

September 3, 2017

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

For the Son of Man will come with his angels in his Father's glory, and then he will repay everyone according to his conduct.

Matthew 16:27



Many thanks to David Smith, a parishioner, for building the six beautiful picnic tables out in front of the church entrance. David dedicated a lot of time and energy this summer not just building the picnic tables, but also raising the money for them, as part of his Eagle Scout project. He recently also gave to the parish a check for over \$170.00, which was the amount left over from what he had collected to cover the cost of the materials. God bless you David for your service to our parish! - Fr. Bill



Mass Schedule Change!
Sunday Evening Mass has moved to 5 p.m.



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Mass Schedule

Sunday
8 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
5 p.m.
Tuesday - Friday
5 p.m.
Saturday
9:30 a.m.

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**Upcoming Parish Events
September**

- 4 - NO Mass ON LABOR DAY
- 17 - Blessing of the church Ceremony
- 18 - Adult Faith Formation Begins
- 24 - Faith Formation, Youth Ministry and Young Disciples Begins
- 24 - New Parishioner Welcome Event

This Week's Scripture Readings
Available online at usccb.org/bible



Altar Flowers for Sunday Sept. 3
In honor of
Martin & Darlene Hornak's
55th Anniversary

Ministries for Sept. 10

Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to Mass.

Lectors

- 8:00 a.m. Lisa Flessner (1st), Jaymie Perry (2nd)
- 10:30 Patricia Roslund (1st), Deb Morello (2nd)

Altar Servers

- 8:00 a.m. Isaac Perry, Jacob Vantrepott
- 10:30 Aaron Morgan, **Server Needed**

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

- 8:00 a.m. Jessica Oostindie, Sheryl Horton, Alan Supran
- 10:30 Tom & Sabrina Van Wyk, Bruce Grzegorzczuk, Ramona Baldrige, Rod Morgan

Ushers Please arrive at least 20 minutes prior to Mass.

- 8:00 a.m. Jason Horton (lead), Sue Sandberg, Ron Gorlewski, Jerry Casha
- 10:30 Rich Conflitti (lead), Joe Morello, Larry Flagg, William Norton

CSA Update

With your generous response to date, we have reached 98% of our parish CSA goal. 48% of our households have responded. Congratulations and thank you for your stewardship! Our goal is 100% participation, which means a completed pledge card from every household.

Finances for August	Envelope	Online	Combined	Budgeted	Over/Behind
Total for August	\$ 17,330	\$6,615	\$ 23,945	\$ 24,000	\$ (55)
Weekly Average for Aug.	\$ 4,332	\$1,654	\$ 5,986	\$ 6,000	\$ (14)

Happening this Week in Our Parish

Sunday (9/3) 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 a.m. Mass Hornak's 55th Anniversary Church
- 9:15 Faith Formation Registration Church
- 10:30 Mass + Howard Lehti Church
- 11:45 Faith Formation Registration Church
- 4:00 p.m. RCIA/Catechumenate Church
- 5:00 Mass Victims of Hurricane Harvey Church

Monday (9/4) Labor Day

Office Closed-No Mass

Tuesday (9/5)

- 5:00 p.m. Mass For Our People Church
- 5:30 Reconciliation Church
- 6:00 Campus Life Night GVSU-Lot H

Wednesday (9/6)

- 5:00 p.m. Mass Safety of those displaced by Hurricane Harvey Church
- 5:30 Reconciliation Church

Thursday (9/7)

- 3:30 p.m. Food Pantry Church
- 5:00 Mass Those who Aid Others Church
- 5:30 Reconciliation Church

Friday (9/8) Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 9:30 a.m. Parish Breakfast Club Murphy's
- 5:00 p.m. Mass Those in Need of Healing Church
- 5:30 Reconciliation Church

Saturday (9/9) St. Peter Claver

- 9:00 a.m. Reconciliation Church
- 9:30 Mass Those who Lost Their Homes Church
- 9:30 Paulist Associates Meeting Church

Sunday (9/10) 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 a.m. Mass Church
- 10:30 Mass Church
- 12:00 p.m. Altar Server Training Church
- 2:00 Baptism Preparation Church
- 3:00 Lector Training Church
- 4:00 Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training Church
- 4:00 RCIA/Catechumenate Church
- 5:00 Mass Church
- 6:15 Usher Training Church

Food Pantry Needs

St. Luke's Food Pantry appreciates your help!

