

# ST. LUKE Catholic Church

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Smyrna, TN 37167

## PARISH OFFICE

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

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 INTENIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 16

4:00 p.m. † Vincent Genowefa Polec  
7:30 p.m. † Catalina Flores - by her children, Flores Family

Sunday, August 17

8:00 a.m. † Michael Wender  
10:00 a.m. Dat Vu Family  
12:00 p.m. † Cecilia Estrada

Monday, August 18

6:30 p.m. † Ofelio Bonilla

Tuesday, August 19

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Wednesday, August 20

8:30 a.m. † John Baiocco

Thursday, August 21

8:30 a.m. † Italo Arbildo  
7:00 p.m. † Ender Carrasquero Garcia - by Carrasquero Family

Friday, August 22

8:30 a.m. † Irma Razon - by Ofelia Roberts

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM AUGUST 3, 2025.

\$ 28,372.30 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (includes online giving)

\$ 28,487.53 - Weekly Expenses for Parish needs and general operations

\$ (115.23) = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:

\$ 1,007.44 Restricted Designated Donations (Includes online giving)

\$ 587.77 Last Resource Deposit (Includes online giving)

\$ 763.99 Food Pantry Deposit (includes online giving)

\$ 30,731.50 Total revenue collected (general operations & designated donations)

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

\$ (28,598.50) = 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

IIII Paula Stanley, IIIIII Fred Baggett, IIIIII Brenda Fentress, IIIIII Dave Guitard, IIIIII Mike Baggett, IIII Katie Stanford, IIII Oliver Stanford, IIIIII Magdalena Martinez De Castro, IIIIII Camila Belen Enamorado, IIII Pauline Smith, II Sia Krog, III Judith Nochowicz, III Karlee Provencher, I Richelle Gerba, I Karen Perkins



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

FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

IIII Loretta Minie Reyna, I Gene Crumpton, I Dollie Nolan

FOR THOSE ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY

Benjamin Anderson, Cody Hopper, Charles Lane, Mike Plouff, Michael Leaver, Jeremy Minner, Manuel Pineda, Johnathan Stark, Dylan Williams, Matthew Moshea, Alek Nochowicz, Patrick Rissler, Hailey Rissler, Jeff Hineman, Carl Templeton, Jeb Sloan, Justin Laprise, Liam Smith, Logan Garrett, Tom Janssen, Cole Liko, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Peyton Oates, Grant Holland, Michael Mounce, Greg Kilpatrick, Miss Dorris, Brendan Hoden



NEW ONLINE GIVING

We have moved to a new Giving software called Pushpay. Please visit our website or scan the QR Code to your right to update your Parish Recurring Online Giving or set up a new Gift.

**Please make sure that you are no longer using the Vanco payment system.**

Thank you!



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, AUGUST 23 & 24, 2025

ALTAR SERVERS

4:00 p.m. Jayden and Hunter Adams, Francisco Espinoza  
8:00 a.m. Blaise, Drew, and Nolan Brackman  
10:00 a.m. Bryson Parker, Hayden Garrett, Gage Zimmerman

LECTORS

4:00 p.m. Jennifer Banker, Tracie Henry  
8:00 a.m. Alan Stanley, Ken Mills  
10:00 a.m. Tony Arnone, Cory Schulte

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:00 p.m. T. Abriola, P. Muenich, J. & D. Knost, D. & J. Spehn  
8:00 a.m. A. Stanley, A. Kornau, S. McBride, K. Systma, A. Stark  
10:00 a.m. Deacon Simeon, JR Gerald, Jr., Parker, Sturgeon, Warnatzch, Legaspi

USHERS / GREETERS

4:00 p.m. Leonard Persinger, Joey Albanese, James Perkins, SUB  
8:00 a.m. Ken and Marian Jordan, Ken and Jean Mills  
10:00 a.m. Vinnie DiCarlo, Jake Erisman, Adam Parker, Stephanie Ramirez

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>

**There will be a 2nd collection on the last weekend of every month for the Bishop's Charities.**

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@stluketn.org](mailto:liturgy@stluketn.org).

