





CCW — Council of Catholic Women
 GOF — Generation of Faith
 JER — Jericho
 PCCR — Parish Center Conference
 Room
 RE — Religious Education

St. Luke Parish

September 2019

Confession: Saturday 4:15-4:45pm
 Liturgies:
 Saturday — 5:00pm
 Sunday — 8:30 & 11:00am
 Tuesday — Friday 8:00am Mass in
 Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 9:00 Mass Office Closed LABOR DAY 	3	4 7:00pm Parish Council mtg PCCR	5 11:00am Windsor Mass 6:15pm Bells rm 4	6	7 All Masses Bethlehem Art
8 9:40 - 10:50 RE rms 1-4, 7 & 8 and Parent mtg JER	9	10 6:30pm GOF Planning mtg JER 7:00pm VFW rm1	11 	12 11:00am Windsor Mass 6:15pm Bells rm 4	13 6:00-8:00pm Girl Scouts rm 4	14 Cash Card order forms available
15 8:00-1:00 Blood Drive – Jer 9:40 - 10:50 RE rms 1-4, 7 & 8 and 11:00am Mass	16	17 	18	19 11:00am Windsor Mass 6:15pm Bells rm 4	20	21 2:00 Baptisms CCW Hospitality Cash Card Orders due
22 9:40 - 10:50 RE rms 1-4, 7 & 8 All Masses CCW Hospitality	23 	24	25	26 11:00am Windsor Mass 6:15pm Bells rm 4	27 6:00-8:00pm Girl Scouts rm 4	28 Cash Card pick up 6:00pm Bunco JER
29 12:00 - 2:00 GOF JER All Masses cash card pick up	30					

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This bulletin — and all future bulletins— will include saints' quotes on the Blessed Sacrament (Eucharist). Jesus is Truly & Substantially present, Body, Blood, Soul & Divinity in the Most Holy Eucharist...The Eucharist is THE SOURCE & SUMMIT of OUR FAITH (Catechism of the Catholic Church #1324).

QUOTES ON THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

- St. Francis of Assisi

"What wonderful majesty! What stupendous condescension! O sublime humility! That the Lord of the whole universe, God and the Son of God, should humble Himself like this under the form of a little bread, for our salvation"

"...In this world I cannot see the Most High Son of God with my own eyes, except for His Most Holy Body and Blood."

- St. Gemma Galgani

"Do grant, oh my God, that when my lips approach Yours to kiss You, I may taste the gall that was given to You; when my shoulders lean against Yours, make me feel Your scourging; when my flesh is united with Yours, in the Holy Eucharist, make me feel Your passion; when my

head comes near Yours, make me feel Your thorns; when my heart is close to Yours, make me feel Your spear."

- St. Ignatius of Antioch

I hunger for the bread of God, the flesh of Jesus Christ ...; I long to drink of his blood, the gift of unending love.

- St. Irenaeus (d. 202)

"Jesus taught a new sacrifice which the Church received from the Apostles and offers throughout the whole world."

- St. Jerome

"If Christ did not want to dismiss the Jews without food in the desert for fear that they would collapse on the way, it was to teach us that it is dangerous to try to get to heaven without the Bread of Heaven."

- St. John Chrysostom

"How many of you say: I should like to see His face, His garments, His shoes. You do see Him, you touch Him, you eat Him. He gives Himself to you, not only that you may see Him, but also to be your food and nourishment."

- St. John Vianney

"I throw myself at the foot of the Tabernacle like a dog at the foot of his Master."

- St. John Vianney, Cure d'Ars

"All the good works in the world are not equal to the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass because they are the works of men; but the Mass is the work of God. Martyrdom is nothing in comparison for it is but the sacrifice of man to God; but the Mass is the sacrifice of God for man."



MASSES CELEBRATED

DURING THE WEEK

ARE HELD

IN THE CHURCH

SATURDAY — AUGUST 24

4:15 — 4:45pm — Confessions

5:00 — Jane Poturalski req. by Sharon Dulewski and for
The People of St. Luke Parish

SUNDAY — AUGUST 25

8:30am — John & Mary Czysto and Wally & Betty
Henek req. by Joseph & Josephine Henek and
for Alex Koza on the 8th Anniversary of his
death req. by his family

11:00 — Theresa DiAngelo sister of Margaret Brandt
req. by St. Luke Parish

MONDAY — AUGUST 26

No Mass

TUESDAY — AUGUST 27

8:00am — The Intentions of the Celebrant

WEDNESDAY — AUGUST 28

8:00am — The Intentions of the Celebrant

THURSDAY — AUGUST 29

8:00am — The Intentions of the Celebrant

11:00 — Windsor Park

FRIDAY — AUGUST 30

8:00am — The Intentions of the Celebrant

SATURDAY — AUGUST 31

4:15 — 4:45pm — Confessions

5:00 — The Intentions of the Celebrant

SUNDAY — SEPTEMBER 1

8:30am — Harold Austin req. by Maryellen & Steve Bilek

11:00 — The People of St. Luke Parish



Please pray for the sick in our parish, especially John and Pat Angelo, Yecenia Bosley, Jenny Casale, Disabled Vets, Angel Faulkner, Verle Greer, Tiffany Jacobelli, Kristin, Tom Mattingly, Jeff McKinney, Sue Nelson, Abby Peck, Kurt Peters, John Rossi, Wanda Slupik, and Laura Lee Tegtman.

