

ST. LUKE Catholic Church

Fifth Sunday of Lent
March 22, 2026

PARISH OFFICE: 615-459-9672
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, - 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. • Wednesday - 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. • Friday - 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil
4:00 p.m.- English
7:00 p.m. - Spanish

Sunday
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.- English
12:00 Noon - Bilingual

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday
6:30 p.m. - Bilingual
Tuesday thru Friday
8:30 a.m. - English

Misa en Español
Jueves 6:30 p.m.
Sabado 7:00 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Thurs. 9 a.m. until Fri. 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday
3:10 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. - English
6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. - Bilingual

Wednesday
After 8:30 a.m. Mass
or by appointment

ANUNCIOS PERMANENTES

Clases Pre-Bautismales
Necesita pre-registrarse. Para ello tiene que comunicarse con la persona encargada al número de teléfono (615) 459-9672. Para niños menores de 7 años. Copia del certificado de nacimiento. Los padrinos por lo menos uno, tiene que ser mayor de 16 años, tener: Bautismo, Primera comunión y Confirmación. Si son dos padrinos tiene que ser hombre y mujer, no se aceptan niños durante las pláticas. Si no tiene alternativa favor de hablar con el Director de Educación Religiosa (información en el boletín). Gracias por su cooperación y muchas bendiciones

Programa de Educación Religiosa
Miércoles y Domingos

Grupo Mujeres de Fátima
Lunes a las 6:30 p.m.

Grupo de Parejas
Martes a las 6:30 p.m.

Misa Mensual de Fieles Difuntos
4.º Jueves de cada mes a las 6 p.m.

Adoración Eucarística continua de 24 Hrs
Jueves a las 8 a.m. hasta Viernes 8 a.m.

Renovación Carismática
Viernes a las 7:30 p.m.

Ministerio de la Adoración Nocturna
3º Sábado del mes, de 9:30 p.m.

Llama de Amor
Rosario - 2.º y 4.º Sábado del mes después de misa de 7 p.m.

Vigilia mensual - 1er Sábado del mes después de misa de 7 p.m.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 21

4:00 p.m. † Mary Hoffman - by Pam and Mike /Brandt
7:00 p.m. Karen Magaña Compleaños

Sunday, March 22

8:00 a.m. † Maria Olvera - by Jose Baeza
10:00 a.m. † Antonio Razón
12:00 p.m. † Roselyn Sorto - by Sorto Family

Monday, March 23

6:30 p.m. Rissler Family - by Guitard Family

Tuesday, March 24

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish

Wednesday, March 25

8:30 a.m. † Thomas Swagler Jr. - by Frank and Joanne Speer

Thursday, March 26

8:30 a.m. † Sonia Avila Macaspac
6:30 p.m. † Ricarda Cruz - by Carmen Hernandez

Friday, March 27

8:30 a.m. John and Robert Baiocco - by Cheryl Miller

WEEKLY COLLECTION FOR PARISH NEEDS AND GENERAL OPERATIONS FROM MARCH 8, 2026.

\$ 39,816.54 - Weekly Collection for Parish needs and general operations (includes online giving)

\$ 28,487.53 - Weekly Expenses for Parish needs and general operations

\$ 11,329.01 = Weekly surplus (deficit) for Parish

WEEKLY DESIGNATED DONATIONS:

\$ 1,012.52 Restricted Designated Donations (Includes online giving).

\$ 933.44 Last Resource Deposit (Includes online giving)

\$ 623.58 Food Pantry Deposit (includes online giving)

\$ 42,386.08 Total revenue collected (general operations & designated donations)

\$ 61,010.00 - Weekly Overall Goal for Parish (see formula below)

\$ - 18,623.92 = Overall weekly goal surplus (deficit) for Parish.

(Goal is based on 7.5% of average family income of \$47,000 x 900 families.)

NEW ONLINE GIVING

We have moved to a new Giving software called Pushpay. Please visit our website or scan the QR Code to your right to update your Parish Recurring Online Giving or set up a new Gift.



Thank you!

