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 email weddingcoordinator@stlrnc.org or 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, NOV. 7, 2026 *FIRST SATURDAY*
Blessed Virgin Mary

9:30 AM ✝John Evans
by The Stanton Family

5:30 PM ✝Joan Tullo
by Greg Tullo

SUNDAY, NOV. 8, 2026 *32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM ✝Annalisa Overstreet
by Friends of File Family

11:00 AM Mass Pro Populo

MONDAY, NOV. 9, 2026 *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

No Daily Mass

TUESDAY, NOV. 10, 2026 *St. Leo the Great*

5:30 PM Angus & Phillip Tatum (Baptism)
by Mom & Dad

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11, 2026 *St. Martin of Tours*
Veterans Day

12:00 PM ✝Theodore V. Pasko
by Robert & Sheryl Michaud

THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 2026 *St. Josaphat*

8:30 AM ✝Cathy Gooch
by Woodburn Family

FRIDAY, NOV. 13, 2026 *St. Frances Xavier Cabrini*

8:30 AM ✝Joseph Pagnozzi
by Randi Ostack

SATURDAY, NOV. 14, 2026 *Blessed Virgin Mary*

5:30 PM ✝Jim Schulte
by Jeanette & Cy Miller

SUNDAY, NOV. 15, 2026 *33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 AM Mass Pro Populo

11:00 AM Mary Kate Travers
by Michael Travers



Parish Weekly Calendar

SATURDAY, NOV. 7, 2026 *FIRST SATURDAY*
Blessed Virgin Mary

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP.....7:30 AM
KofC VETERANS APPRECIATION BREAKFAST....9:00 AM
FIRST SATURDAY MASS.....9:30 AM
LEAGUE OF ST. MARTIN.....10:30 AM
RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM
ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM
VIGIL MASS (ALL SAINTS DAY).....5:30 PM

~ CPO TRUCK (AFTER ALL MASSES Nov. 7&8) ~

SUNDAY, NOV. 8, 2026 *32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

ROSARY BEFORE MASS...8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
ELEMENTARY CATECHESIS.....9:45 AM
YOUTH GROUP.....12:30 PM

MONDAY, NOV. 9, 2026 *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

LEGION OF MARY.....6:00 PM

TUESDAY, NOV. 10, 2026 *St. Leo the Great*

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

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11, 2026 *St. Martin of Tours*
Veterans Day

NOON MASS.....12:00 PM
ADULT CATECHESIS.....6:30 PM
OCIA.....6:30 PM

THURSDAY, NOV. 12, 2026 *St. Josaphat*

MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM
GIFTS.....9:30 AM
PARISH POTLUCK TALKS.....6:00 PM

FRIDAY, NOV. 13, 2026 *St. Frances Xavier Cabrini*

MORNING MASS.....8:30 AM
ADORATION.....9:00 AM
RECONCILIATION.....9:30 AM
BENEDICTION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT..4:00 PM
FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT.....6:00 PM

SATURDAY, NOV. 14, 2026 *Blessed Virgin Mary*

RECONCILIATION.....4:00 PM
ROSARY BEFORE MASS.....5:00 PM
VIGIL MASS.....5:30 PM
COFFEE & DONUTS/COOKIES AFTER MASS

SUNDAY, NOV. 15, 2026 *33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

ROSARY BEFORE MASS...8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
MASSES.....8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
COFFEE & DONUTS/COOKIES AFTER ALL MASSES

Weekly Readings: Nov. 8-15

Sunday 11/8: Wis 6:12-16 / Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 / 1 Thes 4:13-18 / Mt 25:1-13

Monday 11/9: Ezek 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 / Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 / 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 / Jn 2:13-22

Tuesday 11/10: Tit 2:1-8, 11-14 / Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29 / Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday 11/11: Tit 3:1-7 / Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6 / Lk 17:11-19

Thursday 11/12: Phil 7-20 / Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 / Lk 17:20-25

Friday 11/13: 2 Jn 4-9 / Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18 / Lk 17:26-37

Saturday 11/14: 3 Jn 5-8 / Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 / Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday 11/15: Pro 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 / Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 / 1 Thes 5:1-6 / Mt 25:14-30

Altar Flowers



In honor of those who have served and protected the United States of America.

Thank you and God bless you.

