



SAINT LUKE THE EVANGELIST PARISH

70 West Main Street ~ Westborough, MA 01581

Second Sunday of Easter ~ Divine Mercy Sunday
April 12, 2026



Our painting presents today's gospel scene of doubting Thomas within a broader Easter context. Divided into three parts, it depicts related events of the season. At the center is the encounter with Thomas, while the left shows Christ's Ascension into heaven and the right portrays the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Beside Thomas, two goldfinches appear—birds known to feed on thistles and thus associated with thorns. They serve as a symbol of Christ's Passion and Crucifixion, offering a quiet reminder that His victory over death comes through suffering.

In all our endeavors may we ... "Know Jesus and Make Him Known"



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Mass Schedule

Saturday 4PM, 6PM (Spanish)

Sunday 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM

Weekday (followed by the Rosary)

9:00 AM Monday through Friday

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

9:00AM Tuesdays after Mass until

6:00PM Benediction

3:00PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

5:00PM Prayers for Sanctity of Life

Sacraments

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call Maria at 508-366-5502 x10 for information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday from 3:00 to 3:45PM and by request. Reconciliation Room is handicapped accessible.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please contact a Priest at least six months in advance.

OCIA - CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

If interested in learning more about or in becoming Christian in the Catholic faith tradition please contact Josh Dion at Joshua.t.dion@gmail.com or 978-807-1631. We welcome all inquirers.

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 Julie at 508-366-5502 X15. If you know of someone from the parish who is in the hospital, please let us know.

New to the Parish

A heartfelt welcome to new members of our parish family! Whether this is your first visit or you're joining us weekly, we are thrilled to welcome you to your new parish home. Be sure to visit <https://stlukes-parish.org/newcomers> or easy sign-up as a parish member with this QR code.



Parish Office Hours Monday - Thursday - 10am - 4:00pm

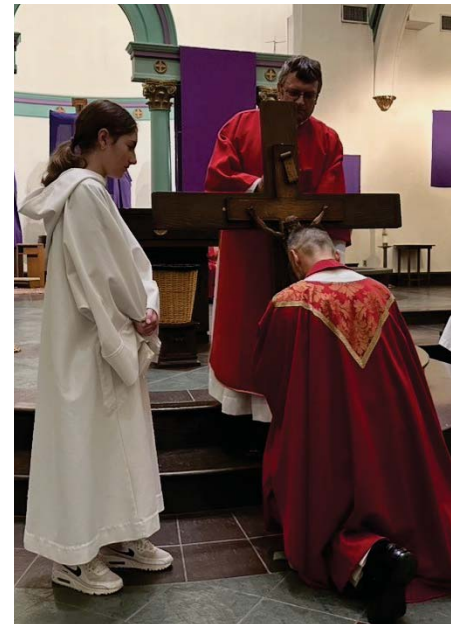
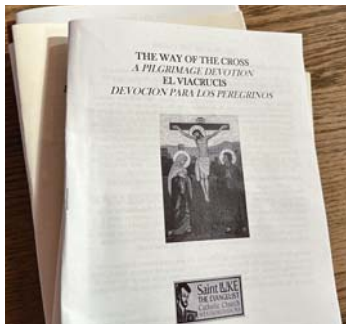
Other hours are available upon request. If you are in need of assistance

Please call Maria at 508-366-5502 x10 or Melissa at 508-366-5502 x16

Holy Thursday - The Last Supper



Good Friday - Stations of the Cross & Passion of Our Lord



Easter Vigil & Easter Sunday “He has risen!”



Congratulations to all our OCIA catechumens and candidates! Thank you to all who supported and participated in our Triduum and Easter Masses! It was a glorious and joy-filled celebration for all!

Divine Mercy Sunday Devotion - this Sunday, April 12th



Although images of the Divine Mercy are now familiar, the devotion originates from a 1931 vision of the Polish nun Sister Faustina. Following her experience, she commissioned an artist to paint the image according to her account. This version above reflects the original painting (restored in 2003 and 2017), depicting the haloed figure of Christ, without clearly visible stigmata, facing the viewer directly. His right hand is raised in blessing, while His left draws back His tunic at the heart. From it emerge two equal rays of red and white light, symbolizing blood and water as described in Faustina’s diary.