Our current food pantry needs:

Canned Fruit & Vegetables

To donate, please drop items off in the shopping cart outside the pantry/McConnon Room at the church.

Next pantry date: Sept. 7

Food Pantry is still collecting Family Fare Receipts. For the receipts to count we **must have the full receipt**, not just the bottom part.

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Hurricane Harvey Collection

The Bishop requested we collect a second collection for Hurricane Harvey Relief. Funds given to the collection will support the humanitarian and recovery efforts of Catholic Charities USA and will provide pastoral and rebuilding support to impacted dioceses through the USCCB. You may also contribute online at www.dioceseofgrandrapids.org.

Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays

Beginning Sept. 12 in the church Eucharistic Adoration will be held every Tuesday, 7-10 p.m. Confession will be available during this time on most Tuesdays. Concluding with Benediction at 9:50. Please come and spend some time in silent prayer before the Lord, present in the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Luke University Parish Knights of Columbus to host Youth Soccer Challenge Competition

All boys and girls ages 9-14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 2017 K of C Soccer Challenge. It will take place on Saturday, Sept. 30, from 9-3 p.m. near the entrance to the AYSO soccer fields in front of Oakwood Intermediate school (10505 Learning Ln). Those younger than the 9-14 age group will be able to get in on the fun as well, but are not eligible for any advancement to the regional or state level. Questions? Please contact Joel Dykstra at jdykstra101@gmail.com.

The Triumph and Power of Suffering Love

The St. Paul Center at Our Lady of Consolation in Rockford is hosting Matthew Leonard from 9-11:45 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 23. Tickets are \$5. For more information or to register, visit stpaulcenter.com/olc.

Wedding Anniversary Mass

Together with your families, the Church in the Diocese of Grand Rapids honors the faithful witness to your vocation of marriage and wishes to celebrate with you. Bishop Walkowiak is inviting all couples celebrating milestone anniversaries to join him on Sunday, Oct. 22 at the 10 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Andrew. A simple reception will immediately follow. Please RSVP by calling the parish office with your names, number attending and number of years married.

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Upcoming Training for all Liturgical Ministers

With our new church building and our new pastor, there have been changes to the procedures for liturgical ministers. Liturgical training sessions for these ministries (except Ushers) were held in August. We are asking that all current liturgical ministers be trained in the new procedures. To accommodate those current ministers who could not attend the August training, the new and returning GVSU students, as well as new people who would like to serve in these ministries, we will be holding training sessions on *Sunday, Sept. 10*.

12 noon-Altar Server Training

3 p.m.-Lector Training

4 p.m.-Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training

6:15 p.m.-Usher Training

Faith Formation For Children & Youth

The final scheduled orientation and registration night for parents for this year's children's Faith Formation is this Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 7 p.m. Registration fees will increase beginning Sept. 6. Faith Formation Sessions for children and youth begin Sunday, Sept. 24. If you have been preparing for **Confirmation** over the past year, you must be registered this fall for Youth Ministry to finish your preparations for Confirmation at the Cathedral on Nov. 7.

Adult and College Student Bible Study

What do Catholics believe about the Bible? How can you have a living relationship with the Word of God? St. Luke's will host a 7-week *Introduction to the Bible* course for adults and young adults 16+ beginning Monday, Sept. 18. We will meet **every other** Monday evening, 6:30-8:15 p.m. A suggested donation of \$25 is requested to cover materials cost, but no one will be turned away. **Participants must be pre-registered by Sept. 16**. Please contact John Graveline, j.graveline@lukespot.com, for more information or to register.

Lord, Teach us to Pray

Is prayer a struggle for you? Would you like to pray more, but don't know where to start? Would you like to deepen your spirituality? St. Luke's is hosting a one-night session for adults 16+, **Adult Prayer: Moving Beyond Memorized Prayers**, Thursday, Sept. 14, 7 p.m. Learn the principles of a mature, deep spirituality, and also learn about the new opportunities for spiritual growth being offered at St. Luke University Parish.

Sessions for Non-Catholics who Want to Learn More About Catholicism

If you are not Catholic but would like to learn more about Catholic beliefs and practices, St. Luke's is hosting two Inquiry Series this fall. The first will be on Wednesday evenings at 8 p.m. This series will continue weekly until Nov. 15. The second series will be on Sunday evenings at 6 p.m., immediately following the 5 p.m. Mass beginning on Sept. 24. This series will continue weekly until Nov. 26. Pick either series as your schedule allows. Contact John Graveline, j.graveline@lukespot.com, for more information.

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