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 Noon  
CHAPEL OPEN: 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M. EVERYDAY

Pastoral Staff

Pastor
Rev. Jonathan G. Paala

Special Associate
Rev. Kieran McCormick

Deacons
Deacon Paul Lucia  
Deacon Mar Tano

Director of Religious Education
Sister Maria Ruth Linaac, RVM

Secretaries
Maria Teresa Alvarez  
Maryvee Estacio  
Sheila O’Neill

Bulletin Deadline: All announcements must be approved by Father Jonathan and must be submitted two weeks prior to the desired bulletin of your choice. Thank you.

The Most Holy Body

& Blood of Christ

June 3, 2018

The cup of salvation I will take up, and I will call upon the name of the LORD.  
— Psalm 116:13

Lord Jesus Christ, because of Your great love for us sinners, You willed to offer Yourself in the Eucharist. Continue to nourish our famished souls through the power of Your saving presence, until at last, we come to share in Your Divine Banquet in Heaven. Amen.

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 - Saturday 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
PRECIOUS BLOOD
On this solemnity we focus our attention on the Body and Blood of Christ. We listen to the story of the renewal of the old covenant, which Moses sealed by splashing the blood of animals on the altar of sacrifice, as well as on the people. Jesus, whose blood is the blood of the new covenant, shed that precious blood on the cross, saving us from sin and promising us everlasting life. Blood is the life source that courses through our bodies. The precious blood of Christ is the life source for our spirits. Today may we, like the psalmist, offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Lord, whose Body and Blood strengthen us to bring the Good News to everyone we meet.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION
The origins of today’s solemnity lie in thirteenth-century Belgium. In those days, people seldom received Holy Communion, and never from the chalice. A nun in a troubled convent, Juliana of Liège, devoted her life to stirring up love for the Eucharist, lobbying for a feast day to honor the Blessed Sacrament with Masses and processions.

Juliana may have been inspired by the Ascension Day processions in nearby Bruges. Crusaders brought a treasure home to Bruges from Constantinople in 1204: a reliquary said to contain a cloth from Joseph of Arimathea with which he had helped prepare the body of Jesus for burial. The stain on the cloth was said to be the holy blood itself, and so the people of Bruges built a great basilica to house the relic. Bruges became a great center of pilgrimage because of this treasure, and the procession of the Holy Blood is still one of the greatest festivals in Belgium today. The bishop carries the relic through the narrow streets, and the people wear medieval costumes and act out scenes from the Bible.

Adore Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament
every Thursday, after the 8:30a.m. Holy Mass
and on the First Friday of the month
Benediction is at 7:30p.m.
Grace and peace await all who visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus, Himself, longs for our visits to Him with all the affection of His Sacred Heart. When we come to the Blessed Sacrament, we come to our Risen Savior with all the power of His Resurrection flowing out to all who come into His Presence—strengthening the weak, comforting the afflicted, encouraging the depressed, enlightening the confused, and healing the brokenhearted. The Blessed Sacrament is the “love which surpasses all knowledge” (Eph 3:19), where “we can speak freely to God, drawing near Him with confidence” (Eph 3:12), the power of God at work “that can do immeasurably more than we can ask or imagine” (Eph 3:20).

Holy Mass Celebrants
Saturday, June 9, 2018
5:00 pm Fr. Jonathan
Sunday, June 10, 2018
7:30 am Fr. Kengah
9:00 am Fr. Kieran
10:30 am Fr. Kieran
5:00 pm Fr. Kengah

Mass Intentions for June 4—June 10

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

“Your deeds might be the only sermon some persons hear today.”
St. Francis of Assisi

TODAY’S READINGS
First Reading — This is the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you (Exodus 24:3-8).
Psalm — I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord (Psalm 116).
Second Reading — Christ is the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 9:11-15).
Gospel — This is my body. This is my blood of the covenant (Mark 14:12-16, 22-26).

June 3, 2018

**Please pray for our recently deceased, especially:**
- Antonio Reyes
- Peter Joseph L. Saad
- Teofista Tinitigan
- Maureen Kavanagh
- Chery Chew and Claire Denahy

**Please pray for our sick parishioners:**
Dominic Abella, Keri Ables, Carmen Aguinaldo, Juris Arcilla, Scott Baselt, Michael Carmody, Jeanette Castro, Carmel Cobarrubias, Marites Cobarrubias, Jacquelyn Conway, Dolores Detruz, Tom Donnellon, Julia Ho, Dennis B. Huang, Tom & Barbara Keefer, Daniel Lamet IV, Gonnie Mamisay, Nancy Moore, Marissa Paquette, Diana Pineda, Josephine Rea, Ernesto Reyes and Rozzi.

