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17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 24, 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

HOLYDAYS 8AM AND 7PM

CONFESSIONS 4:15-4:45

SECRETARY - JANE THOMAS

Office Hours M-T-W-T 9-1

FAITH FORMATION

KIM BOCCHINO , CATECHETICAL LEADER
860-875-4951 stlukere@gmail.com

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for
Adults - FRANK HANN 860-462-8032



17th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." - Lk 11:9

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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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 - JULY 23, 5:00PM

+ALFIO BONANNO -
8TH ANNIVERSARY
R/B HIS WIFE AND FAMILY

SUNDAY, JULY 24

7:30AM FOR THE SICK &
HOMEBOUND OF THE PARISH
10:30AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS
6:00PM +SARAH MALIEKAL
BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS
R/B HER PARENTS

MONDAY, JULY 25, 8:00AM

+RALPH HALBACH
BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
R/B MARILYN & PAUL GILBERT

TUESDAY, JULY 26, 8:00AM

+CYNTHIA PELLEGRINI JOHNSON
3RD ANNIVERSARY
R/B EARLENE

WEDNESDAY - JULY 27, 8:00AM

HEALING MASS FOR JODY
R/B JANE

THURSDAY, JULY 28, 8:00AM

+ANN MARIE PLUCAS
R/B SUSAN BEERS

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 8:00AM

+MAE TENERO R/B ALYCE MAYER

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 5:00PM

+DONNA HOPPERSTAD HUGHES
R/B CATHY HOPPERSTAD

SUNDAY, JULY 31

7:30AM +FRANK GAETANO R/B THE
FAMILY
10:30AM FOR ALL PARISHIONERS
6:00PM FOR ALL PARISHIONER

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, Veronica Lane, Norma Sojka., Lorraine Kreske.

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.

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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. . Online registration for the 2022-2023 year is open PLEASE register early, visit our website to register today!

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? WE ARE IN NEED OF TWO CATECHISTS FOR THE TUESDAY EVENING SESSION AND ONE FOR THE WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION THIS FALL. 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.

NEW FAMILY AND KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION - Welcome! Our Faith Formation program runs kindergarten through Confirmation in grade 10. We welcome all current and new families with students in these grades to contact the office for registration information and so we can answer any questions you may have. Contact Kim in the Faith formation office at (860) 875-4951 or email stlukere@gmail.com We look forward to welcoming you and your children.

CONFIRMATION 2023 - Summer packets are due no later than Friday, August 5, 2022. Confirmation Candle Mass and retreat will be on Sunday, December 4, 2022. All students and their families should plan to attend the 10:30 Mass. After mass all students will go to the church basement for lunch followed by the Confirmation retreat.

CATHOLIC KID'S BULLETIN & FAITH FUN AT HOME- Parents available at both entrances to the Church are copies of the Catholic Kid's Bulletin! Pick one up for your child - it is full of coloring and activities that tie in with the weekly Gospel. Looking for Faith Activities to do with the kids at home this summer? Check out these websites: www.catholicicing.com/, www.catholicmom.com/ and www.teachingcatholickids.com/

God, thank you for giving our family the gift of one another. Amen.

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WEEKLY AMOUNT FOR JULY
17 WILL BE IN UPCOMING
BULLETIN

17TH Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” LUKE 11:9

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. The truth is that many of us need very little. However, we usually want so much more! Stewardship is simply being grateful for all that we are and all that we have been given, and generously sharing all of our God-given gifts with others. Generosity is a gift that opens doors to new relationships with others and with God.

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.



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Quote taken from: *"The Extraordinary Parents of St. Thérèse of Lisieux"*

ST. LUKE'S ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

We will be having the 20th annual St. Luke's Golf Tournament on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2022 AT ELLINGTON RIDGE COUNTRY CLUB. Blue brochures for this year's outing are at both entrances of the church. Please see the announcement in the bulletin for the tournament brochures to see how you can become a sponsor or sign up to play in this year's tournament.

BLOOD DRIVE - ST. LUKE'S CHURCH - THURSDAY, AUGUST 4
1:00 - 6:00 PM CHURCH HALL.

MATTIE'S TOGS THRIFT SHOP - ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, TOLLAND.
- Are you looking for baby clothes for yourself or for a friend? We at Mattie's Togs on the Dunn Hill side of St. Matthew's Church in Tolland have lots to choose from for only \$5 a bag. We are open on Saturdays from 9-1 and open all summer. We also have clothes for your older children too.

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