

# St. Luke Roman Catholic Church



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## MASS

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday – 4:00pm; Sunday 9:00am ..... (see inside)  
**Weekday Masses:** Celebrated at the Salve Regina Newman Center ..... (see inside)  
**Mass @ Maple Lawn Nursing Home:** 9:00am on the first Friday of the month ..... (see inside)  
**Mass for all types of Healing:** Third Friday of the month ..... (6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration & Confession; 7:00pm Mass; 8:00pm Prayer Teams; 9:00pm Food & Fellowship) ..... (see inside)

## SACRAMENTS

**Anointing of the Sick:** In an emergency, please call the pastor ..... or by Appointment  
**Baptisms:** By Appointment Only ..... All sponsors for Baptism must be pre-approved  
**Communion to the Sick and Homebound:** Every Tuesday ..... Please call the parish office to arrange  
**Confessions:** Saturday from 2:30pm– 3:30pm. .... or by Appointment  
Communal Penance Services are held in Advent and Lent  
**Marriage:** By Appointment Only; Marriage preparation takes from 6 – 8 months; please call before setting a wedding date or making any other arrangements. Thank You.

## NEW PARISHIONERS!

**Welcome:** All new parishioners, please ask an Usher, call the parish office, or send us an e-mail, and we will send you a parishioner registration form.

## PUBLICATION

**Season:** Forth Sunday of Advent

**Date:** December 20, 2015

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS AT ST. LUKE'S PARISH AND SALVE REGINA NEWMAN CENTER

**NC** - Newman Center, 108 E. College Ave.  
**EMHC** - Eucharist Minister of Holy Communion

### Saturday, December 19

- 1:00pm Christmas Pageant Practice
- 2:30pm Confessions
- 4:00pm Mass - Robert Schierer & Phyllis Hastings #2529
- 4:03pm Altar Server: Rick and Lilly Twait
- 4:04pm Usher - Michael Simenc
- 4:05pm Lector - Dewar Matthews
- 4:06pm EMHC: Gladys S. & Marty E.
- 11:30pm Pray For: Msgr. Eric Powell
- 11:31pm Pray For Taylor Caputo

### Sunday, December 20

- 8:30am Rosary
- 9:00am Mass For The People
- 9:02am Greeters - Baxter Family
- 9:03am Altar Server: Kellen, Elizabeth, L Albertson
- 9:04am Usher - Ken Baxter
- 9:05am Lector - Nina Newkirk
- 9:06am EMHC: Tom E. & Joann Dorn
- 10:15am Christmas Pageant & Breakfast
- 10:15am No Adult Bible Study Class
- 11:30pm Pray For: Fr. Ted Pracz
- 11:31pm Pray For Ryan Hartness

### Monday, December 21

- 8:00am Mass @ NC - Fr. Radosevich #2641
- 9:00am Rosary Group
- 11:30pm Pray For: Msgr. John Prendergast
- 11:31pm Pray For Zachary Leskanich

### Tuesday, December 22

- 8:00am Mass @ NC
- 9:00am Mom's Wrap
- 11:30pm Pray For: Fr. Joseph Presley, IC
- 11:31pm Pray For Zuhair Madanat

### Wednesday, December 23

- 8:00am Mass @ NC
- 6:00pm NO R.C.I.A.
- 6:30pm Singspiration Practice
- 11:30pm Pray For: Msgr. Richard Pricco
- 11:31pm Pray For Ryan Mattingly

### Thursday, December 24

- Office Closed
- 2:45pm Music Ministry Warm-up
- 4:00pm Christmas Eve Mass
- 4:01pm Altar Server: Ed H., Aiden, & Carson
- 4:01pm Spiritual Growth of the Parish #2645
- 4:02pm EMHC: Marilyn G. & Tom E.
- 4:03pm Lector: Kathleen H.
- 5:00pm Hall Rental - Ragains
- 11:30pm Pray For: Fr. Eugene Radosevich
- 11:31pm Pray For Daniel McShane

### Friday, December 25

- Office Closed
- 9:00am Christmas Mass
- 9:01am Altar Server: John H, Eliz. & Jon
- 9:01am Spiritual Growth of the Parish #2646
- 9:02am EMHC: Tom & Marty E.
- 9:03am Lector: Ashley M.
- 11:30pm Pray For: Msgr. James Ramer
- 11:31pm Pray For Stephen Rogers



### Saturday, December 26

- 2:30pm Confessions
- 4:00pm Mass - Bernard Krumholz #2459
- 4:03pm Altar Server: Rick and Lilly Twait
- 4:04pm Usher - Jerry Bassi
- 4:05pm Lector - Gladys S.
- 4:06pm EMHC: Jim M. & Marilyn G.
- 11:30pm Pray For: Fr. Robert Rayson
- 11:31pm Pray For Nicolas Wilson

### Sunday, December 27

- 8:30am Musicians Warm Up
- 8:30am Rosary
- 9:00am Mass - For The People
- 9:02am Greeters - Gardner Family
- 9:03am Altar Server: Kellen & Jon Q.
- 9:04am Usher - Dan Law
- 9:05am Lector - Tony Sajovic
- 9:06am EMHC: Tom E. & Joann Dorn
- 10:15am No Religious Ed or Adult Class
- 11:00am No Mass
- 11:30pm Pray For: Fr. Benjamin Reese
- 11:31pm Pray For All Seminarians

**Future Events - 12/31** - Vigil of Solemnity of Mary Holy Day of Obligation-4:00PM

**01/01** - Solemnity of Mary Holy Day of Obligation-9:00 AM at Maple Lawn Home's Memorial Hall

**01/01** - Solemnity of Mary Holy Day of Obligation-11:00 AM at the church

There will be no religious education or adult classes on Sunday, December 27 or January 3.

