

DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION

January 18–Monday

Mass Readings 7:00 a.m.
1 Sm 15:16-23 **Elfreda Wuebben**
Mk 2:18-22 **Alice Weitz**

January 19–Tuesday

Mass Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Sm 16:1-13 **John Vokits**
Mk 2:23-28 **Cleaning Friends**

January 20–Wednesday

Mass **St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr;**
St. Sebastian, Martyr
Readings 7:00 a.m.
1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 **Elsie McKenna**
Mk 3:1-6 **Bob and Donna Scott**

January 21–Thursday

Mass Readings 8:30 a.m.
1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7 **Norma Biersack**
Mk 3:7-12 **Alice Dirksen**

January 22–Friday

Mass Readings 7:00 a.m.
1 Sm 24:3-21 **Charles Bell**
Mk 3:13-19 **Dave and Rosie Dempsey**

January 23–Saturday

Mass **St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr**
Readings 5:30 p.m. **and St. Marianne Cope, Virgin**
2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 **Salvatore Clarino**
Mk 3:20-21 **St. Luke Craft Group**

January 24–Sunday

Mass Readings **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00 a.m. **Melissa Predieri**
Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 **Aunt Sallie and the Marberger Family**
1 Cor 12:12-30 **10:00 a.m. Josie Lipari**
or 12:12-14, 27 **Mary Ann Toney**
Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21 **12:00 p.m. For The Parish**



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JANUARY 10, 2016

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP

January 9 and January 10 - Week # 28

Regular

\$ 27,349.95
\$ 692,311.01

Weekend Total - Week # 28
Yearly Total - Week # 28

Total Holy Days

\$ 30.00
\$ 125.00
\$ 190.00
\$ 45,502.38

Immaculate Conception
Christmas
Solemnity of Mary
Total Holy Days - Week # 28

Regular & Holy Days

\$ 737,813.39

Total Week - # 28

Budgeted

\$ 26,614.08
\$ 745,194.24

Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52
Total Budget through Week # 28

Non-Parish Collection (s)

\$ 100.00
\$ 5.00

St. Vincent
Religious Retirement

Parish Capital Debt Reduction Totals

\$ 83,821.91
\$ 29,448.84
\$ 157,981.50

Monthly Third Sunday - Week # 28
Additional Quarterly Appeal
Debt Principle as of 1/5/16
Debt Retirement 2018

FYI: \$8,356 2015 2014-2015 school year cost of religion textbooks (PSR and school).

PRAY FOR THEM

**FOR OUR MILITARY FAMILY MEMBERS
DEPLOYED IN COMBAT AREAS**

“Lord, protect our military as they sacrifice for us; bless them and their families for their continuing selflessness.”

Please remember our military members, especially those deployed in combat areas, with prayers.

USAF CAPT WAYNE SLETTEN—UNDISCLOSED—3/2016
US ARMY LT COL DAVID BOWLING and TEAM—12/2016

If you would like to have a family member, who is currently deployed (military or civilian), listed in the bulletin for prayer, please call the parish office.



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the family of parishioner *Edward Biersack*; the family of *James Hickey*, brother of parishioner *Al Hickey* and the family of *Mark Power*, brother of parish secretary *Chris Hilbert*. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.



WELCOME TO ST. LUKE PARISH: Please register with us! Come to the church office or call 937-426-1733 x201. We are available Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. You can also find registration forms on our parish website, www.saintlukeparish.org. Place them in the offering basket or return them to the church office.

★ YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

All Saint Luke Offices and Facilities will be closed on Monday, January 18th in observance of Martin Luther King Day. Monday's morning Mass will be held at 7:00 a.m.

“TELL ME WHY”: Got a question you are just itching to ask Fr. Terry? Next Sunday January 24th after the 8:00 a.m. Mass, join fellow parishioners for coffee and donuts in Kramer Hall where the Adult Faith Formation Committee has arranged for Fr. Terry to consider your queries like: What is the “New Evangelization?” Has Pope Francis changed any of the Church’s teachings on matters of faith or morals? What is the “preferential option for the poor?” These and other issues of current interest are open game, so bring your burning questions and enjoy a few moments of reflection and fellowship.

