

Saint Luke the Evangelist

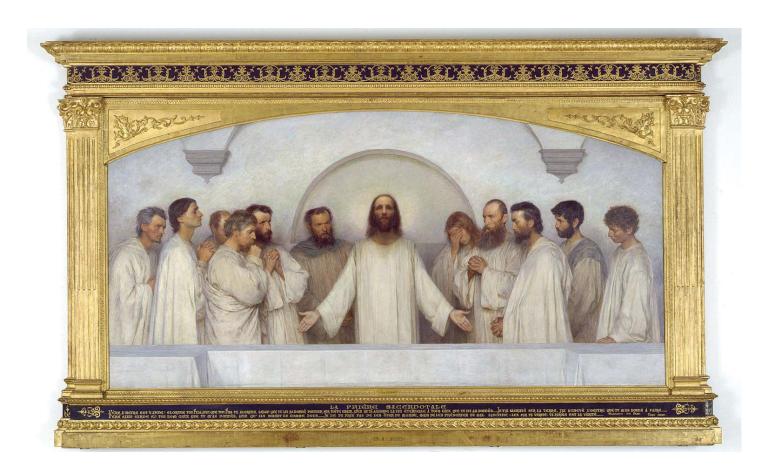
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7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

He raised his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come. Give glory to your son, so that your son may glorify you, just as you gave him authority over all people, so that he may give eternal life to all you gave him."

John 17 1-2



Jesus prays to the Father, asking for His own glorification so that He may glorify the Father, and also asking for the protection of His disciples as they continue His work in the world.

Jesus speaks of the unity between Himself and the Father, and prays for His disciples to be united in the same way.



Saturday, May 20

5:00pm Robert Collins (30thAnv) & Jeanne (Collins) Hawkesworth (5th Anv)

by Diane Collins

Celebrant: Fr. Alex 7:00pm **Spanish** Celebrant: Fr. Bill

Sunday, May 21

7:30am Paul Damiani

by his family

Celebrant: Fr. Diego 9:00am **Steve Nikopoulos**

by St. Luke's

Celebrant: Fr. Diego

11:00am Joseph Opozda

by Farmer family

Celebrant: Fr. Diego

Monday, May 22

9:00am Andrew Kay (Birthday Intention)

by Helen & Dennis Kay

Tuesday, May 23

9:00am Mark Gagnon

by Stan & Clare Tozeski

Wednesday, May 24

9:00am Timothy Kay (Birthday Intention)

by Helen & Dennis Kay

9:00am Souls in Purgatory

by Pat & Paul Horrigan

Friday, May 26

9:00am Bob Thompson, Sr.

by his family

Saturday, May 27

5:00pm Vigil of Pentecost Mass

Celebrant: Fr. Diego

Sunday, May 28

7:30am Thomas Varco

by Tom & Tari Shea

Celebrant: Fr. Alex

9:00am Dec'd Members of Pham family

by their family

Celebrant: Fr. Diego

11:00am Laura & Bill Miller

by their daughter

Celebrant: Fr. Diego

We invite you to pray the Rosary everyday after the 9am weekday Mass Monday through Friday

Please Pray for...

