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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

JUNE 26, 2022

## WELCOME

Please pray with us, celebrate with us, and walk together with us in faith. We also hope that you will share your special gifts within the community. Your prayers, your presence, welcome to all! May God bless us all.

## CLERGY

Rev. George Villamthanam, Administrator

Rev. Bijoy Joseph, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Frank Hann

## MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAYS - M-F 8:00 AM

WEEKENDS - SATURDAY 5PM

SUNDAY 7:30 AM, 10:30AM, 6PM

HOLIDAYS 8AM AND 7PM

*CONFESSIONS 4:15-4:45*

SECRETARY - JANE THOMAS

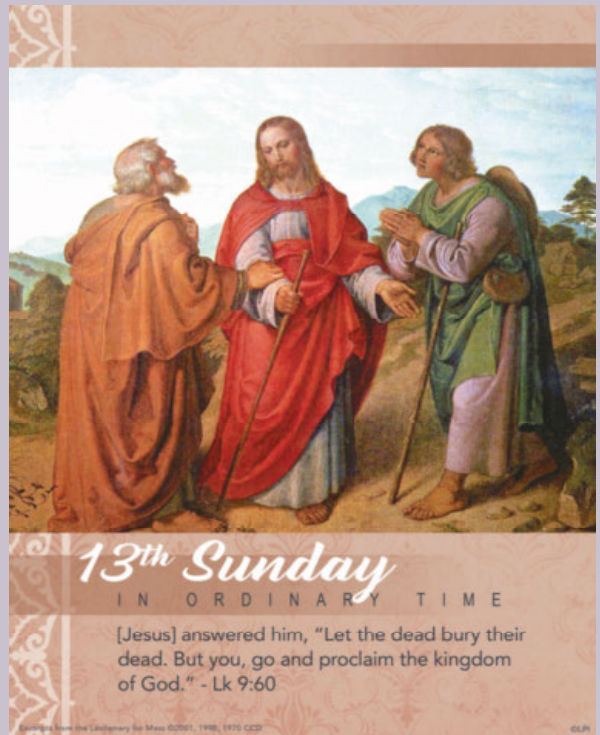
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KIM BOCCHINO , CATECHETICAL LEADER

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## NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the parish office or pick up a yellow Registration form located at either entrance to the church.

## BAPTISMS

Parents are asked to call Deacon Frank at 860-462-8032 to register for the Baptismal preparation. Parents must be registered at St. Luke's.

# CHURCH OF SAINT LUKE LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 5:00PM

+HAZEL HALBACH  
44TH ANNIVERSARY  
R/B MARILYN & PAUL GILBERT

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

7:30 AM +PHILIP CUGNO  
R/B CATHY HOPPERSTAD  
10:30AM FOR ALL ST. LUKES  
GRADUATES  
6:00PM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

MONDAY, JUNE 27 8:00AM

+BILL TENERO R/B ALYCE MAYER

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 8:00AM

+JOSEPHINE SFERRAZZA  
103 BIRTHDAY R/B DONALEE

WEDNESDAY - JUNE 29, 8:00AM

HEALING MASS FOR CHARLES  
MCWILLIAMS

R/B HIS FRIENDS AT ST. LUKE'S

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 8:00AM

HEALING MASS FOR LAURA & JODY  
R/B MOM

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 8:00AM

FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND OF  
THE PARISH

SATURDAY, JULY 2 5:00PM

+HELEN PARKER  
R/B BOB & JEANNE

SUNDAY, JULY 3

7:30AM +LEE TURNER  
R/B CATHY HOPPERSTAD  
10:30AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS  
6:00PM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

Please pray for those who have gone to their Heavenly Father.

Ronald Barbero, Carol McMahon, Terry Kelly, Lisa Heaney, Frederick Bailey, Barbara Kelliher, Gregory DiCioccio, Sr, Jean Brady, Jeannette Hyland, Elbridge Sutton, Christine Deabill-Tiziani, June Breton, Dorothy Manner.

Please pray for those who are sick. Lord, Our God, you sent your Son into the world to bear our infirmities and to endure our sufferings. For your servants who are sick, especially from our Parish Family, we ask that your blessing will give them strength to overcome their weakness through the power of patience and the comfort of hope and that with your aid they will soon be restored to health. We ask this through Our Lord. Amen

Charlie Allen, Wanda Allen, Calista Bailey, Louise Barbero, Jody & Laura Behrendt, Emma Benavivich, James Cairns, Tina Chamberlin, William Coyne, Bob Cresenzi, Jeanne Ferruolo, Sister Guytina, Penny Harrington, Tracy Kearcher, Kathy Larew, Ellen Lohnes, Richard Marcinek, Mark McPartland, Meg Morneau, Jeanne Parker, Beth Ann Phillips, Troy Russell, Briane Scavone, Loren Schuiten, Joan Smith, Eugene & Judy Veillette, Sheila Waterhouse & Morris Webber.