EXPOSITION AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: “People ask me: ‘What will convert America and save the world?’ My answer is prayer. What we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer.”—*Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament is in St. Dominic Chapel every Tuesday following the 8:30 a.m. Mass and rosary continuing until Benediction at 6:45 p.m. We will recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:15 and Divine Office evening prayer (Vespers) and evening Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed from 6:00 - 6:30. Make a regular weekly date with Jesus! It will truly change your life! All ages are welcome—come and spend 15 minutes or an hour, and give yourself the gift of rest in the peacefulness of Christ. To learn more about Eucharistic Adoration, go to www.therealpresence.org.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY SCROLLS: All couples celebrating their 25th, 50th, 60th, 70th or 75th wedding anniversary during 2016 are eligible for the Archbishop’s Wedding Anniversary Scroll. To receive a scroll from Saint Luke parish, please call the parish office at 426-1733 x201 to acknowledge your anniversary.

ST. MONICA MINISTRY: The members of St. Monica Ministry gather together to support one another in their prayers, hopes and longings for family members and friends who no longer practice their Catholic faith or have a weakened faith. All are welcome to participate. This year, in addition to prayer, fellowship and support, we will discuss conversion stories in *Surprised By Truth II* book by Patrick Madrid. Our next meeting is Sunday, January 24th from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall. Future meetings for 2016 will be February 21, March 20, and April 24. Please contact Teresa at TAXMOM1@aol.com for more information.

SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY

“Christ has no hands or feet on earth but ours...”
St Teresa of Avila

SVDP ADOPT A FAMILY THANK YOU: A special “Thank You” to all who participated in our Adopt a Family Program this Christmas! You provided gifts and food to 8 families this year and brought much excitement and happiness to these families. They SO appreciated all that you did to make their Christmas a very special occasion. We also thank our St. Luke Leisure Club for adopting a family and providing gifts and food. A very sincere **Thank You** for your kindness of heart and for bringing so much happiness to so many people. Happy New Year to all from our St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

KNOW MERCY. SHOW MERCY—Celebrating the Year of Mercy as a Mission-Oriented Parish! The Jubilee Year of Mercy has begun. The Archdiocese of Cincinnati has launched a pilot program with 30 parishes, called “Gather and Send,” to help parishes be more equipped to know mercy and to show mercy. St. Luke the Evangelist is one of the pilot Gather and Send parishes. While we already have many ongoing ministries of mercy, activities we hope to generate include:

- recruiting more volunteers to support area ministries of service and compassion;
- reflecting on *Laudato Si* and Pope Francis’ appeal for environmental concern;
- conducting a healing service for pregnancy loss;
- participating in “Voices of Faith,” a local immigrant advocacy program;
- inviting parishioners into spiritual practices focused on mercy and other virtues through the “Good News People” program;
- adding more volunteers to the Social Action Ministry committee

If you are interested in learning more or becoming involved, please contact Bob Stoughton at stoughtonb1@udayton.edu or 229-5599.

ST. LUKE ST VINCENT DE PAUL “IS HERE FOR ALL”: Anyone can experience hardships. Saint Luke SVdP may be able to provide suggestions and/or financial resources to help you. Through SVdP donations church members help both parishioners and community members. Please do not hesitate to use these resources for yourself or suggest us to others. Inquiries are held in strictest confidence. Please call 426-1733, extension 232 to access the St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul helpline.

FUNERAL LUNCHEON LAY MINISTRY THANK YOU:

Thank you to all the parishioners who generously donated food or served the meal at our recent funeral lunches. We would not be able to provide these lunches to our bereaved families without all your help and support. We are looking for people willing to help serve at these lunches which requires approximately 2 hours of your time. If you can help in any way by serving or providing food, please contact Judy at Jeckh@abcglobal.net or 426-1087 or Jeannine at Michaelarber@sbcglobal.net or 426-7345.

Also please pick up empty containers in Kramer Hall kitchen from any food that you have recently donated.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL (CMA): This weekend we will be listening to an audio message from Archbishop Schnurr explaining how our support each year of the Catholic Ministries Appeal is part of our commitment to our faith, and asking every Catholic household to make a pledge. Every registered parish household should receive a CMA mailing from Archbishop Schnurr. Please prayerfully complete your pledge card and return it in the envelope provided, or bring your completed pledge card sealed in its return envelope to Mass. Your participation is vital to reaching our parish goal. For more information, please visit CatholicAppeal.info. Thank you!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

opportunities to sustain and grow as faithful witnesses to the Good News of Jesus

RELIT: THE HEART OF EVANGELIZATION: If a friend or family member asked you about your faith, would you know how to respond? Have you ever felt unequipped or unprepared to share your faith with others? If you answered yes to either of these questions, you are invited to attend our upcoming parish training program *Relit: The Heart of Evangelization*, where you will be equipped, prepared, and formed for the work of evangelization. Classes are being offered on Wednesday nights beginning January 20th and select Saturdays through May. Reserve your participant's resources by stopping by the Jansen Center or emailing tsmith@saintlukeparish.org. Participant resources cost \$12 for the entire 18 session Relit. Pick up a flyer in Kramer Hall or Jansen Center for schedule details. Session summary can be found at <http://goo.gl/z7lDiO>.

