

ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST

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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 Wednesday 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 call the Parish Office at 919-848-1533 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.

St. Luke's Vision Statement:

Joyfully living the Gospel through sacraments, service, and love.

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, APR. 11, 2026 Easter Saturday

5:30 PM †Joan Tullo
by Greg Tullo

SUNDAY, APR. 12, 2026 2nd Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

8:30 AM †Kathy Burns
by Kevin Burns

11:00 AM Mass Pro Populo

MONDAY, APR. 13, 2026 St. Martin I

No Daily Mass

TUESDAY, APR. 14, 2026

5:30 PM †Gertrude Gemmell
by Robert Michaud

WEDNESDAY, APR. 15, 2026

12:00 PM †Anthony & Leocadia Przytulski
by Phyllis Przytulski

THURSDAY, APR. 16, 2026

8:30 AM †Al Przytulski
by Phyllis Przytulski

FRIDAY, APR. 17, 2026

8:30 AM †Chuck Helberg
by Paul & Christine Panzl

SATURDAY, APR. 18, 2026

5:30 PM †Stephanie Ann Mulligan
by Tyler & Katja Mulligan

SUNDAY, APR. 19, 2026 3rd Sunday of Easter

8:30 AM Mass Pro Populo

11:00 AM †Nathan Kimble
by Higgins Family

PARISH WEEKLY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, APR. 11, 2026 Easter Saturday

RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM
ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM
VIGIL MASS5:30 PM

SUNDAY, APR. 12, 2026 2nd Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)

ROSARY BEFORE MASS...8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
DIVINE MERCY FAMILY ACTIVITY.....9:45 AM
ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION.....9:45 AM
YOUTH GROUP.....12:15 PM
DIVINE MERCY SERVICE & CHAPLET...3:00 PM

MONDAY, APR. 13, 2026 St. Martin I

LEGION OF MARY.....6:30 PM

TUESDAY, APR. 14, 2026

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY (TMBS)...9:15 AM
EVENING MASS.....5:30 PM
CHOIR PRACTICE.....6:30 PM
SCHOLA PRACTICE.....7:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, APR. 15, 2026

NOON MASS.....12:00 PM
OCIA.....6:30 PM
WEDNESDAY IN THE WORD.....6:30 PM

THURSDAY, APR. 16, 2026

MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM
GIFTS.....9:30 AM

FRIDAY, APR. 17, 2026

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

CPO TRUCK AFTER ALL MASSES OF 4/18 & 4/19

SATURDAY, APR. 18, 2026

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP.....7:30 AM
ALTAR SERVER TRAINING & RETREAT....9:00 AM
RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM
ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM
VIGIL MASS.....5:30 PM

SUNDAY, APR. 19, 2026 3rd Sunday of Easter

ROSARY BEFORE MASS...8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
ELEMENTARY FAITH FORMATION.....9:45 AM

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.

ADORATION OF
THE EUCHARIST:

FRIDAYS 9AM - 4PM



WEEKLY READINGS: APR. 12-19

Sunday 4/12: Act 2:42-47 / Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 / 1 Pet 1:3-9 / Jn 20:19-31

Monday 4/13: Act 4:23-31 / Ps 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9 / Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday 4/14: Act 4:32-37 / Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5 / Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday 4/15: Act 5:17-26 / Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 / Jn 3:16-21

Thursday 4/16: Act 5:27-33 / Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20 / Lk 3:31-36

Friday 4/17: Act 5:34-42 / Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 / Jn 6:1-15

Saturday 4/18: Act 6:1-7 / Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 / Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday 4/19: Act 2:14, 22-33 / Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 / 1 Pet 1:17-21 / Lk 24:13-35

If you would like to:

- Remember a loved one (living or deceased)
- Help celebrate a special birthday
- Honor an anniversary

Please consider donating flowers for our beautiful altar by signing up on the flower calendar located in the hall near the elevator.

