



*Saint Luke Catholic Parish
Founded 1820*

Church Cornerstone - August 11, 1895

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DANVILLE, OHIO 43014-0616

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT – FEBRUARY 21, 2021

FATHER MARK HAMMOND, PASTOR

FR. DAN OLVERA, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Tim Birie

Father Homer Blubaugh, retired

ST LUKE OFFICE

Sheryl Mickley, Administrator of Religious Ed.

Sandy Mickley, Bookkeeper

Jane Butts, Secretary

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LITURGY OF THE MASS

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm

Sunday Morning: 10:00am

Daily: Tues. 11am, Wed. 11am (elderly)

Thurs. 8am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

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SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30-4:00pm,

Call Sandy Mickley for appointment at 740-507-9569.

Marriage: Contact Fr. Hammond 4 months prior to the date you have in mind to be married, Marriage Prep and Pre-Cana are required.

Baptism: Call Greg Henkel at 740-392-4711 ext. 104 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 Mass.

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 February 21, 2021
The First Sunday of Lent



Readings for February 28, 2021
The Second Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15
Responsorial Psalm: 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9
Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22
Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
Responsorial Psalm: 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19
Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34
Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

	FEBRUARY		MASS INTENTIONS	OFFERED BY
Saturday	20	5pm	Alcohol and Drug Addiction	
Sunday	21	10am	People of St. Luke	
Tuesday	23	11am	Irene Guy	Bereavement Ministry
Wednesday	24	11am	Russ Atkinson	Cyndi Atkinson
Thursday	25	8am	Jo Ann Guinther	Pete & Brenda Dinan
Saturday	27	5pm	Irwin Craig Ward	Bereavement Ministry
Sunday	28	10am	People of St. Luke	

Saint Luke is a member of the Knox Consortium with St. Vincent de Paul, Mount Vernon

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

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

St. Vincent de Paul Mass times: Saturday at 4:30pm; Sunday at 8:00am, 10:00am, 12pm

Monday, Tuesday (elderly), Wednesday at 12:15pm; Friday at 5:30pm

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

Your Stewardship to God –Week of February 13/14

\$3,489.00	Regular Offering, Thank you! <i>This includes \$380 in automatic payments on Feb. 5th</i>
238.00	Catholic Times
110.00	Black and Indian Missions
20.00	Food Pantry

Welcome to St. Luke Catholic Church: Please wear a mask throughout the service only removing it to receive communion. Please take this bulletin home with you. An usher will dismiss you for Communion and at the end of the Mass. Please leave your kneeler down so the cleaners know where to sanitize.

Black & Indian Missions, Feb. 20-21: Proceeds from this collection are distributed to dioceses supporting & strengthening evangelization programs among Black, American Indian, Eskimo & Aleut communities of the United States. Through our prayers and generosity, we share in spreading Christ's Gospel message.

Thank you to all new and returning readers of The Catholic Times. It's not too late to subscribe for the upcoming year for only \$17. Sign up online at columbuscatholic.org/catholic-times under the subscription payments tab. You may also use the envelope provided in your February packet, or simply write your name and Catholic Times on a plain envelope and drop it into the collection basket. Or mail your \$17 check payable to Diocese of Columbus – Catholic Times to our office at 197 E. Gay St., Columbus, OH 43215.

Remember in your prayers the family of Martha Stutz who died late Saturday, February 13.

Prayers are requested for....Kaden Allarding, Jeff Allison, Cynthia Barkhimer, **Cecil Bragg**, Rose Crawford, **Jim Denuit**, Gretchen Dues, Natalie Ebner, Jared Foley, Patrick Gaffney, Julie Grimes, Kim Hamm Householder, Tripp Heffelfinger, Betty Hoffman, Karen Koegle, Amy Koegly, Alana Leavitt, Thomas Leavitt, Rosalee Mathie, Jill McDonald, Barb Miller, Joe Miller, Laura Mills, Steve Meyers, Lorna Patton, Delaney Rothgeb, Beth Sapp, Bob Sichel, Barb Smith, Terri Tharp, Father Victor Wesolowski, for those affected by the opioid crisis, for the closure of abortion clinics and for all those affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Please call the parish office when admitted to the hospital if you wish a visit.

MINISTRIES		USHERS/GREETERS		LECTOR
Saturday	2/27	5pm	Bill & Mimi Durbin Linda Welsh-Dave Rashley	Deacon Tim
Sunday	2/28	10am	Mark Hedge-Jerry Mickley Ed & Anna Annett	Deacon Tim

Ushers, please arrive 45 minutes prior to Mass.

Live Streamed Masses: St. Luke's livestreams both Saturday Mass at 5pm and Sunday Mass at 10am at www.facebook.com/STLKCD/.

St. Vincent's Sunday Masses: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCaKkSBPmEcow49IPM4g74hg>

Weekly Comments from the Clergy are also available on the YouTube address above.

Word on Fire: Parishioners have complete access to Bishop Barron's Word on Fire ENGAGE video library! To access Word on Fire videos log onto flocknote.com/login and enter your email address and password. Click visit WoFDigital.org.

Nominations now open for the 2021 Catholic Man of the Year. The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2021 Catholic Man of the Year. The Catholic Man of the Year is awarded to one layman who, through his daily actions, words, and prayers, exemplifies the "good and faithful servant." For details, nomination instructions and the required online nomination form, go to www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc. Submit your nomination and let us know why your husband, father, son, uncle, brother or friend is the Catholic Man of the Year! Nominations will be accepted through March 31, 2021. Bishop Robert J. Brennan will announce the 2021 Catholic Man of the Year on May 7, 2021.

