

ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST

CATHOLIC CHURCH COMMUNITY

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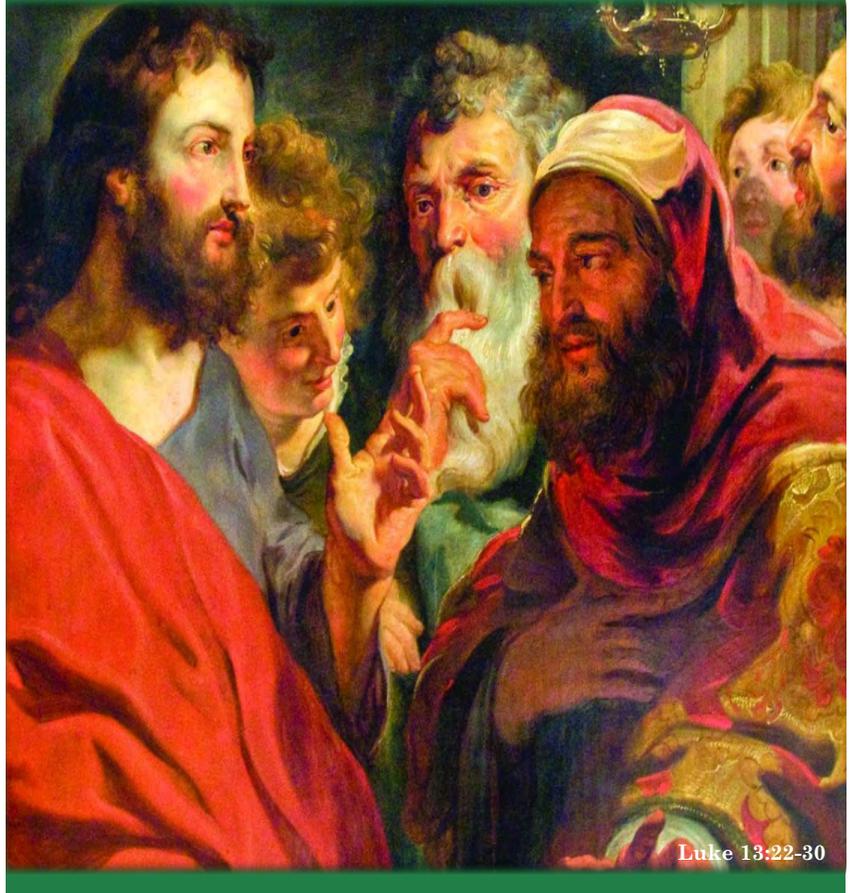
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21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 24, 2025



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

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 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.

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St. Luke's Vision Statement: Joyfully living the Gospel through sacraments, service, and love.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, AUG. 23, 2025 *St. Rose of Lima Blessed Virgin Mary*

4:00 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Vigil Mass Pro Populo

SUNDAY, AUG. 24, 2025 *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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

MONDAY, AUG. 25, 2025 *St. Louis, St. Joseph Calasanz*

No Daily Mass

TUESDAY, AUG. 26, 2025

5:30 PM Tony & Lily Winstead
by Leonard & Sharon Nelson

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 27, 2025 *St. Monica*

12:00 PM Maggie Come
by Theresa Liell-Cava

THURSDAY, AUG. 28, 2025 *St. Augustine*

8:30 AM †Peter Hyde
by Michael & Marianne Durham

FRIDAY, AUG. 29, 2025 *The Passion of St. John the Baptist*

8:30 AM †Lawrence Erwin Martin
by Lambertus Family

SATURDAY, AUG. 30, 2025 *Blessed Virgin Mary*

4:00 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Vigil Mass Pro Populo

SUNDAY, AUG. 31, 2025 *22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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

PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, AUG. 23, 2025 *St. Rose of Lima Blessed Virgin Mary*

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

SUNDAY, AUG. 24, 2025 *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time*

ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
KofC PANCAKE BREAKFAST.....9:45 AM

MONDAY, AUG. 25, 2025 *St. Louis, St. Joseph Calasanz*

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

TUESDAY, AUG. 26, 2025

EVENING MASS.....5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 27, 2025 *St. Monica*