Thank you and God Bless

Liturgy & Prayer

Adoration	Mary Kate Travers	919-528-1068	mktravers@nc.rr.com
Altar Flowers	Carol Blando	919-427-3865	cbblando@gmail.com
Altar Linens	Joan Beebe	316-347-9060	arkg14@yahoo.com
Altar Preparers	Beverly Weiland	919-454-7136	baweiland@gmail.com
Altar Servers	Brian & Brittany Makely	919-630-4517	stlrasministry@gmail.com
EMHC Ministry	Virginia Todd	Please Email	vtodd1789@gmail.com
Mass Coordinator	Randi Ostack	919-870-0757	Please Call
Ministers of Hospitality	Chris Mitta	919-219-1780	chris.mitta@lpl.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	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	Theresa McCaffrey	919-619-1541	respectlifestlrc@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	OPEN	919-848-1533	Please Call

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	919-621-1778
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Andy Kleitsch	akleitsch@gmail.com	919-274-9766
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Mary's Corner

"You must not rely on your own skill or your natural talents, on your own repute or the protection of mem, you must have recourse to Mary and rely on her help alone."

*- St. Louis Marie de Montfort,
The Reign of Jesus through Mary*

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@stlrc.org.

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

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS



Those Who Are Sick:

Carolyn Barbarito, Peter Le, Daniel Ritchie, Joseph Rothengast Sr., Jessica Messmer, Cathy Jenkins, Jeanette Schultz, Tom Bowker, Bill Wolf

Repose of the Soul:

Those Who Are Actively Serving In The Military:

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

Parish Finance

April 12, 2026



2026 BAA UPDATE (04/01)

Our Goal \$153,893.18

***Committed \$91,326.00**

****Donors 149**

***59% of our goal**

****19% of our total
(784) Households**

FY24-25 Weekly YOY					
Feb-26		Feb-25			
699,780.97		692,416.77			
Current Year (FY 2026)		Prior Year (FY 2025)		Difference	
March	Total 2026	March	Total 2025	\$ YOY/WK	% YOY
1st	14,985.88	2nd	19,705.96	(4,720.08)	-24%
8th	17,479.52	9th	14,722.71	2,756.81	19%
15th	15,495.79	16th	15,076.88	418.91	3%
22nd	15,952.00	23rd	18,854.13	(2,902.13)	-15%
29-Palm Sunday	13,880.53	30th-31st	13,224.70	655.83	5%
30-31st	3,640.00			3,640.00	
Total	81,433.72	Total	81,584.38	(150.66)	0%
Thru 03-2026		Thru 03-2025			
781,214.69		774,001.15		7,213.54	0.93%

Budget Comparison	
	Mo Budget 83,967.17
Mar-26	Actual 81,433.72
	Over Under (2,533.45)
	YTD Budget 755,704.53
	YTD Actual 781,214.69
	Over/Under 25,510.16
	Budget 3.38%



Upcoming Second Collection

Catholic Home Missions Appeal

April 26, 2026

Catholic Communication Campaign

May 17, 2026

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!!

Offertory Counting Ministry

Volunteers Needed!

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

Accountant@stlrnc.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.

AT ST. LUKE'S



Eucharistic Adorers Needed

One hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament at St. Luke's on Fridays.

For more information or questions, please contact Mary Kate Travers at mktravers@nc.rr.com or (914) 548-1614.

ST LUKE THE EVANGELIST • FEED-A-FAMILY FOOD DRIVE

NEXT WEEKEND--Food will be collected in the parking lot before and after all Masses.

