

Saint Luke Catholic Church

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Welcome!

Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our faith Community here at St. Luke Parish. Whether you are a long time resident or have newly arrived in the parish, we thank God for you. If you are not registered, please stop by, or call the parish office.

Mission Statement

The Mission of St. Luke's Catholic Faith Community is to provide the environment where the community joins together to fulfill the spiritual and social needs of all by living and sharing the message of Christ.

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday

9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. / 1:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

Saturdays

9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

- Chapel open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. everyday -

Pastoral Staff

Pastor

Rev. Jonathan G. Paala

Special Associate

Rev. Kieran McCormick

Deacon

Deacon Mar Tano

Director of Religious Education

Sister Maria Ruth Linaac, RVM

Secretaries

Maria Teresa Alvarez

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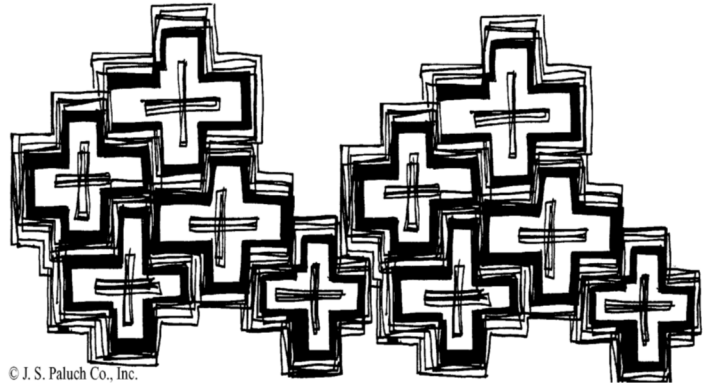
Thank you.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 7, 2019

"May I never boast except in the cross
of our Lord Jesus Christ."

— Galatians 6:14



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O Christ Jesus, cultivate our hearts through a loving union with Your saving Cross. Make our hearts fertile grounds for the work of Your love. Let Your Divine Spirit govern us, sanctify our hearts, direct our feet and fill us with love—fulfilling the mission that You have set before us, all in endless praise of Your Name. Amen.

— Month of July —

Devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus

Schedule of Sacraments

Eucharistic Celebrations

Monday through Saturday - 8:30 a.m.

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Anticipated Mass

Sunday - 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 5:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism (Infants)

Baptismal Preparation Class - call the Parish Office
Sacrament of Baptism - Saturdays only at 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Sacrament of Marriage

Please call the Parish Office at least 8 - 12 months before the desired wedding date.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office at (650) 345-6660

July 7, 2019

GOD'S PROVIDENCE

Today's readings celebrate God's providence. No matter how wonderful (or heartbreaking) our relationships are, God always provides for us. No one cares for us the way God does.

Isaiah delights us with a deeply intimate image of God caring for us "as a mother comforts her child." The prophet describes us not as the usual "children of God," but as "babies." We should not resist this image, but rejoice in it. Trusting in God's care, we can all let down our guard and rest like infants in the lap of our mother.

Saint Paul's trust in God allows him to be at peace like this. He boldly declares that no one can "make troubles" for him, because he has given himself completely to Jesus. And when Jesus sends his disciples out to preach and heal, he challenges them not to provide for themselves, but to let faith be their guide.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading —As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you (Isaiah 66:10-14c).

Psalm — Let all the earth cry out to God with joy (Psalm 66).

Second Reading — May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ (Galatians 6:14-18).

Gospel — Jesus sends out the seventy-two (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 [1-9]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
- Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15; Mt 9:32-38
- Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
- Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 10:7-15
- Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
- Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
- Sunday: Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37; or 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Tuesday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions
- Thursday: St. Benedict—due to his great devotion to the Holy Cross of Christ, his help is invoked against evil; The graces and favors (peace, protection, healing) of St. Benedict's medal are due to one's faith in Jesus Christ, our Redeemer, through the efficacious prayers of St. Benedict.
- Saturday: St. Henry; Blessed Virgin Mary

Pray for Pope Francis's Intention
Universal – Justice

That those who administer justice may work with integrity and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.
In Jesus' name. Amen.