## Blessed Be Your Name

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

Blessed be Your name  
When I'm found in the desert place  
Though I walk through the wilderness  
Blessed be Your name

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

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

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

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## Be Thou My Vision

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart  
Naught be all else to me save that thou art  
Thou my best thought by day or by night  
Waking or sleeping thy presence my light

Be thou my wisdom be thou my true word  
I ever with thee and thou with me Lord  
Thou my great Father and I thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling and I with thee one

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise  
Thou my inheritance now and always  
Thou and thou only first in my heart  
High King of heaven my treasure thou art

High King of heaven my victory won  
May I reach heaven's joys O bright heaven's sun  
Heart of my own heart whatever befall  
Still be my vision O ruler of all

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## Here Is Bread Here Is Wine

Here is bread here is wine  
Christ is with us He is with us  
Break the bread drink the wine  
Christ is with us here

Here is grace here is peace  
Christ is with us He is with us  
Know His grace find His peace  
Feast on Jesus here

**In this bread there is healing  
In this cup there's life forever  
In this moment by the Spirit  
Christ is with us here**

Here we are joined in one  
Christ is with us He is with us  
We'll proclaim 'til He comes  
Jesus crucified

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## Only a Shadow

Carry Landry

The love we have for you, O Lord,  
is only a shadow of your love for us;  
only a shadow of your love for us;  
your deep abiding love.

The bread we take and eat, O Lord,  
is your body broken and shared with us;  
your body broken and shared with us;  
the gift of your great love.

**Our lives are in your hands,  
Our lives are in your hands.  
Our love for you will grow, O Lord;  
Your light in us will shine.**

Our own belief in you, O Lord,  
is only a shadow of your faith in us;  
only a shadow of your faith in us;  
your deep and lasting faith.

The dreams we share today, O Lord,  
are only a shadow of your dreams for us;  
only a shadow of your dreams for us;  
if we but follow you. (to Refrain)

The joy we share today, O Lord,  
is only a shadow of your joys for us;  
only a shadow of your joys for us;  
when we meet face to face. (to Refrain)

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## I Will Testify

Curtis Stephan/Jesse Manibusan/Sarah Hart

***I will testify and glorify the name of Jesus.  
I will not deny, I will rely on Jesus.***

Waves of fear come crashin' in  
and all my friends all walk away,  
standin' firmly on your word  
you see me through the pain,  
you give me strength again.

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## COFFEE ANYONE?



The Cor Men's Group is considering selling coffee to raise money to support local charities. Are you interested? For info: email me at [9168cor@gmail.com](mailto:9168cor@gmail.com) or text me at 615-840-2669.

## LEGION OF MARY

**August 15** – Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Feast was instituted by Pope Leo IV in 847 and was Dogmatically Defined by Pope Pius XII in 1950.

**August 22** – Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Pope Pius XII established this Feast in 1954.

Join us on Wednesday mornings at 9:15 a.m. in the Adult Education classroom B.  
**Visitors are welcome.**

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. We also pray the rosary every weekday morning after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.



## **SOCCER CHALLENGE**

The annual St. Luke Knights of Coumbus Council #9168 Soccer Challenge will be held at St. Luke on Saturday, September 13 from 2 to 4 p.m. (Rain date will be Sunday, September 14 from 2 to 4 p.m.) Boys and girls ages 9 to 14 years of age who are interested can participate. For more information, please call or text Mark Muenich at (615) 967-4250.

**READING 1**

**JEREMIAH 38:4-6, 8-10**

In those days, the princes said to the king: "Jeremiah ought to be put to death; he is demoralizing the soldiers who are left in this city, and all the people, by speaking such things to them; he is not interested in the welfare of our people, but in their ruin." King Zedekiah answered: "He is in your power"; for the king could do nothing with them. And so they took Jeremiah and threw him into the cistern of Prince Malchiah, which was in the quarters of the guard, letting him down with ropes. There was no water in the cistern, only mud, and Jeremiah sank into the mud. Ebed-melech, a court official, went there from the palace and said to him: "My lord king, these men have been at fault in all they have done to the prophet Jeremiah, casting him into the cistern. He will die of famine on the spot, for there is no more food in the city." Then the king ordered Ebed-melech the Cushite to take three men along with him, and draw the prophet Jeremiah out of the cistern before he should die.

**READING 2**

**HEBREWS 12:1-4**

Brothers and sisters: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. For the sake of the joy that lay before him he endured the cross, despising its shame, and has taken his seat at the right of the throne of God. Consider how he endured such opposition from sinners, in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart. In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding blood.

**ALLELUIA**

**JOHN 10:27**

*R. Alleluia, alleluia.*

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me.

