

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE ~ JUNE 26 - JULY 2, 2017

<u>Day</u>	<u>Intention</u>	<u>Requested By</u>
Mon. 7:30 AM	James J. Kielwasser II	Tom Strapp
Tues. 7:30 AM	Robert Dandorf	Wife, Eileen
Wed. 7:30 AM	Jack Hospidor	Wife, Eleanor & Family
11:00 AM	Anthony Palmisano	Loving Wife & Family
Thurs. 7:30 AM	Mary Pat Love	Florence Daly
Fri. 7:30 AM	Kathleen Frain	Anne Ray
11:00 AM	The Nakonechny Family	Helen Donald
Sat. 8:30 AM	William Hamada	The Lapid & Hamada Family
4:00 PM	Ronald Heitmann	The Heitmann & Bengivenga Families
5:30 PM	John Alexander Mc Mahon	James & Joan Donachy
Sun. 7:00 AM	St. Luke Parishioners	
8:30 AM	Rosary Altar Society Members	St. Luke Rosary Altar Society
10:00 AM	David Ascione & Rosemarie Hardman	Anna & Michael Hardman
12:00 PM	Grace Attanasio	Don & Rose Kluxen



Independence Day Mass

Tuesday, July 4, 2017

9:00AM Mass Only

Note: The Parish and CCD offices will be closed on July 4 in observance of Independence Day.



St. Luke Altar Flowers

To order flowers for the week for any occasion, contact Kathleen Muzzio at 732-286-2222. Requests should be made two weeks in advance.



Pray for the Recently Deceased

Thomas Carroll

Please Pray for the Sick

Myn Greuter, Joan Greuter, Elisa Greuter, Linda Greuter, Cayden Napolitano, John Kempton, Simon Amato, Deacon Bob Puglisi, Jo Hardardt, Chuck Kraut, Pat Petzold, Nina Parisi, Margaret Boland, Martha Olmstead, Joseph Alphonse Weikel (child), Gurprit Chhatwal, Jenny Ralph, James Joseph White, Francis Lewis Jr., Richard Coburger, Pat La Rocca, Claire Hansen, Anthony Cuccaro, Vito Ottomano, Alyssa Colosi (child), Lillian Schneller, Bob Schneller, Bishop John M. Smith, Barry Rodman, Mary Ann Napatano, Anthony Somma, Janet Hlavac, Larry Reagan, Marco Leone, Janet Hamadyk, Vivian Kircher, Diane Galioto, Annette Torro, Thomas Repko, Frank Gorda, Mary Carlin, Jakub Kowal (child), Catherine Otto, John Farawell, Carol Auletto, Dave Nelms, Rev. Gerry McCarron, Rev. Michael Waites, Jean Stulich, Angeline Magana (child), John Wolcott, Maryanne Molner, Barbara Marriotti, Matthew Saunders, Rosemarie Steuerman, Murial Wittmann, Ginny Zipf, Bill Coles, Fran Consorti, Grace Fusco.

Save the Dates . . .

October 15, 2017, Sunday, 3:00PM ~ White Mass to honor those in the health and healing arts.

December 3, 2017, Sunday, St. Nicholas Ball

This Week's Senior Moment

“The most desired living pattern to emerge in the aging process is that in which older persons foster in their lives the active pursuit of new interests, new friendships, and new meaning in life.”

“Aging as a Spiritual Journey”

Eugene Bianci

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

July 2, 2017

1st Reading: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a
 2nd Reading: Romans 6:3-4, 8-11
 Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42

Readings may be found at: <http://www.usccb.org/nab/>

St. Luke Parish Office Summer Hours:

Monday-Thursday, 9:00 am-4:00 pm, and Fridays, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

St. Luke Pre-Baptism Classes...

for expectant and new parents are held in the church on the first Monday of each month at **7:30PM**. Please call the Parish Office to register, 732-286-2222.

**The next class:
Monday, July 10**

Prayer Shawl Makers

Meets on the 3rd Wednesday monthly, **10:00am-12:00pm** to create shawls and lap throws to give to the bereaved, the infirmed and the lonely.