NOON MASS.....12:00 PM

THURSDAY, AUG. 28, 2025 *St. Augustine*

MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM

FRIDAY, AUG. 29, 2025 *The Passion of St. John the Baptist*

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

SATURDAY, AUG. 30, 2025 *Blessed Virgin Mary*

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

SUNDAY, AUG. 31, 2025 *22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
YOUTH GROUP COFFEE & DONUTS.....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. 24-31

Sunday 8/24: Is 66:18-21 / Ps 117:1, 2 / He 12:5-7, 11-13 / Lk 13:22-30

Monday 8/25: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10 / Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b / Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday 8/26: 1 Thes 2:1-8 / Ps 139:1-3, 4-6 / Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday 8/27: 1 Thes 2:9-13 / Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab / Mt 23:27-32

Thursday 8/28: 1 Thes 3:7-13 / Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17 / Mt 24:42-51

Friday 8/29: 1 Thes 4:1-8 / Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12 / Mk 6:17-29

Saturday 8/30: 1 Thes 4:9-11 / Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9 / Mt 25:14-30

Next Sunday 8/31: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 / Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11 / He 12:18-19, 22-24a / Lk 14:1, 7-14

Altar Flowers



With love for the memories of my Mom and my sister Helen

Donated By

Diane Johnston

Liturgy & Prayer

Adoration	Mary Kate Travers	919-528-1068	mktravers@nc.rr.com
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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	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@stlinc.org

Evangelization

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

Pastoral Council

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Mary's Corner



"The Rosary is a veritable school of Christian life. It is a reminder of the Gospels, a guidebook to virtue and a source of grace."

- extract from *The Secret of the Rosary*

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those Who Are Sick:

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



Repose of the Soul:

Edward Yatta

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

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@stlinc.org.

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

Parish Finance Report

August 24, 2025

Our Parish Website:
www.stlukesraleigh.org



Upcoming Second
Collection

September 7th

Catholic
University of America

Love, Serve, and
Give
Generously This
Summer!

Offertory Counting Ministry

Volunteers Needed!

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

Accountant@stlrc.org or call be-
tween 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. weekdays:
919-848-1533 .Thank you for your
prayerful consideration of joining our
team.

Online Giving

If you would like to give online using
your credit card or through ACH,
please visit our Parish website:
stlukesraleigh.org (click on Give) to
sign up and get started! Thank you!!

If you have moved recently,
please let us know by

Emailing:

secretary@stlrc.org

Thank you!

FY25-26 Weekly YOY					
Aug-25		Aug-24			
67,652.23		66,983.65			
Current Year (FY 2026)		Prior Year (FY 2025)		Difference	
Aug	Total FY 2026	Aug	Total FY 2025	\$ YOY by WK	% YOY
3rd	20,943.88	4th	15,078.25	5,865.63	39%
10th	19,787.05	11th	19,775.00	12.05	0%
17th	17,433.13	18th	20,930.00	(3,496.87)	-17%
24th	0.00	25th	12,969.89	(12,969.89)	-100%
31st	0.00	26th-30th	2,082.00	(2,082.00)	-100%
Total	58,164.06	Total	70,835.14	(12,671.08)	-18%
Thru Aug 25	125,816.29	Thru Aug 24	137,818.79	(12,002.50)	-9%

Budget Comparison		
Aug-25	Mo Budget	83,967.17
	Actual	58,164.06
	Over Under	(25,803.11)
	YTD Budget	167,934.34
	YTD Actual	125,816.29
	Over/Under	(42,118.05)
	Budget	-25.08%

At St. Luke's



PARISH PICNIC PLANNING!!

SEEKING PICNIC PLANNING COMMITTEE!!

We're looking for fresh ideas and entertainment.

Please call the Parish Office to join our team at (919) 848-1533

Parish Knights of Columbus Family of the Month



Pencina Family



Burger Bash

Sunday, September 14

4:00 - 6:00 pm

St. Luke's



Families of Middle Schoolers and High Schoolers Welcome!

Come for games, community and so much more!