CONSOLING THE HEART OF JESUS - A Study on Divine Mercy: It's not too late to join us for the 10-week study on Divine Mercy (Consoling the Heart of Jesus). Classes are ongoing Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. and Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. The course, by Father Michael Gaitley, is DVD and book-based, and open to all parishioners 5th grade and up. All materials will be available online. A hard copy of the book is available for \$5. Please call Tom at 426-1733, ext. 301 to register for the class and/or book. For information please contact Lisa at aramnlisa@aol.com or 937-901-2727.

ISAIAH SCRIPTURE STUDY: In this Jubilee Year of Mercy consider studying the Prophet Isaiah. "This Holy Year will bring to the fore the richness of Jesus' mission echoed in the words of the prophet Isaiah: to bring a word and gesture of consolation to the poor, to proclaim liberty to those bound by new forms of slavery in modern society, to restore sight to those who can see no more because they are caught up in themselves, to restore dignity to all those from whom it has been robbed." (*MV16*)

Part 1 (8 sessions) of 3 begins Tuesday January 19th at 1:00 p.m. in Jansen Center West Room.

Evening study begins Tuesday January 26th at 7:00 p.m. in Kramer Hall.

Pre-register by contacting the Jansen Center office at 426-1733 ext. 301. Cost for entire study is \$25.00

Isaiah part 2 (7 sessions) begins August 23rd and Isaiah part 3 (7 sessions) begins October 25th.

TRUE DEVOTION TO MARY: "Considered by many to be the greatest single book of Marian spirituality ever written, *True Devotion to Mary* is St. Louis de Montfort's classic statement on the spiritual way to Jesus Christ through the Blessed Virgin Mary. Beloved by countless souls, this book sums up the entire Christian life, showing a way of holiness that is short, easy, secure, and perfect – a way of life chosen by Our Lord Himself." (*TAN publishing*)

A 13-week study on Wednesdays beginning January 27th at 10:30 a.m. in Jansen Center. Please register at the Jansen Center. There will be no session on Ash Wednesday.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

What: Faith formation program using the *We Believe* program by Sadlier is offered for grades 1-8. The High School curriculum changes each year to reflect topics relevant to today's teens.

Who: Youth grades 1–12

When: Wednesdays 4:15–5:30 p.m. for Grades 1–8 in the school building

Wednesdays 7:00–8:15 p.m. for Grades 1–12 in the school building, HS in the Youth room

Sundays 9:45–11:00 a.m. for Grade 8 in Jansen Center

Registration is open and ongoing for PSR: Forms are in Kramer Hall, Jansen Center and online at www.saintlukeparish.org (look under Faith Formation).

Contact: Caroline at cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org, or call 426-1733, ext. 306, or Jansen Center 426-1733, ext. 301.

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Saint Luke's Early Childhood Program, for ages 3 through 5, is designed to support parents in the education of their young children in the Catholic faith. Christian values and attitudes are taught and children experience fellowship and fun with children their own age. They also develop positive attitudes about themselves and others by discovering the gifts, talents, and abilities that God gives to everyone.

When: Sunday 9:45–11:00 a.m.

August 30, 2015 to May 15, 2016

Registration is open and ongoing for Early Childhood: Forms are in Kramer Hall, Jansen Center and online at www.saintlukeparish.org (look under Faith Formation).

Contact: Caroline at cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org, or call 426-1733, ext. 306, or Jansen Center 426-1733, ext. 301.