There will be a 2nd collection on the last weekend of every month for the Bishop's Charities.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Anyone interested in being a part of the St. Luke Liturgical Ministry serving as a Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Usher or Altar Server, please contact Laura Nota by email at liturgy@stlukekn.org.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK, MARCH 28 & 29, 2026

ALTAR SERVERS

4:00 PM Jacob, Lucas, and Nicholas Barnard
8:00 AM John and Charlie Diehl, Samuel Jones, Owen Guidry
10:00 AM Graham Claytor, Jackson Strain, Frankie and John Jackson

LECTORS

4:00 PM Kris Wynn, Joe Perroni
8:00 AM Cyndi Gartung, Alan Stanley
10:00 AM Stephanie Nordhoff, Roberto Morales

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:00 PM L. & S. Johnson, C. & V. Logsdon, T. Henry, P. Muenich
8:00 AM M. Guitard, J. & C. Jones, A. Kornau, S. McBride, M. Weaver
10:00 AM Dcn. Simeon, S. Gerba, A. Mellette, Macaspac, K. Sytsma, L. Tubbs

USHERS / GREETERS

4:00 PM James Perkins, Leonard Persinger, Josh Lucas, Mark Muenich
8:00 AM Linda Horenkamp, Ken and Marian Jordan, Johnny Gerald
10:00 AM Tom Nolan, John McKay, Rowena Grady, SUB

LET US PRAY FOR THE HEALTH & RECOVERY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

IIII Paula Stanley, IIIII Mike Bagget, IIII Brenda Fentress, IIII Rick St. Amour, IIIIII Debra Neibergall, IIII Lily Nota, IIII Mejia Family, III Mark Murphy, III Dante José Guel, II Pauline Smith



*Names remain on this list for 6 weeks. Please call the office at 615-459-9672 or e-mail the frontoffice@stlukekn.org to add or remove someone on this list.

FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

IIII Aileen Such, IIIII Fred Bagget, I Doris Lizama Polzin

FOR THOSE ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY

Benjamin Anderson, Cody Hopper, Charles Lane, Mike Plouff, Michael Leaver, Jeremy Minner, Manuel Pineda, Johnathan Stark, Dylan Williams, Matthew Moshea, Alek Nochowicz, Patrick Rissler, Hailey Rissler, Jeff Hineman, Jeb Sloan Justin Laprise, Liam Smith, Logan Garrett, Tom Janssen, Cole Liko, Payton Oates, Kevin Gael Rodriguez, Grant Holland, Michael Mounce, Greg Kilpatrick, Miss Dorris, Brendan Hoden, David Steen, Joe Shelton, Adam Turner, Shayla Anderson, James Hutchison



NEW TO THE PARISH?

WELCOME!

To register as a parishioner of St. Luke Catholic Church, Please contact the church office 615-459-9672 or visit our website at: <https://www.saintlukesmyrmatn.com>

COFFEE & DONUTS



Please come join us in the social hall after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Mass for coffee and donuts. This is a great opportunity to meet and mingle with fellow parishioners. Donations are appreciated to help cover the cost.

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We Fall Down

We fall down
We lay our crowns
At the feet of Jesus
The greatness of mercy and love
At the feet of Jesus

*And we cry holy holy holy
And we cry holy holy holy
And we cry holy holy holy is the Lamb*

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Goodness Of God

I love You Lord! Oh Your mercy never fails me
All my days I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up, until I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

*All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God*

I love Your voice! You have led me through the fire
In darkest night, You are close like no other
I've known You as a father; I've known You as a friend
I have lived in the goodness of God

*Your goodness is running after; It's running after me
Your goodness is running after; It's running after me
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
Your goodness is running after; It's running after me*

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God is Good!

May your struggle keep you near the cross.
And may your troubles show that you need God.
And may your battles end the way they should.
And may your bad days prove that God is good!
May your whole life prove that God is good!

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Come To The Table

Come to the table of mercy
Prepared with the wine and the bread
All who are hungry and thirsty
Come and your souls will be fed

Come at the Lord's invitation
Receive from His nail-scarred hand
Eat of the bread of salvation
Drink of the blood of the Lamb

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One Love Released

Bob Frenzel/Kevin Keil

*One bread, one body, one cup, one call,
One faith, one Spirit present in us all.
One prayer, one blessing, one hope, one peace,
One church, one people, one love released.*

Is not this bread we share, the body of our Lord?
Is not this wine we drink, the blood of Christ outpoured?

I am the bread of life, eat and you shall live.
To those who share this meal, my strength I'll always give.

I am the living bread, as manna from the sky.
This bread I give to you, that you may never die.

No one will come to me, unless our God has led.
And I shall raise them up, raise them from the dead!