**Next meeting:
Wed., July 19**

Pax Youth Group

7th & 8th Graders are invited to join; games, activities, hang out & pizza while getting closer to God! July and August events to be announced. **Check out our web site: www.paxteens.com**

ALTAR SERVING

A JOB SOOOO BIG...

**ONLY A KID
CAN DO IT!**

If you have received your First Communion and are interested in becoming an Altar Server at St. Luke Church, call **848-226-6216** to register your interest.

Religious Education News

Mass obligation doesn't end because CCD is over. We look forward to seeing our families in Church throughout the summer months.

Thank you Laura P. for joining the St. Luke PREP team and volunteering to be a Catechist! God bless you!

Is God calling YOU to teach his little ones??? *Something to think and pray about...* At this time, we are in need of **4 CATECHISTS:**

MONDAY at 4:30-5:45 pm – Levels 1 & 6

MONDAY at 6:15-7:30 pm – Level 4

WEDNESDAY at 4:30-5:45 pm – Level 2

Please call the office (732-505-0108) to join the St Luke PREP team! This program cannot meet the spiritual needs of our children without **YOU**, our dedicated volunteers!

TELL ALL YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS who need to register for CCD...Paperwork was mailed to all families currently enrolled in St. Luke PREP. All new families must be registered in this parish. Registration began on June 5 and ends on August 1, 2017.

SERVICE MEETINGS:

Adler Aphasia Community Group, 10:00am-12:00pm, 1st & 3rd Fridays, in Madonna Room. For info or to register, call Wendy Greenspan at 973-530-3981.

Women's Alcoholics Anonymous, Sundays, 10:00AM in Madonna Room

Alcoholics Anonymous, Sundays, 7:00PM in the Parish Center. (Closed Meeting)

Alcoholics Anonymous for Men, Sundays, 8:30AM-9:30AM; for more information call Mort Levy 732-600-6783.

Alcoholics Anonymous, Mondays, 7:00PM, "Sacrifice Group", in Parish Center.

Alcoholics Anonymous, Tuesdays, 8:00PM, in the Parish Center. (Open Meeting) For more info call Jim at 732-552-8865.

Alcoholics Anonymous, Wednesdays, 6:00PM, in Parish Center.

Al-Anon Meeting, Mondays, 11:00AM, in Madonna Room

Al-Anon Meeting, Thursdays, 7:30PM, in Madonna Room. For info, call Peggy Ell at 732-240-3316.

Parent Al-Anon Meeting, Fridays, 7:00PM, in Madonna Room. For more information, call Jeanie at 732-966-1382.

Gamblers Anonymous, Saturdays, 9:30AM-11:30AM in Madonna Room


Gamblers Anonymous, Sundays, 5:45PM, in Madonna Room. (Open Meeting)

Nar-Anon, Mondays, 7:30PM-9:00PM, in Madonna Room

Nar-Anon Meeting, Tuesdays, 7:30PM, in Madonna Room

Parents of Disabled Children Support, 7:00PM, 3rd Thursday of each month.

Attention Parishioners:

If you are interested on working on the **Parish Picnic on Sunday, September 17,**  for the 35th Anniversary of St. Luke Parish, please call the Parish Office at 732-286-2222 to leave your name and telephone number.

SUPPORT GROUP FOR NEWLY BEREAVED

When someone we love has been taken from us, we often find ourselves dealing with change and transition. Bereavement support groups are one way to find support from others who are going through the same process.

The Parish of St. Luke Church is sponsoring a Bereavement Support Group for the newly bereaved. You need not be a parishioner to attend. The group will meet on **Wednesday evenings, 7:00-8:30 pm** in the Conference Room (next to the Augustine Room) for 8 consecutive weeks, **June 28 - August 16, 2017**. Pre-registration is required. Please call the Bereavement office at **848-226-6220** and leave a message to register. We will call you back.

Collections for June 17 & 18, 2017

Total: \$17,191.00 *

If you would like to contribute by credit card or auto-debit, **FaithDirect**, forms are available in the Narthex or by signing up at www.faithdirect.net.