Getting to Know the Saints – Movie Series

Our movie series continues in January and all parishioners are invited as we gather to learn more about some of our Saints. The movies are "family friendly" and last between 60-120 minutes. Refreshments and drinks will be served. For more information, please contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or aramnlisa@aol.com. Some future movies include:

Tuesday, February 9th, 7:00 pm – *St. Bernadette*

Tuesday, March 8th, 7:00 pm – *St. Patrick*

Tuesday, April 5th, 7:00 pm – *Br. John Henry Newman*

Tuesday, May 10th, 7:00 pm – *St. Rita*

Tuesday, June 28th, 7:00 pm – *St. Thomas More*

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, January 17, 2016

PSR 8th Grade Class in Jansen Center West (9:45 - 11:00 AM)
Early Childhood Class in School/Gym (9:45 - 11:00 AM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (1:00 - 5:00 PM)
Youth Ministry Meeting in BFH/YMR/Gym (5:00 - 9:00 PM)

Monday, January 18, 2016

Martin Luther King Holiday School and Offices Closed
Cub Scouts Pack 85 Meeting in Parish Center (6:00 - 8:30 PM)
Adult Men's Volleyball in Gym (9:00 - 11:00 PM)

Tuesday, January 19, 2016

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)
Women of Faith Bible Study in Kramer Hall/Nursery (9:30 - 11:30 AM)
Prophet Isaiah Bible Study Part 1 in Jansen West (1:00 - 3:00 PM)
Chess Club Meeting in Parish Center (3:00 - 4:30 PM)
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (5:30 - 9:00 PM)
VIRTUS Child Protection Training in Kramer Hall (6:00 - 9:00 PM)
Cub Scout Pack 85 Den Meeting in BFH (6:00 - 8:30 PM)
SVDP Conference Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
St. Luke Boosters Monthly Meeting in Jansen East (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
6th Grade Dare Graduation in Parish Center (7:00 - 8:30 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (9:00 - 11:00 PM)

Wednesday, January 20, 2016

Catholic Men's Group Meeting in Jansen Center West (6:00 - 7:00 AM)
NLR Meeting in Jansen Center West (11:00 AM - 1:00 PM)
Consoling The Heart of Jesus Study in Jansen East (1:00 - 3:00 PM)
2nd Grade Brownies in School Room #106 (3:00 - 4:15 PM)
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)
Daisy Troop 34348 Meeting in Parish Center (3:30 - 4:30 PM)
PSR 1st-8th Grade Class in School/Nursery (4:15 - 8:15 PM)
Reconciliation and Celebration in Church/Kramer Hall (4:15 - 8:00 PM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (5:30 - 9:00 PM)
Building and Grounds Committee Mtg in Jansen East (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
PSR High School in Youth Ministry Room (7:00 - 8:15 PM)
Relit Session 1 in Parish Center (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

Thursday, January 21, 2016

Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (5:30 - 9:00 PM)
Consoling the Heart of Jesus Study in Jansen West (6:30 - 9:15 PM)
Family Literacy Night in Parish Center (6:30 - 8:30 PM)
RCIA in Kramer Hall (7:00 - 8:45 PM)
Choir Rehearsal in Music Room (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
Girl Scout 4th Grade Troop 32722 Meeting in BFH (7:00 - 8:15 PM)
Catechist Meeting in Jansen Center Rose (7:00 - 9:00 PM)
Our Lady of Good Counsel SCC Meeting Jansen East (7:15 - 9:00 PM)
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (9:00 - 11:00 PM)

Friday, January 22, 2016

Girl Scouts 3rd Grade #32348 in School Art Room (3:00 - 4:15 PM)
Extension in Bishop Ford Hall/Gym (3:00 - 6:00 PM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (5:30 - 9:00 PM)
Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

Saturday, January 23, 2016

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 - 8:00 AM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (9:00 - 4:00 PM)
Benedictine Oblates St. Meinrad Archabbey in St. Dominic Chapel (1:00 - 3:00 PM)

Sunday, January 24, 2016

PSR 8th Grade Class in Jansen Center West (9:45 - 11:00 AM)
Confirmation Parent/Child Class in Parish Center (9:45 - 11:00 AM)
Early Childhood Class in School/Gym (9:45 - 11:00 AM)
CYO Basketball in Gym (1:00 - 5:00 PM)
St. Monica Ministry Meeting in Kramer Hall (3:30 - 5:00 PM)
Youth Ministry Meeting in BFH/YMR (5:00 - 9:00 PM)
Youth Ministry Meeting in Gym (7:30 - 8:30 PM)

AROUND THE AREA

Dayton Catholic Women's Club Scholarship: The Dayton Catholic Women's Club Scholarship was established in 2010 for the exclusive purpose of assisting graduating high school women of the Roman Catholic faith wishing to further their studies at an accredited technical school, junior college, community college or four-year college/university. For application information, contact <https://daytonfoundation.academicworks.com/opportunities/2614> or the appropriate high school counselor. Applications must be received between January 5 and Mar 13, 2016.