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Sanctus (Holy)

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dóminus Deus Sábaoth.
Pleni sunt caeli et terra glória tua. Hosánna in excélsis.
Benedíctus qui venit in nómine Dómini. Hosánna in excélsis.

Post Consecrationem (We Proclaim)

Mortem tuam annuntiámus, Dómine,
et tuam resurrecciónem confitémur, donec vénias.

Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi, miserére nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi, miserére nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccáta mundi, dona nobis pacem.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL:

Saint Michael the Archangel,
Defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him we humbly pray;
And do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,
By the Power of God,

Cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits,
Who prowl through the world
Seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Hallow
Catholic Prayer & Meditation App

"Hallow app users: There will be a zoom call every Wednesday at 7 p.m. to discuss the current Challenge! If interested check the message section for the community for more information!"



ST. LUKE EASTER HUNT

The St Luke Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held Saturday, April 4th, at 1 p.m. by the Pavilion on the parish grounds for children 12 years and younger. The Easter Bunny will be there to greet everyone and pass out a special treat for all the children attending. Be sure to bring your basket!

We are kindly asking for donations of individual juice boxes, and individually wrapped cookies, fruit snacks, chips, and of course candy. We are also seeking donations of small toys and or stickers that will fit inside the eggs. All donations may be dropped off in the Narthex in the basket marked "Easter Egg Hunt Donations". To volunteer to help, or for additional information, please contact Josh Ezzell at (615) 390-4170; or by email: sirknightjosh@gmail.com.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

MARCH 28— 6:30 p.m. Outside Procession - *Presented by the Latino OCIA Youth*
MARCH 29 -11:45 a.m. Outside Procession - *Presented by the Latino OCIA Youth*
(All are invited to participate)

APRIL 2 - HOLY THURSDAY

6:00 p.m. Mass of the Lords Supper - *Bilingual*

APRIL 3 - FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

10:00 a.m. Live Stations of the Cross - *Presented by the Latino OCIA Youth*
(All are invited to participate)
12:00 p.m. Adoration of the Holy Cross - *Presented by the Latino OCIA Youth*
(All are invited to participate)
6:00 p.m. Good Friday Service - *English*

APRIL 4 - HOLY SATURDAY

11:00 a.m. Blessing of the Food Baskets
1:00 p.m. Easter Egg Hunt
4:15 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass - *Bilingual*

APRIL 5 - SUNDAY OF THE RESURECTION OF THE LORD

8:00 a.m. Mass - *English*
10:00 a.m. Mass - *English*
12:00 p.m. Mass - *Bilingual*



READING I

EZEKIEL 37:12-14

Thus says the Lord GOD: O my people, I will open your graves and have you rise from them, and bring you back to the land of Israel. Then you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves and have you rise from them, O my people! I will put my spirit in you that you may live, and I will settle you upon your land; thus you shall know that I am the LORD. I have promised, and I will do it, says the LORD.

READING II

ROMANS 8:8-11

Brothers and sisters: Those who are in the flesh cannot please God. But you are not in the flesh; on the contrary, you are in the spirit, if only the Spirit of God dwells in you. Whoever does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the spirit is alive because of righteousness. If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the one who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also, through his Spirit dwelling in you.

VERSE BEFORE THE GOSPEL

JOHN 11:25A, 26

I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will never die.