Liturgy & Prayer			
Adoration	Mary Kate Travers	914-548-1614	mktravers@nc.rr.com
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Mass Coordinator	Randi Ostack	919-870-0757	Please Call
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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
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God's Housekeepers	Dan Schubert	919-847-0282	dan.molly@att.net
Knights of Columbus	Bill Wolf	919-637-3270	bwolfmba@aol.com
Parish Library	Allison Coates	612-418-8201	Please Call
Wedding Coordinator	Parish Office	919-848-1533	weddingcoordinator@stlrnc.org
Evangelization			
Legion of Mary	Tammy Huffman	919-744-6998	Please Call
OCIA Coordinator	Dcn. Mike Sanchez	Please Email	dcnmikes7@gmail.com
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Dave Olechovsky	dfolech@gmail.com	919-621-1778	
Finance Council			
Andy Kleitsch	akleitsch@gmail.com	919-274-9766	

Mary's Corner



"Because Mary is above and before anything else a mother, it is not enough to call her Immaculate and to declare that she is the greatest of women. All these things come after the fact that she is the mother, first of Our Lord and then of all mankind."

- Servant of God Frank Duff

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.

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:

Daniel Ritchie, Jeanette Schultz, Bill Wolf, Tom Bowker, Joseph Messmer, Joe Rothengast, John Loeffler, Pete Bowker, Sharon Nelson, Brian Conaghan, Joe & Marie Spicchiali, Wyatt Cole Price, Suzanne Daigneault, Doris May, Carol Koster, Myrna Sands, Carol Rispoli, Connor McCaffrey

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, Henry Tolocka, Kolbe Flood, Isaac Flood

Parish Finance

November 8, 2026



All Souls Day envelopes are available in the Upper and Lower Gathering Spaces. Please return them by placing them in the offertory baskets or by bringing them to the Parish Office. During the entire month of November, your envelopes will be kept on the Altar in memory of your loved ones.

2nd Collection – November 15, 2026



What is the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)?

CCHD is the **domestic anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops**.

CCHD works with Catholic dioceses and their bishops to **award grants** to local, low-income community groups working to address the **causes of poverty**. By helping the poor to participate in the decisions and actions that affect their lives, CCHD **offers a hand up**, not a hand out, helping people and communities overcome injustice, escape poverty and build bridges of solidarity.

Envelopes are in the Upper and Lower Gathering Spaces. Please place your donations in the baskets as they are passed during Masses.
Thank you!

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL
DIOCESE of RALEIGH

Let's increase our donor participation.

Thank you for your participation in this year's BAA. Currently, we have reached our goal BUT the year isn't over!

We are at 33% parishioner participation.

Please see below for ways to contribute. Every donation helps this important Appeal.

WAYS TO GIVE

- **One-Time Gift –** Singular Withdrawal (Donation processed same day)
- **Sustainer/Recurring Gift** – Ongoing monthly withdrawal with no end date; continues through each annual campaign. (Withdrawn on your selected date)
- **Make a pledge** – Commitment of a total donation over predetermined monthly installments in the current campaign year. (Withdrawn on the 1st day of the month)
- **Pledge Payment** – Single Payment on an existing pledge. (Donation processed same day)
- **Stock donation, QCD Donor Advised Fund**

These are done online at the following website:
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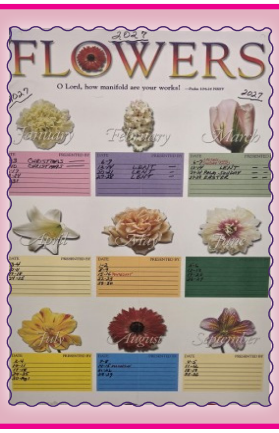
**** When donating, please make sure you note that you are giving on behalf of St. Luke's, Raleigh. ****

YTD Offertory Budget	
YTD FY 27	339,618.00
As of 10/30/26	319,481.79
Over/Under	(20,136.21)
Budget	-5.93%

At St. Luke's

Reflection on the 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time calls people to seek wisdom, stay prepared, and trust in God's promises. The readings offer guidance on how to live with purpose and readiness. Wisdom is available to those who seek it, and faith gives strength in times of uncertainty. The parable of the ten virgins reminds people that preparation cannot be borrowed—it must be built through daily choices. These reflections help explore how to apply these lessons in everyday life.



The 2027 Altar Flowers sign-up board is officially open.

If you would like to dedicate flowers in memory, honor, or celebration of a loved one next year, please stop by and claim your dates.

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 **respectlifestlrnc@gmail.com**.

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

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 (919) 548-1614.

Catholic Parish Outreach
2013 Raleigh Blvd., Raleigh, NC 27604
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St Luke the Evangelist Feed-A-Family Food

THIS WEEKEND

FOOD & MONETARY DONATIONS are being collected 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 11,000 people per month
- Clients are eligible to receive a week's worth of groceries every 30 days
- In FY 2025 CPO distributed 2.8 million pounds of food
- 75% of CPO's food is donated

Forgot to bring your groceries today? Bring them next weekend and put them in the ministry closet next to the women's restroom.