Holy Mass Celebrants

Saturday, July 13, 2019

5:00 pm Fr. Jonathan Paala

Sunday, July 14, 2019

7:30 am Fr. Jonathan Paala

9:00 am Fr. Jonathan Paala

10:30 am Fr. Al Furtado

5:00 pm Fr. Jonathan Paala



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Holy Mass Intentions for JULY 8 - 14, 2019

Date	Time	Intention	Pray for your priests
MON 8	8:30 a.m.	For our Country	Fr. Kieran McCormick
TUE 9	8:30 a.m.	Mason Tse BD	Fr. Anthony Chung
WED 10	8:30 a.m.	For our Leaders	Fr. Al Furtado
THU 11	8:30 a.m.	Virginia Sabellano	Fr. Francis Njua
FRI 12	8:30 a.m.	Hannah & Dang de Leon BD	Fr. Joseph Cardoza
SAT 13	8:30 a.m.	† Concepcion Evans	Fr. Joseph Kengah Mumba
	5:00 p.m.	For all Catholic Families	
SUN 14	7:30 a.m.	Missa Pro Populo	Fr. Jonathan Paala Pastor, St. Luke Catholic Church Foster City
	9:00 a.m.	† Ramon Alvarez	
	10:30am	† Helen Huang	
	5:00p.m.	† Philip Valdez	

Legend: † - Deceased, SI-Special Intention, BD-Birthday
Missa Pro Populo-General Intentions/Mass for the People

Adore our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament every **Thursday** and on the **First Friday** of the month after the 8:30a.m. Holy Mass

7:00p.m. Benediction

Jesus, the Good Shepherd dwells with us day and night to refresh our souls, nourish our spirits, and fulfill our needs when we come to Him in the Blessed Sacrament. He said, "I am the Bread of Life." We pray, "My Shepherd," because His love is a personal love. Though He loves all with an infinite love, He loves you as if you were the only one in the world. The Blessed Sacrament is Jesus, the Good Shepherd, Who is present before you for no other reason than that He loves you. He is present to draw you closer to Himself, to deepen the love and friendship you have together with Him. Jesus waits for us in this Sacrament of Love, and invites us to drink from "restful waters," the springs of salvation, flowing from His glorious wounds, by which we are continually being healed.

We need people who will commit as
"Guardian of the Blessed Sacrament."
Sign-up sheets are located in the community center.

July 7, 2019

O Lord, grant eternal rest unto the souls of Your beloved,
† Charles Toves and † Gladys Van Gerrevink.
And let Your perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.

We pray for God's healing upon our sick parishioners:

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| Art Almeda | Arturo Martin |
| Caring Anzures | Katie McNamara |
| Juris Arcilla | Angela Mihelcic |
| Patrick Banks | Bozidar Mihelcic |
| Minerva Barnhart | Mohammad |
| Ruben Calderon, Jr. | Sheila O'Neill |
| Denis Carrol | Josephine Rea |
| Bella Funkelstein | Ronald Rea |
| Carlos Gil, Jr. | Angela F. Reyes |
| Dennis B. Huang | Estrella Reyes |
| Derek Lee | Jocelyn Reyes |
| Patricia Joy Lee | Rolando Reyes, Jr. |
| Dancy Lim | Kathy Sampson |
| Christian Liwag | Priscilla Touchstone |
| Evangelina B. Lopez | Butch Unson |

"...for by His wounds you were healed." (1 Peter 2:24)

If you have sick relatives whom you want us to include in our prayers, please call or email our Parish Office. Their names will be on our list for the month of June. If you want us to continue praying for them, please notify the office.



June 29/30 Report will be in the July 14 Bulletin

Your generous contribution helps us fulfill Christ's mission.

Thank you! God bless you!

*"Give thanks to the Lord for He is good,
for His lovingkindness is everlasting." (Psalm 136:1)*

Donate to St. Luke Via Credit Card

Are you looking for opportunities to show your gratitude to God and share the blessings He has given you? St. Luke is accepting donations via credit card. If you wish to contribute using your credit card, please visit the Parish Office and fill out a donation form. Thank you. God reward you for being a good steward of His gifts!

Thank you for your assistance...

Our heartfelt gratitude to all those who helped cover the cost of replacing the deteriorating church sidings. God bless your generous hearts.

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(use code DQCXNM if needed)

Enter your name, email, zip code & create a personal password. That's it !!