Please remember our beloved dead, especially Bill Marks and the men and women who have given their lives for our country.



August 18, 2019

REG. CHURCH SUPPORT	
113 SUN. ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTIONS	=\$3,711.17
LOOSE CONTRIBUTIONS	=\$ 149.91
TOTAL COLLECTION	=\$3,861.08
AVERAGE CONTRIBUTION	=\$ 28.61
ASSUMPTION	=\$ 557.00

Thank you so much for your ongoing generous financial support of St. Luke Parish! Every amount contributed helps, so we respectfully ask that you continue to regularly use your church support envelopes. It is your generosity that allows us to do what we do. Please give as your financial needs allow.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading - Brothers and sisters of every race and language will be brought to Jerusalem (Isaiah 66:18-21).

Second Reading -- Strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees (Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13).

Gospel -- People from east and west, north and south recline at table in the kingdom of God (Luke 13:22-30).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mt 23:23-26
Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab;
Mt 23:27-32
Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 71:1-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab,
17; Mk 6:17-29
Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12;
Mt 25:1-13
Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Mt 25:14-30
Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-7, 10-11;
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Isaiah 66:18-21. Psalm 117:1, 2. Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13. Luke 13:22-30.

Being saved. Here is the truth: many, and not just a few, will be saved. We believe it even though we do not always behave like we do believe! Jesus says today that the threshold to heaven is a narrow gate. Jesus says this passing through it is constant striving. Jesus says many will come from all directions and places to enter and dine at heaven's table.

- * How will I work hard to be human and Christian?
- * How will I rely on God's power and strength to enter the Kingdom of Heaven?
- * How can I be like God and embrace everyone from everywhere?

LABOR DAY MASS

Fr. Mike Pennock will celebrate Mass on Labor Day, which is Monday, September 2nd at 9:00 in the Church.

The office will be closed.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION RAMBLINGS

Religious Education Ramblings will forever more be known as RE RAMBLINGS for our bulletin articles. You will find information about our religious education and Generations of Faith programs in this area.

September 8th — First RE class from 9:40 to 10:50.
Parents meet in Jericho at the same time.

September 15th — RE class from 9:40 to 10:50 and Mass at 11:00. All RE/GOF families are required to attend.

September 22nd — RE class from 9:40 to 10:50

September 29th — Generations of Faith in Jericho from 12:00 to 2:00. A light lunch is served.

We are looking forward to another wonderful year in Religious Education!

CCW BOXES OF JOY

Imagine being able to make a child's Christmas the best ever with a small box the size of a shoebox, a trip to the discount store, \$9.00 for shipping to some far-off place in the world, lots of prayers and blessings; well CCW wants you to do that exactly. We are participating in the Box of Joy program which is a ministry of Cross Catholic Outreach. It's easy, the boxes and instructions are on the table in the hallway. Take a box, read the instructions, pick the

age and sex of the child you wish to send greetings to, and go shopping. What a wonderful way to teach our own children the joys of giving. Once you have made your purchases (you will be given an extensive list of ideas), bring the box to mass and drop in our "Joy Box." If you are able to donate \$9.00 to help cover shipping, thank you. If not, CCW will help cover postage. Put your check in the box on top of the gifts. Please do not tape the boxes shut. You may close them with rubber bands to assure things don't fall out. Let's show the big world how much our "little part of the world" can change a child's life. It is very possible this will be the first Christmas gift ever received by some of these little angels. Any questions, check with any CCW member. God Bless You. The Joy Box will be in the hallway this weekend. If you do not want to fill a box, you can purchase items and we will put the boxes together. Just drop your items in the box. You have until October to fill your box. Watch for more details.

**2019 JOLIET DIOCESE
CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS**



Father Paul Hottinger

Presider

Deacon Alex Grozik

Assisting

St. Margaret Mary Church
1450 Green Trails Drive
Naperville, IL 60540

Friday, August 30th

Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:30pm
Mass 7:30pm

For more information, please call Joey Rose at
630/926-6576

For directions go to www.smmp.com/info/directions.html

Rejoice in the LORD, you just, and give thanks at the remembrance of his holiness.

Ps 97:12

JOYFUL AGAIN! RETREAT

- Are you recently widowed and struggling with the loss?
- Have you been widowed for some time and need just a nudge to move forward?
- Do you know someone who has experienced the loss of a spouse?

Regaining the ability to "Live Forward" while treasuring the past and its precious memories is the purpose of the Joyful Again! Retreat.

As a widowed person (man or woman), you deserve to have hope, happiness and joy in your life. This is true, regardless of age.

This unique two-day retreat will be held at:

Mary Queen of Heaven Parish, Elmhurst, Sept. 7th & 8th

St. Hubert Parish, Hoffman Estates, October 12th & 13th

For further information or to register call 708/354-7211

E-mail: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

www.joyfulagain.com (short video on website)



"Within the 'people of life and the people for life', the family has a decisive responsibility. This responsibility flows from its very nature as a community of life and love, founded upon marriage, and from its mission to 'guard, reveal and communicate love' (*The Gospel of Life*, no. 92).

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PARENTS OF YOUNG DRIVERS

We have neighbors on the east side of our parking lot who have had the misfortune of having their fence driven into twice from 14 year olds driving cars in our lot. Once was late at night, the other during our 5:00 Mass. PLEASE DO NOT LET YOUR CHILDREN practice driving in our lot near any property!!

We appreciate your cooperation.