"He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." ~ Revelations 21:4

**We are updating our list of sick parishioners.**
If you have sick relatives that you want us to include in our prayers, please call or email our Parish Office. Their names will be on our list for 4 weeks. If you want us to continue praying for them, please notify the office. Thank you.

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**Sunday, May 27**

$3,227.00

Your generous contribution helps to make our ministries possible. Thank you! God bless you!

“Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me.” Matthew 25:40

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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

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**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 a hundredfold for being a good steward of God’s bountiful gifts!

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**Pray for Pope Francis’s Intention**

Universal: Social Networks

That social networks may work toward that inclusiveness which respects others for their differences.

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**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 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.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 Sept. (Patti Villano 650-341-6913)

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**A Friendly Reminder...**

Please don’t forget to fulfill your pledge obligation to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal (AAA). We invite everyone to share a portion of God’s blessings with others by supporting the Annual Appeal. No gift is too small (or too big). We hope for 100 percent participation of our parish this year to reach our goal ($59,277.00)

St. Luke and the Archdiocese of San Francisco thank you for your gift from the heart! Your contributions help support our ministries & services.
Office of Religious Education
Sister Maria Ruth Linaac, RVM
Director of Religious Education
st.lukereed@gmail.com
TELEPHONE NO. (650) 574-9191

May 2018
Religious Education - St. Luke Church

Religious Education enrollment for School year 2018-2019 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.

Classes start: Confirmation II - September 2nd and Re-Ed 1st - 8th Grade - September 5th

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

Thank you for supporting Catholic Charities Sunday. Thank you to Pastors and Parishioners throughout San Francisco, Marin and San Mateo Counties, for your recent generous donations during the annual Catholic Charities Sunday second collection at your parishes. Founded in 1907 and rooted in our faith traditions and justice, Catholic Charities supports families, aging adults and adults with disabilities, and youth through social services and opportunities for healthy growth and development. Because of donations earlier this month, we can continue working to care for our brothers and sisters in need. Together, we are preaching the Gospel everyday by strengthening families and reducing poverty; one person, one family, one child at time. If you were not able to make it to Mass on Sunday, but still want to support Catholic Charities second collection, you can easily make a gift now by donating securely online at CatholicCharitiesSF.org/CCSunday.

St. Luke Labor of Love Community Cleanup Day
Industrious Volunteers Sought!

St. Luke’s annual Labor of Love event is planned for Saturday, June 16th, 10:00AM – 3:00PM. Its purpose is to give the St. Luke facilities - the Church, Chapel, Community Center, gardens and property - a sparkling spring cleaning!

If interested, please sign up to work either indoors or outdoors.

The indoor team will clean the pews, woodwork, windows, and dust the rafters (you might have noticed those cobwebs!) The outdoor team will focus on clearing away debris, raking, planting, trimming, weeding, window washing, etc... With many pitching in, it should go quickly. Bosco Ho is heading the outdoor effort and Regina Carbon is heading the indoor work.

If you’d like to volunteer, we ask for a minimum of two hours during the day. To sign up, please: send your name, phone number and email address, plus the time and number of hours you can offer, to: saintlukefc@gmail.com; OR Add your name and information to the sign-up sheet after weekend Masses in the community center.

Bring a pair of work gloves for your use; and, if you have a bucket or pail to lend, bring it as well! Snacks and drinks will be served.

June 3rd: Corpus Christi Sunday

We have received the Bread of Heaven. Let us choose to become what we consume. We are invited to encounter the Lord Jesus Christ, and then offer Him to a world waiting to be born anew. On this Feast of Corpus Christi, let us ask the Lord to come and take up residence within us anew. Let us receive, adore and become Eucharist for others.

Baptismal Catechesis

Prior to the baptism of your infant, parents are required to attend our Baptismal Preparation Class. Please call the Parish Office for a Saturday reservation (650) 345-66-60.
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. ______________________

Contact People

Altar Linens: Mary True (650) 571-8783
Altar Servers: Tony Belo (650) 345-6660
Anointing of the Sick: If you know of any 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 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) 341-4045
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 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
Youth Ministry: Amabel Goell (650) 740-7751

Parish Events

June 4 – June 8, 2018

Monday
7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Men’s Prayer Group
Religious Ed (Refer to page 4)

Thursday
9:00 a.m. All-Day Eucharistic Adoration
9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary
7:30 p.m. Benediction/Chapel

Friday
7:00 p.m. Children’s Choir Rehearsal

Eternal Word Television Network will help you grow in your spiritual life by providing movies, documentaries, children’s programming, and more!

CHANNELS
EWTN may be viewed on: Comcast 229, AT&T 562, astound/wave 80, San Bruno cable 143, dish satellite 261 and Direct TV 370. Get program details at www.ewtn.com.

TRAVEL PLANS
Go to www.masstimes.org to find local Mass times at Catholic churches wherever your travels may take you. Simply enter the city and country and nearby Mass times will be displayed.