*R. Alleluia, alleluia.*

**GOSPEL**

**LUKE 12:49-53**

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing! There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished! Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. From now on a household of five will be divided, three against two and two against three; a father will be divided against his son and a son against his father, a mother against her daughter and a daughter against her mother, a mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law."

**WORD SEARCH**

Y C Q U V P J U O W I N D P B  
 W R D A U G H T E R F E I D X  
 C O M C B B R T I M E I Q G F  
 D W Q F D I V I D E D O R T B  
 M D E A R T H L I D A X K E B  
 K G E F K L C E U B S X Z C K  
 S O E A F R S O U S O U T H I  
 K S L M J A L M V H F X T U J  
 Y L Y I W C T S E T O P Z C E  
 F A X L H A P H J J O T N C A  
 Z X Y Y X B P Q E G Q O A K I  
 H X C F C A L F U R S E M N R  
 D P W E S T X O E Q P I I I M  
 K B A P T I S M W G Y A T L W  
 M O T H E R H G O S R W N F Q

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**PSALM 40:2, 3, 4, 18**

*R. (14b) Lord, come to my aid!*

I have waited, waited for the LORD,  
and he stooped toward me.

*R. Lord, come to my aid!*

The LORD heard my cry.

He drew me out of the pit of destruction,  
out of the mud of the swamp;  
he set my feet upon a crag;  
he made firm my steps.

*R. Lord, come to my aid!*

And he put a new song into my mouth,  
a hymn to our God.

Many shall look on in awe  
and trust in the LORD.

*R. Lord, come to my aid!*

Though I am afflicted and poor,  
yet the LORD thinks of me.

You are my help and my deliverer;  
O my God, hold not back!

*R. Lord, come to my aid!*

**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

*Do you think I have come to establish peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.*

*Luke 12:51*

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|------|---------|-------|----------|
| WEST | SOUTH   | CLOUD | DAUGHTER |
| TIME | CROWD   | BLOWS | DIVIDED  |
| WIND | FATHER  | PEACE | FIRE     |
| SKY  | MOTHER  | EARTH | FAMILY   |
| HOT  | BAPTISM | SON   | RAIN     |



**PRIMERA LECTURA**

**JEREMÍAS 38, 4-6. 8-10**

Durante el sitio de Jerusalén, los jefes que tenían prisionero a Jeremías dijeron al rey: "Hay que matar a este hombre, porque las cosas que dice desmoralizan a los guerreros que quedan en esta ciudad y a todo el pueblo. Es evidente que no busca el bienestar del pueblo, sino su perdición". Respondió el rey Sedecías: "Lo tienen ya en sus manos y el rey no puede nada contra ustedes". Entonces ellos tomaron a Jeremías y, descolgándolo con cuerdas, lo echaron en el pozo del príncipe Melquías, situado en el patio de la prisión. En el pozo no había agua, sino lodo, y Jeremías quedó hundido en el lodo. Ebed-Mélek, el etíope, oficial de palacio, fue a ver al rey y le dijo: "Señor, está mal hecho lo que estos hombres hicieron con Jeremías, arrojándolo al pozo, donde va a morir de hambre". Entonces el rey ordenó a Ebed-Mélek: "Toma treinta hombres contigo y saca del pozo a Jeremías, antes de que muera".

**SEGUNDA LECTURA**

**HEBREOS 12, 1-4**

Hermanos: Rodeados, como estamos, por la multitud de antepasados nuestros, que dieron prueba de su fe, dejemos todo lo que nos estorba; librémonos del pecado que nos ata, para correr con perseverancia la carrera que tenemos por delante, fija la mirada en Jesús, autor y consumador de nuestra fe. Él, en vista del gozo que se le proponía, aceptó la cruz, sin temer su ignominia, y por eso está sentado a la derecha del trono de Dios. Mediten, pues, en el ejemplo de aquel que quiso sufrir tanta oposición de parte de los pecadores, y no se cansen ni pierdan el ánimo, porque todavía no han llegado a derramar su sangre en la lucha contra el pecado.

**ACLAMACIÓN ANTES DEL EVANGELIO JUAN 10, 27**

**R. Aleluya, aleluya.**

Mis ovejas escuchan mi voz, dice el Señor; yo las conozco y ellas me siguen.

