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THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH – DECEMBER 28, 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 December 28, 2014
The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph



Readings for January 4, 2015
The Epiphany of the Lord

First Reading: Genesis 15:1-6; 21:1-3
Responsorial: Psalm 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9
Second Reading: Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19
Gospel: Luke 2:22-40

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6
Responsorial: Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13
Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

DEC. – JAN.		MASS INTENTIONS		ALTAR SERVERS	
Saturday	27	5pm	People of St. Luke	Monique Adam-Annika Adam	
Sunday	28	10am	Eleanor Remen	Anna Worley-Carol Ann Durbin	
Monday	29		<i>No Mass</i>		
Tuesday	30	8am	Joe & Eileen Miller, 68 th Anniversary		
Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God					
Wednesday	31	7:30pm	Lynn Miller		
Thursday	1	9am	Maria Kreuzer		
Friday	2		<i>No Mass</i>		
Saturday	3	5pm	Paul & Beth Sapp, 50 th Anniv	Rachel Mickley-Erin Mickley	
Sunday	4	10am	People of St. Luke	Patrick Worley-Darian Warnock	

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

Solemnity of Mary – December 31 at 5:30pm & January 1 at 10:30am (Fr. Hammond)

Church of the Nativity Mass times – Friday at 5:30pm & Sunday at 8am

Solemnity of Mary – January 1st at 9:00am (Fr. Vince)

Your Stewardship to God – December 20 & 21 & Christmas

\$8,043.00 Weekly Offering, Thank you!

2,673.75 Christmas Offering

616.00 Diocesan Charities

390.00 Retirement Fund for Religious-295, Diocesan Charities-95

90.00 Immaculate Conception-25, Solemnity of Mary-25, Cemetery-40

Prayers are requested for... Dorothy Colopy, Elizabeth Diamond, Lois Fox, Liza Heffelfinger, Ray Hoffman, Hannah King, Kathy Kosman, Susan Lau, Tom Leavitt, Father Michael Lumpe, Michelle Mickley, Barb Miller, Eileen Miller, Mary Murtha, Michael Quinn, Carol Roberts, Jackie Shackle, Bob Sichel, Darren Smith, Father Snoke, Bob Staggs, Shirley & Rodger Stoner, Martha Stutz, Amber Thompson, Melvin Troyer, Connie Turner, Glenda Warren, Bob Watts, Marlene Yeldell, for the unborn & closure of abortion clinics. When admitted to a hospital please identify yourself as Catholic and call the parish office.

A Sign of God's Presence: Our Marriages: The Incarnation reminds us of how Christ becomes present in the world through the sacraments, including marriage. At a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend, you'll learn how to make your home a stronger sign of the Lord's presence. Plan ahead for one of the next two weekends in Columbus: in the new year on February 13-15 and April 10-12. For more information or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614/834-6880 or visit our website at www.wmecolumbus.org

MINISTRIES

Ushers

Minister/Word

Eucharistic Ministers

Solemnity of Mary	12/31	7:30pm	Nick, Sheri, & Allison Tharp	Jaime Hilberg	Keith Mickley-Theresa Morris-Greg Thomas-Bob Blubaugh-Joy Blubaugh
Solemnity of Mary	1/1	9am	Volunteers needed	Marcia Durbin	Dianne Rupp-Steve Dessert-Kathryn Dessert-Phil Keogh-Kathy Keogh
Saturday	1/3	5pm	A. Hollis-Rashleys Keith Miller	Peggy Dunn	Laura Segraves-Betty Hoffman-Betty Carpenter-Roger Holland-Carol Hall
Sunday	1/4	10am	Jerry Mickley Leo Mickley	Tom Harrmann	Marcia Durbin-Amy Mickley-Abby Sapp-Alyssa Iverson-Cindy Adrian

Cantors: Wednesday, Dec. 31 at 7:30pm: Laura Wills, Patti Winterhalter
 Thursday, Jan. 1 at 9am: Rochelle Adam & Joanna Mickley
 Saturday, January 3 at 5pm: Guitar Group
 Sunday, January 4 at 10am: Judy Hedge & Cathy Worley

Offertory Counter Team: January 4 – Don & Janet Hawk, Susan Roach

Vocational Views: Yours may not be THE Holy Family, but you are still a holy family. Share an expression of gratitude for the gift of your family today. Pray for wholeness and holiness for all members of the family of God. (Colossians 3:12-21)

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

December 28 – Adrian Family

January 10 or 11 –

January 3 or 4 –

January 18 – Dessert Family

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.

January is Poverty in America Awareness Month: More than 46 million Americans live in poverty. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) is the domestic anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops. Learn more about poverty in our country and its root causes. Visit www.povertyusa.org or contact Social Concerns at 614-241-2540.

