

# ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST

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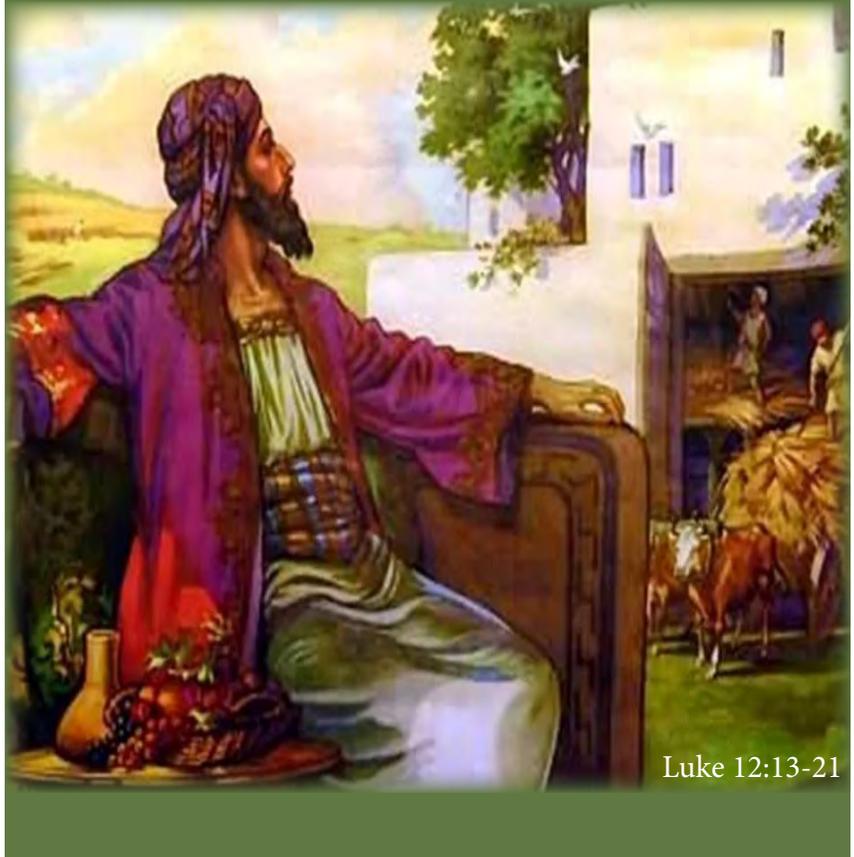
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## 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### AUGUST 3, 2025



Luke 12:13-21

### ***Weekend Mass Schedule:***

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:00 am

### ***Daily Mass Schedule:***

Tues. 5:30 pm, Wed. 12:00 pm, Thurs. 8:30 am,

Fri. 8:30 am, First Sat. 9:30 am

### ***Sacrament of Reconciliation:***

Friday 9:30 - 10:00 am

Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 pm

### ***Parish Office Hours:***

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Closed for lunch 12:00 - 1:00 pm

### ***Bulletin Announcements:***

Due by Friday for the following Sunday bulletin:  
[communications@stlrnc.org](mailto:communications@stlrnc.org)

### ***Baptism:***

Parents must be active and registered in the parish for at least three months prior to the celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism. Please call the Parish Office at 919-848-1533 for more information.

### ***Sacrament of Anointing:***

Please call the Parish Office at 919-848-1533

### ***Marriage:***

Catholic parties should be registered and active parishioners for at least six months before the wedding to allow enough time in the formation of the sacrament. Please contact Barbara Bower at [weddingcoordinator@stlrnc.org](mailto:weddingcoordinator@stlrnc.org) for additional information.

### ***Sacrament of Holy Orders:***

If anyone is discerning a call to the priesthood, please contact the Parish Office at 919-848-1533 for additional information.

12333 Bayleaf Church Road, Raleigh, NC 27614  
[www.stlukesraleigh.org](http://www.stlukesraleigh.org)

Phone: (919) 848-1533  
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***St. Luke's Vision Statement: Joyfully living the Gospel through sacraments, service, and love.***



# MASS INTENTIONS

## SATURDAY, AUG. 2, 2025 *FIRST SATURDAY*

*St. Eusebius of Vercelli, St. Peter Julian Eymard, Blessed Virgin Mary*

9:30 AM For the Intention of Our Holy Mother Church  
by Mesa Famiy  
5:30 PM Vigil Mass Pro Populo

## SUNDAY, AUG. 3, 2025 *18th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM Mass Pro Populo  
11:00 AM Estrelle Cullen (Birthday)  
by Myrna Sands