**Christmas Pageant** - Our religious ed students will be putting on a Christmas pageant this year on Sunday, December 20 following the 9:00 AM Mass. The St. Luke's Men's club is providing a free parish breakfast following the pageant. Everyone is welcome.

**Hear ye! Hear ye! 'Tis the Season!** It is that time of year to decorate "God's House" here at St. Luke's Church for Christmas. We are decorating after the Christmas Pageant on Sunday the 20th. We will start sometime between 11:30 and 12:00. It is a joy in one's life to give one's time and talent to service the Lord. God Bless, and Merry Christmas. Sincerely, Angela L. Schlossler



**Poinsettias** - The poinsettias that will be used to decorate the church for Christmas can be memorialized. Each poinsettia costs \$15.00 and we will have 20 of them. If there are more than 20 donations given, the addition money will be accepted for other possible decorations but there may not be a plant for those donors to take home after Christmas. Please use the special envelope on the collection basket table with the pink stripe and put it in the collection basket.

**Lighthouse CD's** - New titles of Lighthouse CD's are available: 7 Secrets of Divine Mercy, A Journey Through Advent, The Face of God, Anger and Forgiveness, Life is Worth Living (Archbishop Sheen), and How To Keep Your Kids Catholic. Suggested donation is \$3.00 per CD.

**Required Minimum Distribution** - There is good news if you have reached age 70 1/2 and you would like to help St. Luke's. If you have an IRA, the government requires you to take out a certain minimum amount each year and be subject to federal tax. However, the law allows you to donate this amount directly to St. Luke's during 2015 and have it distributed free of federal income tax! What a wonderful opportunity for those 70 1/2 to help St. Luke's. Please call your tax consultant or call Bill Engelbrecht at the Diocesan Office of Development at 309-671-1550 ext. 7093

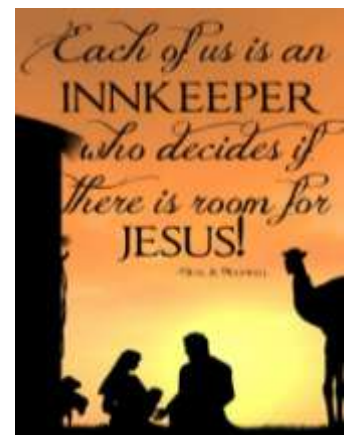
**A Food For The Poor Update** - Thank you to all who donated. We raised over \$600 to provide farm animals for families in need for Christmas! I'm still accepting donations until December 22 and they can mail it to me at 517 E. Bullock St., Eureka, 61530. Checks can be made out to Mary Gayed. God Bless you and thank you! Mary Gayed

**Rosaries For World Youth Day** - Amanda Hoekstra will be selling rosaries to help support her trip to Krakow, Poland for World Youth Day 2016 where she will be volunteering. She will be selling rosaries each Sunday of Advent and also Christmas Eve Mass.

**Smile.Amazon.com** - Would you like to support our parish while doing your Christmas shopping? Just log into <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/37-1118570>, select *St Lukes Roman Catholic Congregation* as your charity and .05% of your purchases through Amazon will be donated to our parish. You can also visit [www.stlukeeureka.com](http://www.stlukeeureka.com) and click on the Amazon banner on the slide show.

**REBOOT! LIVE!** Internationally renowned speaker and author Chris Stefanick with musical guest, Jon Niven. Reboot! Live! is the fun, inspiring and practical experience of applying the Gospel to every aspect of your life. Wednesday, April 27th, 2016, 7:00-9:30PM; in Washington. To register, go online to [www.RealLifeCatholic.com](http://www.RealLifeCatholic.com) or Contact Lisa Hines at 679-7163 or Lucy Twait at 645-6726 with questions. This would be a great Christmas gift.

2015 A.D.A. Score Card As Of 11/30/2015	
ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL (A.D.A.)	
PARISH	ST. LUKE
ADJUSTED GOAL	\$32,191.00
PLEGGED	\$29,820.00
PLEGGES NEEDED	\$2,371.00
ADJUSTED GOAL	\$32,191.00
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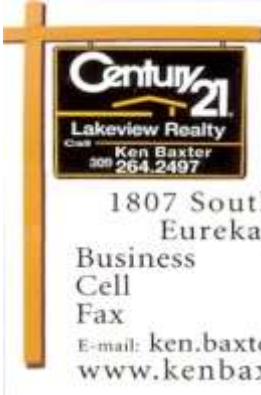
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**"A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars."**

**(Revelations 12:1)**

We, the St. Luke's Rosary Group,  
invite you to join us  
in the recitation of the Rosary  
every Sunday morning  
at 8:30am!

**ACT OF CONTRITION**

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You,  
and I detest all my sins because of Your just punishments,  
but most of all because they offend You my God,  
Who are all good and deserving of all my love.  
I firmly resolve, with the help of your grace, to sin no more  
and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Amen

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