World Day of Peace is January 1. The theme of Pope Francis' message will be "Slaves No More, But Brothers and Sisters." He will urge us to recognize the "equal dignity" of our brothers and sisters who are enslaved and exploited through human trafficking. His message and other materials are available at www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-dignity/war-and-peace/world-day-of-peace.cfm.

New Year's Eve Mass – On December 31st at St. Therese Retreat Center (located at 5277 E Broad St, Columbus, OH 43213) we will be gathering for a New Year's Eve Mass celebrated by Fr. James Coleman. We will begin with Praise and Worship at 6:00 p.m., Mass at 7:00 p.m., and Fellowship will be held at 8:00 p.m. For more information, please contact the Catholic Charismatic Renewal at 614-914-8556.

The Knox-Licking Deanery DCCW (Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) will meet on Sat., Jan. 10 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Francis de Sales' Lemay Center. The Women of St. Francis will be the hostesses. The group will be electing a president and planning the program for 2015. Please come and share your ideas. All women are welcome. For more info, please contact: Peggy Behrman mmbehrman@aol.com 614-937-4865 or Dee Jones drjones1@columbus.rr.com 740-522-4875.

Care for Creation Calendar: Please keep in your prayers the people who work hard to produce, prepare, transport, and sell the food we eat. To learn more about the Catholic Church and food issues, visit the National Catholic Rural Life Conference at www.ncrlc.com. The Ohio Catholic Rural Life Conference issued a Care for Creation Calendar that identifies various patron saints associated with stewardship of the God's creation. The calendar is available at www.ohiocathconf.org.

World Family Meeting 2015 in Philadelphia: Go to www.worldmeeting2015.org/ for the latest information on Pope Francis' trip to the United States.

EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

Sunday	December 28	Blessing of Families after weekend Masses 11am-1pm – Kris Kringle Party for Seniors & Jr-Sr High PSR Students
Wednesday	December 31	7:30pm – Vigil Mass for Solemnity of Mary
Thursday	January 1	9am – Mass for Solemnity of Mary – Holyday of Obligation
Sunday	January 4	4pm – Ministries Party

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, December 27 & 28 – When Jesus is presented in the Temple, our Blessed Mother formally offers him to God’s service without reservation. It is a service that Simeon prophetically foretells: a service to God that will turn the old laws and cultural norms upside down. Are we destined to hold on to old habits and customs tightly, or like Jesus, are we willing to serve the Lord and proclaim the Gospel in new and creative ways?

Thank you... Thank you to everyone who helped to decorate the church for Christmas. Thank you to Fr. Vince and Homer Blubaugh for celebrating the Christmas Masses. Thank you to the children who put on the Christmas Pageant, the lectors, ushers, Eucharistic ministers, and all our musicians—Rochelle & Devani Adam and the youth who sang at the 7:30 Mass, Laura Wills and all those who sang and played instruments at the 9am Mass.

Ministries Party, Sunday January 4: Please mail your RSVP or call the office by Dec. 30.

March for Life Trip to Washington D.C. – January 21-24, 2015: All are welcome to come on the trip to Washington. The cost is \$320 each for a double room and, \$280 each for 3-4 persons in a room. A \$50 deposit is due **now**. Registration forms with the details are available in church or the parish office, or may be e-mailed at your request.

Charity: Simple Word, Powerful Outcome

by Mary Ann Otto, Director of Stewardship, Diocese of Green Bay, Wisconsin

Another year is upon us! And inspired by the spirit of this beautiful Christmas season, those who wish to enjoy a closer relationship with the Lord in the coming year will ask themselves questions such as: What will be new in my growth as a follower of Jesus? What tangible changes of heart and habit will I strive for in 2015? Perhaps we might reflect on the word charity to accompany our New Year discernment.

The word charity seems like such a simple term, but it generates a powerful outcome. As one of the three great “theological virtues,” charity addresses all areas of the life of a Christian steward including our relationship with God, each other, the environment and all human life.

Indeed, Pope Paul VI wrote that “*Christian charity truly extends to all, without distinction of race, creed or social condition: it looks for neither gain nor gratitude*” (On the Mission Activity of the Church, n.12).

The virtue of charity is fundamentally Christ’s love and our response in love. Charity invites us to change our attitudes toward others and see them as Jesus Christ would. Charity encourages us to use the time God has given us, as well as our God-given talents and treasure, to share His love with others. Blessed Mother Teresa was someone who made room for the virtue of charity in her heart and allowed it to direct her life as a disciple of Jesus.

In his pastoral letter, *Evangelii Gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel)*, Pope Francis urges Catholics to be living examples of the virtue of charity; to make conscious and deliberate attempts to allow the love of Christ to shine through us and into the world.

Perhaps you will make a list of New Year’s resolutions for 2015. As you sit down to reflect, consider using the virtue of charity, loving God and neighbor, as a lens through which to discern, examine and establish your goals. In that way, you are sure to exercise better stewardship over your life and faith in the coming year. Have a happy and charitable 2015.

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