Susan Bailey, Chloe Nascimento, Jonathan Tomashefsky, Brian Howland, Michael LeBlanc, Mary Mahan, Becky Rawson Bev Longime, James Wright, Evelyn Croteau, Beth Lambert, Lynn St. Jean Annabelle Duvane, Shirley DePalma, Agnes Limberger, Zachary Collins, Kupaa Keiley, Tiffany Kelley, Margie Morcone, Sharon Beaulieu, William Fargelli, Stephen & Kimberly Bankcroft, Toby Claufon, Margaret Valis, Dawn Haight, Carol Aloisi, Teresa Putnam, Carmelia Potenti, Courtney Blumberg, Leanne McCann, Ellie Carlson, Jane Burke, Hayleigh Scott, Kellan Keough, Dorothy Clinton, Sr. Pamela Philbin, Karen Mooney, Paul Fallon, Jim Killeen, Luis Ferreria, Helen Galica, Erik Olsen, Vicki Foley, Brendon Crowley, Richard Kane, Grace Roche, Jack Curtin, Jim Bennett, John Lynch, Kathleen Farrar, KirolosGergis, Gregg Merloni, Tome Valadao, Maryann Bisco, Susan Garry, Melvin Boucher, T.J. Bautz, Joan Fallon, Nancy Camp, David Perry, Lucia Engdahl, John Durnan, Linda Darby, Annie Mason, Nancy Santory, Laconya Mobley, Maria Matejko, Gary Wilson, Jr., Debbie Giroux, Kevin & Donna Brennan, Luz Chavez, Joel Rivera, Mary Payant, James Thomas, Christina Narensky, Alyssa Bloom, Ann Martin, Michael Berthuime, Trisha Suzi, Norman Beland, Sofia Shahin, Sarah Cox, Hailie McLatchey, Barbara Auger, Barbara Barnes, George Cabana, Beverly Taylor, Jeanne Amendola, Jack Walker, Daniel Baker Rebecca Coax, Robert Trant, Michael McAndless, Michael Del Pozzo, David Sawyer, Madison Knopf, Claire Kennedy, Susanne Ollman, Frank Sannelli, Pat & John Lusek, Michael Zancewicz, Kristy Cautello, Judy Melfa, Neil Kenny, Joseph Malzone, Lois Kerbel, Michael Turpin, Elise Ollman-Kahle, Patricia Amorelli, Connor Blaney, Debbie Krikler, Austin Tomalewski, Gary Shults, Erin Magrane, George Beecher

Let us remember to pray for all the men and women who are over seas in harm's way.

We remember those who have died

EXPOSITION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT & ADORATION
TUESDAY 9:30AM TO 6:00PM
Divine Mercy Chaplet 3:00pm
Prayers For Sanctity of Life 5:00pm
BENEDICTION AT 6:00PM



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Monday, May 29 Memorial Day

We will have our traditional Memorial Day Mass at St. Luke's Cemetery. The Parade of Veterans starts at our cemetery at 8:30am and Mass will follow at 9am. (If it rains the mass will be celebrated in the church.) The cemetery is on Route 135 going toward Hopkinton.

We thank **Lawrence Orlando** and **Pat Malone** for their hard work preparing the cemetery for Memorial Day. We are blessed in so many ways by their love and dedication to our parish.

INTERNATIONAL POTLUCK DINNER



To celebrate the Feast of Pentecost, St Luke's Parish will be hosting our annual Potluck Dinner in the Parish Center on Saturday, May 27th, immediately following a 5PM Multilingual Mass. We invite all families to join us and to bring a traditional dish from your culture.

This is always a great evening and a wonderful opportunity to meet other parishioners. Please let us know if you are coming by filling out the sign-up sheets found in the vestibule of the church.

If you have any questions, or would like to help, please call Nan Ford/Parish Outreach at 508 366-8509. Thank you!

TOGETHER IN THE SPIRIT

Praise, Worship, Reflection, Prayer Wednesdays 6:00-7:30PM May 24 & 31

Interested in becoming Catholic?



For more information...contact St. Luke's Rectory at 508-366-5502

The Forever Young (St. Luke's Senior Adults) Welcome Seniors



Come join us for the Crowning of the Blessed Mother, Petitions & Rosary Monday, May 22, 2023 9:45 – 11:30 a.m. Parish Center

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to think like my receivers. It's as though we share the same brain and I am throwing the ball to myself. I know exactly where he is running and when he'll get to the point where I will throw the ball. That comes from lots of practice and spending time together." The key to their success came from acting as a team with one mind and one goal.

Jesus prays intensely for the unity of the Church. He knows the Father, has carried out His mission and shared it with the Apostles. Now, Jesus wants them to do the same. He has shown them the Father, given them a mission and wants them to share that message with others. Just as Jesus is one with the Father, He wants His Apostles to be one with Him and with each other. In union with Him, they will be in union with the Father and will be successful in completing the work entrusted to them.

Some people have an attitude that being spiritual is enough or that they do not need a church or community of faith. But Jesus prays for this. He knows that together we will accomplish great things. We will think and love and forgive with the mind and heart and spirit of Jesus. Remaining faithful to the Gospel and to our baptismal promises, we can become who we are called to be: the Body of Christ.