## MONDAY, AUG. 4, 2025 *St. John Vianney*

No Daily Mass

## TUESDAY, AUG. 5, 2025 *The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major*

5:30 PM †Diane Cicchetti  
by Orfeo & Carren Cicchetti

## WEDNESDAY, AUG. 6, 2025 *The Transfiguration of the Lord*

12:00 PM Bruce & Denise Beaudoin  
(65th Wedd. Anniv.)  
by Jay & Peg Brizendine

## THURSDAY, AUG. 7, 2025 *St. Sixtus II and Companions St. Cajetan*

8:30 AM †Donna Cicchetti  
by Orfeo & Carren Cicchetti

## FRIDAY, AUG. 8, 2025 *St. Dominic*

8:30 AM †Marie Louie  
by Stephen Hill

## SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 2025 *St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross Blessed Virgin Mary*

5:30 PM Vigil Mass Pro Populo

## SUNDAY, AUG. 10, 2025 *19th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM Mass Pro Populo  
11:00 AM Mass Pro Populo

# PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR

## SATURDAY, AUG. 2, 2025 *FIRST SATURDAY*

*St. Eusebius of Vercelli, St. Peter Julian Eymard, Blessed Virgin Mary*

**FIRST SATURDAY MASS.....9:30 AM**  
**RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM**  
**ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM**  
**VIGIL MASS.....5:30 PM**

## SUNDAY, AUG. 3, 2025 *18th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....8:00 AM & 10:30 AM**  
**MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**

## MONDAY, AUG. 4, 2025 *St. John Vianney*

**MAGNIFICAT MOMS PLAYGROUP (OFFSITE)..10:00 AM**  
**LEGION OF MARY.....6:30 PM**

## TUESDAY, AUG. 5, 2025 *The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major*

**REGNUM CHRISTI (WOMEN).....9:30 AM**  
**EVENING MASS.....5:30 PM**  
**REGNUM CHRISTI (MEN).....6:30 PM**  
**OPUS DEI (MEN'S GROUP).....7:00 PM**

## WEDNESDAY, AUG. 6, 2025 *The Transfiguration of the Lord*

**NOON MASS.....12:00 PM**  
**KofC COUNCIL MEETING.....6:30 PM**

## THURSDAY, AUG. 7, 2025 *St. Sixtus II and Companions St. Cajetan*

**MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM**  
**LADIES BIBLE STUDY.....12:30 PM**

## FRIDAY, AUG. 8, 2025 *St. Dominic*

**MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM**  
**ADORATION.....9:00 AM**  
**RECONCILIATION.....9:30 AM**  
**BENEDICTION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT...4:00 PM**

## SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 2025 *St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross Blessed Virgin Mary*

**RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM**  
**ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM**  
**VIGIL MASS.....5:30 PM**

## SUNDAY, AUG. 10, 2025 *19th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....8:00 AM & 10:30 AM**  
**MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM**  
**SACRAMENT FAMILY MEETING.....9:45 AM**

ADORATION OF  
THE EUCHARIST:

FRIDAYS 9AM - 4PM



### SCAM ALERT

Scammers are once again sending fake emails to parishioners. You will NEVER get a solicitation email from our Pastor, Staff or Bishop asking for a "favor" or for emergency help in the form of money. Please do not open or click on these emails — mark them as spam or delete them right away.

## WEEKLY READINGS: AUG. 3-10

**Sunday 8/3:** Ec 1:2; 2:21-23 / Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17 / Co 3:1-5, 9-11 / Lk 12:13-21

**Monday 8/4:** Num 11:4b-15 / Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 / Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday 8/5:** Num 12:1-13 / Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 / Mt 14:22-36

**Wednesday 8/6:** Da 7:9-10, 13-14 / Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 / 2 Pet 1:16-19 / Lk 9:28b-36

**Thursday 8/7:** Num 20:1-13 / Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 / Mt 16:13-23

**Friday 8/8:** De 4:32-40 / Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21 / Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday 8/9:** De 6:4-13 / Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 and 51 / Mt 17:14-20

**Next Sunday 8/10:** Wis 18:6-9 / Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 / He 11:1-2, 8-19 / Lk 12:32-48

### Altar Flowers



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### Mary's Corner

*"There is no sinner in the world so lost and sunk in sin, that Mary would abhor him and reject him. If such would seek her aid, this good mother could and would reconcile them to her Son, and obtain for them pardon."*

-Louis de Blois

Please Pray For Our Family, Our Friends  
and Our Parish

If you'd like to add or remove a name from our prayer list, please email [communications@stlrnc.org](mailto:communications@stlrnc.org).