Catholic Scripture Study (CSS) at St. Henry's Parish is studying the Pentateuch. All women are invited to join us for bible study, discussion, and fellowship from a Catholic woman's perspective. We meet Wednesday mornings at the PAC (behind the church) from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. **OR** evenings at Bishop Leibold School from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. For more information contact Mel Kerr at 937-620-8642, melkerr4css@yahoo.com or Margie Christie at 937-866-7917, dchristieclan@aol.com.

Ite Missa Est Event at Immaculate Conception Church: Hope Amid Struggles—A Perspective into the Lives of the Differently-abled Parishioners will be held on Wednesday January 20th at 7:00 p.m. in Monsignor Sherman Hall (lower level of the church). The church is located at 2300 S. Smithville Road in Dayton.

St. Albert the Great Athletic Association's Annual Adult Fish Fry will be held Friday January 22nd from 7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. in the school cafeteria with additional activities being held in the gym. Great food, beverages and games. Must be 21 years old to attend. \$20 per person or \$15 prepaid.

Year of Consecrated Life: You are invited to the Closing Liturgy for Year of Consecrated Life on Sunday, January 31st at 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter in Chains Cathedral, 325 West Eighth Street in Cincinnati. Archbishop Dennis Schnurr will preside. Immediately following the celebration, a reception with light refreshments will be held in the Undercroft sponsored by the Serra Club of Cincinnati.

SEMINARS OFFERING SUPPORT

The Catholic's DIVORCE SURVIVAL Guide:

This 12-week group meets on Monday evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. through March 28th in the Candle Room of St. Christopher's Church in Vandalia.

This 12-week group meets on Thursday evenings from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. through March 31st in the Holy Family Room on the second floor of the Downing St. Campus, 218 S. Downing Street in Piqua.

Register online at <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=670e37>. Cost is \$25 per person. For information call Noreen Wendeln at the Family and Respect Life Office 937-222-0227.

DivorceCare: If you are struggling with life after divorce or are in the process of separating, this seminar is meant for you. Each week, experts in divorce care will address topics pertinent to your life adjustments. Join us from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. on Thursdays, from January 14th to April 14th, at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 6245 Wilmington Pike in Centerville. Cost: is \$25 per person. Scholarships are available. For information or to register, call Marcelle Toma at 937-312-1157 or mtoma@woh.rr.com.

AROUND THE AREA

The Emmanuel St. Vincent dePaul Conference's Fish Dinner/Monte Carlo night is Friday January 29th from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m. at Bainbridge Hall, 267 Bainbridge Street in Dayton. Donation is \$12.00 in advance or \$15.00 at the door. All proceeds will benefit Emmanuel St. Vincent dePaul. For tickets and or information please call Holly at 937-901-4194 or Sunnie at 937-232-7366.

Missionary Discipleship: The Lay Pastoral Ministry Program can help you discern and develop gifts for ministry, grow in faith and gain the theological knowledge you need to evangelize and serve others effectively. Courses in scripture, doctrine, morality, evangelization and liturgy fit into a busy adult schedule with evening and Saturday sessions. Classes forming for Spring semester and interviews are ongoing for full admission to graduate and non-degree programs. Locations include the main campus in Cincinnati and satellite locations in Montfort Heights and Dayton. Call 419-305-5486 or 513-231-1200 for information or to schedule an appointment.

The 2016 St. Helen Booster Club Fish Fry will be held in the school gym on Saturday January 30th from 6:00 - 11:00 p.m. with carryout available from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. Fish, chicken and side items like homemade hushpuppies will be served. Pre-sale tickets are \$15.00 and tickets at the door are \$20.00. Pre-sale tickets are now available at The Barber Pole (on Spinning Rd near Family Video), St. Helen Rectory, school office or by contacting Jack Newton at 937-532-3281. Must be 21 to attend.

Come see Tenth Avenue North in concert for Faith Fest at the University of Dayton RecPlex on Saturday February 6th! Doors open at 5:30 p.m. University of Dayton student artists will perform and Tenth Avenue North will take the stage at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15 at tickets.udayton.edu for this joyful celebration. The RecPlex is located at 2 Evanston Avenue in Dayton and free parking is available in C Lot on Evanston Avenue and S2 Lot off Irving Avenue.

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