GOSPEL (Short form in bold italicized) JOHN 11:1-45

Now a man was ill, Lazarus from Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha. Mary was the one who had anointed the Lord with perfumed oil and dried his feet with her hair; it was her brother Lazarus who was ill. **So the sisters sent word to him saying, "Master, the one you love is ill." When Jesus heard this he said, "This illness is not to end in death, but is for the glory of God, that the Son of God may be glorified through it." Now Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus. So when he heard that he was ill, he remained for two days in the place where he was. Then after this he said to his disciples, "Let us go back to Judea."** The disciples said to him, "Rabbi, the Jews were just trying to stone you, and you want to go back there?" Jesus answered, "Are there not twelve hours in a day? If one walks during the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world. But if one walks at night, he stumbles, because the light is not in him." He said this, and then told them, "Our friend Lazarus is asleep, but I am going to awaken him." So the disciples said to him, "Master, if he is asleep, he will be saved." But Jesus was talking about his death, while they thought that he meant ordinary sleep. So then Jesus said to them clearly, "Lazarus has died. And I am glad for you that I was not there, that you may believe. Let us go to him." So Thomas, called Didymus, said to his fellow disciples, "Let us also go to die with him." **When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb for four days.** Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, only about two miles away. And many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to comfort them about their brother. **When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went to meet him; but Mary sat at home. Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. But even now I know that whatever you ask of God, God will give you." Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise." Martha said to him, "I know he will rise, in the resurrection on the last day." Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" She said to him, "Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, the one who is coming into the world."** When she had said this, she went and called her sister Mary secretly, saying, "The teacher is here and is asking for you." As soon as she heard this, she rose quickly and went to him. For Jesus had not yet come into the village, but was still where Martha had met him. So when the Jews who were with her in the house comforting her saw Mary get up quickly and go out, they followed her, presuming that she was going to the tomb to weep there. When Mary came to where Jesus was and saw him, she fell at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping and the Jews who had come with her weeping, **he became perturbed and deeply troubled, and said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Sir, come and see." And Jesus wept. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him." But some of them said, "Could not the one who opened the eyes of the blind man have done something so that this man would not have died?" So Jesus, perturbed again, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone lay across it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the dead man's sister, said to him, "Lord, by now there will be a stench; he has been dead for four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus raised his eyes and said, "Father, I thank you for hearing me. I know that you always hear me; but because of the crowd here I have said this, that they may believe that you sent me." And when he had said this, He cried out in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, tied hand and foot with burial bands, and his face was wrapped in a cloth. So Jesus said to them, "Untie him and let him go." Now many of the Jews who had come to Mary and seen what he had done began to believe in him.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

R. (7) With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD;
LORD, hear my voice!

Let your ears be attentive
to my voice in supplication.

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

If you, O LORD, mark iniquities,
LORD, who can stand?

But with you is forgiveness,
that you may be revered.

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

I trust in the LORD;
my soul trusts in his word.

More than sentinels wait for the dawn,
let Israel wait for the LORD.

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

For with the LORD is kindness
and with him is plenteous redemption;

And he will redeem Israel
from all their iniquities.

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten son of God, born of the father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. **Amen**



PRIMERA LECTURA**EZEQUIEL 37, 12-14**

Esto dice el Señor Dios: “Pueblo mío, yo mismo abriré sus sepulcros, los haré salir de ellos y los conduciré de nuevo a la tierra de Israel. Cuando abra sus sepulcros y los saque de ellos, pueblo mío, ustedes dirán que yo soy el Señor. Entonces les infundiré mi espíritu y vivirán, los estableceré en su tierra y ustedes sabrán que yo, el Señor, lo dije y lo cumplí”.

SEGUNDA LECTURA**ROMANOS 8, 8-11**

Hermanos: Los que viven en forma desordenada y egoísta no pueden agradar a Dios. Pero ustedes no llevan esa clase de vida, sino una vida conforme al Espíritu, puesto que el Espíritu de Dios habita verdaderamente en ustedes. Quien no tiene el Espíritu de Cristo, no es de Cristo. En cambio, si Cristo vive en ustedes, aunque su cuerpo siga sujeto a la muerte a causa del pecado, su espíritu vive a causa de la actividad salvadora de Dios. Si el Espíritu del Padre, que resucitó a Jesús de entre los muertos, habita en ustedes, entonces el Padre, que resucitó a Jesús de entre los muertos, también les dará vida a sus cuerpos mortales, por obra de su Espíritu, que habita en ustedes.

ACLAMACIÓN ANTES DEL EVANGELIO JUAN 11, 25-26

R. Honor y gloria a ti, Señor Jesús.

Yo soy la resurrección y la vida, dice el Señor; el que cree en mí no morirá para siempre.