**R. Aleluya.**

**EVANGELIO**

**LUCAS 12, 49-53**

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: "He venido a traer fuego a la tierra, ¡y cuánto desearía que ya estuviera ardiendo! Tengo que recibir un bautismo, ¡y cómo me angustio mientras llega! ¿Piensan acaso que he venido a traer paz a la tierra? De ningún modo. No he venido a traer la paz, sino la división. De aquí en adelante, de cinco que haya en una familia, estarán divididos tres contra dos y dos contra tres. Estará dividido el padre contra el hijo, el hijo contra el padre, la madre contra la hija y la hija contra la madre, la suegra contra la nuera y la nuera contra la suegra".

**SALMO RESPONSORIAL**

**SALMO 39, 2. 3. 4. 18**

**R. (14b) Señor, date prisa en ayudarme.**

Esperé en el Señor con gran confianza; él se inclinó hacia mí y escuchó mis plegarias.

**R. Señor, date prisa en ayudarme.**

Del charco cenagoso y la fosa mortal me puso a salvo; puso firmes mis pies sobre la roca y aseguró mis pasos.

**R. Señor, date prisa en ayudarme.**

El me puso en la boca un canto nuevo, un himno a nuestro Dios.

Muchos se conmovieron al ver esto y confiaron también en el Señor.

**R. Señor, date prisa en ayudarme.**

A mí, tu siervo, pobre y desdichado, no me dejes, Señor, en el olvido.

Tú eres quien me ayuda y quien me salva; no te tardes, Dios mío.

**R. Señor, date prisa en ayudarme.**

**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**

**DIVISION DOMINGO**

~ Inscripciones para Pre-Kinder hasta 6to Agosto Grados 2025-2026 Estarán Abiertas hasta el 29 de en la Oficina (se requiere copia de acta de nacimiento y certificado de bautismo).

~ 14 de Sept - Meet N Greet

~ 21 de Sept - Primer dia de Clases

**DIVISION MIERCOLES**

~ Inscripciones cerradas para 7mo y 8vo grados. No hay más cupo.

~ Pre-Confirmación y Confirmación 2025: No habrá clases el 30 de Julio y el 6 Agosto. Las clases continúan el 13 de Agosto.

~ Junta de Papás #2 únicamente para los papás de los est diantes de Confirmación 2025 a las 6:50pm en el Santuario.

**DIVISION SABADO (División High School)**

~ Las inscripciones para estudiantes de 15 a 17 años estarán abiertas hasta el 29 de Agosto (se requiere copia de acta de nacimiento y certificado de bautismo).

~ Las clases comienzan en Septiembre, los Domingos de 9:30 am a 11:30 am En La Casita Latina.

**R.C.I.A. (Clases para Adultos)**

~ Estas clases, para personas adultas que les falten algun sacramento, comienzan el Lunes 18 de Agosto. Las inscripciones se extenderán hasta el 8 De Septiembre. Para mas informes, llamar a la oficina o a Margarita



**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 PUNTUALES. Gracias.



# 2025 St. Luke International Fall Festival & Silent Auction

Saturday, October 4 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

# SAVE THE DATE!

It's that time of the year to start planning for our Annual Fall Festival! As always, we will need as many volunteers as possible to make this another successful festival. In the coming weeks we will have volunteer sign-up sheets in the narthex after all Masses.

## What do we need right Now?

### Sponsors

We are looking for a couple of major sponsors for this year's festival so if you own a business or know of a business this is a great opportunity to put your company name out there to bring the entire community together for fun and fellowship. Please contact Joey Albanese at (704)-493-8600 or email: [jalbanese01@gmail.com](mailto:jalbanese01@gmail.com)

### Silent Auction Items

We need donations of new items for our silent auction. You can donate an entire basket or a few items for a basket. Here are a few ideas of baskets...dinner and a movie, wine or liquor, tools, electronics, restaurant gift cards, time share, hotel or airline miles, coffee, tea, sports, fishing, games, barbecue, gardening, gourmet food basket, animal lover basket and baby/infant items. For more information on auction items please contact Lori Kendall at 724-575-2301 or email: [loriannemarie72@gmail.com](mailto:loriannemarie72@gmail.com)

### Upcoming Ticket Sale Dates:

- August 23** - Start selling the Bourbon, Blues & Barbecue tickets before and after each weekend Mass.
- August 30** - Start selling the car raffle tickets before and after each weekend Mass.
- September 6** - Start selling the festival food tickets before and after each weekend Mass.  
(The first 2 weeks you will get a \$5 BONUS ticket with every \$25 purchase)



### LAST RESOURCES / FOOD BANK COR CHALLENGE

The **Cor Men's Group** challenges all parish families to match our donations to the Last Resources or Food Bank ministries. During 2025, the Cor Men's Group will donate \$10 worth of food to the Food Bank in odd-numbered months. We will be donating \$10 to Last Resources in even-numbered months. We challenge every parish family to match our donation with a donation of your own.