At St. Luke's

St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church

Parish Potluck Talks



Second Thursdays at 6:00p.m.
In the Parish Hall
Registration Required
Childcare available

November 12 — Confession as a Spiritual Tonic

Potluck/ Childcare Registration

https://tinyurl.com/stlukepotluck11-26

Family Movie Night

Friday, November 13

Gather up your picnic blankets and lawn chairs, and join our St. Luke families in the field for a movie night!!



Concessions will be available for sale by our St. Luke's Youth Ministry!

**All Proceeds go to support Youth Ministry Activities*

Youth Group 2026-2027

November

8 – Youth Group (12:30p.m.)

13 – Family Movie Night (6:00p.m.)

14 + 15 – Coffee + Cookies/Donuts

After All Weekend Masses

more info:

youth.ministry@stlrnc.org





Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and walking the OCIA journey?

Classes are currently underway!

Inquiry: Cecile Hosey cawalc@gmail.com

Around the Diocese

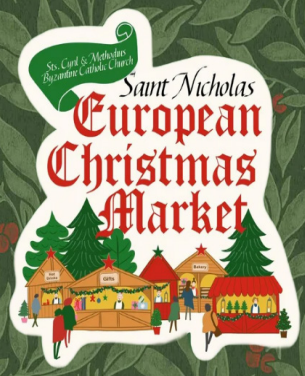
Learn More About the NCSEAA Opportunity Scholarship

Join The Franciscan Schoool on Monday, November 9th, to learn more about the NCSEAA Opportunity and ESA+ Scholarships! Parents for Educational Freedom in North Carolina will be speaking in Founders Room at St. Francis of Assisi Parish from 6:30-7:30pm. If you have any questions, please contact Aerin Stamp at aerin.stamp@stfrancisraleigh.org

The 19th Annual Sts. Cyril and Methodius

ST. NICHOLAS EUROPEAN CHRISTMAS MARKET will be held on Friday, Dec.4 from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM and Saturday, Dec. 5 from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM at the NC STATE FAIRGROUNDS

Questions? Call Sts. Cyril & Methodius (919) 239-4877 or email sscyrilmethodius@gmail.com





The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

November 9



St. Leo the Great

November 10



St. Martin of Tours

November 11



Bay St. Louis, St. Augustine Seminary; Nov 1, 1936

Black Catholic History Month - Nov. 2026

"Faith That Endures: Witness Through Struggle and Hope."

Saturday, November 14, 2026
Holy Cross Catholic Church
2438 S. Alston Avenue, Durham, NC 27713
Time: 10:00AM - 2:00PM

Sunday, November 15, 2026
St. Michael The Archangel
804 High House Rd, Cary, NC 27513
Time: 6:30PM

Registration Required ONLY For Holy Cross Catholic Church By Nov. 9th

Click Link or QR Code To Register:
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AFRICAN ANCESTRY MINISTRY & EVANGELIZATION NETWORK
St. Michael The Archangel Chapter

WE WELCOME ALL OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS OF FAITH to Celebrate Black Catholic History Month!

Join us as we honor the rich history, faith, and contributions of Black Catholics and reflect on their enduring witness of holiness, perseverance, and discipleship.

Featuring Guest Presenter:
Deacon Stephen Pickett of the Diocese of Charlotte.



Reverend Mister Stephen Pickett is a deacon in the Diocese of Charlotte, North Carolina. Ordained to the diaconate on June 10, 2006, he currently serves at Saint Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic Church in Lenoir, NC.

He is a youth evangelist, workshop presenter, preacher, retreat leader and presenter for educational professional development programs. He is also a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated and the Knights of St. Peter Claver.

Deacon Pickett is a product of the Diocese of Raleigh Catholic Schools, the Cumberland County School System and St. Ann Catholic Church in Fayetteville, NC. He holds a Master of Arts in Middle Grades Education from Appalachian State University and a Bachelor of Arts in Social Studies from Fayetteville State University. He is also a graduate of Aquinas Institute of Theology's New Frontiers in Preaching Academy, Mastery in Preaching Certificate Program.

He has been married to the former Deboriah Boyce for 35 years. They have one daughter, one son, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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Advent

· Young Adult Retreat ·

We invite all Young Adults (ages 18-35) to step away from the busyness of the Advent season for a day of prayer, reflection, and fellowship.

Saturday, December 5, 2026
9:00am-6:00pm
St. Mary Magdalene
725 Magdala Pl, Apex, NC 27502

No cost to attend.
Nursing children welcome.
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O God our Creator, from your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as your people and given us the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ. Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society.

We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith.

Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome - for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us - this great land will always be "one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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