R. Honor y gloria a ti, Señor Jesús.

EVANGELIO**JUAN 11, 1-45**

En aquel tiempo, se encontraba enfermo Lázaro, en Betania, el pueblo de María y de su hermana Marta. María era la que una vez ungió al Señor con perfume y le enjugó los pies con su cabellera. El enfermo era su hermano Lázaro. Por eso las dos hermanas le mandaron decir a Jesús: “Señor, el amigo a quien tanto quieres está enfermo”. Al oír esto, Jesús dijo: “Esta enfermedad no acabará en la muerte, sino que servirá para la gloria de Dios, para que el Hijo de Dios sea glorificado por ella”. Jesús amaba a Marta, a su hermana y a Lázaro. Sin embargo, cuando se enteró de que Lázaro estaba enfermo, se detuvo dos días más en el lugar en que se hallaba. Después dijo a sus discípulos: “Vayamos otra vez a Judea”. Los discípulos le dijeron: “Maestro, hace poco que los judíos querían apedrearte, ¿y tú vas a volver allá?” Jesús les contestó: “¿Acaso no tiene doce horas el día? El que camina de día no tropieza, porque ve la luz de este mundo; en cambio, el que camina de noche tropieza, porque le falta la luz”. Dijo esto y luego añadió: “Lázaro, nuestro amigo, se ha dormido; pero yo voy ahora a despertarlo”. Entonces le dijeron sus discípulos: “Señor, si duerme, es que va a sanar”. Jesús hablaba de la muerte, pero ellos creyeron que hablaba del sueño natural. Entonces Jesús les dijo abiertamente: “Lázaro ha muerto, y me alegro por ustedes de no haber estado allí, para que crean. Ahora, vamos allá”. Entonces Tomás, por sobrenombre el Gemelo, dijo a los demás discípulos: “Vayamos también nosotros, para morir con él”. Cuando llegó Jesús, Lázaro llevaba ya cuatro días en el sepulcro. Betania quedaba cerca de Jerusalén, como a unos dos kilómetros y medio, y muchos judíos habían ido a ver a Marta y a María para consolarlas por la muerte de su hermano. Apenas oyó Marta que Jesús llegaba, salió a su encuentro; pero María se quedó en casa. Le dijo Marta a Jesús: “Señor, si hubieras estado aquí, no habría muerto mi hermano. Pero aun ahora estoy segura de que Dios te concederá cuanto le pidas”. Jesús le dijo: “Tu hermano resucitará”. Marta respondió: “Ya sé que resucitará en la resurrección del último día”. Jesús le dijo: “Yo soy la resurrección y la vida. El que cree en mí, aunque haya muerto, vivirá; y todo aquel que está vivo y cree en mí, no morirá para siempre. ¿Crees tú esto?” Ella le contestó: “Sí, Señor. Creo firmemente que tú eres el Mesías, el Hijo de Dios, el que tenía que venir al mundo”. Después de decir estas palabras, fue a buscar a su hermana María y le dijo en voz baja: “Ya vino el Maestro y te llama”. Al oír esto, María se levantó en el acto y salió hacia donde estaba Jesús, porque él no había llegado aún al pueblo, sino que estaba en el lugar donde Marta lo había encontrado. Los judíos que estaban con María en la casa, consolándola, viendo que ella se levantaba y salía de prisa, pensaron que iba al sepulcro para llorar allí y la siguieron. Cuando llegó María adonde estaba Jesús, al verlo, se echó a sus pies y le dijo: “Señor, si hubieras estado aquí, no habría muerto mi hermano”. Jesús, al verla llorar y al ver llorar a los judíos que la acompañaban, se conmovió hasta lo más hondo y preguntó: “¿Dónde lo han puesto?” Le contestaron: “Ven, Señor, y lo verás”. Jesús se puso a llorar y los judíos comentaban: “De veras ¡cuánto lo amaba!” Algunos decían: “¿No podía éste, que abrió los ojos al ciego de nacimiento, hacer que Lázaro no muriera?” Jesús, profundamente conmovido todavía, se detuvo ante el sepulcro, que era una cueva, sellada con una losa. Entonces dijo Jesús: “Quiten la losa”. Pero Marta, la hermana del que había muerto, le replicó: “Señor, ya huele mal, porque lleva cuatro días”. Le dijo Jesús: “¿No te he dicho que si crees, verás la gloria de Dios?” Entonces quitaron la piedra. Jesús levantó los ojos a lo alto y dijo: “Padre, te doy gracias porque me has escuchado. Yo ya sabía que tú siempre me escuchas; pero lo he dicho a causa de esta muchedumbre que me rodea, para que crean que tú me has enviado”. Luego gritó con voz potente: “¡Lázaro, sal de allí!” Y salió el muerto, atados con vendas las manos y los pies, y la cara envuelta en un sudario. Jesús les dijo: “Desátento, para que pueda andar”. Muchos de los judíos que habían ido a casa de Marta y María, al ver lo que había hecho Jesús, creyeron en él.

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R. (7) Perdónanos, Señor, y viviremos.

Desde el abismo de mis pecados clamo a ti; Señor, escucha mi clamor; que estén atentos tus oídos a mi voz suplicante. R.