No time for shopping? Make your **CHECK** payable to Catholic Parish Outreach, and give it to a volunteer at the CPO truck during the food drive **OR use your phone to donate!** Stop by the CPO truck and use your phone to **securely donate using your credit card or Apple Pay**. Thanks to food donations & CPO's volume buying power, a **donation of \$55 feeds family for one week.**

- CPO is the largest food pantry in the Triangle, serving an average of 10,600 people per month
- Clients are eligible to receive a week's worth of groceries every 30 days
- In FY 2025 CPO distributed 2.4 million pounds of food
- 80% of CPO's food is donated

ST. LUKE'S SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP

Symbolon: The Faith of the Church -Episode #4
Saturday, April 18th 7:30 AM through 9AM

Come and experience the impact of the Holy Spirit during our gathering!

A time for fellowship... A time for discussion...
A time to Seek and Find God in our lives!



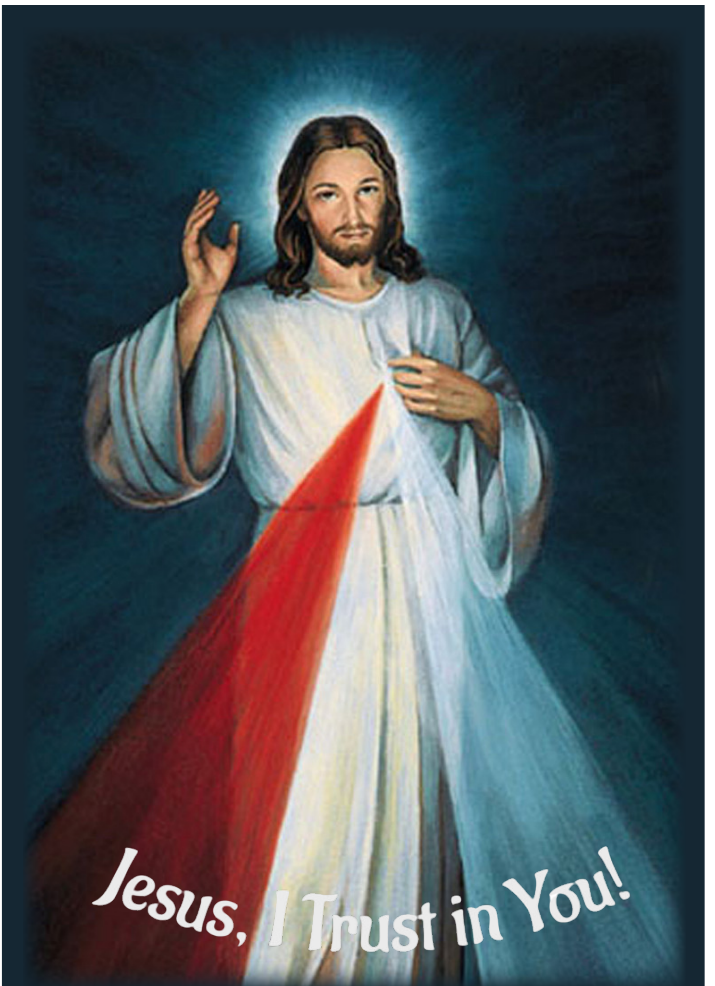
ST. LUKE'S RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Have you ever wanted to support the pro-life movement but weren't sure how?

Join the **St. Luke Respect Life Ministry** and discover simple ways to raise awareness and help those in need. You can be part of a Respect Life team serving our community through various pro-life events and outreach.

For more information, please contact Theresa McCaffrey at respectlifestlnc@gmail.com.

"Every life is a gift and has something unique to contribute to the world."— Pope Francis



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Eternal Father, I offer You
the Body and Blood,
Soul and Divinity of Your
dearly beloved Son,
Our Lord Jesus Christ in
atonement for our sins and
those of the whole world.

AT ST. LUKE'S



FAMILY DIVINE MERCY

activity

Sunday, April 12 at 9:45a.m.

