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.

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

O Lord Jesus, King and ruler of all, You alone are our priceless treasure. Enrich us with Your Spirit and help us work for the reign of Your Kingdom here on earth, until we come to praise You forever in heaven. Amen.

~ Month of July ~
Devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus

Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
July 30, 2017

All things work for good for those who love God.
— Romans 8:28a
LISTEN TO YOUR DREAMS

God visits Solomon in a dream, and the scripture story nowhere tells us that Solomon awoke to have this conversation with God! So, still in his dream, Solomon answers God’s question about what he desires most, and God grants his request for wisdom in abundance.

In our waking hours, we are much distracted by work, home, family, traffic, entertainment, and many worries. When we try to think about what we really want out of life, we have trouble even imagining what that might be. But deep inside, our real longings dwell, known to God and to the Holy Spirit. Our dreams, unencumbered by defenses, may hold clues to what our deepest needs are, or what bothers us most. They could be God speaking.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The achievement of the late 1960s and early 1970s in enriching the “euchology” or “words of thanksgiving” available in the Church’s prayer is important on many levels. Ecumenically, it means that the Latin Rite now reflects the wealth of the East in having more than one prayer available to the Church. Pastorally, it actually acknowledges the place of the assembly in prayer, which is particularly clear in the Masses with Children. In fact, the traditional prayers of the Eastern Church served as models for our new prayers.

In the East, what we call the Eucharistic Prayer is called the anaphora, and there are three main families of anaphora. Each family has a different “recipe” for arranging the usual parts of these prayers. All anaphora have “intercessions” included, but the Churches of Antioch place them toward the end of the prayer, Alexandria prefers them at the beginning before the “Holy, Holy,” and Syria puts them at the very end. One branch of the Syrian family is unique in not mentioning the words of Jesus at the Last Supper. The Roman Canon we once prayed exclusively has some connection with the Alexandrian family, but once the signal for creativity was given, all the wealth of every prayer tradition was on the table, and our Sunday Mass has been greatly enriched.

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Holy Mass Celebrants

Saturday, August 5, 2017
5:00 pm  Fr. Michael  Mario & Co.

Sunday, August 6, 2017
7:30 am  Fr. Michael
9:00 am  Fr. Kieran  Children’s Choir
10:30 am Fr. Kieran  Emmaus Choir
5:00 pm  Fr. Ma. Joseph  Kevin’s Flock

Mass Intentions for July 31 — July 30

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<td>† Carlos Velez</td>
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Welcome to the Family of Christ!
Congratulations to

Aldrik Marcus Abesamis
Michaela Brescia
Madison Cabalona
Mason Cabalona
Kaya Calanoc
Logan Oliver Sullivan
Julia Lynn Wilson

Our Newly Baptized Infants & Members of the St. Luke Community
July 30, 2017

Please pray for our recently deceased, especially, Tom Mullen, Maria Eugenia Marin & Alwyn Viray that they may be brought to the final resurrection.

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May they be strengthened and comforted by their trust in the Lord.

Keri Ables, Juris Arcilla, Rori Arcilla, Patrick Banks, Jose Barcelona Jr., Michael Carmody, Gail Castro, John Copeland, Cynthia Connor, Marge Cowart, Marie Ghiozzi, Cora B. Huang, Dennis B. Huang, Mary Lou Kauffer, Elizabeth Victoria Liwag, Veronica Maguire, Arturo & Natividad Martin, Katie McNamara, Bridgette Negar, Ken Parker, Kathy Raymor, Josephine Rea, Connie Rojas, Jason Sahayaraj, Kathy Sampson, Jameson Sham, Sally Stevens, Sue Techlin, Priscilla Touchstone, Lana Vorries, Vallery Washington and George Zughbaba.

TODAY’S READINGS
First Reading — Solomon prays for an understanding heart (1 Kings 3:5, 7-12).
Psalm — Lord, I love your commands (Psalm 119).
Second Reading — All things work for good for those who love God (Romans 8:28-30).
Gospel — The one who knows of the kingdom of heaven brings new and old from the storeroom (Matthew 13:44-52 [44-46]).


SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES
Sunday: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Ignatius of Loyola
Tuesday: St. Alphonsus Liguori
Wednesday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli; St. Peter Julian Eymard
Thursday: St. John Vianney; First Friday
Friday: The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major; First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

The ADULT FAITH FORMATION program is ongoing. We meet every Tuesday at 7:00p.m. here at the Church. This program addresses enhancement of your spiritual growth and increases your knowledge of the teachings of the Catholic Church. Refreshments are provided. Contact Kevin Lucia at 650-740-9071 for further information.