Parents are encouraged to attend the parent's meeting from 4:15 to 4:30 to discuss this year's topics and materials:
The Saints

Youth Ministers:
Conor Mulligan | Nick Aremia
Youth.Ministry@stlmc.org

Flocknote:



Feast of the Assumption Mass



Feast of the Assumption Mass



Tune in to FaithWorks – Saturday, August 30, 2025

Join us this upcoming **Saturday, August 30**, on **FaithWorks**, immediately following the **Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 p.m.**, as **Ellen White** sits down with parishioners **Bill and Michelle Wolf** for a powerful conversation on faith, suffering, and hope.

Bill and Michelle share their remarkable journey through illness, spiritual renewal, and God's grace at work in their marriage. From discerning the priesthood and pursuing adoption, to enduring multiple surgeries and discovering the transforming power of prayer, their story is a moving testimony of how God meets us in our most difficult moments.

Whether you're walking through your own struggles, questioning how to pray, or simply seeking encouragement, you won't want to miss this inspiring episode.



CROCHETERS AND KNITTERS



St. Luke's Gifts Ministry (Gathering in Friendship to Stitch) will resume meeting each Thursday beginning September 18th from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in the St. Nicholas Room at St. Luke's. Some Gifts Ministry members do their needlework at regular meetings; others prefer to work exclusively from home. Just bring your 'tools': hooks, scissors or knitting needles, etc., and we provide the yarn.

Please come join us as we gather to crochet and knit special blankets that receive a pastoral blessing. These hand-made items are given to babies baptized at St. Luke, to nursing homes in the area, and to outreach programs such as Project Linus, Make A Wish, etc.

Please contact Peggy Miller with any questions at: peg.miller@outlook.com or TEXT at (501) 762-1635

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.

SEPTEMBER'S FOOD TARGET WILL BE CANNED PASTA SAUCE (No glass jars, please!)

At St. Luke's



Elementary Faith Formation

Kindergarten-5th Grade

Sundays at 9:45a.m. Beginning September 7, 2025

\$70/child for up to 3 children;

additional children at no cost

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



Classes Begin September 10, 2025

Wednesdays—6:30p.m.-8:00p.m.

Interested in Learning more about the Catholic faith?

Join us this year whether you are an inquirer and new to Catholicism or you simply would like a refresher course!

Inquiry: Cecile Hosey cwalc@gmail.com

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The Case for Jesus featuring Dr. Brant Pitre

Enrollment Forms Due September 1, 2025

"For well over a hundred years now, many scholars have questioned the historical truth of the Gospels, claiming that they were originally anonymous. Others have even argued that Jesus of Nazareth did not think he was God and never claimed to be divine."

"In **The Case for Jesus**, Dr. Brant Pitre, the bestselling author of **Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist**, goes back to the sources—the biblical and historical evidence for Christ—in order to answer several key questions, including:

Were the Gospels Anonymous? Are the Gospels Biographies? When Were the Gospels Written?

Did Jesus Claim to Be God? What is the evidence for the Crucifixion and Resurrection of Jesus?"

"Brant Pitre is Distinguished Research Professor of Sacred Scripture at the Augustine Institute ... received his Ph.D. in New Testament and ancient Judaism from the University of Notre Dame. He teaches, writes and lectures on Scripture, with an emphasis on the Jewish roots of Christianity."

Please join us!!!

Participant Name(s) _____

Email address: _____

Phone number: _____

The Case for Jesus Workbook & Online Access: \$25.00 per

participant # of Workbooks ____ X \$25.00 = ____ TOTAL

Make Checks Payable to St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church

Fall Session: The Case for Jesus

09/16/2025 - 11/18/2025 (Break on 10/21)

8:45a.m.— Fellowship with Bagels & Coffee!

9:15-11:00a.m.— Bible Study Session

CHRISTMAS POTLUCK 12/09/2025

Spring Session: TO BE DETERMINED

Details will be announced in November/December

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPTION: <https://www.osvhub.com/stlukesraleigh/forms/tmbs-fall2025>

Around the Diocese



St. Rose of Lima
Feast Day: August 23

About St. Rose of Lima:

St. Rose of Lima was the first canonized saint of the New World and is most well known as the patroness of Latin America and the Philippines.

