

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

7:00 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 6:30 p.m.

Sabado 7:00 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday 9:00 a.m.

until

Friday 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday

5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. - Spanish

Saturday

3:10 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. - English

6:00 p.m. - 6:45 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 **615-459-9672. 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

Programa de Educación Religiosa
Miércoles y Domingos

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 6 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.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 8

4:00 p.m. † Lorraine and Stanley Grzybowski
7:00 p.m. † Salvador Tobaldo - *by Ma Carmen Tobaldo*

Sunday, August 9

8:00 a.m. Jeff Dieter
10:00 a.m. † Cecilia Estrada
12:00 p.m. † Rosa Chaya Crespo

Monday, August 10

6:30 p.m. † Ofelia Roberts - *by Dolly Coffman*

Tuesday, August 11

8:30 a.m. † Joseph Saccio

Wednesday, August 12

8:30 a.m. † Vito Orsino - *by Laura Nota*

Thursday, August 13

8:30 a.m. † Cecilia Estrada
6:30 p.m. † Filimon Acensio Hernandez

Friday, August 14

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM JULY 26, 2026.

\$ 38,241.26 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (*includes online giving*)

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

\$ 9,753.73 = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:

\$ 976.54 Restricted Designated Donations (*Includes online giving*)

\$ 443.75 Last Resource Deposit (*Includes online giving*)

\$ 408.53 Food Pantry Deposit (*includes online giving*)

\$ 40,070.08 Total revenue collected (*general operations & designated donations*)

\$ 61,010.00 - Weekly Overall Goal for Parish (*see formula below*)

\$ 20,939.92 = Overall weekly goal surplus (deficit) for Parish.

(Goal is based on 7.5% of average family income of \$47,000 x 900 families.)

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.



Thank you!

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, Usher or Altar Server, please contact Laura Nota by email at liturgy@stluketn.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 15 & 16, 2026

ALTAR SERVERS

4:00 p.m. Alex Cespino, Will and Gabe Franco
8:00 a.m. Avery Frith, Grace McDaniel, Brooklyn Reynolds, Karleigh McCoy
10:00 a.m. Alex Duff, Cliff Dowell, Angel Gonzalez

LECTORS

4:00 p.m. Tracie Henry, James Perkins
8:00 a.m. Ken Diesburg, Margaret Guitard
10:00 a.m. Connie and Jim Noyes

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:00 p.m. C. Daugherty, K. Fischer, K. Sytsma, D. & J. Spehn, P. Muenich
8:00 a.m. Wisniewski, Martinez, Weaver, McKnight, Fernandez, Lt. Col. Brown
10:00 a.m. Deacon Simeon, Bowman, S. Nordhoff, Arnone, C. Schulte, L. Tubbs

USHERS / GREETERS

4:00 p.m. Mark Moshea, Jack Payne, Leonard Persinger, John Grubar
8:00 a.m. Johnny Gerald, Carlos Rivera, Fabian Perez, Gerid Gee
10:00 a.m. Fannie and Felino Rosario, Mark Corrado, Tom Nolan

LET US PRAY FOR THE HEALTH & RECOVERY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

IIIII Mike Bagget, IIII Rick St. Amour, IIIIII Pauline Smith,
IIII Jon Sturgeon, III Brenda Fentress, III Paula Stanley,
III Jesse Marcrum, IIIIII James McCabe, IIIIII Brayden Watts,
I Darlene Forte



**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

IIIII Mark Murphy, IIIIII Cesar Escalona Sr., IIIIII Gail Softon,
IIIII Judy Durkin, II Dennis Mascarenas,

FOR THOSE ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY

Benjamin Anderson, Cody Hopper, Charles Lane, Mike Plouff,
Michael Leaver, Jeremy Minner, Manuel Pineda, David Steen,
Johnathan Stark, Dylan Williams, Matthew Moshea,
Alek Nochowicz, Patrick Rissler, Hailey Rissler, Jeff Hineman, Jeb Sloan,
Justin Laprise, Liam Smith, Logan Garrett, Tom Janssen, Cole Liko,
Payton Oates, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Grant Holland, Michael Mounce,
Greg Kilpatrick, Miss Dorris, Brendan Hoden, Joe Shelton, Adam Turner,
Shayla Anderson, James Hutchison, Itzel Rodriguez, Aljohn Tabat,
Kurt Jr., Nochowicz, Thomas Wiseman



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>

COFFEE & DONUTS



Please join us in the social hall after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Masses for coffee and donuts. It's a wonderful opportunity to visit and connect with fellow parishioners. Donations are greatly appreciated to help offset the cost. Thank you!