Names are kept on the list for 3 weeks.  
Contact us to extend or update. Thank you!

### Liturgy & Prayer

Adoration	Mary Kate Travers	919-528-1068	mktravers@nc.rr.com
Altar Flowers	Carol Blando	919-427-3865	ccblando@gmail.com
Altar Linens	Joan Beebe	316-347-9060	arkg14@yahoo.com
Altar Preparers	Beverly Weiland	919-454-7136	baweiland@gmail.com
Altar Servers	David Sofra	919-847-9978	dsofra@bellsouth.net
Eucharistic Ministers	Virginia Todd	Please Email	vtodd1789@gmail.com
Mass Coordinator	Randi Ostack	919-559-7745	rgo@nc.rr.com
Ministers of Hospitality	Luke Masinick	919-971-8155	luke.masinick@ushadvisors.com
Prayer Line	Teres Scofield	919-412-6542	teres.scofield@gmail.com
Readers	Jim Mooney	510-774-5613	mooney.james.e@gmail.com
Live Streaming	Joe Jacobs	919-400-6327	jjoe.ja@gmail.com

### Outreach

Bereavement	Parish Office	919-848-1533	Please Call
Catholic Parish Outreach	Ken Low	919-397-4018	Please Call
G.I.F.T.S.	Peggy Miller	501-762-1635	peg.miller@outlook.com
Habitat for Humanity	Randy Giggard	919-637-1893	randygiggard@gmail.com
Homebound	Call Parish Office	919-848-1533	Please Call
Hospital Ministry	Jeanne Rodriguez	919-434-5017	jeanner517@gmail.com
Nursing Home Ministry	Rick Beebe	919-418-0845	bbgunrtb@yahoo.com
Respect Life	April Sullivan	Please Email	wfsullivans@gmail.com

### Community Life & Facilities

God's Housekeepers	Dan Schubert	919-847-0282	dan.molly@att.net
Knights of Columbus	Rick Beebe	919-418-0845	bbgunrtb@yahoo.com
Parish Library	Allison Coates	612-418-8201	Please Call
Wedding Coordinator	Barbara Bower	919-841-2202	weddingcoordinator@stlrnc.org

### Evangelization

Legion of Mary	Tammy Huffman	919-744-6998	Please Call
OCIA Coordinator	Dcn. Mike Sanchez	Please Email	dcnmikes7@gmail.com

### Pastoral Council

Dave Olechovsky	stlukepc@gmail.com	919-420-7410
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### Finance Council

Andy Kleitsch	akleitsch@gmail.com	919-274-9766
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## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

### Those Who Are Sick:

Michael Lewis, Bill Schultz, Jeanette Schultz, Benjamin Fitzharris, Peter Kraehenbuehl, Walt Ostack, Daniel Ritchie, Terry Miner



### Repose of the Soul:

John Lefebvre

### Those Who Are Actively Serving In The Military:

Nathan Thomas, Brendon Burns, Bret Marrow, Brad Miller, Lane Wade, Madeline Chafin, Nico Muzo, James Boland, Caroline Todd

# Parish Finance Report

August 2, 2025

Our Parish Website:  
[www.stlukesraleigh.org](http://www.stlukesraleigh.org)

## FY25-26 Weekly YOY

Current Year (FY 2026)		Prior Year (FY 2025)		Difference	
July	Total 2025	July	Total 2024	\$ YOY/WK	% YOY
6th	18,966.70	7th	20,455.31	(1,488.61)	-7%
13th	13,255.13	14th	13,977.76	(722.63)	-5%
20th	16,768.27	21st	17,678.00	(909.73)	-5%
27th	15,762.13	28th	11,674.35	4,087.78	35%
28-31	0.00	29th-31st	3,198.23	(3,198.23)	-100%
Total	64,752.23	Total	66,983.65	(2,231.42)	-3%

If you have moved recently, please let us know by emailing [secretary@stlrcn.org](mailto:secretary@stlrcn.org) so we can update your records .

Thank you!

### Offertory Counting Ministry

Volunteers Needed!

If you are called to help, please contact Cyndy Aremia by email :

[Accountant@stlrcn.org](mailto:Accountant@stlrcn.org) or call between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. weekdays: 919-848-1533 .Thank you for your prayerful consideration of joining our team.