Her real name was Isabel, but she was so beautiful that she was called Rose.

As Rose grew up, her beauty became an issue for her because she did not want her beauty to be a temptation to people around her. One day, her mother put a wreath of flowers to show off her beauty but Rose didn't want to be admired for her beauty because she had given her heart to Jesus. So, she put a pin into the floral wreath and pierced her head deeply. Another time, she rubbed her face with pepper until it was red and blistered to make herself less beautiful.

Scan the QR code to read the full story and pray this novena.



ST. BARTHOLOMEW

The Roman Catholic Church celebrates the feast of

St. Bartholomew on August 24th. He is recognized as the patron of bookbinders, plasterers, butchers, tanners and shoemakers, and is the patron saint of Armenia, where a thirteenth century monastery bears his name.

Scan the QR code to read the full story and pray this novena.



SEASON THREE
LOVE UNVEILED

In this season, we will explore what it means for us, as women, to represent the identity of Christ's bride to the world. This relationship is marked by joy and intimacy, but also, like any relationship, it includes moments of failure, heartbreak, and the need for restoration. As we journey together, we will delve into the depths of Christ's love for His Bride, discovering the beauty of reconciliation and the grace that heals and strengthens us. Prepare your heart to be pursued by the Lord in a way that deepens your love for Him, invites your soul to heal, and fortifies your relationship with Christ.

 HEATHER KRIM Co-Founder of Life Women's Ministries & Co-Host of Abiding Together Podcast	 KATIE HARTLIEB Cancer Coordinator, She Shall Be Called Ministries	 MARY BELSKI Speaker, Evangelist, & Life Coach
 DEBBIE HERBECK Founder of the Laurel Ministries, First Birth Child Camp	 STEPHANIE REGITZ Founder of Saint Cecilia's, Hope Ministries	 RACHEL BULMAN Author & Speaker
 EMILY SIMPSON CHAPMAN Bible Study Author	 ALI HOFFMAN Catholic Evangelist & Artist	

DISCOVER CHRIST'S LOVE

EACH SESSION OFFERS:

ENCOUNTER: "SHE inspires me for the week ahead and helps to keep me on track with my faith and daily prayer time."

MESSAGE: "I appreciate that a personal relationship with Jesus is central to each video presenter. This series is excellent!"

FELLOWSHIP: "I really felt heard and listened to by the other ladies in my small group, and I enjoyed growing spiritually with other women."

PROGRAM INFORMATION:
Monday evenings starting September 8
Our Lady of Lourdes Church
Fallon Center, Raleigh, NC

SCHEDULE:
7:00 pm Fellowship
7:30 pm Video Presentation
8:00 pm Small Group
8:30 pm Dismissal

REGISTRATION:
Scan the QR code to register!
or Contact Lulu Miranda
919-341-7848
mirando@gmail.com

SEASON FOUR
RESTORED to RADIANCE
COMING THIS SPRING



SAVE THE DATE

St. Michael Feast Day Celebration

We are planning a joyful celebration to honor our parish patronal feast day.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

- ✓ Bilingual Mass at 4:00PM
- ✓ Food Trucks
- ✓ Inflatables & Games
- ✓ Live Music
- ✓ Learn More About Our School & Preschool
- ✓ All are Welcome

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

stmichaelcary.org

Surviving Divorce

HOPE AND HEALING FOR THE CATHOLIC FAMILY

"Surviving Divorce: Hope and Healing for the Catholic Family" is based on the teachings of the Catholic Church. It is a twelve week program that offers confidential insight during this painful time. Open to anyone seeking comfort, counsel and clarity before or after a divorce.

The cost for registration is \$35.

For more information, please contact:
Debbie Locke
919-612-9550
debbie7yankees7@gmail.com

Weekly on Thursdays
September 11- December 15, 2025
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Fallon Center Room 202

To sign up, please send an email to Debbie Locke or use the QR code to register through the website. Payment can be made through the website. If you prefer to pay by check, Please write "Surviving Divorce" in the subject line





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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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