NASHVILLE CATHOLIC: ANYWHERE YOU ARE

Check out NashvilleCatholic.org for the latest articles, videos, podcasts, and other fun and exciting content from the Diocese of Nashville.

10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name



The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

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Be Still, My Soul

Be still, my soul the Lord is on thy side!
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain;
Leave to thy God to order and provide
In ev'ry change he faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul thy best, thy heav'nly friend
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soulthy God doth undertake
To guide the future as he has the past;
Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul the waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while he dwelt below.

Be still, my soul the hour is hastening on
When we shall be forever with the Lord,
When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone,
Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored.
Be still, my soul when change and tears are past,
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

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tr. by Jane Borthwick, 1813-1897. Music: Jean Sibelius, 1865-1957.

Draw Me Close

Draw me close to You never let me go
I lay it all down again
To hear You say that I'm Your friend
You are my desire no one else will do
'Cause nothing else could take Your place
To feel the warmth of Your embrace
Help me find the way bring me back to You

You're all I want
You're all I've ever needed
You're all I want
Help me know You are near

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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

And when I come to die
Oh and when I come to die
And when I come to die
Give me Jesus

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Miracle Of Grace

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

Bread of Life Bread of Life
Those who eat this bread

Shall live and never die
Bread of Life Bread of Life
Your true presence in this holy sacrifice
Bread of Life
(Bread of Life)
(Bread of Life)

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

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

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At The Sound

We will stand for You
With hearts restored and new
Now's the time to raise
Our hands outstretched in praise

Jesus Jesus at the sound of Your name
Ev'ry knee will bow down
We will shout Your praise

This Church will follow You
Our sight has been renewed
Consume us by Your grace
And save us from the grave

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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 room, 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. Check out the Book Borrower Case in the John Kirk Room. **Take one, Leave one.**



ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you interested in becoming a fully initiated member of the Catholic Church, or would you simply like to learn more about the Catholic faith? The **Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)** is designed for adults who are seeking a deeper understanding of Catholic beliefs and practices.

Through prayer, study, and discussion, participants will explore the Gospel, deepen their relationship with God, and become familiar with the teachings and traditions of the Catholic Church. Those preparing to enter the Church will have the opportunity to profess their faith in Jesus Christ and receive the Sacraments of Initiation: **Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation.** **St. Luke invites anyone interested in OCIA to join us.** Classes will begin on **Tuesday, August 25, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.** in **Classroom A** and will be led by **Deacon Ernie Gartung** and **Deacon Chris Simpson.**

For more information or to register, please contact the **parish office** at (615) 459-9672 or **Deacon Chris Simpson** at (615) 598-0886. We look forward to accompanying you on your faith journey!

READING 1

1 KINGS 19:9A, 11-13A

At the mountain of God, Horeb, Elijah came to a cave where he took shelter. Then the LORD said to him, "Go outside and stand on the mountain before the LORD; the LORD will be passing by." A strong and heavy wind was rending the mountains and crushing rocks before the LORD—but the LORD was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake—but the LORD was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake there was fire—but the LORD was not in the fire. After the fire there was a tiny whispering sound. When he heard this, Elijah hid his face in his cloak and went and stood at the entrance of the cave.

READING 2

ROMANS 9:1-5

Brothers and sisters: I speak the truth in Christ, I do not lie; my conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites; theirs the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises; theirs the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, is the Christ, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

ALLELUIA

PSALM 130:5

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for his word.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL

MATTHEW 14:22-33

After he had fed the people, Jesus made the disciples get into a boat and precede him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. After doing so, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When it was evening he was there alone. Meanwhile the boat, already a few miles offshore, was being tossed about by the waves, for the wind was against it. During the fourth watch of the night, he came toward them walking on the sea. When the disciples saw him walking on the sea they were terrified. "It is a ghost," they said, and they cried out in fear. At once Jesus spoke to them, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw how strong the wind was

he became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" After they got into the boat, the wind died down. Those who were in the boat did him homage, saying, "Truly, you are the Son of God."

