

#### 307 SOUTH MARKET STREET, P.O. BOX P **DANVILLE, OHIO 43014-0616** SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – JULY 24, 2016

## FATHER MARK HAMMOND, PASTOR

Father Vince Nguven, Parochial Vicar Deacon Tim Birie Father Homer Blubaugh, retired Thomas Harrmann, Director of Religious Ed. Betty Hoffman, Treasurer Sandy Mickley, Secretary Donald Hawk, Parish Council President Sacramental Emergencies – 398-6285

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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

740-392-4711 ext. 1 @ St. Vincent de Paul Parish Office

740-392-4711 ext. 7

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1-740-502-2679

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#### 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; Instruction is required.

Baptism: Call Greg Henkel at 740-392-4711 ext. 5 or gregmhenkel@gmail.com; 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 July 24, 2016 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



Readings for July 31, 2016 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Genesis 18:20-32

Responsorial: Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 Second Reading: Colossians 2:12-14

**Gospel: Luke 11:1-13** 

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23

Responsorial: Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

**Gospel: Luke 12:13-21** 

	JULY		MASS INTENTIONS	OFFERED BY	ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday	23	5pm	Ruth & Louie Blubaugh	Bob Blubaugh	Erin Mickley-Rachel Mickley
Sunday	24	10am	People of St. Luke		Darian Warnock-Joseph Hedge
Monday	25		No Mass		
Tuesday	26	8am	Gary Hurley	Hurley Family	
Wednesday	27	11am	Ray Hoffman	Bea Colopy	
Thursday	28	8am	Mary Durbin Blubaugh	Jim Blubaugh	
Friday	29		No Mass		
Saturday	30	5pm	People of St. Luke		Megann/Joey Hilberg-Nathan Butts
Sunday	31	10am	Donald R. Sprang	Jane Sprang	Regina Worley-Anna Worley

There will be no weekday Masses the first two weeks of August, due to repair of the church understructure.

## Saint Luke is a member of the Knox-Licking Consortium with St. Vincent de Paul.

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

Go to Quick Links at the bottom of the page for 'Church Bulletin'

St. Vincent Mass times

Saturday at 4:30pm; Sunday at 8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am 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 – July 16/17**

\$2,763.60 Weekly Offering, Thank you!

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Prayers are requested for... Kaden Allerding, Chris Allison, Jeff Allison, Helen Austin, Johnnie Baughman, Bill Bennett, Annette Campbell, Spencer Capelle, Anna Connors, Rose Crawford, Jim Denuit, Roseanne Euman, Lois Fox, Liza Heffelfinger, Hannah King, John Kick, Bob Kosman, Kathy Kosman, Bill Lang, Bailey Larrison, John Leslie, Katelyn McKinley, Larry McWilliams, Louie Mickley, Barb Miller, Ben Miller, Eileen Miller, Josh Moore, Chris Neitzelt, Bernard Oberfield, Dave/Lorna Patton, Chloe Ploof, Bob Remen, Roy Rhodes, Carol Roberts, Beth Sapp, Jackie Shackle, Father Snoke, John Staggs, Shirley & Rodger Stoner, Melvin Troyer, Bob Watts, Katie Weber, Sr. Jean Welling, and closure of abortion clinics. When admitted to a hospital please identify yourself as Catholic & call the parish office if you wish to have a visit.

## **OPEN DOORS Presents 'A Series on Persecution**

First Saturdays at Mother of Joyful Hope, 40 N. Grubb St. Columbus.

Visit them at www.childrenofmary@juno.com or call 614-867-8334.

12:30-Chant Day Prayer, 1:00 Guest Speaker, 2:00 Healing Holy Hour, 3:15 Optional Potluck Social

Aug. 6 – Rachel Muha: Learning the Depth of Forgiveness

Sept. 3 – Father Stash Daily: Die Rather Than Deny

Oct. 1 – Father Jonathan Wilson: Know Your Enemy; Love Your Enemy

Nov. 5 – Father Eric Bowman: Fatima Messages Unfolding

Dec. 3 – Father Dan Dury: My Heart is Ready, O God

Blessed are you when they shall revile you, and persecute you, and speak all that is evil against you, untruly, for My sake: Be glad and rejoice, for your reward is very great in heaven.

MINISTRIES			Ushers	Minister of Wo	rd Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday	7/30	5pm	Keith Mickley	Jane Butts	Carol Hall-Dave Rashley-Mindy Rashley
			George Durbin		Betty Carpenter-John Higgins
Sunday	7/31	10am	Eric Winterhalter	Mark Hedge	Tom Harrmann-Don Hawk-Joanna Mickley
			Joe Tapocsi		Marcia Durbin-Amy Mickley

Cantors: Saturday, July 30 at 5pm: Laura Wills & Patti Winterhalter

Sunday, July 31 at 10am: Rochelle Adam

Offertory Counter Team: July 31 – Mike & Chris Billow, Roxanna Reiheld

Welcome to St. Luke Parish! If you wish to register at St. Luke Parish, please pick up a Family Registration form in the church from the table near the side entrance or in the vestibule, stop at the office, or one can be mailed to you upon request. Just fill it out with your information and return it to the parish office. If you are currently a member of another parish in the diocese, the diocese will transfer your membership to St. Luke's.

**HopeNow Furniture Bank of Knox County** – *Helping Our Neighbors in Need*: The top need is for kitchen chairs. Also needed are mattresses (twin, full, queen), dressers, & tables. For free pickup of donations, call 740/358-2998. Respond at <a href="mailto:2hopenow@gmail.com">2hopenow@gmail.com</a>.