### 2025 BAA @ St Luke

*Ways to Give:*

*Cash or Check*

*Please process Online any*

*Pledge/Direct Debit/Credit Card*

[Givetobaa.org](http://Givetobaa.org)

2025 Goal \$146,555.85

## Love, Serve, and Give Generously This Summer!

Our Church offers Online Giving as an additional option to support our ongoing mission, ministries, and programs. Your Generosity and support make our church's work possible!

Make donations and payments to our church via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer.

Set up your gift today or consider an additional gift via our Online Giving Link by visiting our website [stlukesraleigh.org](http://stlukesraleigh.org) (click on Give).

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Cyndy Aremia in the accounting office.

**Thank you for your continued support!!**

# At St. Luke's



## St. Luke's Knights Host Bridge Day

On July 25th, our St. Luke's Knights of Columbus Council 12455 held a Bridge Day at the 540/Six Forks crossing. The goal was to display banners promoting our parish's commitment to LIFE and raise awareness for important life issues.

Eleven volunteers dedicated eight hours holding banners that read, "Abortion takes a human life," for drivers to see from both directions of 540. Overall, we estimated over **36,000 people** passed our signs during that time—about **75 cars per minute**. Many drivers showed their support with honks and waves, with only a few negative responses.

St. Luke's Knights host this event every year to represent our parish's commitment to LIFE.

### Tentative Upcoming Events for St. Luke's Council 12455:

- **Aug 20** – Knights Exemplification Ceremony
- **Aug 24** – Pancake Breakfast

Parishioners are encouraged to reach out if you wish to become more involved as a **financial supporter** or **member** of our council.

**St. Luke's Council 12455**  
Grand Knight Rick Beebe

919-418-0845  
[stlukekgk12455@gmail.com](mailto:stlukekgk12455@gmail.com)



## St. Luke's Field Project: Construction Has Begun!

**\*\*Please use extra caution when entering and exiting our parking lot during this exciting time.\*\***

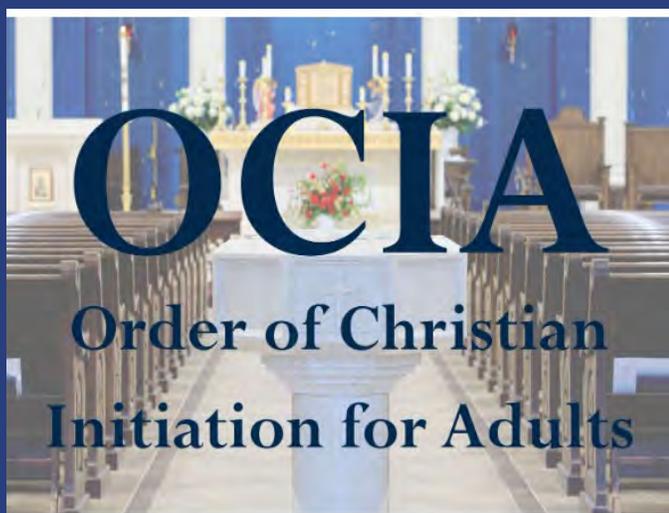
We're thrilled to share that after a couple of years of planning, multiple bids, and awaited permits—St. Luke's Field Project officially broke ground on **Monday, July 7th!**

Over the next **6 weeks**, you may notice increased noise and activity as our dream comes to life. We appreciate your patience and understanding as work continues.

### So, what exactly is the Field Project?

We're building a **community pavilion** that will feature picnic tables perfect for hosting outdoor events—including our beloved **Annual Parish Picnic!** We're also adding a **shed** to safely store Youth Group play equipment and, if budget allows, we hope to **expand our playground** after the field is cleaned and ready.

Stay tuned for updates and photos as the project progresses. Thanks for being part of this wonderful next chapter at St. Luke's!



## Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Join us to learn more about Catholicism and entering full-communion with the Church.

**Wednesdays**  
**6:30p.m.-8:00p.m.**  
**Beginning in September**

Contact:  
Lydia Tatum ([DRE@STLRNC.org](mailto:DRE@STLRNC.org))  
or  
Cecile Hosey ([cawalc@gmail.com](mailto:cawalc@gmail.com)) - Inquiry

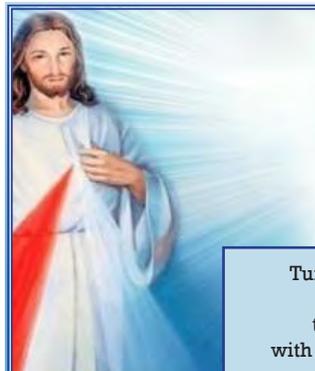
## CATHOLIC PARISH OUTREACH St. Luke's Month-Long Targeted Food Drive AUGUST'S FOOD TARGET:



### Bags of Dried Beans

(1–2 pound bags preferred)

A donation box is in the lower gathering space.