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RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14

R. (8) Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

I will hear what God proclaims;

the LORD — for he proclaims peace.

Near indeed is his salvation to those who fear him,
 glory dwelling in our land.

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

Kindness and truth shall meet;

justice and peace shall kiss.

Truth shall spring out of the earth,

and justice shall look down from heaven.

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

The LORD himself will give his benefits;

our land shall yield its increase.

Justice shall walk before him,

and prepare the way of his steps.

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

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**

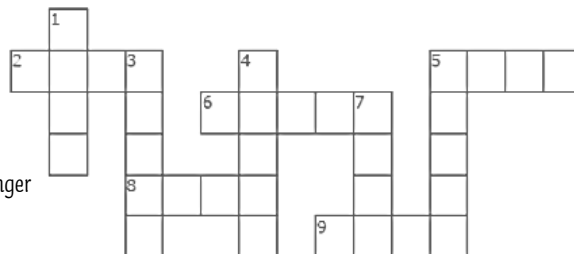
JESUS WALKS ON THE WATER CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

2. The natural movement of air
5. To travel along on your feet
6. Moving swells on the surface of the sea.
8. A small vessel for travel on water
9. An unpleasant feeling caused by danger

DOWN

1. To go downward in water
3. A lack of confidence of belief in God
4. A firm belief in God
5. A liquid that comes down from the clouds as rain
7. To rescue someone



Word Bank

Fear faith Doubt Waves Water
 Save Wind Boat Walk Sink



PRIMERA LECTURA

1 REYES 19, 9A. 11-13A

Al llegar al monte de Dios, el Horeb, el profeta Elías entró en una cueva y permaneció allí. El Señor le dijo: "Sal de la cueva y quédate en el monte para ver al Señor, porque el Señor va a pasar". Así lo hizo Elías y, al acercarse el Señor, vino primero un viento huracanado, que partía las montañas y resquebrajaba las rocas; pero el Señor no estaba en el viento. Se produjo después un terremoto; pero el Señor no estaba en el terremoto. Luego vino un fuego; pero el Señor no estaba en el fuego. Después del fuego se escuchó el murmullo de una brisa suave. Al oírlo, Elías se cubrió el rostro con el manto y salió a la entrada de la cueva.

SEGUNDA LECTURA

ROMANOS 9, 1-5

Hermanos: Les hablo con toda verdad en Cristo; no miento. Mi conciencia me atestigua, con la luz del Espíritu Santo, que tengo una infinita tristeza, y un dolor incesante tortura mi corazón. Hasta aceptaría verme separado de Cristo, si esto fuera para bien de mis hermanos, los de mi raza y de mi sangre, los israelitas, a quienes pertenecen la adopción filial, la gloria, la alianza, la ley, el culto y las promesas. Ellos son descendientes de los patriarcas; y de su raza, según la carne, nació Cristo, el cual está por encima de todo y es Dios bendito por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

ACLAMACIÓN ANTES DEL EVANGELIO

SALMO 129, 5

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Confío en el Señor,

Mi alma espera y confía en su palabra.

R. Aleluya.

EVANGELIO

MATEO 14, 22-33

En aquel tiempo, inmediatamente después de la multiplicación de los panes, Jesús hizo que sus discípulos subieran a la barca y se dirigieran a la otra orilla, mientras él despedía a la gente. Después de despedirla, subió al monte a solas para orar. Llegada la noche, estaba él solo allí. Entretanto, la barca iba ya muy lejos de la costa y las olas la sacudían, porque el viento era contrario. A la madrugada, Jesús fue hacia ellos, caminando sobre el agua. Los discípulos, al verlo andar sobre el agua, se espantaron, y decían: "¡Es un fantasma!" Y daban gritos de terror. Pero Jesús les dijo enseguida: "Tranquilícense y no teman. Soy yo". Entonces le dijo Pedro: "Señor, si eres tú, mándame ir a ti caminando sobre el agua". Jesús le contestó: "Ven". Pedro bajó de la barca y comenzó a caminar sobre el agua hacia Jesús; pero al sentir la fuerza del viento, le entró miedo, comenzó a hundirse y gritó: "¡Sálvame, Señor!"

