

On Wednesday, November 13, St. Luke will host the Silver Rose in a prayer program from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. What is more powerful than spending some time in prayer with the symbol of Our Lady? The Silver Rose program will be conducted in both English and Spanish to help strengthen and further unite the cultural ties we share within our parish. Since 1960, the Silver Rose has been running from Canada, through the United States arriving at its final destination at the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico on December 12 for the Feast of our Lady Guadalupe, the Patroness of the Americas. The evening will be sponsored by the Knights of Columbus who would like to personally invite every parishioner to come and take part in the Silver Rose prayer program.



The Divine Mercy Assembly #2936 4th Degree Knights of Columbus from St. Luke, St. Ignatius, and St. Edward parishes are honoring our Nation's veterans by sponsoring a Veteran's Dinner on Sunday, November 10, from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. The dinner will take place at St. Luke parish social hall located at 10682 Old

Nashville Hwy, Smyrna, TN. Veterans will eat for free! Veterans families will pay just \$10. Menu consists of Pulled Pork BBQ, Beans, Coleslaw, Chips, Dessert, and Drink. Space is limited. Please RSVP by including the Veteran's name with branch of military served and total number in party to DivineMercyAssembly2936@gmail.com. You may also RSVP to Marshall Kendall, Faithful Navigator, at 615-389-4719, if you don't have email access.

Happy Veterans Day!  
11-11-2024



## Table of Plenty

Dan Schutte

Come to the feast of heaven and earth!  
Come to the table of plenty!  
God will provide for all that we need,  
Here at the table of plenty!

O come and sit at my table  
where saints and sinners are friends.  
I wait to welcome the lost and lonely  
to share the cup of my love.

O come and eat without money;  
come to drink without price.  
My feast of gladness will feed your spirit  
with faith and fullness of life.

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## The Cry of the Poor

John Foley, S.J.

The Lord hears the cry of the poor.  
Blessed be the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times,  
With praise ever in my mouth.  
Let my soul glory in the Lord,  
Who will hear the cry of the poor.

Let the lowly hear and be glad:  
The Lord listens to their pleas;  
And to hearts broken, God is near,  
who will hear the cry of the poor.

Every spirit crushed, God will save;  
Will be ransom for their lives;  
Will be safe shelter for their fears,  
And will hear the cry of the poor.

We proclaim your greatness, O God,  
Your praise ever in our mouth;  
Every face brightened in your light,  
For you hear the cry of the poor.

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## Sanctuary

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary  
Pure and holy tried and true  
With thanksgiving I'll be a living  
Sanctuary for You

It is you Lord, who came to save  
The heart and soul of every man  
It is you Lord, who knows my weakness,  
Who gives me strength with thine own hand

Lead me on Lord from temptation  
Purify me from within  
Fill my heart with your Holy Spirit  
Take away all my sin

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lesson will be December 14, at  
1:30 p.m. in classroom #8.

## One Bread, One Body

One bread, one body, one Lord of all,  
One cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many, throughout the earth,  
We are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free,  
woman or man no more.

Many the gifts, many the works,  
one in the Lord of all.

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown,  
gathered to one for all.

Text: 1 Corinthians 10:16, 17, 12:4, Galatians 3:28 the Didache 9 John Foley, S.J. b.1939, © 1978, John B. Foley, S.J. and New Dawn Music. Published by OCP Publications.

## Taste and See

Taste and see, taste and see  
The goodness of the Lord!  
O taste and see, taste and see  
The goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times.  
Praise shall always be on my lips;  
My soul shall glory in the Lord  
For God has been so good to me.

Glorify the Lord with me.  
Together let us all praise God's name.  
I called the Lord who answered me;  
From all my troubles I was set free.

Worship the Lord, all you people.  
You'll want for nothing if you ask.  
Taste and see that the Lord is good;  
In God we need put all our trust.

Text: Psalm 34: James E. Moore, Jr., b.1951, © 1983, GIA Publications, Inc.

## Let There Be Peace on Earth

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.  
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.  
With God as our Father, brothers all are we.  
Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now.  
With ev'ry step I take, let this be my solemn vow;  
To take each moment, and live each moment in peace eternally!  
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

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## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### Sunday Division

There will be no classes on Sunday, November 24 and Sunday, December 1 due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Classes will return Sunday, December 8.

### Wednesday Division: For our Con24 Students only

#### CON24: Congratulations to our new Confirmants!

Certificates and pictures are available at the office for pickup if the student was absent for the Last day of class (10-23-24).

**PRE-CON:** Congratulations, Pre-Con students! You are all now the new class generation (CON25) to be confirmed in October of 2025.

-First Day of CON25 will be on Wednesday, January 22, 2025 at 6:30 p.m. Enjoy the holidays!

-Also, the first Parent Meeting will be on 1-22-2025 at 6:50 p.m. in the Church. It is an important meeting to attend. We will mention expectations and important dates.

**First communion certificates and Pictures are ready and can be picked up in the parish office during office hours.**



# BAKE SALE



## ST. LUKE WOMEN OF FAITH ANNUAL THANKSGIVING BAKE SALE

The St. Luke Women of Faith will be having their annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale after Masses on the weekend of November 23 and 24. This is our largest fundraiser. Your generosity is greatly appreciated by buying goods that weekend as well as donating pies, cakes, breads, cupcakes or other delicious food items. You can bring your donation before the mass you attend that weekend or to the narthex the morning of November 23 between 10-11. We will accept cash or checks. For more information, please call Jenny Banker at 803-810-4698.

**Thank you for your support!**



### ST. LUKE WOMEN OF FAITH

Next meeting: Thursday, November 14

Location: Social Hall

Time: 6:30 p.m.

