

**DAILY SCRIPTURE and MASS INTENTION**

<b>July 25—Monday</b>	<b>Saint James, Apostle</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
2 Cor 4:7-15	<b>Amelia Gomez</b>
Mt 20:20-28	Debbie Martinez
<b>July 26—Tuesday</b>	<b>Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents</b>
<b>Mass</b>	<b>of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
<b>Readings</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
Jer 14:17-22	<b>Barbara Koerner</b>
Mt 13:36-43	John Koerner
<b>July 27—Wednesday</b>	
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
Jer 15:10, 16-21	<b>Lisa Hurt and Family</b>
Mt 13:44-46	Mary Beth Blommel
<b>July 28—Thursday</b>	
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>
Jer 18:1-6	<b>Marion Nichting</b>
Mt 13:47-53	Donna Forte
<b>July 29—Friday</b>	<b>Saint Martha</b>
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
Jer 26:1-9	<b>Lee Charles Addis</b>
Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42	The Gooding Family
<b>July 30—Saturday</b>	
<b>Mass Readings</b>	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>
Jer 26:11-16, 24	<b>Greg Rose</b>
Mt 14:1-12	Don and Angie Rose
<b>July 31—Sunday</b>	<b>Eighteenth Sunday</b>
<b>Mass</b>	<b>in Ordinary Time</b>
<b>Readings</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>
Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23	<b>Don and Anna Marie Ruhl</b>
Col 3:1-5, 9-11	Caroline Pultz
Lk 12:13-21	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
	<b>For The Parish</b>
	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
	<b>Special Intention</b>
	Friends of Fr. Eiting

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

**July 16 and July 17 - Week # 3**

**Regular**

\$ 21,144.09

Weekend Total - Week # 3

**\$ 74,018.93**

Yearly Total - Week # 3

**Total Holy Days**

\$ 0.00

Total Holy Days - Week # 3

**\$ 0.00**

**Regular & Holy Days**

**\$ 74,018.93**

Total Week - # 3

**Budgeted**

\$ 26,614.08

Each Weekend - Weeks # 1-52

**\$ 79,842.24**

Total Budget through Week # 3

**Non-Parish Collection (s)**

\$ 55.00

St. Vincent

**Miscellaneous Collection (s)**

\$ 0.00

*FYI: 2.5% employee salary increase for the 16-17 budget year.*

**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.

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.

*Thank you* US Army Lt. Col. David Bowling is now home. Judith Clarke and his family would like to thank St. Luke parishioners for all their prayers while he was deployed.



**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 24, 2016**

**Ask. Seek. Knock.** Do you know someone who is just relentless, tirelessly making a point? Like a child, keeping at it and not backing down! They ask ... and ask again ... and yet again! Abraham, the merciful one, is just like that – reread of his persistence in Genesis 18:20-32. The friend is just like that, too, in Luke 11:1-13. And Jesus tells all who hear, and that is us today as well, be just like that in addressing God. Ask. Seek. Knock. Few words, fewer actions, great persistence.

- How will my prayer be persistent this week?
- For whom and for what will I pray?
- How can I respond like God and open my door (and my heart), give food to the hungry, bargain for the innocent?



Saint Luke Parish extends its deepest sympathy to the families of parishioner *Helen Bell*; *Michael Kent*, son of Margarita Kent; *Clifford Hoenie*, father of parishioner Jane Dockery; *James Brown*, father of parishioner Jim Brown and *Alan Martyka*, cousin of parishioner Kathy Ross. Please pray for all our departed friends and relatives.

**EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION:**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament begins immediately after the Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Mass in St. Dominic Chapel and continues 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 at 6:00 p.m. 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](http://www.therealpresence.org).

**Communal Rosary:** Continuing until the start of the new school year, the Rosary will be prayed on Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will occur immediately following Mass in St. Dominic Chapel.

