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THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS – SEPTEMBER 14, 2014

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LITURGY OF THE MASS

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm
Sunday Morning: 10:00am
Daily: Tues. 8am, Wed. 11am, Thurs. 8am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Friday 9:30am to 4:30pm

SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30-4:30pm
 and by appointment
Marriage: Call Parish office or contact Father six months
 before the wedding date; Pre-Cana required.
Baptism: Call Parish office or contact Father for
 appointment; instruction required.
In Case of Sickness: Call parish office if you are sick
 or hospitalized; also, inform us about the sick or
 aged who are unable to attend church.

MISSION STATEMENT – We are St. Luke Church, people of God, created in the image and likeness of Christ, and committed to living our faith in the Roman Catholic tradition under the authority and direction of the Pope, Bishop and Pastor.

As people baptized in Christ, gifted with many talents and rooted in strong families, we reach out and welcome all. Our mission is to proclaim the good news, as a prayerful and caring community celebrating Christ's presence in worship, sacraments, and service.

Readings for September 14, 2014
The Exaltation of the Holy Cross



Readings for September 21, 2014
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Numbers 21:4b-9
Responsorial: Psalm 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38
Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
Gospel: John 3:13-17

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Responsorial: Psalm 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18
Second Reading: Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a
Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16a

	SEPTEMBER		MASS INTENTIONS	ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday	13	5pm	Deceased Children of Floyd/Sally Mickley	Monique Adam-Annika Adam
Sunday	14	10am	Carl Amos	Carol Ann Durbin-Regina Worley
Monday	15		No Mass	
Tuesday	16	8am	Clem Blubaugh	
Wednesday	17	11am	Ray Fiscus & Judy Scarberry	
Thursday	18	8am	Frances Avery	
Friday	19		No Mass	
Saturday	20	5pm	Michael Nester (deceased)	Lauren Mickley-Darren Mickley
Sunday	21	10am	Lucas & Muriel Schafer	Addison Wills-Garren Wills

Daily Mass Schedule for Priests: Tues. – Fr. Hammond, Wed. & Thurs. – Fr. Vince

Daily Office Schedule for Clergy: Tues. – Fr. Hammond, Wed. – Fr. Vince, Thurs. morning – Deacon Tim

St. Vincent de Paul Website: www.st-vincentdepaul.org

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St. Vincent Mass times

Saturday at 4:30pm, Sunday, 8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Monday, Tuesday at 12:15pm, Wednesday at 8:30am, Friday at 5:30pm

Liturgy of the Hours Thursday at 8:00am in Rectory Chapel

Your Stewardship to God – September 6/7, 2014

\$3,919.03 Weekly Offering, Thank you!

60.00 Assumption

Special Collection for People and the Church in the Middle East – This weekend, September 13-14:

The funds raised by this collection will be used by Catholic Relief Services and other Catholic agencies working in partnership with the local Church to meet the most urgent humanitarian needs facing the people in Iraq, Gaza, Syria, and surrounding countries where refugees have fled.

The collection for Sanctuary Community Action will be September 27/28. Their newsletter is available at www.sanctuarycommunityaction.org.

Prayers are requested for... Wayne & Esther Balcom, Charles Bratton, Sr., Denise Coffield, Bill Crawford, Elizabeth Diamond, Lois Fox, Liza Heffelfinger, Ray Hoffman, Arianna Keegan, Hannah King, Kathy Kosman, Bill Lang, Tom Leavitt, Father Michael Lumpe, Michael McAlpin, Michelle Mickley, Barb Miller, Eileen Miller, Michael Quinn, Mark Rine, Carol Roberts, Jackie Shackle, Bob Sichel, Darren Smith, Father Snoke, Bob Staggs, Shirley & Rodger Stoner, Melvin Troyer, Connie Turner, Glenda Warren, for the unborn & closure of abortion clinics. When admitted to a hospital please identify yourself as Catholic and call the parish office.

Remember in your prayers ... Mary Louise Boeshart, who died Sept. 8th.

MINISTRIES			Ushers	Ministers of the Word	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday	9/20	5pm	Jim Puster Annette Puster	Bob Blubaugh	Mark Latorre-Rose Bell-Marie Holland Keith Mickley-Betty Carpenter
Sunday	9/21	10am	Louie Mickley Duane Mickley	Nancy Tapocsi	Steve Dessert-Kathryn Dessert-Mary Anne Pomputius-Angelo Graziani-Amy Mickley

Cantors: Saturday, September 20 at 5pm: Rochelle Adam & Beth Sapp
 Sunday, September 21 at 10am: Laura Wills & Men's Group

Offertory Counter Team: September 21 – Jean Lahmon, Mark & LuAnn Latorre

Deacon Tim's Scheduled weekends at St. Luke's – Sept. 20/21, Sept. 27/28, October 18/19, October 25/26

Vocational View: We neither live nor die as ruler of our own lives. That is a scary, but freeing, thought.
 What does God free us from? What does God free us for? (Romans 14:7-9)

Blessing Cup Devotion for Vocations Schedule – *Sign-up in back of church or call the parish office.*

September 13– Holland Family
 September 21 – Tom & Tammy Harrmann
 September 28 – Cora & Francis Durbin
 October 4/5 –

Vocations Web site: www.seekholiness.com Visit this web site for answers to questions about vocations, information on what makes marriage work, and ways to nurture and strengthen your marriage.

