

**Saturday January 31, 2015**

5:00 PM +Henry Thomas – Wedding
Anniversary Remembrance
r/b Jane

Sunday February 1, 2015

7:30 AM For those struggling to carry
their crosses

10:30 AM +Nicasio Savona
r/b Paolo-Biagia Colino

6:00 PM +Walcwa Trochnicki
r/b The Family

Monday February 2, 2015

8:00 AM +Cecile Clavette
r/b Roggi's Auto Service

Tuesday February 3, 2015

8:00 AM For our Confirmation and First
Eucharist students

Wednesday February 4, 2015

8:00 AM +Mac Maldonado
r/b Rick & Rose Meyer

Thursday February 5, 2015

8:00 AM +Cecile Clavette
r/b M/M Daniel Girardin

Friday February 6, 2015

8:00 AM For the elderly

Saturday February 7, 2015

5:00 PM +George & Mary Martocchio
r/b Anna & Rosemary Martocchio

Sunday February 8, 2015

7:30 AM For Fr. George

10:30 AM For all missing children

6:00 PM For those who struggle with
disabilities

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties.” 1 CORINTHIANS 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word “pray” instead of the word “worry” in the future.

READINGS AND WHAT DO THEY MEAN?**First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20**

Moses explains to the people that a prophet will come from among them, and that they should listen to this prophet's words, for God has told him of this prophet. God also tells Moses that anyone who pretends to speak in his words, or speaks in the name of other gods shall die.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35

Paul tells the Corinthians how an unmarried man or woman is able to devote themselves fully to God without concern for the needs of a spouse. Paul explains that God wants to help them promote good and devote themselves more fully to God.

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

As Jesus was teaching, a man with an unclean spirit came to the synagogue and asked if Jesus had come to destroy them. Jesus ordered the spirit out of the man, who shrieked violently as the spirit departed. The people were amazed at the authority he had over the spirit.

PARISH SUPPORT

Regular Collection - January 25 - \$4,410

FAITH FORMATION

Religious Ed - 875-4951 or stlukere@gmail.com

Office Hours:

Monday/Tuesday 1-8 pm

Thursday 9-1pm

Also by Appointment

Hours are subject to change so please call ahead.

CONFIRMATION – 2015 – Grade 9

All candidates MUST attend at least 1 Youth Ministry meeting February 22 or March 22. It is the student's responsibility to sign in at the meeting they attend.

Confirmation Date: Saturday, April 25, 2015 1:00 PM

Confirmation Rehearsal: Thursday, April 23, 2015 – 6:30 PM

Confirmation Reconciliation: Monday, April 20 and Tuesday, April 21, 2015 during regular class time.

Religious Education Program – 2015

The class schedule is as follows:

Sunday – February 1, 8 and 22nd
9-10:15 am
No Class February 15

Monday – February 2, 9 and 23rd. -
6:45-8:00 pm
No Class February 16

Tuesday – February 3, 10th and 24th –
4:15-5:30 pm
No Class February 17

Tuesday- February 3, 10th and 24th -
7:00 – 8:15 pm
No Class February 17

GRADE 2 – STUDENTS & FAMILIES

Sunday, February 1 – Candle Mass for all Grade 2 Students and Families 10:30 Mass.

Sunday, March 1 – Communion Pin Mass for all Grade 2 Students and Families 10:30 Mass.

Saturday, March 21 – Eucharistic Workshop for all Students and Parents – 9:00 AM

ATTENDANCE AT BOTH PRACTICES IS MANDATORY

Saturday May 2 – First Communion Practice for both students and parents 9-10:30 am.

Thursday, May 7 – First Communion Practice for both students and parents – 6:15 – 7:30 PM

Saturday, May 9 – First Communion Mass 11:00 AM

Children's Liturgy of the Word is held during the 10:30 Mass on Sundays for all children age 4 up to Grade 5. Join us on Sunday February 1, 8, 15 and 22nd during the 10:30 Mass.

Volunteer Service Work

**Contact Tony Littizzio – 860-875-6791
or MRLSLYG @ aol.com**

R.C.I.A.: All Wednesdays 7-8:30 PM

Parish Center for adults who wish to be confirmed, or are interested in the Catholic Faith, or wish to become Catholic. Call Deacon Frank 860-875-6543.