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITIES-JUBILEE**

**YEAR OF MERCY:** Lisa Donigian, a Saint Luke parishioner, is inviting other parishioners to join her in a personal day of pilgrimage to a designated mid-Ohio diocesan Jubilee Year site. Pope Francis encouraged each diocese to include a **Holy Door** devotion to which pilgrims can journey during the Jubilee Year of Mercy. A **Holy Door of Mercy** represents the compassion, love, mercy, and consolation of God working in our lives. A personal pilgrimage is to open (like a door) an individual to experience the love of God who consoles, pardons, and instills hope, and to enhance a spiritual renewal in God's grace.

The pilgrimages are **Tuesday July 26<sup>th</sup>** to Maria Stein (Maria Stein Shrine and Relic Chapel) and **Monday August 22<sup>nd</sup>** to Carey, Ohio (Our Lady of Consolation Shrine). Although not a parish-sponsored activity, interested parishioners will carpool from Saint Luke's in the morning and return by evening. Each pilgrimage will visit the Holy Door, tour the grounds, and if possible celebrate Mass. For information and to **RSVP**, contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com). All parishioners are invited.

Those interested in joining us for the Maria Stein Holy Door pilgrimage, we will meet at 7:20 a.m. in the Saint Luke back parking lot near Jansen Center. Please RSVP to Lisa (above). We will have a tour, pray in the Relic Chapel, have time in adoration, participate in the 11:45 a.m. worship service and cross through the Holy Door. We will return between 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**ANNUAL PARISH APPRECIATION PICNIC**

The Parish Picnic is scheduled for **Sunday September 18<sup>th</sup>**



following a special 2:00 p.m. Mass. All are invited and there is no cost for attending. The picnic is our way of saying thank you for your support during the past year. This is a family-friendly event with a variety of activities for everyone. We have a DJ,

clowns, a caricature artist, face painting, the K of C soccer challenge, corn hole, miniature golf, volley ball, a T-Ball and basketball booth cake walk, snow cones, cotton candy and popcorn. We also have bingo with Tony Romano. If you just want to sit and talk you can do that too. Sign-ups will begin on July 31<sup>st</sup> in Kramer Hall following Sunday Masses. You will also be able to sign up via the Sunday bulletin or through email. We will have a special ceremony for retirement of the Parish Debt.

**SOCIAL ACTION MINISTRY**

*"Christ has no hands or feet on earth but ours..."*  
St Teresa of Avila

**LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH COLLEC-**

**TION:** Next weekend is the last weekend of July. The members of the St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul Society will be in the church gathering space after all Masses to receive your monetary donations. Your continued generosity is appreciated!

**ST. LUKE GARDEN OF BLESSINGS:**

Our St. Luke Garden of Blessings is a yearly summer project where parishioners raise fruits, vegetables and herbs in their home gardens and bring them to Jansen Center for distribution to the needy. We distribute over 1,000 pounds of fresh, homegrown

food every year through this project. If you would like to participate in this project, please bring your produce to Jansen Center during the following hours: Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 p.m., Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. and Sunday 9:00 - noon. Jansen is closed on Saturday. Growing our Garden of Blessings food provides an opportunity to reflect on the abundance of God's gifts to us. It can be a focus for family prayer and discussion about what kind of people God calls us to be. For additional information, please contact Trudy Sarabia at 429-0807.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH****Sunday, July 24, 2016**

Youth Ministry in BFH/YMR /Gym (6:00 PM - 8:30 PM)

**Monday, July 25, 2016**

Sewing Guild Workshop in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
Troop 85 Scout Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 PM - 8:30 PM)  
Al-Anon Family Group in Jansen Center East (7:30 PM - 8:30 PM)  
Adult Volleyball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

**Tuesday, July 26, 2016**

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Dominic Chapel (9:15 AM - 7:00 PM)  
St. Luke Crafters Workshop in Old Credit Union (9:30 - 12:30 PM)  
Nursery open during Eucharistic Adoration (9:30 - 11:00 AM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