Inmediatamente Jesús le tendió la mano, lo sostuvo y le dijo: "Hombre de poca fe, ¿por qué dudaste?" En cuanto subieron a la barca, el viento se calmó. Los que estaban en la barca se postraron ante Jesús diciendo: "Verdaderamente tú eres el Hijo de Dios".

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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 5 pm. Favor de entregar los documentos necesarios, asistir personalmente los papás y los padrinos a la clase y SER PUNTUALES. Gracias.



Renovación Carismática Católica Juvenil
(de 18 a 35 años de edad)
Miércoles 7 a 9 pm. (Casita Latina).

SALMO RESPONSORIAL

SALMO 84, 9AB-10. 11-12. 13-14

R. (8) Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia.

Escucharé las palabras del Señor,
palabras de paz para su pueblo santo.
Está ya cerca nuestra salvación
y la gloria del Señor habitará en la tierra.

R. Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia.

La misericordia y la verdad se encontraron,
la justicia y la paz se besaron,
la fidelidad brotó en la tierra
y la justicia vino del cielo.

R. Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia.

Cuando el Señor nos muestre su bondad,
nuestra tierra producirá su fruto.

La justicia le abrirá camino al Señor
e irá siguiendo sus pisadas.

R. Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia.

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

División Dominical

~ Las inscripciones están disponibles en la oficina. El Último día para inscribirse será el viernes 21 de Agosto.

División de los Miércoles

~ **Pre-confirmación** - El último día de clases será el 26 de agosto. ¡Felices vacaciones; nos vemos en septiembre!
~ **Confirmación** - Estudiantes, las clases de confirmación tendrán un breve receso los días 29 de julio y 5 de agosto. Las clases se Retomarán el 12 de agosto.

División de Escuela Secundaria

(clases los Domingos para estudiantes de 15 a 17 años)
~ ¡Felicitades estudiantes, por haber recibido el Sacramento de la Confirmación! Sean bienvenidos a nuestro grupo de Jóvenes.

Grupo de Jóvenes

~ Los esperamos todos los miércoles en el salón B de Educación religiosa. Por favor, registrense utilizando el código QR que se encuentra alrededor de la iglesia.





2026 St. Luke International Fall Festival & Silent Auction

Saturday, October 3 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

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

WHAT DO WE NEED RIGHT NOW?

Refreshments & Snacks

We are in need of canned soft drinks, bottled water, snacks and candy, for our upcoming Festival. Items can be left before or after Masse or brought to the parish office during normal business hours.

Silent Auction Items

We are accepting donations of **new items** for our Silent Auction. You may donate an entire themed basket or contribute individual items to be included in a basket. Here are a few ideas for baskets: Dinner & 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 & Baby/Infant Items. **For more information on auction items please contact Frances or Josh Ezzell at stlukesfallfestival@gmail.com or (615) 390-4170.**

Upcoming Ticket Sale Dates:

August 22 & 23 - Bourbon, Barbecue & Blues tickets will be on sale before and after all Masses.

August 29 & 30 - Raffle tickets for car and other prizes will be on sale before and after Masses.

September 5 & 6 - Festival Food Tickets will be on sale before and after all Masses.



ST. LUKE YOUNG ADULTS

All Young Adults (age 18-39) please come join us for a Young Adults Group luncheon on August 23, 11:45 a.m. at Demo's Restaurant in Murfreesboro, NW Broad Street.

Please rsvp by email with Melissa and Andrew Lemond at mrbuchanantfa@gmail.com. We look forward to seeing you!



ST. LUKE WOMEN OF FAITH

Next meeting: Thursday, August 13

Location: Social Hall

Time: 6:30 p.m.

