July 18, 2021

THE 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



St Luke

9903 Coastal Highway, Ocean City Maryland

 Daily Mass
 9:00am (Mon-Sat)

 Saturday Vigil
 4:00pm, 5:30pm

 Sunday
 8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am, 5:00pm

Holy Days As listed in the bulletin.

Confessions 6-7:30pm Wednesday Following 9:00am Mass

Saturdays by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration 7:30pm Wednesday

First Friday Adoration Every 1st Friday following

9am Mass until 11am

Scripture Discussions Tuesdays following 9am

Mass until 11am.

St. Peregrine Society

Healing Service First Sunday of the Month at 6:00pm

St. Andrew Mission, Open July 3-Sept. 5 14401 Sinepuxent Avenue, Ocean City, Maryland

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm **Sunday** 7:30am

Holy Apostles' Chapel at St. Andrew Remains Closed

Sacraments

For Baptism, Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation, please call the office.

For Matrimony, Couples planning to be married must meet with the Pastor at least one year in advance of the planned wedding.

Religious Education

Call Kim Zarif at the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults(RCIA) is the process in which adults join the CatholicChurch. Contact the office for details.

St. Luke Catholic Parish

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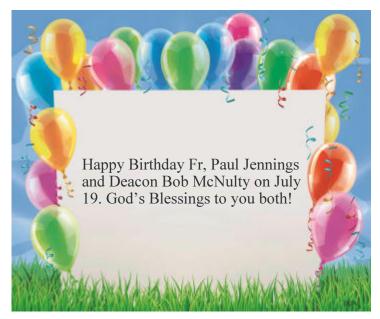
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Parish News





2021 Annual Catholic Appeal

Recently, you were invited to participate in the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal. If you have already provided a gift, thank you for your generosity. If you have not, **please give prayerful and thoughtful consideration** to your resources and the needs of those served by the Annual Catholic Appeal. We have not reached our goal yet we are at 81%. Any gift would be greatly appreciated! Call the office for an envelope.

Scripture Discussions on Tuesdays following the 9 AM Masses to discuss the coming weekend readings has resumed. The discussions will end promptly at 11.

And the winner is.....

The winner of the July 1, 2021 drawing is **Brian Staley of Ocean City** for \$666. Congratulations!. The next drawing will be Thursday, August 5, 2021.

2021 Summer Raffle 50/50 Drawing

Tickets will be sold to benefit St. Luke Catholic Parish

DRA WING RULES

- Three winners will be selected by random drawing of all tickets received (winning tickets go back in the barrel).
- The Pot will be split in half
 (First half goes to the Church,
 Second half will be split three ways).
- The more we bring in the more you will win.
- Need not be present to win.
- No mechanically reproduced entries will be accepted.
- If winner is under 18 years of age, the prize may be assigned to the parent or legal guardian.

Donation: 1 for \$10.00 3 for \$20.00 5 for \$30.00

Because of Diocesan regulations we are required to deduct taxes from winnings.

Drawing: October 3, 2021

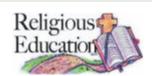
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JULY 18, 2021

Faith Formation Challenge *Answers for last week:*

- 1.(C)-St. Iraneus of Lyons
- 2. (D)-St. Paul the Apostle
- 3. (A)-Swine
- 4. (D)-St. Thomas the Apostle



This week's faith formation challenge:

- 1. In last Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus sent out the '12' and instructed them to:
- **a.** Take nothing for their journey but a walking stick.
- **b.** Take plenty of food and water for the journey.
- **C.** Take extra money to cover unexpected expenses.
- d. Carry an extra sack for souvenirs.
- **2.** In the 12th century a group of hermits living near Mount Carmel dedicated a special Mass and Office in honor of Mary. The title we celebrate in the universal Church is:
- a. Our Lady of the Cenacle
- **b.** Our Lady of the Assumption
- c. Our Lady of Mount Carmel
- d. Our Lady of the Presentation
- **3.** I am a Doctor of the Church and I once said, "Any old woman can love God better than a doctor of theology can." Who am I?
- a. St. Hildegard of Bingen
- b. St. Thomas Aquinas
- c. St. Catherine of Siena
- d. St. Bonaventure
- **4.** I am the first Native American saint and I am the patron saint of the environment and ecology. Who am I?
- a. St. Rose of Lima
- b. St. Kateri Tekakwitha
- c. St. Miguel Frebres Cordero
 - St. Teresa of Los Andes

Are you considering to join us as a catechist? Here are the top 10 reasons why you should!

- 10. You will grow in your own faith, learn the teachings of the Church and deepen you relationship with Jesus.
- 9. Your Baptism calls you to share in Jesus' ministry.
- 8. Children, teens, and adults in today's world, more than ever, need to hear the Good News of Jesus!!
- 7. Children, teens. and adults in today's world, more than ever, need to encounter good role models of faith.
- 6. You have much to share with those you'll teach, and you'll have opportunities to share faith with other catechists.
- 5. Our textbooks offer outstanding support.
- 4. You'll be challenged, you'll have fun, and you'll make new friends.
- 3. You'll be helping people deepen their relationship with Jesus. (You'll be evangelizing!)
- 2. You'll be handing on a 2,000-year-old Tradition that changes lives.
- 1. It's our job: Jesus sent us to 'go and teach all nations.'