# CHURCH OF SAINT LUKE

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION 2022-2023

Our Faith Formation program runs Kindergarten through Confirmation in Grade 10. We welcome all current and new families with students in these grades. . All new families should call or email Mrs. Bocchino in the Faith Formation office at (860) 875-4951 or [stlukere@gmail.com](mailto:stlukere@gmail.com). Online registration for the 2022-2023 year will begin MONDAY, JULY 11, 2022.

### FAITH FORMATION CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR THE 2022-2023 YEAR!

Have you ever thought of being a Catechist and sharing your faith with the children of our parish? Do you know someone you think would make a great catechist? Would you and a friend like to co-teach a class together? Anyone interested, wanting more information or to learn more and get your questions answered, please contact Kim at (860) 875-4951 in the Faith Formation office.

DEAR JESUS, HELP OUR FAMILY TO NEVER LOSE SIGHT THAT LIVING WITH YOU IN HEAVEN IS THE REAL GOAL. AMEN.

# CHURCH OF SAINT LUKE

## COMMUNITY NEWS



WEEKLY - JUNE 19  
\$ 4,628.00

### 13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love.” (Galatians 5:13)

We like to celebrate that we are free to “live the good life.” We can do what we want, anytime we want, with no regard for laws. But, Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that by imitating Jesus we are freed from becoming a slave to our own self-interests and desires, so that we can serve one another. We are free to share our gifts and promote God’s work on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.

### MISSION STATEMENT

In order to witness as a better Christian Community in this third millennium, we, the members of Saint Luke Parish solemnly resolve to provide a worship and prayerful environment that stimulates the spiritual growth to every individual, to sacrifice time, talent and treasure in gratitude for God’s generous blessings to His greater glory and for the people in need.

\*To promote Christian formation through religious instruction that foster/nurture the spiritual development of our children, our young people and grown-ups.

\*To encourage tolerance, openness, honesty and forgiveness to one another.

\*To promote the virtues of Justice, Peace, and Human dignity that:

- address injustice experienced by all peoples , especially women and minorities;

\_take action to counteract violence in our society and to foster the sacredness of human life from conception to the grave.



St. Luke Marian Divine Mercy welcomes you! Every Monday to Friday at 3pm we meet at church to pray the Novena Chaplet of Divine Mercy. We pray for all our parishioners, those who are suffering any form of physical or mental anguish, for the end to abortion and for peace in our country and our world. We added the stations of the Cross M-F this year. If you choose to join us. please come 20 minutes before 3pm. Please use the side entrance close to the rectory.

# CHURCH OF SAINT LUKE LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER



JOIN US EVERY TUESDAY - 8:30AM TO 9:30AM AND THE FIRST THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 7PM WITH THE DIVINE MERCY PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND DYING.



## CHURCH OF SAINT LUKE LENDING LIBRARY

Look for these GREAT July featured books:

- *Humility Rules* - Saint Benedict's 12-step Guide to Genuine Self-Esteem
- *Monuments, Marvels, and Miracles* - A Traveler's Guide to Catholic America

### 2022 WORLD COMBINED COLLECTION PROGRAM

Last weekend the Combined Collection for World Charities which consists of the following collections: Catholic Relief Services, The Campaign for Human Development, Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, and assistance for The Holy Land was taken up. Your support of these needs of the Universal Church is greatly appreciated. Your envelope can be dropped in the collection box or mailed directly to St. Luke's Church, P.O. Box 246, Ellington, CT 06029. Thank you.

The Monthly Diocesan Pro-Life Mass will take place at the Cathedral of St. Patrick in Norwich on SATURDAY, JULY 2 AT 8:30AM. Please join our celebrant Rev. Walter Nagle at Mass as we pray to end abortion and for the healing for those who have had an abortion. Following the Mass, the Rachel Rosary will be prayed at the Cathedral. A brunch in the Cathedral Hall will follow the Rosary this month.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekend and some on seven weekdays. Couples will explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Frank and Margie Pearson at 860-337-2447 or visit them at <https://www.mectw.org/>.

ACA update as of June 6, 2022: Congratulations to SAINT LUKE PARISH for Surpassing its goal! The current amount donated is \$57,639.38 with 29.07% of our parishioners donating. We are striving for as close to 100% participation as possible. There is still time to donate. Envelopes are at entrances to the church.

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