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

ST. LUKE BLOOD DRIVE

St. Luke Catholic Church, in partnership with the American Red Cross, will host a blood drive on **Tuesday, August 18, 2026, from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** Your donation can help save lives and make a meaningful difference in our community. To schedule an appointment, please scan the QR code.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SUNDAY DIVISION: (K through 6 grade)

~ Enrollment is now open! Be sure to register by August 21. First day of class will be in September. The exact date will be announced soon.



WEDNESDAY DIVISION

~ **Pre-Confirmation** last day of class is Sunday, July 26.
~ **Confirmation** class will be on break (no classes) on Wed. July 29 and August 5. Classes will resume on August 12.

HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION

(Sunday classes for 15, 16, and 17 Yr olds)

~ Enrollment is now open! Classes will be held on Sundays, beginning August 23 at 9 a.m. in the Latino House.

YOUTH GROUP

~ Youth Group is open to students who have received all of their sacraments. Meetings are held every Wed. at 6:00 p.m. in classroom B. To register, please scan the QR code. We look forward to seeing you there!



HALLOW COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Have you checked out the current challenge? Do you have a prayer request? Check the Home Screen of Hallow, where you will find the answer to both.

We have a ZOOM call every Wednesday at 7 p.m. You will find the link in the chat thread. All are welcome!

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



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ALEXANDRA MOUNCE
MARIANGEL IBARRA
CRISBELL JAMES
KARLA CRUZ
CAMILLE FERNANDO BAUTISTA

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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 to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.



QUILTING MINISTRY

Do you enjoy quilting or would you like to learn? Join our Quilting Ministry! We meet on the third Wednesday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. For more information, please contact Suzie Patterson at 615-473-4777.



Do you want to **live your faith** in your daily life? Do you desire a **Christian community** with which to share your faith journey? Do you wish to **enrich your relationship with God?** Do you want to be more confident in **sharing your faith** with our secular world? If you answered "yes" to these questions, the upcoming Cursillo retreat may be the right place for you. Upcoming 2026 Mens Cursillo Weekend Men's English Cursillo: October 1-4. For more information please contact Kris Wynn (586) 530-3695, or you can sign up directly at www.nashvillecursillo.com

DIVORCED CATHOLIC SUPPORT GROUP

Our Lady of the Lake Church will begin a 13-week Divorced Catholic Support Group program from 6:30-8 p.m. beginning on **Wednesday, August 19**, in room 218 at the church in Hendersonville. All separated and divorced Catholics who want to recover from broken relationships with fellowship and more fully learning and living the faith are welcome. For more information, email catholicdivorceolol@gmail.com.

TOGETHER IN HOLINESS

The Diocese of Nashville will present the annual *Together in Holiness* Conference, sponsored by the St. John Paul II Foundation, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on **Saturday, September 12**, at the Catholic Pastoral Center. Cost is \$64 per couple. Childcare is available for \$5 per child. Register by Monday, July 27, to receive an early bird discount. For more information, [click here](#). Registration opens May 18. *Together in Holiness* will feature keynote presentations from Sister John Mary Sullivan, FSE; Dr. Matthew and Mrs. Franchelle Jaeger; and Ryan Hanning, PhD; the Sacrament of Reconciliation; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; as well as Mass celebrated by Most Rev. J. Mark Spalding, JCL. This conference is a perfect opportunity for couples to take time out of their busy schedules to focus on what matters most. We hope that many of your parishioners will be able to attend!

WHITE MASS FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

A White Mass for healthcare professionals, including doctors, nurses, pharmacists, and therapists, will be celebrated by Bishop J. Mark Spalding of Nashville at 5 p.m. on **Saturday, September 26**, the Feast of Sts. Cosmas and Damian, at the Cathedral of the Incarnation.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREATS

Rachel's Vineyard has announced retreat days for 2026. Catholic retreat is **October 23-25** in Whitesville, Ky. 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, or visit HopeAfterAbortionKY.com.



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RETROUVAILLE

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 or HelpOurMarriage.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

Please call the office to request this Sacrament and for home or hospital visitation. Anyone anticipating surgery is encouraged to request this sacrament prior to being admitted to the hospital.

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