If you would like to find out more about this exciting ministry, please email me: kzarif@stlukeoc.com



We are currently accepting enrollment applications for the 2021-2022 school year for students entering pre-K3 through 8th grade. There are limited openings throughout our grades, and we want to extend this information to our supporting parishes. Please call or email Amanda Evans at 410-208-1600 or aevans@mbscs.org, to schedule your tour.



Father Bill Lawler Memorial Mass

A Memorial Mass for Father Bill Lawler will be celebrated at St. Mary's Refuge of Sinners church, 2000 Hambrooks Blvd., Cambridge MD on Saturday, July 31, 2021 at 10:30am. After the Mass, the renovated Daily Mass chapel will be rededicated in honor of Father Lawler. Following the services, the sharing of stories and memories in celebration of his life will continue at a reception in the parish hall. Everyone is invited.

From the Office of Communications:

The best way for a diocese newspaper to "Welcome Our Shepherd" is to produce a 72-page section telling the story of its newest leader and including the joy and reaction of the faithful in the days surrounding his ordination and installation. And that's just what the Dialog has done.

Pick up a copy of the special section in church the weekend of July 17-18 and stay connected with the-dialog.org through this blessed and historic time of history and excitement in the Diocese of Wilmington.

Marriage and Family Life Corner Marriage Moments

Sometimes vacations can be busy and full of visiting people. That's not bad, but is your marriage in need of some quiet time together - just by yourselves?

Parenting Pointers

The internet can be a font of helpful knowledge, but it can also steal family time. Do you have family friendly computer rules, like only after jobs are done and no more than x hours a day?

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The Lord Is My Shepherd (Reflection, PS 23)

Psalm 23 is one of the most familiar Psalms for all Christians. Images of the sheep and shepherd are represented throughout art, music, and regularly printed on prayer cards. The Psalms are our response to God in times of sorrow, joy, thanksgiving, and praise. When we learn to pray with the Psalms, we enter into conversation with God, and by His Word, we hear the voice of our Good Shepherd. Psalm 23 is often sung or recited at funeral celebrations, and reflects our total surrender and dependence on God's goodness and pity on us. It expresses our hope for eternal life, and our need for surrender to God here on Earth. The shepherd is aware of the land on which the sheep graze, leading them from pasture to pasture in search of food; God provides the grace and sustenance for every moment of our lives. In Him we lack for nothing. Trusting in God's Will, He hears and answers our needs with abundant goodness. In our times of distress, fear, anxiety, or loneliness, Jesus longs to meet us where we are and lead us to a place of peace. As we grow in discipleship our reliance on Scripture becomes necessary. Let us ask the Holy Spirit for guidance to read and pray with Scripture. Just as Jesus invited His apostles to come away with Him and rest, He invites us to enter into committed daily prayer and the Eucharist, renewing ourselves to continue the work of the Father. As we find encouragement in the Scripture, especially the Psalms, may we be strengthened to share what God is doing in our lives with others. May we always find our hope in Christ, the Good Shepherd. Michelee Kemp



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Fr. Norm Carroll, www.cdow.org/vocations

ST. LUKE



Monday July 19,2021

9:00AM Eric Thomas Neisser

Tuesday July 20, 2021
9:00AM Harry Cooke
Wednesday July 21, 2021
9:00AM Sebastian Arena

Thursday July 22, 2021

9:00AM Albigini Family

Friday July 23, 2021

9:00AM **Doris Murray Saturday July 24, 2021**

9:00AM Michael Murray

4:00PM Joseph Potter 5:30PM Sam Crimone

Sunday July 25, 2021

8:30AM Patricia C. Drummey 10:00AM The People of the Parish

11:30AM Kara Blatzheim 5:00PM Winnie Valente

ST. ANDREW

Saturday July 24, 2021 5:00PM Linda Rossi Sunday July 25, 2021

7:30AM William Kehoe

The Sanctuary Candle will burn for:

ST. LUKE: Bishop William Koenig

ST. ANDREW The People of the Parish

CHAPEL: Special Intention

The week of July 19, 2021



Readings for the week of July 18, 2021

Sunday Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Monday Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc,-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday Ex 14:21—15:1/Ex 15:8-9, 10 and 12, 17/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28/Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 13:18-23 Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

Please pray for the families and loved ones of the departed who now enjoy the everlasting

Eternal rest grant unto them and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of the faithful

departed rest in peace. Amen

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Seconds on certain items Free coffee, milk and juice

<u>July 25th and August 22nd from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.</u>

Seafood Night

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For Columbus Hall rentals, call Richard at 610-304-9773

After each mass the weekends of 7/31-8/1 and 8/7-8/8 The Knights Of Columbus will be outside church taking donations for persons with Intellectual and developmental disabilities. All proceeds will go to Worcester County Developmental Center in Newark Md which serves persons with those disabilities

Collection Report

July 10/11 FIRST COLLECTION \$18,473 SECOND COLLECTION \$ 2,958

(Diocesan Assessment

The Second Collection today is for **DEBT REDUC- TION.**. We thank you in advance for your generosity.

Next week is for **BUILDING & MAINTENANCE**



Please remember St. Luke's Parish in your will and estate planning

We continue to be extremely grateful for your continued financial support of our Parish; whether by dropping in the basket at Church, mailing your checks or "Online Giving". Thank you!

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www.thejosephhouse.org. The Second Collection on August



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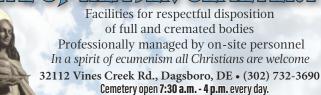
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