COR Vlog QR Code

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

#### SUNDAY DIVISION

- ~ Pre-K to 6<sup>th</sup> grade Registrations for 2025 2026 will be open until August 29 in the Front Office (copy of birth and baptism certificate is required).
- ~ September 14 - Meet-N-Greet
- ~ September 21 - First Day of Classes



#### WEDNESDAY DIVISION:

- ~ Registrations for 7th and 8th grades are now closed.
- ~ Pre-Con and CON25: No classes on July 30 and August 6. Classes continue on August 13.
- ~ Parent Meeting #2 for only the parents of CON25 students at 6:50 in the Church

#### HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION:

- ~ Registrations for 15, 16, and 17 years old will be open until August 29. Space is limited. (copy of birth and baptism certificate is required).
- ~ Classes begin in September, Sundays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Latino House.

### 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.

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



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If you are expecting a baby, we would love to pray for you! Please call the parish office at (615) 459-9672 or email at: [frontoffice@stluketn.org](mailto:frontoffice@stluketn.org) to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.

### BLOOD DRIVE

St. Luke Catholic Church and the Red Cross will be having a blood drive here at the church in the social hall on August 19, 2025, from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m. To schedule an appointment log onto [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and enter sponsor code: *StLukeSmyrna* or call 1-800 RED CROSS.



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AUGUST AWARD WINNERS

#### KNIGHT OF THE MONTH – MIKE DAUERER

*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 – DEACON ERNIE & CINDY GARTUNG

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

#### PARISHIONER OF THE MONTH – FERNANDO MORALES

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

### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Lucy and Zach Williams on their new baby girl.

*Gianna Marie Williams*

July 1, 2025 - 7 lbs. 13 oz.





### 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. Please email [htgpartyof8@gmail.com](mailto:htgpartyof8@gmail.com) for more details.

### PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS/RELIGIOUS/SEMINARIANS

MONDAY: Fr. Alejandro Avelino  
TUESDAY: Fr. Regimon Augustine, MSFS  
WEDNESDAY: Fr. Titus Augustine, CMI  
THURSDAY: Fr. Jose Ramon Ayala  
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### RETRouvaille: A MARRIAGE RECOVERY PROGRAM

**Stress in Your Marriage?** – Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict in their relationship. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the next program beginning with a weekend on August 29. Call 931-820-2115 or email: [3043@helpourmarriage.org](mailto:3043@helpourmarriage.org) or visit the website at [HelpOurMarriage.com](http://HelpOurMarriage.com)

### RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREATS

There is one Rachel's Vineyard Retreat still available in 2025. It will be **September 5-7** at Passionist Retreat House in Whitesville, Kentucky. Rachel's Vineyard offers post-abortion healing for women and men suffering from the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion. For more information or to register, call 270-474-4707 or email [retreats@hopeafterabortionky.com](mailto:retreats@hopeafterabortionky.com), or visit [HopeAfterAbortionKY.com](http://HopeAfterAbortionKY.com). For a full list of retreat dates and locations, visit [rachelsvineyard.org](http://rachelsvineyard.org).



Saint Rose of Lima in Murfreesboro, TN is holding their International Festival on Sunday, September 14, from 10:00 a.m. -

4:00 p.m. The festival currently has over 14 countries participating. There will be lots of great food, live entertainment and for the first time, a silent auction! We hope to see you there!

### BISHOP'S CUP SET FOR SEPTEMBER 26 AS FATHER RYAN, JP11 RELEASE 2025 FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

With both programs led by new head coaches, students, alumni, and fans will have the opportunity to see diocesan high schools face-off for the Bishop's Cup at 7 p.m. on Friday, September 26, at JP11's athletic field.

[Bishop's Cup Set for Sept. 26 as Father Ryan, JP11 Release 2025 Football Schedules](#)



### TOGETHER IN HOLINESS MARRIAGE CONFERENCE

Married and engaged couples are invited to the fifth annual **Together in Holiness** marriage conference on **September 13, 2025 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 July 28 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/nashville](http://togetherinholiness.org/nashville) or email [jessie@forlifeandfamily.org](mailto:jessie@forlifeandfamily.org).



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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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