*All families are invited to a Potluck
Brunch and Family Activity to celebrate
Divine Mercy Sunday!*

*Bring your favorite Eastertide Breakfast Item
and celebrate with your St. Luke's Family!*



CHILDREN & YOUTH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

2026-2027

**Elementary Catechesis & Sacrament Prep
Re-Enrollment Opens April 12**

**for all families currently enrolled in First Holy
Communion Prep, Confirmation Prep, or Elementary
Catechesis**

**Parishioner-Only General Enrollment will Open May 17*

YOUTH Group

UPCOMING DATES

- 4/12—Youth Group
- 4/26— Youth Group
- 5/ 3—Youth Group
- 5/17—Last Youth Group of the Year!

St. Luke
CATECHISM CAMP
Marvelous Light
 WALKING WITH JESUS IN THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES

June 22-26, 2026

8:30a.m.-12:10p.m.

Tracks Are **FULL!**
WAITLIST OPEN

YOUTH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Youth Volunteer
Registration



Contact Lydia for More Details: DRE@STLRNC.ORG



Interested in Learning more about the Catholic
faith and walking the OCIA journey?
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Inquiry: [Cecile Hosey cawalc@gmail.com](mailto:Cecile.Hosey.cawalc@gmail.com)

AROUND THE DIOCESE



RALEIGH DEANERY FORMATION DAY

The New Apostolic Age: Challenges and Opportunities
Responding to the Church's Call to Missionary Discipleship

A Day of Formation for Clergy, Parish Staff, Catechists, and Volunteers

THURSDAY, APRIL 23
9:30 AM - 2:30 PM



St. Michael the Archangel | Conference Center Gallery
830 High House Road, Cary, NC 27513

PRESENTER

Friar Timothy Kulbicki

Pastor and Campus Minister at the Newman Catholic Student Center Parish at UNC-Chapel Hill. A Church historian, he has also held seminary leadership roles in Baltimore and served at his order's General Curia in Rome.

WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

A day of reflection and formation focused on missionary discipleship in today's Church. Explore the challenges and opportunities of this new apostolic age and gain pastoral insight to strengthen evangelization and ministry in your parish.

DETAILS

Cost \$20 (includes lunch).

Registration by Wednesday, April 6



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Project Rachel Support Group

Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreat (June 12-14, 2026)

If you desire healing from a past abortion, you are invited to experience the love of Jesus Christ at a Project Rachel weekend retreat June 12-14, 2026, in the Raleigh area. The weekend retreat is strictly confidential, for both women and men and includes discussions, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service, and a Mass of the Resurrection. Participation offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness, and compassion. For more information or to register for the retreat, contact Project Rachel at: project.rachel@raldioc.org or call (919) 852-1021.



Courage is a Roman Catholic apostolate which ministers to persons, both men and women, who experience same-sex attractions and desire support to live the Catholic Church's teaching on chastity. The local chapter of Courage in the

Diocese of Raleigh can be reached at courage@couragenc.org, or 984-900-3212.

EnCourage is a related program for the loved ones – parents, siblings, spouses, or children – of persons who experience and act on same-sex attractions. These chapters meet separately from Courage chapters, but with similar aims to devote their whole lives to Christ and the life of grace, and so to be a good example to their loved ones and to the world.

The local chapter of EnCourage meets monthly and can be reached at encourage@couragenc.org, or 984-900-3212.



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THE HOPE OF THE RESURRECTION

Christ is truly risen! Alleluia! Today too the Church continues to make the same joyful proclamation. Christ is truly risen! These words are like a cry of joy and an invitation to hope. If Christ is risen, St. Paul notes, our faith is not in vain. If we have died with Christ, we have risen with Him: we must now live as risen people...

Everyone needs this saving Word: to everyone the risen Lord brings it personally.

Dear Parishioners, share this message of hope with those you meet at home, in school, at the office, in the workplace. Reach out especially to those who are alone, who are suffering and in precarious conditions, the sick and the marginalized. To each and every one of them proclaim: Christ is truly risen!

~Pope Saint John Paul II

Homily at the Roman Parish of St. Stephen Protomartyr,
April 26, 1998



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