Please join us for Divine Mercy Sunday Devotion April 12th ~ 2pm to 4pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament ~ Confession ~ Singing of the Chaplet
Praying the Litany to Divine Mercy ~ Prayerful Offering to God’s Merciful Love

Christ promised extraordinary graces to souls on Divine Mercy Sunday!

“On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day all the floodgates through which graces flow are opened.”

(Diary of St. Faustina, 699)

Prayer Shawl Ministry Meets Tuesday, April 14th



The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets
Tuesday, May 13th
1:00-2:30PM
Room 23 of the Parish Center

Interested in knitting or crocheting prayer shawls, lap robes or afghans for the sick and suffering?
Please join us!

Cannot attend the monthly meetings? Please contact Carol Mulcahy at cmmulcahy@live.com or 508-898-0409 for information and about patterns. Yarn is available at the Parish Center.

New members are welcome!
The need is great for handmade items.

Senior Adult Ministry Gathering Monday, April 27th



Please join us on Monday, April 27
in the Parish Hall at 10am
following the 9am Mass.

Our next Senior Adult gathering will have as our Guest Craig Stine, St. Luke's talented Director of Music. Craig will share the importance of Liturgical Music in the celebration of Mass. We will also test our knowledge of liturgical Hymns with "Name that Hymn." As always, "coffee and" will be served.

Hope to see you there!

Cooks Needed



Seeking cooks to provide a monthly meal for one of our parish families.

Cooks provide a meal once a month on Wednesday evening, rotating with three other people, thus allowing the family to receive a meal once a week. Those who have received meals in the past comment not only on how delicious and helpful the weekly meals are but also the relationships that often develop from just delivering the meal.

If you feel you could join one of our cooking teams and offer a meal once a month on a Wednesday evening, please contact Julie Basque at pastoral.associate@stlukes-parish.org or 508-366-5502 x15.

Reminder: Mailing Address

~ As a Reminder ~

Please send checks to 1 Ruggles St.
Not 70 West Main St. - Thank you!

Mustard Seed Volunteers Needed Friday, May 1st



St. Luke's is serving at the Mustard Seed on Friday, May 1st Please see the following link or scan the QR code below to sign up. Feel free to sign up for one item or multiple if you enjoy cooking.

All food should be delivered hot to the Parish Center parking lot between 3:30-4:00pm on May 1st. (Look for Sean and his red CRV). Any questions? Please call or email Meghan McLoughlin at (978) 807-4625 or Meghan@Biggins.com



Women of St. Luke's \$10K Raffle

It's that time of the year for our BIG \$10,000 Raffle!



5 additional cash prizes!
Door prizes for attendees!

\$100 per ticket (only 200 sold)

On sale: After Masses on April 25/26 & May 2/3
In the Parish Center, Maria's Office
From Mary Christensen at (508) 868-5483

Checks are made out to: St. Luke the Evangelist
Ticket number in Memo

Drawing & Celebration

Friday, May 8 - Doors open at 7pm

Knights of Columbus Hall (must be 21+)

This is our only fundraiser and The money we raise goes towards scholarships to graduating St. Luke's high school seniors as well as many need-based outreach organizations.



Newly Licensed Drivers Blessing



We are excited to celebrate our students who have recently received their driver's licenses! At an upcoming Mass, we will offer special prayers for their safety and guidance as they begin this new chapter of independence. If your child would like to be included, please let Denise Pelkey know. We look forward to blessing them as a parish community!

Faith Formation Registration



Faith Formation classes for the 2025-2026 school year have ended! Many thanks to all who participated! Registration for 2026-2027 will begin in May. More details will follow.

Mass Intentions Week of April 11 - April 19

Mass intentions are a beautiful way to pray for loved ones, living or deceased. To request a Mass, please contact the Parish Office.