**Wednesday, July 27, 2016**

Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (1:00 - 2:30 PM)  
Book Study Fr. Gaitley in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)

**Thursday, July 28, 2016**

Little Saints Summer Movies in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 - 11:00 AM)  
K of C Council Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (8:00 - 9:30 PM)  
Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

**Friday, July 29, 2016**

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting in Jansen West (7:00 - 8:00 PM)

**Saturday, July 30, 2016**

Adult Men's Basketball in Gym (6:30 AM - 8:30 AM)  
K of C 4th Degree Team Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (9:30 - 11:30 AM)

**Sunday, July 31, 2016**

Leisure Club Meet and Greet in Parish Center (2:00 - 4:00 PM)

**Monday, August 1, 2016**

Sewing Guild Workshop in Kramer Hall (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM)  
Baptism Parents Prep Class in Jansen Center West (7:00 - 8:30 PM)  
Troop 85 Scout Meeting in Bishop Ford Hall (7:00 - 8:30 PM)  
Al-Anon Family Group in Jansen Center East (7:30 - 8:30 PM)  
Adult Men's Volleyball in Gym (8:30 - 10:00 PM)

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

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

**R.C.I.A.** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process of becoming Catholic. Have you been attending St. Luke's with your spouse for years and now think you would like to be received into the Church? Call us. Never been baptized? We can prepare you for this sacrament. Baptized Catholic as an infant but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist? We can help. RCIA at St. Luke is year-round and ready to help you, no matter what your need might be. For information, please contact Margie Alexander at 426-1733 ext. 305 or email [malexa@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:malexa@saintlukeparish.org).

**YOU DID IT TO ME - FR. GAITLEY STUDY:** Join us as we explore the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy with Fr. Michael Gaitley's DVD/book study, *You Did It To Me*. The five week series begins Wednesday July 27<sup>th</sup>. A 1:00 p.m. afternoon session and a 7:00 p.m. evening session are being offered in Jansen Center. Please register with Tom at 426-1733 ext. 301. Books will be available when registering for \$5. For information, please call Lisa at 937-901-2726 or email [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com).

### GETTING TO KNOW THE SAINTS – MOVIE SERIES

Tuesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm – *St. Damien of Molokai*  
\*\*\* Please note the 6:30 start time \*\*\*

Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Mother Teresa*  
*Celebration of her Canonization*

Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Gerard*

Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Hildegard of Bingen*

Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Andre of Montreal*

Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Francis Xavier*

Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – *St. Nicholas*

All are welcome, bring your family and friends. Movies are 60-90 minutes (except *St. Damien*, which is 110 minutes). Light snacks and drinks will be served. For more information, please contact Lisa at 937-901-2727 or [aramnlisa@aol.com](mailto:aramnlisa@aol.com).

**DEVOTION TO THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST** is held every Saturday from 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. All are welcome to come and pray the Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Litany, the Chaplet of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Contact Divina at 937-431-0323 and leave a message or email [dgrace777@hotmail.com](mailto:dgrace777@hotmail.com).

**MEN'S MINISTRY:** The St. Luke Catholic Men's Fellowship Groups invite men to join us for fellowship and fraternity. There are four opportunities: Eucharistic Adoration at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month (Eucharistic Chapel), fellowship at 7:30 a.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays (Bishop Ford Hall), prayer and fellowship at 6:15 a.m. on Wednesdays (Jansen Center), prayer and fellowship at 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays (Jansen Center). Please join us to have fun, discuss our faith and grow in our personal relationships with Christ in an atmosphere of trust, equality and fraternity.

## PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

### Early Childhood and PSR Early Bird Registration ends July 31<sup>st</sup>!

Receive a \$20 per student discount if all forms are returned and 50% of tuition is paid by July 31<sup>st</sup>!

PSR begins September 7<sup>th</sup>.