Danville Area Senior Citizens Luncheon, Thursday, September 18... Ladies from North Bend Church of Brethren, Brinkhaven Church of Christ and Howard Methodist will be preparing a delicious Ham Loaf Dinner with all the trimmings for lunch at 12 noon at St. Luke Community Center. Reservations are requested by Monday evening, September 15--call Marty Neighbarger (599-2930) or Barb Mickley (599-7102 or 599-7224). Suggested donation is \$6 payable at the door. Ohio Eastern Star will be available for a free blood pressure check from 11am to 12 noon. Celeste Friedman, noted musician, songwriter and singer will entertain following lunch. All residents in Danville and East Knox school districts are cordially invited to join friends, family and neighbors for an enjoyable afternoon.

A Sign of Christ's Presence: Your Marriage: How do you enhance your sacramentality? Attend a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend! The next Marriage Encounter weekend is November 14–16, in central Ohio. For more information or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 740/746–9003 or visit our website at www.wwmecolumbus.org.

“Discovering the God Within Through Your Dreams” is a one day retreat offered by Sr. Jean Welling, S.C. at the Jesuit Retreat House, 5629 State Rd, Parma OH, on Wednesday, September 17 from 9am to 3pm. The day begins with coffee and pastry at 9am, home-cooked lunch, and concludes at 3pm with Mass. Cost is \$30. Fliers for registration (with map on reverse side) are on the side table in church or register online at www.jrh-cleveland.org.

Dr. Helen Alvaré to Speak at Josephinum: The Pontifical College Josephinum's 2014-2015 lecture series will begin Thursday, September 18, with a presentation by Dr. Helen Alvaré, Professor of Law at George Mason University School of Law. Dr. Alvaré is widely published on matters concerning marriage, parenting, non-marital households, abortion and the First Amendment religion clauses. She is a consultant for the Pontifical Council of the Laity, an advisor to the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, and an ABC news consultant. Dr. Alvaré will present “The Fallacy of the ‘Clash’ of Human Rights: Religious Freedom versus Sexual Freedom” at 7:00 pm in the Jessing Center on the Josephinum campus. The event is free of charge and open to the public; reservations not required. For more information, please call the Academic Dean's office at 614/985-2497.

Cum Christo: You are invited to participate in a once-in-a-lifetime experiential weekend of Christian learning, renewal and leadership. Contact Phil Roblee at philroblee@gmail.com to learn more about the Cursillo method of Piety, Study, Action and Group Reunion. The October 9-12, 2014 Men's Weekend and November 13-16, 2014 Women's Weekend are currently accepting applications. Future scheduled weekends in 2015 include: Men: March 12-15 & Women: April 16-19.

EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

Sat/Sun	Sept. 13/14	<i>Special Collection for Middle East</i>
Monday	September 15	7:30pm – K of C 3 rd Degree
Wednesday	September 17	6:30-8pm – Parish School of Religion, grades K-10 7:30-9pm – Parish School of Religion, grades 11-12
Thursday	September 18	Noon – Senior Citizen Lunch & Program 7pm RCIA
Friday	September 19	5-7 – Fish Fry
Sat/Sun	Sept. 20/21	Meeting after Mass for Lectors, Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, & Ushers
Sunday	September 21	9-11:30am – Pancake Breakfast

Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Weekend of September 13/14, 2014 – Today's second reading from the letter of Saint Paul to the Christian community at Philippi offers that beautiful testimony of Christ Jesus who loved us enough to give up his life for us by death on a cross. There is great hope in the cross, yet very few of us will be called to die the way Jesus died. Saint Paul helps us understand that to be authentic stewards of our faith we must be willing to lay down our lives for Jesus. To be faithful to the Gospel is to be willing to take up our cross daily and follow him. In that way we will find our dying and our rising equally assured. Reflect this week on how you embrace the cross, and how you, at times, shirk the cross in your daily life.

Ministries Meeting – September 20 & 21 after the weekend Masses: Deacon Tim will meet with Lectors, Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, & Ushers after each Mass. Please plan to stay for the meeting if you are able. This is to help all the parishes in the Consortium have consistent practices so the celebration of the Mass will flow smoothly and those in the various ministries will know what to expect.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is held Thursdays at 7pm in the Community Center. The sessions initially begin with an Inquiry Phase. This is a time to ask questions about the Catholic Faith, what Catholics believe and how we worship God. **All who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, both Catholic and non-Catholic are welcome to attend these sessions**, whether you have a desire to enter into the Catholic faith and receive the blessed sacraments and/or want to learn more about the Catholic faith and our Christian heritage. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Father Hammond or Father Vince, call the parish office or Mimi Durbin, RCIA director, at 599-6585.

The Jesus Retreat. Who Do You Say I Am? September 20-21, Marengo, Ohio

Time is limited to sign up the Diocesan Young Adult Retreat. Take time to explore how Jesus lived his life, what it means to have faith in him, and what it means to follow him as disciples. Deepen your understanding of Jesus' sacrifice for us and take time to focus on your own spiritual journey. Led by a team of young adults and the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, in partnership with Charis Ministries. Questions? Contact Sean Robinson at srobinson@cdeducation.org.

A Stewardship Prayer for September: The month of September has traditionally been set aside to honor Mary as Our Lady of Sorrows, whose feast is September 15. All the sorrows of Our Blessed Mother are joined together with the passion and death of her son, Jesus Christ. And so we pray:

Oh my Jesus, in your passion came true the prophecy of Simeon, that your mother would be pierced by a sword of immeasurable anguish and sorrow.

Grant that we who commemorate the memory of her grief, imitate her stewardship example and participate in a profound way in your redemptive work.

Help us to embrace the journey of your passion, so that like Our Blessed Mother, your first and greatest disciple, we too may be brought from death to life by your cross and resurrection.

We pray this to you, Christ our Lord, Amen.