R. Perdónanos, Señor, y viviremos.

Si conservarás el recuerdo de las culpas, ¿quién habría, Señor, que se salvara?

Pero de ti procede el perdón, por eso con amor te veneramos. R.

R. Perdónanos, Señor, y viviremos.

Confío en el Señor, mi alma espera y confía en su palabra; mi alma aguarda al Señor, mucho más que la aurora el centinela. R.

R. Perdónanos, Señor, y viviremos.

Como aguarda a la aurora el centinela, aguarda Israel al Señor, porque del Señor viene la misericordia y la abundancia de la redención, y él redimirá a su pueblo de todas sus iniquidades. R.

R. Perdónanos, Señor, y viviremos.

PROFESIÓN DE FE

Creo en un solo Dios, Padre todopoderoso, Creador del cielo y de la tierra, de todo lo visible y lo invisible. Creo en un solo Señor, Jesucristo, Hijo único de Dios, nacido del Padre antes de todos los siglos: Dios de Dios, Luz de Luz, Dios verdadero de Dios verdadero, engendrado, no creado, de la misma naturaleza del Padre, por quien todo fue hecho; que por nosotros, los hombres, y por nuestra salvación bajó del cielo,

y por obra del Espíritu Santo se encarnó de María, la Virgen, y se hizo hombre;

y por nuestra causa fue crucificado en tiempos de Poncio Pilato; padeció y fue sepultado, y resucitó al tercer día, según las Escrituras, y subió al cielo, y está sentado a la derecha del Padre; y de nuevo vendrá con gloria para juzgar a vivos y muertos, y su reino no tendrá fin. Creo en el Espíritu Santo, Señor y dador de vida, que procede del Padre y del Hijo, que con el Padre y el Hijo recibe una misma adoración y gloria, y que habló por los profetas. Creo en la Iglesia, que es una, santa, católica y apostólica. Confieso que hay un solo Bautismo para el perdón de los pecados. Espero la resurrección de los muertos y la vida del mundo futuro. **Amén**

PROGRAMA DE EDUCACION RELIGIOSA**División Domingo**

~ Último día de clases será el 22 de Marzo.

División Miércoles

~ Las clases de Confirmación 2026 Comenzaron de nuevo. ¡Bienvenidos, estudiantes!

División de High School

(clases los Domingos para estudiantes de 15 a 17 años)
~ El día de Confirmación y Primera Comunión será el sábado 11 de Abril, 2026 a las 7pm. El repaso será el Viernes 10 de Abril a las 5:30pm.



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Lent is a season of Prayer, Penance and Almsgiving. During the season of Lent we are all called to embrace penances and to perform works of charity that reflect our desire for conversion of heart. Let us all pray fervently for those Catechumens and Candidates who will celebrate the Easter Sacraments with us this year. May this Lent lead us all to a deeper union in Christ with one another.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION

- Mondays: 6:00 p.m. / Bilingual
- Wednesdays: 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. / English
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. / Bilingual
- Thursdays: 6:00 p.m. / Bilingual
- Saturdays: 3:10 p.m. / English
6:15 p.m. / Bilingual
- Sundays: After the 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. Masses / Bilingual

PENANCE SERVICE

TUESDAY, MARCH 24 - 6:30 P.M. TO 8:30 P.M.

- 6:30 p.m. - Exposition, Adoration, Gospel Reading, and Reflection
- 7:00 p.m. - Stations of the Cross
- 7:30 p.m. - Benediction and Closing Prayer

The Sacrament of Penance will be ongoing throughout the service and will conclude when all have received forgiveness!

FRIDAYS

- 5:00 p.m. - Meatless Meals
- 6:30 p.m. - Stations of the Cross

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SUNDAY DIVISION:

~ Last day of class will be Sunday, March 22nd!



WEDNESDAY DIVISION:

~ Confirmation 26 classes officially started back up on February 25th! Welcome back students!!

HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION: (Sunday classes for 15, 16, and 17 Yr olds)

~ Confirmation and First Communion Day will be on Saturday, April 11, 2026, at 7 p.m. with Rehearsal on Friday, April 10, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.

Please join us in prayer for these expectant mothers in our parish:

Melanie Hoden
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 Ana Ramirez
 Danielle Boyd-Garrett
 Crisbell James

Taylor Holland
 Emily Reed
 Shannon Gartung
 Jacqueline Stark



If you are expecting a baby, we would love to pray for you! Please call the parish office at (615) 459-9672 or email at frontoffice@stluketn.org to be added to the expectant mothers prayer list.