James Gaffney



HOLY Bringing Communion to those in our **Nursing Homes**

Several people have offered to help bring communion to our nursing homes but we communion still need a few more ministers. This is a

wonderful ministry of presence (of self) as well as the presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Time commitment is once a month on a Monday morning from 9am until 12 noon. If interested, please contact our pastoral associate Julie Basque for more information and/or training. 508-366-8509, ext 4 or pastoralassociate@stlukes-parish.org.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Here at St. Luke's, we follow the guidelines of the national charter for the Protection of Children and Young People approved by the US Bishops and the policies of the Worcester Diocese in screening those who work with children in our care and in helping victims of abuse find healing. For questions, information or help please contact Judy Audette, Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Worcester at 508-929-4361 (direct line and confidential voicemail is available).



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Westborough Ecumenical Vacation Bible School registra-🏿 tion has begun! This year, we will have a stellar time going on a cosmic quest to learn about

shining Jesus' light in the world.

VBS will meet Monday-Friday, July 31st-August 4th, from 9am-12pm each day. It is located at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church this year: 183 W. Main Street, Westborough. Each day will include songs, skits, crafts, outdoor games, Bible storytelling, snacks, and lots of fun and laughter with our volunteers and counselors-in-training! The cost for each camper is \$40 (with a family maximum of \$80) if you register by July 3rd. Registration links and more info can be found on St. Luke's website or here: https://forms.gle/ LBitv4rYfiK1Us3a9



Are you available from 6pm – 7pm once a month on a Monday evening? Do you love the Eucharist and enjoy being with others who are in

need? If so, consider joining St Luke's ministry at Whittier Rehabilitation Hospital in Westborough. We will train you to be an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion for Catholic residents who are hospitalized there. Not sure if you would be a good fit? Feel free to shadow one of our ministers and if you desire to move forward, we will continue train you. Commitment is once a month on Monday evenings from 6pm - 7:15 pm. For more information, please contact Julie Basque at pastoralassociate@StLuke's-parish.org, or call 508 -366-8509, ext 4.

Women of St. Luke's Hibachi Dinner

Join us for our end of year event! Hibachi Style Dinner at Sachi Restaurant Wednesday, June 7, 2023, 6:00pm Sachi is located in the Roche Bros Plaza

\$35 per person Cash Bar

All women in the Parish are invited!

Table space is limited and sign up is first come! Sign up by May 31 (or until we fill the tables). To save your spot and arrange payment, please email Susan

at Diamondgirl623@verizon.net or call / text 508.942.7198.

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THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

On behalf of the homeless families who are currently residing at the Extended Stay hotels, thank you from the bottom of my heart for your thoughtful generosity! Every one of these families have babies and small children, so the diapers, wipes, clothing etc were so appreciated...they were overwhelmed with gratitude! Yesterday I spoke with our contact at SMOC and asked about adding to their "Wish List". Because many of these families came here with literally nothing for their ba-



bies, there is also a need for gently used strollers, pack and plays, baby seats, soothing toys, bottles and anything else you think would be helpful. Also, because the need is ongoing, diapers and wipes will continue to be appreciated..

All donations can be dropped off at the Parish Center, 1 Ruggles St, Mon-Thurs 10:00am-6:00pm. For more information, please call the Outreach Office at 508 366-8509, or email outreach@stlukes-parish.org.

As always, thank you for saying yes! Nan Ford/Parish Outreach

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Sunday Ordinary Collection Monthly Month of February 2023 52,242 Month of March 2022 64,652 Month of April 2023 70,761

FAMILY CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT!

TODAY, Sunday May 21, 2023. Registration starts at 12:30 with cornhole bags flying at 1:15pm. Adults cost \$15 ~ Children under 12 cost \$10 Food/ water will be provided and cash bar will be open! Join us at the hall, 17 Willow Street, for an exciting event! If you have any questions please reach out to Council 85 at council 85 knights@gmail.com.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5 PM, in Spanish 7 PM

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:00AM,

11:00AM

Weekday Masses
Monday through Friday,
9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Rectory for information

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday from 4:00 to 4:45PM ~ also by personal request

Reconciliation Room is handicapped accessible

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact a Priest at least six months in advance

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Our extraordinary ministers are always pleased to bring the Eucharist to parishioners who are unable to join us for weekly worship. If you or a family member would like to receive Communion, please call the Rectory. If you know of someone from the parish who is in the hospital, please let us know.



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