***Remember in Prayer Those Who
Are Sick***

Lord, our God, you sent your Son into the world to bear our infirmities and to endure our sufferings. For your servants who are sick, especially from our Parish family, we ask that your blessing will give them strength to overcome their weakness through the power of patience and the comfort of hope and that with your aid they will soon be restored to health. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Please pray for Laura Behrendt, Judy Cardoni, Fern Chmielecki, Connor Dabate, Alex Dinh, Deacon Rod Gayner, Harry Gropitch, Ronald Guay, Raymond Hanson, Raymond Hayes, Kathy Larew, Michael Marquis, Anna Martocchio, Rocco Montano, Beth Ann Phillips, Jean Rabe, Troy Russell, Brian Scavone, Don Sierakowski, Jim Smith, Wendy Tarbox, Dan Tarbox, Joseph Teixeira, Morris Webber, Richard Wood and Kathy White.

++PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED++

God of loving kindness and mercy we pray for those who have been called from this life, and for the consolation of their loved ones

especially:

**Myrna Bouchard, Scott Traska,
Rita Connelly and Cecile Clavette**

Defending Our Religious Liberty

It is important that we stay informed regarding the Health and Human Services (HHS) mandate and how it will violate our religious freedom as Catholics and as Americans. If religious liberty is not upheld, all people will suffer and many will be deprived of the social, educational, and human services that they need. If you haven't done so already, please voice your opposition to the mandate by calling President Obama at the White House at 202-456-1111 or the U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Sylvia Mathews Burwell at 202-205-5445. Let them know that the mandate is in violation of our First Amendment right to religious freedom.

World Message of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Message of January 25, 2014

“Dear Children! Also today I call you: live your vocation in prayer. Now, as never before, Satan wants to suffocate man and his soul by his contagious wind of hatred and unrest. In many hearts there is no joy because there is no God or prayer. Hatred and war are growing from day to day. I am calling you, little children, begin anew, with enthusiasm, the walk of holiness and love; since I have come among you because of this. Together let us be love and forgiveness for all those who know and want to love only with a human love and not with that immeasurable love of God to which God calls you. Little children, may hope in a better tomorrow always be in your heart. Thank you for having responded to my call.”

FACEBOOK

**“Visit us on Facebook: St. Luke
Catholic Church**

**PARISH MISSION COMING!
ST. LUKE'S CHURCH**

**MONDAY AND TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 23 AND 24, 7:00 PM**

**BRYAN THATCHER, MD – EADM
(Eucharistic Apostles of the Divine
Mercy) DIRECTOR**

**WILL SPEAK ON GOD'S DIVINE
MERCY AND THE EUCHARIST AND
HOW TO REVITALIZE YOUR FAMILY
AND PARISH!**

**FEAST OF ST. BLAISE IS TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 3 - FR. BILL WILL BLESS
THE THROATS AFTER OR DURING
THE 8:00 AM MASS.**

PARISH MEETING SCHEDULED!

NEW CHURCH SIDE ENCLOSURES
ARE BEING CONSIDERED. INSIDE
TODAY'S BULLETIN IS
A SKETCH AND PROJECT
DESCRIPTION SUMMARY.

PLEASE ATTEND A **PARISH
MEETING ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY
22, 2015 AT 2:00 PM** FOR
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND
THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE
YOUR INPUT. Please refer to the St.
Luke Website for further information.

SOUP AND SANDWICH SUPPER!

During Lent we will be having a "Soup
and Sandwich Supper" before the

Stations of the Cross. The supper will
be from 5-7 PM in the church hall.
Takeout will be available. The price is
\$6.00 per person. The dates are the
Fridays during Lent: February 20,
February 27, March 13, March 20,
March 27 and April 3.

Come join us for a nice hot meal!

The Social Committee

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
IRISH NIGHT IS COMING!
Saturday, MARCH 7, 2015
after the 5:00 Mass**

**TICKETS GO ON SALE
STARTING FEBRUARY 7 AND 8.
TICKETS ARE \$16 per person**

**NO BYOB!!! BEER AND WINE
WILL BE AVAILABLE!**
Don't be left out! No Tickets Will
Be Sold At The Door!

**Entertainment will be Irish Step
Dancers and of course,
"IRISH TO THE LAST DROP"**

As part of our tradition, we have a
raffle and would **welcome any
gifts or baskets for our raffle
table. They can be dropped off
at the rectory. Any questions
please contact Jane Thomas at
the rectory 860-875-8552.**