LEGION OF MARY

March 25th. The Solemnity of The Annunciation marks the visit of the angel Gabriel to the Virgin Mary, during which he told her that she would be the mother of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

According to *Luke 1:26*, the Annunciation occurred "in the sixth month" of Elizabeth's pregnancy with John the Baptist.

Our Lady of Light, invites all to pray the rosary every Saturday at 3:30 p.m. before the 4:00 p.m. Mass and Sunday at 7:30 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass. We meet in the cry room. We also pray the rosary every weekday morning after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Weekly meetings Wednesdays at 9:15am. in the Faith Ed. Room B, visitors welcome.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY



Please join us for the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry on Friday, March 27th at 5 p.m. in the social hall for St. Luke's last Lenten meal. We will be serving *Fish, Fries, Hush Puppies, Coleslaw, & Drinks*. The cost will be \$10 per adult and \$5 for children ages 2-12. Serving will begin at 5 p.m. in the social hall and ending at 6:30 p.m. when Stations of the Cross begin. We will accept cash or Venmo at the door.

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

The Women of Faith has a tradition of collecting donations "In memory Of" or "In Honor of" friends or family members. The donated money is used to purchase flowers to decorate our parish for Easter. Donations will begin on *February 21st and will end March 29th*.

PLEASE FOLLOW THE GUIDELINES LISTED BELOW:

Envelopes will be available by the flower box in the narthex

- ~ PLACE your donations in an envelope that is provided by the flower box in the NARTHEX.
- ~ PRINT your name and the names of those to be remembered on the outside of the envelope.
- ~ PUT the envelope in the flower box.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MARCH AWARD WINNERS

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH - RAFAEL PARRA

This award is presented to a Knights of Columbus member who makes significant contributions to the parish, church and local community.

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This award is presented to a parish family that models Christian family values and lives by them every day.

PARISHIONER OF THE MONTH - ADAM AND AMY PARKER

This award is presented to a parishioner who makes significant contributions to the parish, church and local community.



Do you want to *live your faith* in your daily life? Do you desire a *Christian community* with which to share your faith journey? Do you wish to *enrich your relationship with God*? Do you want to be more confident in *sharing your faith* with our secular world? If you answered "yes" to these questions, the upcoming Cursillo retreat may be the right place for you. Upcoming 2026 Mens Cursillo Weekend Men's English Cursillo: October 1-4. For more information please contact Kris Wynn (586) 530-3695, or you can sign up directly at www.nashvillecursillo.com

CHRISM MASS

Bishop J. Mark Spalding of Nashville invites all the faithful of the diocese to the annual Chrism Mass at 6:30 p.m. on the **Tuesday of Holy Week, March 31**, at Sagrado Corazón de Jesús Church in the Catholic Pastoral Center. During the Chrism Mass, Bishop Spalding will consecrate the sacred chrism and bless the holy oils for use in the sacraments and other sacred rites in the coming year.

Diocesan priests will renew their commitment to priestly service, and Bishop Spalding will renew his own dedication as the shepherd of the diocese. Church doors open at 5:30 p.m. A reception preceding Chrism Mass will begin at 4:30 p.m. in Unity Hall at the Catholic Pastoral Center. All are invited. For more information, visit NashvilleChrism.org.

Tuesday of Holy Week | March 31, 2026 | 6:30 p.m.
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Spring Preview at Father Ryan, Tues. April 14, 9:15am-10:45am. - Join us for Spring Preview and experience firsthand why Father Ryan was voted Best High School in Nashville. Visit our 40-acre campus and hear directly from our students about their experiences, with the opportunity to ask questions that matter most to your family. To RSVP, go to: <https://www.fatherryan.org/admissions/junior-irish>

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All are invited to the annual Nashville Marian Conference on **Saturday, April 25**, at Our Lady of the Lake Church in Hendersonville. Participate in a faith-filled day featuring Mass, worship, adoration, confession, and powerful talks from Father Donald Calloway, who will share his remarkable story of conversion and his deep devotion to the holy rosary. Tickets are \$59 per person. To register, visit nashvillemarianconference.com. For more information, email office@ololcc.org.



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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday 3:15-3:50 pm (or following Saturday vigil Mass) and any time by appointment. Call the Parish Office.
SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
The Diocese of Nashville requires a minimum four month preparation period. Contact the office for details.
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