Early Childhood begins September 11<sup>th</sup>.

The Parish School of Religion is seeking catechists to teach 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade. If you love Jesus, want to share your joy with His Children, then this is a wonderful ministry for you!



Contact Caroline Barhorst at [cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org) for more information.

**JOIN US AS WE EXPLORE THE SAINTS AND THE GOSPEL** every Thursday, now until August 4<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. in Bishop Ford. We will enjoy a Saint movie, prayer, craft, snack and the weekly Gospel. Ages 4 and up. Cost is \$5.00 for 6 weeks. Registration forms are available in Jansen Center or contact Caroline at [cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:cbarhorst@saintlukeparish.org).

## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Bishop Ford Hall from 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

**July 24<sup>th</sup>—End of Summer Celebration**

- Send-off of our 2016 High School Graduates and the Englefield Family
- Potluck – please bring either a side dish or salad to share. Youth Ministry will provide pulled pork, chips, drinks, and dessert.

**RSVP** to [jenglefield@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:jenglefield@saintlukeparish.org) if you plan to attend

**VIRTUS® “Protecting God’s Children Sessions” on the Archdiocese of Cincinnati Decree on Child Protection:** All employees and regular volunteers in the Archdiocese who have contact with children are required to be trained using VIRTUS® materials. St. Luke will host its next session on **Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**. Check-in begins at 6:00 p.m. No child care provided. To register or to get a list of available training dates, go to [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org). You must register online. Any questions, contact Bruce Guindon at 937-426-1733 x202 or [bguindon@saintlukeparish.org](mailto:bguindon@saintlukeparish.org).

**THE CANDY BOOTH** is accepting donations of creamy peanut butter, powdered sugar and pecans for this year's bazaar. We appreciate your past support. Our booth is the highest grossing at the bazaar. We will gladly accept any donations of decorative candy dishes, plates and cupcake liners. If anyone is interested in joining our team everyone is welcome. Any questions, please call Amy Wollenhaupt at 937-620-0124. Drop off items at Jansen Center. Thank you so much!

## AROUND THE AREA

**The Finding Joy after Grief Retreat, July 29–31:** This retreat offers you a framework of eight ways to reclaim your joy following the loss of a loved one. You will have the opportunity to reflect, process, share life experiences with others. Speak with the retreat presenters, and encounter the beautiful grounds of the Jesuit Spiritual Center. The fee is \$235 for a 2 night stay and meals. To register, call 513-248-3500 ext. 10, or email [reservations@jesuitspiritualcenter.com](mailto:reservations@jesuitspiritualcenter.com). For more information about programs at the Center, visit [www.jesuitspiritualcenter.com](http://www.jesuitspiritualcenter.com).

**Volunteers are needed for The Awakening,** a Catholic youth event, on Friday August 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday August 6<sup>th</sup>. A variety of positions are available. Any time you could offer would be greatly appreciated! For more information, please contact Matt or Melissa Baltes at [mbaltesgolf@gmail.com](mailto:mbaltesgolf@gmail.com) or 937-621-1655. For more information about the event visit [www.adorationmusicpraise.com](http://www.adorationmusicpraise.com)

**Christ Child Society of Dayton** has served the Dayton community for over 100 years. New members are now being accepted. If you are interested in joining please call Sherry Brown at 433-5811.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekends are where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other. The next Marriage Encounter weekend is July 29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> at the Holiday Inn Eastgate in Cincinnati. For more information or to register, contact Dave or Jan Stockelman at 513-251-1940 or 800-547-1251 code00 or [dj2378@fuse.net](mailto:dj2378@fuse.net) or [www.esharing.org](http://www.esharing.org).

**Chaminade-Julienne High School** is offering a Laffalot Summer Camp for boys and girls ages 6-12 during the week of August 1-5, from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. After care is also available until 4:00 pm. More details and registration information are available at [www.laffalotcamps.com](http://www.laffalotcamps.com).