Saturday, April 11

4:00pm † **Elena Pucciarelli** by her family

† **Maria Socorro** by her family

6:00pm † **Maria Socorro** by her family (Spanish)

Sunday, April 12—Divine Mercy Sunday

7:30am † **Patrick Blaney** by his family

9:00am † **Margaret Mary Scott**, 1st Anniversary
by her family

† **John McKenna** by his family

11:00am † **Goria Guagnini**, 3rd Anniversary by
Guagnini & Willman families

Monday, April 13 - St. Martin I

9:00am † **Daniel Joseph Coldrick** by Tom
McCarthy

Tuesday, April 14

9:00am † **Charles Lattanzio** by Denise Pelkey &
family

Wednesday, April 15

9:00am † **Harold Kashala** by Prudence Kashala

Thursday, April 16

9:00am † **Anne DiPizio & James Krickovich** by
Carol & Jim Mulcahy

Friday, April 17

9:00am † **Pauline Faherty** by Paula Sparks

† **Norma Scerra** by Kathy & Craig Richov

Saturday, April 18

4:00pm † **Souls of St. Mary's School** by Diane
Gorak

Sunday, April 19

7:30am † **Anthony Putnam** by his family

9:00am **Saudy Xitumul, blessings for** by Liz
O'Malley

11:00am † **Margaret Revene Barry** by her family

Readings Gather Hymnal Page 1066

Parish Prayer Requests

Please pray for Margaret Hanna, Frankie Murphy,
Adrian Marin, Olivia Zerwas, Lisa Sarli,
Amy Conway, Rachael Pearce, Logan Troy



If you would like to add your
loved one to the new list
please contact
Nancy at 508-317-3832

*We pray for those who have died
James Culhane*

Come Let Us Adore Him!

Come and share in the experience of **Eucharistic
Adoration every Tuesday all day
following the 9:00am Mass**

3pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
5pm Respect Life Prayers
6pm Benediction



*"You wanted to stay with us so you left us yourself
in the Sacrament of the Altar, and you opened wide
your mercy to us. You opened an inexhaustible
spring of mercy for us, giving us your dearest
possession, the blood and water that gushed
forth from your heart." - St. Faustina*

Sunday Ordinary Collections

Month of December 2025 \$78,509

Month of January 2026 \$59,923

Month of February 2026 \$68,673

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Online Contributions

Looking to donate to
St. Luke's online? You can
at www.stukes-parish.org
or scan this QR code



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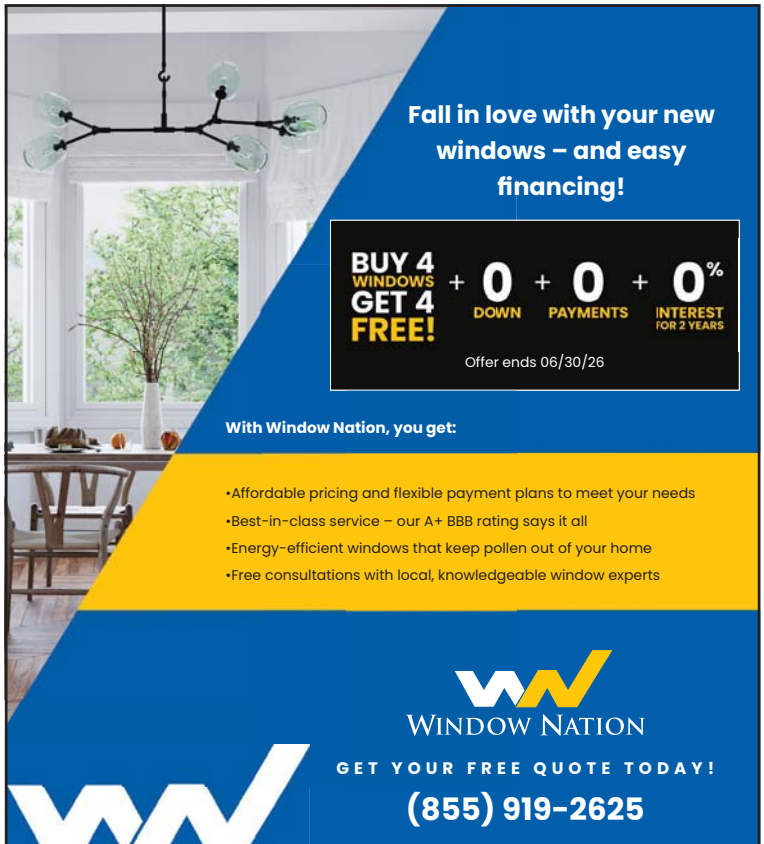
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