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.

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
July 2, 2017

Think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus.
— Romans 6:11

O Christ Jesus, our one true reward, inflame our feeble souls with the fire of Your love as we seek to follow You. Let everything we do begin with Your inspiration, and by Your grace, sing of Your glorious praise now and forever. 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 - 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
THE RICHNESS OF LIFE IN CHRIST

Today we have the beautiful story of the woman promised a child, the wonderful exhortation about life in Christ, and a powerful instruction from Jesus. An embarrassment of riches? Not if we take Jesus' words about "welcome" to heart. The many challenges and blessings offered to us today by Elisha, Paul, and Jesus should be cause for rejoicing, and welcomed heartily into our lives. And, like the great treat that they are, they should be enjoyed and shared generously with others.

Today's reading from Romans was chosen very early in the liturgical life of the Church to be the sole apostolic instruction received by candidates for baptism at the Easter Vigil. This illustrates its importance as a core belief, and as a means of comprehending the story of the Resurrection. Christ's resurrection is not merely a story about something that he underwent once upon a time, but it is our story, the story of how we joined the other members of the one Body of Christ, the church. We were not only dead, but we were buried; not ultimately buried, but raised to eternal life with Christ.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It's Independence Day week, and there is a link worth tracing between the Declaration of Independence and the language of liturgy. One of the signers of the Declaration on that July 4 long ago was Charles Carroll, probably the wealthiest man in the colonies and one of the few Catholics on the political scene. As a flourish to his signature, he sought to distinguish himself from other prominent citizens bearing the same name by penning "Charles Carroll of Carrolltown"—a defiant "come and get me if you dare" postscript aimed at the British.

Carroll's brother John was a priest and patriot who in 1789 was given the task of organizing the Catholic Church in this country. By 1791 he had assembled a synod, or assembly of delegates, to launch that task formally. Archbishop Carroll wanted to gain acceptance of our faith by American people who mistrusted our customs and could not comprehend our liturgy. He made the amazing proposal to Rome that our liturgy should be prayed not in Latin, but in the vernacular, English. His wish was denied, but one hundred sixty years later, his deep desire helped the American bishops and scholars at the Second Vatican Council to win the vote in favor of the vernacular not just for the United States, but for the Church throughout the world. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Come Let Us Adore our Lord Jesus

in the Blessed Sacrament every Thursday, after the 8:30AM Holy Mass and on the First Friday of the month.

Benediction is at 7:30PM.

"Praise the Lord, my soul. I will praise the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live." Psalm 146:1-2

Holy Mass Celebrants

Saturday, July 8, 2017
5:00 pm Fr. Jonathan Michelle

Sunday, July 9, 2017
7:30 am Fr. Jonathan
9:00 am Fr. Kieran Children's Choir
10:30 am Fr. Kieran Emmaus Choir
5:00 pm Fr. Michael Couples for Christ

Mass Intentions for July 3 — July 9

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Legend: † - Deceased, SI-Special Intention, BD-Birthday

Missa Pro Populo-General Intentions/Mass for the People

“The effect of our sharing in the body and blood of Christ is to change us into what we receive.”

—Pope Saint Leo the Great

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Elisha promises a baby son to the hospitable woman (2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a).

Psalm — For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 89).

Second Reading — We shall live in newness of life as Christ was raised from the dead (Romans 6:3-4, 8-11).

Gospel — Whoever gives but a cup of cold water to another will surely be rewarded (Matthew 10:37-42).

July 2, 2017

Please pray for our recently deceased, especially Archbishop John R. Quinn, that he may rest in peace and be brought to the final resurrection.

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

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

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

We accept Visa/Master Card for your weekly donation to St. Luke Parish.

Please contact the church office for more details and to have an application sent to you.

Benefits: You will receive mileage credit when using your airline credit card for this purpose.

Thank you and God’s reward be upon you.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Thomas
Tuesday: Independence Day
Wednesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal
Thursday: St. Maria Goretti
Friday: First Friday
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass “For the Country or a City,” nos. 882-886, or “For Peace and Justice,” nos. 887-891
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17
Sunday: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30
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 School Year 2017–2018 ongoing
   Enroll NOW! Avoid late registration fee.

San Mateo Pro Life

Rummage Sale

Saturday, July 8, 2017
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
St. Matthew School Auditorium
El Camino Real & Aragon Blvd
San Mateo

Info: Janet 650-931-5467

“Respect all Life from Conception to Natural Death”

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!!

JULY 20, 2017 THURSDAY
Come One! Come All!

WHAT: ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC
WHERE: Boothbay Park
TIME: 5:00PM

You are all invited to celebrate together to give thanks as one parish of St. Luke. Best of all …. the party is on St. Luke. Food and drinks will be supplied!!!!

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Sister Maria Ruth Linaac, RVM
Director of Religious Education
st.lukereed@gmail.com
TELEPHONE NO. (650) 574-9191

ATTENTION: The Knights meet every 1st Tuesday of the month at 7:30 PM in the St. Luke community center. Exception: July meeting will be on July 11th. All Knights are invited to attend. Please contact Tom Consunji at: (650) 892-3312 or email: tconsunji@gmail.com

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Men’s Prayer Group

A small group of St. Luke men meet for an hour at 7:00 am, on the first and third Wednesday of the month for prayer and Scripture discussion.

All are welcome. The next meeting is Wednesday, July 5th. For more information, call Dan James @ 650-574-3835.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday, July 6, 2017
First Friday, July 7, 2017

 Participate in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day, 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. Benediction is at 7:30 p.m.

Welcome to the Family of Christ!

Congratulations to
Arianna De Guzman
Ethan Lazareto
Malani Rey Lopez
Gianna Maria Consunji Sebest
Our Newly Baptized Infants and Members of the St. Luke Community

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

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) 341-4045
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) 892-3312
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: Peggy Simkins (650) 573-5370
Youth Ministry: Amabel Goell (650) 740-7751

Parish Events

July 4 – July 8, 2017

Tuesday
Offices Closed - Independence Day
7:00 p.m. Faith Formation

Wednesday
7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Men’s Prayer Group /Chapel
NO Religious Ed Classes
Have a meaningful Summer Vacation

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
7:45 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.

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: _________________
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