**Help Needed** at Sisters of Children of Mary convent in Newark, OH., who just excavated 4 acres of land and need help clearing the trees and building permanent pastures for their cows. Any day! Please call 740-323-1977 or email <a href="mailto:childrenofmary@juno.com">childrenofmary@juno.com</a>, and visit the website <a href="www.childrenofmary.net">www.childrenofmary.net</a>.

## Retreat for Married Couples on August 27, 2016

Featuring celebration of Mass and reflection by Bishop Frederick F. Campbell and presentations by Deacon James Keating, author of *Spousal Prayer: A Way to Marital Happiness*. The retreat will be held from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Church, Columbus. Cost is \$65 per couple, which includes light breakfast, lunch and *Spousal Prayer* book. For more information and to register please visit <a href="http://familylife.colsdioc.org">http://familylife.colsdioc.org</a> or call 614-241-2560.

The Catholic Laymen's Fall silent retreat is at St. Therese's Retreat Center, 6pm Friday, September 9 through noon Mass, Sunday, September 11. In reflection sessions, Fr. Stephen Hayes O.P will lead men to appreciate the value of the medieval crusades by developing his theme "Taking up the Cross: Becoming Modern Crusaders for the New Jerusalem of Christ." The total cost is only \$130.00. For information and registration contact Charles Kielkopf at 614-268-0175, kielkopf.1@osu.edu.

The Church lives an authentic life when she...proclaims mercy—the most stupendous attribute of...the Redeemer—and when she brings people close to the sources of the Savior's mercy...

It is precisely because sin exists in the world...that God, who *is love*, cannot reveal himself otherwise than as mercy. This corresponds...to the whole interior truth of man and of the world which is man's temporary homeland. Mercy in itself, as a perfection of the infinite God, is also infinite. Also infinite therefore and inexhaustible is the Father's readiness to receive the prodigal children who return to his home. Infinite are the readiness and power of forgiveness which flow continually from the marvelous value of the sacrifice of the Son.

No human sin can prevail over this power or even limit it. On the part of man only a lack of good will can limit it, a lack of readiness to be converted and to repent, in other words persistence in obstinacy, opposing grace and truth, especially in the face of the witness of the cross and Resurrection of Christ. Therefore, the Church professes and proclaims conversion. Conversion to God always consists in discovering his mercy...Authentic knowledge of the God of mercy, the God of tender love, is a constant and inexhaustible source of conversion...as a permanent attitude, as a state of mind.

#### EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

Saturday	July 24	11am-noon – Festival de-briefing meeting
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Monday July 25 7pm – 4<sup>th</sup> Degree

Tuesday July 26 7pm – PCCW Euchre Card Party

# A Stewardship Moment: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Weekend of July 23/24, 2016

Today's Gospel parable speaks to generosity. In the deep of night, a sleepy friend responds to his neighbor's request for food for an unexpected guest. Jesus suggests that it would be unthinkable that a friend would deny a friend in need. A friend would most certainly give what is asked and more. Through this story, Jesus illustrates God's generosity. Good stewards realize the extraordinary love and graciousness with which God showers us. We need never convince God to be generous. God is already that generous friend. His abundant love bathes us in goodness. This week, prayerfully reflect on God's generosity and what our response should be to that generosity.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Eucharistic Adoration is an amazing way to encounter Jesus Christ face to face. He is exposed on the holy altar for us and is truly present to us in His body, blood, soul and divinity. Let us take the time to come and kneel before Jesus in a most profound and intimate meeting where heaven is present here on earth. The graces and blessings he will shower on you and your family is unlimited. So come, let us adore our King!

Weekly adoration will begin after the 8:00 a.m. mass on Tuesday mornings and continue through the day and night until before mass on Wednesday at 11:00. We need a strong commitment from our parish to start this weekly adoration in the fall. Please, let Jesus know how much we love him. Call now and start the blessings flowing. Call: Barb Smith (740-668-2202), Denise Coffield (740-599-7710), Don Horn (740-668-3014). There are sheets to sign-up on the table by the side entrance.

**National Natural Family Planning Awareness Week!** Natural Family Planning Awareness Week highlights the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25) which articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality and married love. The week also included the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother. Natural Family Planning (NFP) uses modern scientific knowledge of fertility to allow married couples to safely and effectively achieve or postpone pregnancy without the use of drugs or devices. Engaged and married couples are invited to learn NFP. Class dates/registration are online at familylife.colsdioc.org or contact the Marriage and Family Life Office at 614-241-2560 or familylife@columbuscatholic.org.

Christian Initiation Inquiry – As our Blessed Mother brings us to her Son Jesus, it is our task also to bring others to the Lord. Is there someone you can invite to explore the Catholic Faith – someone unbaptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition? Perhaps you know a Catholic adult interested in being confirmed. Call Greg Henkel, 740-392-4711, ext. 5 or email <a href="mailto:greghenkel@gmail.com">greghenkel@gmail.com</a>.

**The Real Crisis** – Right now, the whole world is in crisis. And crisis is not a bad thing. It is true that the crisis causes us suffering but we—and first and foremost, all you young people—must know how to interpret the crisis. What does this crisis mean? What must I do to help us to come through this crisis? The crisis we are experiencing at this time is a human crisis. People say: it is an economic crisis; it is a crisis of work. Yes, that's true. But why? This work problem, this problem in the economy, is a consequence of the great human problem. What is in crisis is the value of the human person, and we must defend the human person...

Today the person counts for nothing; it is coins, it is money that counts. And Jesus, God, gave the world, the whole creation, to the person, to men and women that they might care for it; he did not give it to money. It is a crisis; the person is in a crisis because today—listen carefully, it is true—the person is a slave! We must liberate ourselves from these economic and social structures that enslave us. This is your duty.

	~Pope Francis,	Dialogue with	Students	of Jesuit Schools	of Italy and	Albania,	Paul VI A	Audience	Hall, ]	June 7,
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