(also available on the App Store)

Women's Bible Study Group



The Women's Bible Study and Discussion Group meets in Room 4 of the St. Luke Parish Center on Thursdays, 9:30a.m. to 11:30a.m., September to May, to discuss various books of the Bible, the scripture readings, and to provide prayer support for its members and the community. The group will resume in September.

Patti Villano: 650-341-6913

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It's high summer now, school is out, the pace of work slows, and some people drift away. There are visitors in the churches every summer, and familiar faces are "among the missing." Some find the summer's call more appealing than the summons of the church bells. Many, however, would not dream of missing a Sunday, and so they make their way to Mass in unfamiliar places, watching the locals for clues as to when to sit or stand, where the Communion stations are. In answering the call, they keep the "sabbatical" rhythm of the Christian life: every seventh day, the Body of Christ assembles for worship.

For centuries, there was no obligation to Sunday Mass in the sense of a written law, but Christians have always yearned to be together on Sunday. In the city of Abitina, during a persecution by the Emperor Diocletian, a group of Christians were urged to stop worshiping together on Sundays. They responded, "Then take our lives, for without the Sunday we cannot live." By a curious coincidence, the appointed readings today center us on thoughts of peace. On our Independence Day, the experience of worship situated us in community, and evoked a commitment from us to be advocates of peace in all aspects of our society's life.

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July 7, 2019

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sister Maria Ruth Linaac, RVM
Director of Religious Education
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EMAIL: st.lukereed@gmail.com

Religious Education enrollment

for School Year 2019-2020 is ongoing. Registration forms are available in the Parish and Religious Education Offices or online at www.saintlukefc.org. Register now to avoid late fees.

New Parents Orientation Meeting:

September 4, 2019 (Wednesday), 5:30PM-6:30PM

Classes Start:

September 4, 2019 (Wednesday)

Re-Ed Grades 1-8 and Confirmation 2
5:30PM-6:30PM; 6:45PM-7:45PM



LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

The Children's Liturgy of the Word is offered at our 9:00AM Mass on Sundays. This is an opportunity for children to listen and interact with the Sunday morning Scripture Reading in their own level. Children's Liturgy of the Word will resume in September.



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Save the Date: St. Luke Annual Parish Picnic

August 17, 2019 (Saturday), 11:00a.m.
Boothbay Park, Foster City
We hope to see you all at the picnic!

Come and See Day with Dominican Nuns in Menlo Park

Saturday, July 20, 2019, 8:00 am – 5:30 pm
Corpus Christi Monastery,

215 Oak Grove Ave., Menlo Park

Making summer plans? Take a step to discern God's will for love in your life! Single, Catholic women between the ages of 18 and 38 years are invited to learn more about discerning God's call and to experience a taste of the life of a cloistered Dominican nun. The day of retreat will include talks, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass and the Divine Office prayed with the Dominican nuns, and more! There is no cost for the day and breakfast and lunch are provided.

To learn more or to register for this, or any of our other upcoming day retreats, contact Sister Joseph Marie, O.P., 650-322-1801 Ext. 19 vocations@opnunsmenlo.org
For more information, visit: OPnunsmenlo.org

ATTENTION:

The **Knights** meet every 1st Monday of the month at 7:30PM in the St. Luke community center. All Knights are invited to attend. Please contact Tom Consunji at:
Tel. No.: 650.892.3312 or email: tconsunji@gmail.com



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Our pastor, Father Jonathan, Deacon Mar Tano, and our parishioners extend a very warm welcome to the newest members of our St. Luke community...

**Arturo Almeda • Lucy Chua
Jim and Lani Damm**

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference here at St. Luke encourages all to get involved in the important work they do, truly living the Word of God through their outreach to the less fortunate. They meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month. The next meeting is on **July 9, Tuesday, at 3:00 p.m.**, here at the church. All are welcome to attend.



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If you have a relative or friend who is sick or in need of healing prayers, Mass intention cards for healing are available at the parish office.

If you or a loved one is sick or homebound, call the parish office at (650) 345-66-60 to schedule the sacrament of anointing of the sick.



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"Let the elders of the church pray over the sick, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord." (cf James 5:14)

Monthly Support Group for People with Life-Threatening Illness

This group is offering spiritual support for people with life threatening illnesses including Coronary Artery Disease, Stroke, Cancer, HIV Disease, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, etc. Diagnosis of a life-threatening illness is an opportunity to seek spiritual support through Word, Sacrament and Community. This free spiritual care support group is held on the First Friday of each month in the Msgr. Bowe Room, on the west side of the parking lot level of the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption. The session will also provide guidance on Catholic teaching and the preparation of health care directives for medical care.

