



SATURDAY, JULY 28, 2018 5:00 PM
(LIVING)

SHEILA AND RICHARD WATERHOUSE
65TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
R/B SHEILA

SUNDAY, JULY 29, 2018 7:30 AM
+GORDON LOHNES
R/B THE BAZAAR COMMITTEE

10:30 AM
FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

6:00 PM
+SARAH MARY MALIEKAL
R/B HER PARENTS

MONDAY, JULY 30, 2018 8:00 AM
+ELISABETH ROCHA
R/B HER DAUGHTER ELIZABETH

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 2018 8:00 AM
+MARIA COSENZA
R/B SHARON, ROBIN & WALTER

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2018 8:00 AM
+MARTIN MORAN
R/B ROBERT & MARYLOU CROWLEY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 2018 8:00 AM
HEALING MASS FOR PETER STUERMER
R/B THE THOMAS FAMILY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 2018 8:00 AM
+PHILIP TOLISANO R/B THE FAMILY

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2018 5:00 PM
HEALING MASS FOR PETER STUERMER
R/B JANE, JUDY, TIM AND TAYLOR

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2018 7:30 AM
+JACK KETTLE
R/B THE BAZAAR COMMITTEE

10:30 AM
FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

6:00 PM
+GEORGE SMITH
R/B THE SMITH & GAYTON FAMILIES

PARISH SUPPORT

July 22 Regular Collection	\$4,363
July 22 On Line Regular	\$ 315

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“There is a boy who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?” JOHN 6:9

The miracle of the Loaves and Fishes is the only miracle which is recorded six times in the Gospel. It carries two important messages. First, no matter how little we have, we always have enough to share. Second, Christ can take our humble gifts and do great things with them if we are just willing to let Him. No gift is too small or insignificant!

First Reading: II Kings 4:42-44

A man brought twenty loaves of bread to Elisha the prophet, who told his servant to distribute it to the people. The servant asked how he could offer twenty loaves to one hundred people. Elisha replied that God had said, “They shall eat and there shall be some left over.” After all the people had eaten, there was bread left over as God had said.

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6

Paul implores the Ephesians to live a life worthy of their calling by preserving unity among all of Christ’s followers. He reminds them that there is one body, one Spirit, and one God who works through all people.

Gospel: John 6:1-15

Jesus fed a crowd of five thousand people with five loaves of bread and a couple of dried fish. After everyone present had enough to eat, twelve baskets of leftover bread were collected. Jesus then realized the people would want to make him king so he fled alone.



**EVERY TUESDAY 8:30 – 9:30 AM AND THE
SECOND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
7:00 – 8:00 pm**

Howard Matchett, Mark McPartland, Meg Morneau, Beth Ann Phillips, Ann Pienkowski, Troy Russell, Brian Scavone, Loren Schuiten, Jim Smith, Peter Stuermer, Rowan Mae Sullivan, Joseph Teixeira, Eugene Veillette, Morris Webber and Jean Wood.

Our Lady's Latest Message

Dear Children! This is the day that the Lord gave me to give Him thanks for each of you, for those who have converted and have accepted my messages and have set out on the way of conversion and holiness. Rejoice, little children, because God is merciful and loves you all with His immeasurable love and leads you to the way of salvation through my coming here. I love you all and give you my son that He may give you peace. Thank you for having responded to my call."

FAITH FORMATION

We can be reached at 860-875-4951 or stlukere@gmail.com. The office is open Monday 9-4, Tuesday 10-7 pm, Wednesday 9-4 pm, and Thursday 9-4 and by appointment. Hours are subject to change so please call ahead.

Religious Education 2018-2019

We hope you are having a great summer. Registration letters and the 2018-2019 Calendar have been mailed. Please review the calendar and mark both class and special event dates on your calendar now! Classes start on Sunday, September 16. **Online registration starts August 1, 2018.** Parents remember to have your students review their summer packet (prayers and vocabulary); go to Mass each weekend; pray every day. Any questions or concerns contact Nancy or Kim in the office. Have a Blessed Summer and we look forward to seeing all our students back in September.



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 Patricia Morse, Alice Ogden, Elizabeth Bolles Hall, Marie Williamson, John Arsenault, Judy Koehler, Mary Kellner, Msgr. Robert L. Brown, Donald Waudby, Jack Kettle, Thomas Fortier and Gordon Lohnes.

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, Charlie Allen, Wanda Allen, Kayla Avery, Calista Bailey, Ron Barbero, Laura Behrendt, William Cairns, Tina Chamberlin, Jack Charbonneau, Georgina Chartier, Jeanne Ferruolo, Priscilla Flynn, Charles Frenette, Daphne Gagnon, Deacon Rod Gayner, Ronald Guay, Raymond Hanson, Raymond Hayes, Cynthia Johnson, Rita Kane, Tracy Kearcher, Kathy Larew, Ellen Lohnes, Michael Marquis, Ann Marriott Sitek,

Religious Education Teachers Needed

We are in need of religious education teachers for the 2018-2019 year.

Please prayerfully consider teaching and sharing your faith with our youth. Training and support is available. Call Nancy or Kim in the Faith Formation Office at 860- 875-4951 with questions or to volunteer.

Openings:

Grade 6 Wednesday Eve – 6:45-8 pm

New Family & Kindergarten Registration

Welcome! Our Religious Education program starts in Kindergarten and goes through 9th grade. We welcome all current and new families with students in these grades to contact the office for registration information and so we can answer any questions you may have. The Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist are received in Grade 2 and the Sacrament of Confirmation is received in Grade 9. You can reach Nancy or Kim in the Faith Formation office at 860-875-4951 or email stlukere@gmail.com. We look forward to welcoming you and your children!

Summer has arrived and strawberries are in season! Vegetables are growing and fruits are ripening in the orchards. If you are a parishioner who enjoys canning and you make jams, jellies, salsa, pickles, etc, please consider making an extra jar or two of your specialty to donate to the St. Luke Crafters for the upcoming 2018 Christmas Bazaar. We will let you know in the fall when you can drop them off.

NEEDED! St. Luke's Crafters are looking for some empty feed bags that are made of heavy woven plastic. The bags are 20 lb or 40 lb size and have pictures on them of birds, chickens, dogs. If you have one, please drop it off in the St. Luke Crafter bin located by the elevator.

SAVE THE DATE! THE ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC WILL BE ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 AFTER THE 10:30 MASS. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR EVERYONE TO COME AND SOCIALIZE WITH YOUR ST. LUKE'S FAMILY. EVERYONE IS INVITED.

The monthly Diocesan Pro-Life Mass will take place at The Cathedral of St. Patrick, Norwich on Saturday, August 4, 8:30 am. Please join Rev. Walter Nagle at Mass as we pray to end abortion and for the healing for those who have had an abortion.

Enders Island Dormition Day of Recollection with Fr. Demetri Belsito – Wednesday, August 15 from 9-3. \$50 per person – lunch will be served. 860-536-0565.

Praise, Worship and Healing Prayer Service – St. Andrew's Church, 128 Norwich Avenue, Colchester – Thursday, August 2 at 7:00 pm. Join them for an evening of praising and worshiping God with music, teaching, witnessing and prayer.

Day of Recollection – Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Quaker Hill, CT – "MARY OUR MODEL" – SEPTEMBER 15, 2018 – 9 – 2:30 – 3 CONFERENCES, RECONCILIATION, MASS, ROSARY, DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET, BENEDICTION – LUNCH WILL BE SERVED. Cost \$25. To register send check to: c/o Legion of Mary, PO Box 323, Moodus, CT 06469.