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

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NOVEMBER AWARD WINNERS

#### **Knight of the Month – Joey Albanese**

*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 – Mark and Phylis Muenich**

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

#### **Parishioner of the Month – Ginny Williams**

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

### 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 welcomes anyone who is interested in RCIA program.* Meetings will be every Thursday evening, beginning October 17 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. through 2024 and Saturdays from 9 to 10 a.m. in 2025. For more information and to register, please contact Deacon Roger Huber at 615-605-6545 or email: [rogerhuber258@gmail.com](mailto:rogerhuber258@gmail.com).



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

*Ericka Zambrano*

*Maria Padilla*

*Joanna Espinoza*

*Sarah Herod*

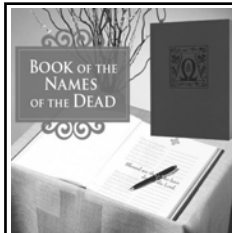
*Stephanie Hamilton*

*Danielle Boyd-Garrett*

*Cristina Ocando*

*Maddie Francescon Washburn*

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



### NAMES FOR THE BOOK OF THE DEAD

During the month of November the Book of The Dead will be placed on the altar. If you would like to add a name of a family member or friend that is *not previously added to the book of the dead*, please PRINT the name clearly on the index card provided. One of our staff members will print the names in the Book of The Dead.

PLEASE, DO NOT WRITE IN THE BOOK. Thank you.

### THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

St. Luke's food pantry is asking for donations for Thanksgiving food baskets. If you would like to purchase items for a basket, please shop using the following list. We will accept all donations until **Sunday, November 17**. Thank you so much for your help!

- Turkey or turkey breast
- Corn
- Yams
- Green Beans
- Cranberry sauce
- Canned fruit (any variety)
- Mashed potatoes/or a bag of fresh potatoes
- Stuffing
- Gravy packet
- Macaroni and cheese
- Evaporated milk
- Corn muffin mix
- Pumpkin Pie Mix



### 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 next meeting for the Ladies Auxiliary of Council 9168 will be held on Monday, November 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the John Kirk room. For more information - contact Frances Ezzell by sending a message to [ladiesof9168@gmail.com](mailto:ladiesof9168@gmail.com). We're looking forward to seeing you there!

### LEGION OF MARY

**November 21** - Memorial of Presentation of Mary

**November 27** - Feast of the Miraculous Medal

On November 27, 1830, during the apparitions in the chapel on Rue du Bac in Paris, the Holy Virgin presented the Miraculous Medal to Saint Catherine Labouré: "Those who wear it, blessed, around their neck will receive great graces. The graces will be abundant for those who wear it with confidence."

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.

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.**

### 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. The next meeting will be November 6, at 8:30 a.m. Please Email [higpartyof8@gmail.com](mailto:higpartyof8@gmail.com) for more details.





St. Michael Academy is opening up their middle school for the 2025-2026 school year. Applications for Preschool-8th grade will open on October 1 and can be completed on their Website: [stmichaeltn.org](http://stmichaeltn.org)

**Father Ryan Winter Sports Passes on sale** - Purchasing a season pass saves you money over individual game tickets and gives you admission to all regular season home Boys & Girls Basketball games and all regular season home Wrestling matches, including the Willie Brown '65 and Johnny Drennan '85 Memorial Tournament! For more information and to purchase, go to [fatheryan.org/athletics/tickets](http://fatheryan.org/athletics/tickets)

**Father Ryan Futsal**, an indoor version of soccer, will begin December 4 and run for eight weeks. The registration opens on October 14 and is \$150.00 for the program. To register your child for this exciting sport, visit <https://frhs.campbrainregistration.com/>



The Magnificat Chapter of Nashville is excited to announce that our guest speaker for our Meal on November 16, 2024, from 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., is *Lisa Flood*. Come hear Lisa's powerful testimony of how three generations of her family left and then returned to the Catholic

Church, inspired by the Eucharist on the Feast of Divine Mercy in 2008. She shares that true hope isn't about expecting specific answers to our prayers, but trusting in God's will and His greater plan for us. As a mom, wife and radio host, Lisa will inspire and encourage you on your faith journey.

Location: St. Philip Catholic Church 113 2nd Avenue S., Franklin, TN 37064  
See our website: <https://magnificat-ministry.net/chapters/TN-nashville/>, or email [nashvillemagnificat@gmail.com](mailto:nashvillemagnificat@gmail.com) for a form.  
Call Rosemary Geiger at 760-505-6625 for more information

**Nashville Catholic Athletics** is now registering participants for its programs in Soccer, Basketball, Cheer, Rugby, and Wrestling. Details, schedule, and registration are all available at [nashvillecatholicathletics.com](http://nashvillecatholicathletics.com).

**Bilingual Eucharistic Revival Conference**

Join other Catholics from around the Diocese of Nashville on Saturday, November 16 from 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Center in Nashville to strengthen your devotion to the Real Presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist. The day will include both English and Spanish talks from inspiring Catholic speakers, Mass with Bishop Spalding, Adoration, Confession, and shopping with local vendors. Tickets are \$30 and lunch is included. Please register by November 1 at [nashvillefaithformation.com](http://nashvillefaithformation.com).

**St. Cecilia Academy Walk-in-Wednesdays**

Would you like to learn more about SCA and what it means to be a St. Cecilia Girl? Join us for Walk-in Wednesdays! Stop by SCA on Wednesdays from 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. for a tour of our school and speak with the admissions team. This is a great way to introduce yourself and for us to meet you. No registration is required.

**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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- TUESDAY:** Msgr. Stephen Gideon
- WEDNESDAY:** Fr. Austin Gilstrap
- THURSDAY:** Fr. Alejandro Godinez
- FRIDAY:** Fr. Phillip Halladay
- SATURDAY:** Fr. John Hammond
- 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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