The Little Ones
Los Más Pequeños

Hermanos y hermanas: Porque a los que de antemano conocí, también los predestinó a ser hechos conforme a la imagen de su Hijo, para que El sea el prototipo entre muchos hermanos y hermanas. Rom 8:29

Pray for Pope Francis’s Intentions

General—Lapsed Christians: that our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.

Urgent Intention—Peace and Healing: May the Holy Spirit grant peace to the entire world. May He heal the wounds of war and terrorism, which most recently struck innocent civilians in London. Let us pray for the victims and their families.

Our Weekly Offering

Sunday, July 23rd $ 3,457.50
Basilica of National Shrine $ 1,012.00

Your generous contribution helps to make our ministries possible.

Thank you! God bless you!

“I will extol You, O my God and King, and I will bless Your Name forever and ever.”—Ps 145:1

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9
Summer Break!!!!!!

We have completed classes for the school year and hope all of our families enjoy their summer break.

Thank you to the parents and, especially, to all the students and our volunteer catechists for sharing your faith journey with us this year.

We look forward to seeing you in the fall

Registration for Religious Education School Year 2017–2018 is ongoing.

Enroll NOW!
Avoid late registration fee

August Adult Rosary Making Schedule

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Every Sunday, all are invited for Fellowship after the 9:00am and 10:30am Holy Masses.
(except for secular holiday weekends)

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Participate in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day
(Aug. 3rd, Thursday and August 4th, First Friday)
Beginning immediately after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.
Spend some quiet time in the presence of the Lord.
The chapel is open the entire day.

Biblical Reasons for Wanting to Spend One Hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament (Part 1)

1. He is really there!
"I myself am the living bread come down from heaven." (Jn 6:35)

2. Day and night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because of his Infinite love for you!
"Behold I will be with you always even to the end of the world," because "I have loved you with an everlasting love, and constant is my affection for you." (Mt 28:20; Jer 31:3)

3. The specific way that Jesus asks you to love him in return is to spend one quiet hour with him in the Blessed Sacrament.
"Where your treasure is, there is your heart...." "Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Mt 6:21; 26:40)

4. When you look upon the Sacred Host, you look upon Jesus, the Son of God.
"Indeed, this is the will of my Father, that everyone who looks upon the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life. Him I will raise up on the last day." (Jn 6:40)

5. Each moment that you spend in His Eucharistic Presence will increase his divine life within you and deepen your personal relationship and friendship with him.
"I have come that you may have life, and have it more abundantly." "I am the vine and you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him shall bear much fruit because without me, you can do nothing." (Jn 15:5)

6. Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen his divine peace in your heart.
"Come to me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you...." "Cast all of you anxieties upon the one who cares for you...." "My Peace is My Gift to you." (Mt 11:28; Pt 5:7; Jn 14:17)
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. ______________________

Parish Events
July 31– August 5, 2017

**Tuesday**
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation

**Wednesday**
7:00a.m. – 8:00a.m. Men’s Prayer Group/Chapel
NO Religious Ed Classes

**Thursday**
9:00 a.m. All Day Eucharistic Adoration/Chapel
9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Adult Rosary Making
7:30 p.m. Solemn Benediction

**First Friday**
9:00 a.m. All Day Eucharistic Adoration/Chapel
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Adult Rosary Making
7:00 p.m. Children’s Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Solemn Benediction
7:45 p.m. – 9:15 p.m. Adult Rosary Making

**Saturday**
10:30 a.m. Junior Legion of Mary

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.

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 worthy honor the price of our salvation.
To the Lamb Who redeemed us in His Blood, be honor and glory and benediction forever. Amen.

Contact People

- **Adult Rosary Making:** Kevin and Sally Lucia (650) 740-9071
- **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:** Duncan Fife: (650) 345-3345
- **Faith Formation:** Kevin Lucia (650) 740-9071
- **Filipino Cursillo:** Deacon Mar Tano (650) 867-5542
- **Finance Council:** John Bernat (650) 344-4045
- **Grief Support Ministry:** Ellen Six (650) 341-0683
- **Jr. Legion of Mary:** Sat.10:30am, Sally Lucia (650) 349-3090
- **Junior Rosary Making:** Sally Lucia (650) 349-3090
- **Knights of Columbus:** Call Tom Consunji (650) 345-3312
- **Legion of Mary:** Thurs. 9AM 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 Groups:** Confirmation/Youth Choir; Mario & Co.; Children’s Choir; Kevin’s Flock—Kevin Lucia (650)740-9071
  Emmaus Choir Elysabeth Allen (650) 578-0123
- **Pastoral Council:** Dan Linkhorn ~ dlinkhorn@comcast.net
- **Sandwiches on Sunday:** Peg Culver (650) 349-1408
- **SVdP Conference:** Peg Simkins (650) 573-5370
- **Youth Ministry:** Amabel Goell (650) 740-7751