Thank you for your generous support.

* Weekly total does not reflect contributions through FaithDirect.



Social Sunday

The next Social Sunday will be held on **July 16, 2017**. After Mass all are invited to gather in the Parish Center for refreshments and fellowship. Please join us to meet new friends or renew old acquaintances.

Diocese of Trenton Annual Senior Spirituality Day July 19th - 10:00am to 3:00pm St. Leo the Great Parish, Lincroft, NJ

Spiritual Keynote Speaker: Msgr. Walter Nolan
"The Cross and Beatitudes Intersect Our Lives"

Entertainment after lunch:
The ever-popular: "Bobby Byrne Show"

ONLINE REGISTRATION

www.dioceseoftrenton.org/pastoral-care

\$15.00 registration fee - includes lunch; mail-in forms also available on info table in St. Luke Narthex



St. Vincent de Paul Society's Second Annual Golf Outing August 21, 2017

Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 2 Augusta Blvd., Lakewood

Bag service, use of locker rooms, and range balls provided. Prizes will be awarded including "Hole in One" vehicle by Lester Glen. For more information, call Paul Capelli at 732-278-8406.

GOOD COUNSEL HOMES



There are bins in the Narthex for you to return your Baby Bottles! Over 1100 bottles were taken and \$1200 in immediate donations were received on the weekend of June 10th & 11th. THANK YOU!

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Our need for volunteers for ministry is ongoing.

- Extraordinary Ministers
- Lector
- AV Ministry
- Usher
- SVdP Society
- RCIA
- Children's Choir
- Children's Liturgy
- Choir
- Altar Server
- Catechist
- Social Sunday

And more!

Please call the St. Luke Parish Office at
732-286-2222 or
The Ministry Hotline at 848-226-6218.



St. Vincent de Paul Society

The St. Luke Conference operates a Food Pantry that is open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10:00AM until 12:45PM. Guests may obtain food for their families once each month. Some people in our parish, who qualify for food from the pantry, are not able to get there because they are disabled, are unable to drive, don't have a car or are working when the pantry is open. Some guests have neighbors or friends who can drive them to the pantry. For those who are unable to get to the Food Pantry, we have volunteers who deliver food directly to the home. The volunteers discuss food needs with the guest, fill out pantry paperwork and bag the food. They deliver the food and assist the guest in unpacking the food and putting it away. As you may know, we receive donations of toiletries (soap, shampoo, conditioner, hand lotion, body lotion), blankets, sheets, pillow cases, cleaning supplies, coffee, tea, sweeteners and other products used in hotels from a wholesale supplier. We repackage some products for individual use and distribute them through our Food Pantry.

Considering becoming a Vincentian? Please pray on this and join us at our General Meeting Tuesday, July 18, at 6:30PM in the Narthex.

We Are Here To Help

For those in need of financial assistance, please contact us at (732) 244-3916. Calls will be returned promptly.

The Food Pantry distributes food to those in need, within our parish boundaries regardless of religious affiliation, on **Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 10AM to 12:45PM**. Please bring current identification and proof of residence.

How You Can Help

Use the envelopes available in the Church pews and in the Narthex to make financial contributions. Contributions of food for the pantry may be placed in the large wooden box in the Narthex.

**OUR FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:
COFFEE, VANILLA ENSURE,
LAUNDRY DETERGENT**

Thank You For Helping Us To Help The Needy. God Bless!

<http://www.stlukeconference.org/>



RCIA

Have you or someone you know not been baptized but would like to explore the desire to become Catholic? Have you or someone you know been baptized but have not completed one or both of the remaining Sacraments of Initiation (First Eucharist and/or Confirmation) but desires to participate fully in the sacramental life of the Church? **Contact us at 848-226-6217.**

St. Luke Church has joined Investors Bank's Care2Share Affinity Program.

For every account you link to the Church of St. Luke, Investors Bank will donate monies based upon the average balance of the linked deposits. Additional Information can be obtained at any Investors Bank branch, at www.myinvestorsbank.com/Care2Share or by speaking with Kathleen Muzzio at 732-286-2222.