**DIVINE  
MERCY  
RADIO  
540AM**

Tune-in to Divine Mercy Radio 540AM  
on Friday, August 18 at 3:00p.m.  
to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet  
with our St. Luke's VBS Youth and Children

# At St. Luke's

## St Luke's Sacrament Prep

First Holy Communion Years 1 & 2 and Confirmation Years 1 & 2

**Beginning September 2025**

**Register by attending Sacrament Prep Family Meeting**  
Sunday, August 11 at 9:45a.m. or Monday, August 12 at 6:30p.m.

Questions: Email Lydia Tatum at [dre@stlrc.org](mailto:dre@stlrc.org)



### SAFE ENVIRONMENT RENEWAL

Each year from 9/15-9/15, it is time for Safe Environment Training renewal. If you have taken the INITIAL SAFE ENVIRONMENT COURSE, you will receive an email inviting you to renew (check all email folders). If you did not receive this email, and feel you should have, please email a message to [SET.support@raldioc.org](mailto:SET.support@raldioc.org) or call 1-866-535-7233.

If this is your first time taking the Diocese of Raleigh Safe Environment Training, please contact Katja Mulligan at [faithassistant@stlrc.org](mailto:faithassistant@stlrc.org) for further instruction.



### Elementary Faith Formation

Kindergarten-5th Grade

**Sundays at 9:45a.m.**

**Beginning September 7, 2025**

**REGISTER NOW THROUGH 8/31**

**\$70/child for up to 3 children; additional children at no cost**

<https://www.osvhub.com/stlukesraleigh/forms/2025-26--sancti-simus>

### Marian Family Faith

### Formation Activity

*Sunday, August 17 at 9:45a.m.*

*in the Parish Hall*

All Families are invited to join us as we celebrate two Marian feasts—The Assumption of Mary and The Queenship of Mary—with a Donut Rosary Feast, Coffee, Crafts, and Family Prayer!!



# Around the Diocese

Join us for our 8th Annual  
"Drive Out Hunger"  
Golf Outing!



**REGISTER NOW!** [CatholicCharitiesRaleigh.org/golf-2025](https://CatholicCharitiesRaleigh.org/golf-2025)

Early Bird Registration ends May 2  
Sponsorship Opportunities Available

*Benefitting Catholic Charities food pantries across the Diocese of Raleigh*

**Save the Date**  **Monday 08.04.25**



"Knock and the door will be opened to you." Discover the amazing plan God has for you and your marriage on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on Oct 24-26, 2025 in EMERALD ISLE, NC and Aug 29-31, 2025 in Wheaton, MD. Early sign up is recommended. For more information visit our website at: <https://NCMarriageDiscovery.org> or contact us at [applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org](mailto:applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org) or 704-315-2144.



## Spiritual Exercises

These retreats for women 16+ are preached by the priests of *Miles Christi*, according to the method and the principles of St. Ignatius of Loyola.

Apart from the spiritual talks and time for prayer, each day there will also be Holy Mass, Holy Rosary, and opportunity for confessions.

This retreat will start on Monday at 4 pm and conclude on Wednesday at 5 pm.

As experience has shown throughout the centuries, the *Spiritual Exercises* have proven to be an excellent means of conversion and sanctification. In addition, the Magisterium of the Church has commended them numerous times.

From: August 25, 2025, 4:00 PM

To: August 27, 2025, 5:00 PM

Address: **The Catholic Conference Center, 1551 Trinity Ln, Hickory, NC 28602**

Email : [northcarolina@spiritualexercises.net](mailto:northcarolina@spiritualexercises.net)

Phone : 248-596-9677

**Registration End Date:** August 18, 2025



## Rooted in Prayer

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Gather with us to unearth your God-given dignity through a faith-filled encounter.

**Friday Evening, September 5th**

**Stations of the Cross with Sacred Art and SoulCore. Dessert social to follow.**

**Saturday, September 6th**

**Return for a full-day retreat. Topics will include Rooting your Identity in Christ & Growing in Faith by praying with and creating religious art.**

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### Requiescat In Pace

Monsignor Jeffrey A. Ingham, V.F.  
December 2, 1947 - July 29, 2024

Eternal rest grant unto Msgr. Ingham, O Lord,  
and let Your perpetual light shine upon him.

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful  
departed rest in peace.

"... Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you  
were faithful in small matters, I will give you great  
responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy."

Matthew 25:21

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