To register, contact Deacon Christoph Sandoval: (415) 567-2020 extension 218 or csandoval@stmaryscathedralsf.org

PRAYER TO THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS

Behold, O dearest Jesus, I offer to Thee the love, honor and adoration, which Thy most Holy Mother, Thy faithful disciples and all the saints have offered to Thy Precious Blood. I ask Thee to forget my earlier faithlessness and coldness, and to forgive all who offend Thee. Sprinkle me, O Divine Savior, and all men with Thy Precious Blood, so that we, O Crucified Love, may love Thee from now on with all our hearts, and worthily honor the price of our salvation. To the Lamb Who redeemed us in His Blood, be honor and glory and benediction forever. Amen.

PARISH EVENTS

July 9 – July 14, 2019

Tuesday (July 9)

3:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Conference

Thursday (July 11)

9:00 a.m. All-Day Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary

7:00 p.m. Benediction

Friday (July 12)

7:00 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsal

Saturday (July 13)

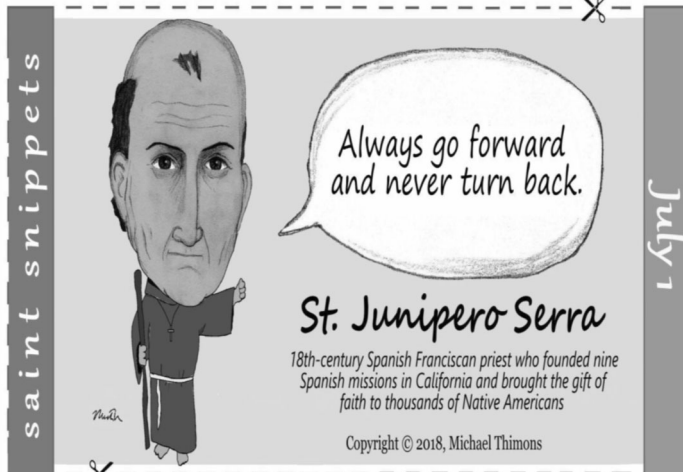
4:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Anticipated Mass

Sunday (July 14)

7:30a.m, 9:00am, 10:30am & 5:00pm Holy Masses

*Join us for fellowship, donuts, coffee & juice after the 9:00am & 10:30am Holy Masses



Contact People

Altar Linens: Mary True (650) 571-8783

Altar Servers: Tony Belo (650) 345-6660

Anointing of the Sick: If you know of parishioners who are sick or hospitalized or are unable to attend Mass due to illness or age, please call the office.

Archdiocesan Pastoral Assistance Coordinator:

For persons who have suffered sexual abuse from members of the Catholic clergy. Call (415) 614-5506.

Baptism: Saturdays only, at 11:00AM. Contact the office for preparation class information – prior registration required.

Christian Burial: Kindly call the parish office before meeting with the funeral director.

Cursillo: Kevin & Jo Moran (650) 477-0493

Filipino Cursillo: Deacon Mar Tano (650) 867-5542

Finance Council: John Bernat (650) 678-5840

Grief Support Ministry: Ellen Six (650) 341-0683

Knights of Columbus: Call Tom Consunji (650) 892-3312

Legion of Mary: Thurs. 9:00 am Georgie Unson (650) 345-2613

Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Eucharist

Peggy Simkins (650) 573-5370

Marriages: Contact the parish office at least 8-12 months before the desired date.

Music Ministry: Contact Elysabeth Allen (650) 578-0123

Pastoral Council: Dan Linkhorn (415) 533-8797

Religious Education: Sister Maria Ruth (650) 574-9191

Sandwiches on Sunday: Peg Culver (650) 349-1408

SVdP Conference: Peggy Simkins (650) 573-5370

Women's Bible Study: Patti Villano (650) 341-6913

WELCOME IN JESUS' NAME!!

If you wish to join the parish, or if you want to update your information, please fill out this form and either return it to the parish office, or drop it in the collection basket.

Register

Name: (First) _____
(Last) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone No. _____

Update Member Information

Name: (First) _____ (Last) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone No. _____

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