Disciple Maker Index Survey – We need 100% Participation – St. Luke Parish will be participating in the diocesan-wide Disciple Maker Index (DMI) Survey between now and March 22. This nationally recognized survey has been administered at parishes around the United States and Canada since 2013. St. Luke Parish, as part of the Diocese of Columbus 'Real Presence, Real Future' planning process, will participate in this survey during Lent. The results from our parish survey will not only be used for information and planning for our own parish but will also be included in the national results which track trends, growth, and Church-related opportunities nationwide. You can go to the St. Luke website and click on the survey. We are hoping to have a paper copy available at the office soon. This is an exciting opportunity for our parish, and I hope you will participate! The DMI survey was developed by the Catholic Leadership Institute in conjunction with advising US bishops and Catholic lay leaders in 2013. The DMI Survey was created as a tool to help more Catholics to grow along their faith journey with Christ and to become more engaged in the community life of the parish. The DMI Survey seeks to provide parishioners an opportunity to reflect on their spiritual growth as well as provide parish leadership with invaluable insights regarding a parish's strengths and opportunities. By St. Luke Parish participating in this survey, the results will provide meaningful input about our parish as we begin our own planning process as part of 'Real Presence, Real Future.' The information from the DMI Survey will give insight into our priorities and into the allocation and realignment of resources over the next few years as our parish strives to more effectively help parishioners along their personal journey of faith.

The First Sunday of Lent, February 21. *"After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God..." Mark 1:14* Do you ever think about how difficult it must have been for Jesus to come into Galilee, knowing that John had just been arrested for teaching the same message that Jesus was proclaiming? It must have taken great love and trust for Jesus to do what the Father had sent Him to do. In the same way, following a life of stewardship takes great love and trust from us. We must be willing to surrender completely to God, trusting that God will always give us all that we need to fulfill His plan for us. Learn how you can share your gifts to support your parish and contact The Catholic Foundation. Visit www.catholicfoundation.org/development for more information.

EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday	February 23	6:30-8:30pm – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle
Wednesday	February 24	8:30-10:30am – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle
Friday	February 26	5-7pm – KofC Drive-thru Fish Fry (see below) 7pm – Stations of the Cross
Saturday	February 27	8am-12pm – Columbus Catholic Men’s Conference 3:30-4pm – Reconciliation in Center, appointments only, see below

Catholic Relief Services, Rice Bowl Program: As the world continues to grapple with the effects of COVID-19, including an increased number of those going hungry, CRS is asking Catholics to remember Matthew 25:40. As the gospel tells us, “Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.” “During the Lenten season so many Catholics around the world choose to make a sacrifice,” said Beth Martin, CRS’ director of campaign action and content. “Using CRS’ Rice Bowl materials, Catholics here in the U.S. have the ability to turn that sacrifice into a gift.”

Danville Interchurch Needs: Boxed or bagged one dish meals like Hamburger Helper and Tuna Helper.

Prayer to Jesus in the tabernacle will be Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm and Wednesdays 8:30-10:30am. As with Mass, you must wear a mask and sanitize your hands and your temperature will be taken. Please arrive on the half hour to minimize noise and interruption of prayer. You may leave quietly at any time; you need not stay an hour. If you have questions, please call Barb McComb at 740-668-2550. *Tuesday night we will be praying the Rosary together at 6:45pm. During Lent we also will be praying the Stations of the Cross. Wednesday morning we will be praying the Rosary the second half of our prayer time.*

Reconciliation is offered Saturdays, from 3:30-4:00pm: Please schedule an appointment by 4:30pm on Friday by calling or texting Sandy Mickley at 740-507-9569. Confessions are in the Community Center. Wear a face mask. A Knight will monitor those going in and out. Come, confess your sins, receive penance and absolution, and you can do your penance at home.

Knights of Columbus Drive-Thru Fish Fry – February 26 from 5-7pm. Menu includes a generous portion of fried fish, along with scalloped potatoes, green beans, and applesauce. Donations dropped in a basket; no change will be available (previous adult dinners were \$9). Dinners will be brought out to your car.

24th Annual Catholic Men’s Conference, “Called to Be Saints,” will be on Sat., February 27 from 8am-12pm. To register go to catholicmensministry.com or to St. Luke’s website. St. Luke will be hosting this event in the center with a light breakfast and lunch. All men from St. Luke and St. Vincent are invited to register. This event will be streaming on facebook.com/STLKCD/.

Kroger Rebates: St. Luke's K of C Council 910 is now a designated charitable organization with Kroger and eligible to receive rebates from Kroger when you shop using the Kroger Shoppers Plus rewards card. By designating our Knights council, you will not incur any added costs nor affect the fuel points earned based on eligible items that you purchase. This is a "win-win" situation which will help to allow the Knights to continue their programs at St. Luke and in the local community. Go to www.kroger.com and sign into your account or set one up, scroll down & select “Savings,” “Community Rewards,” and select & save “K of C Council 910 – St. Luke’s.” On your smart phone, once you set up your Kroger account, select “Rewards,” then “Community Rewards.” On Enrollment Screen, select “Change Organization.” Search for “K of C Council 910 – St. Luke’s” and Select/Save.

Catechism of the Catholic Church 538: The Gospels speak of a time of solitude for Jesus in the desert immediately after his baptism by John. Driven by the Spirit into the desert, Jesus remains there for forty days without eating; he lives among the wild beasts, and the angels minister to him. At the end of this time Satan tempts him three times, seeking to compromise his filial attitude toward God. Jesus rebuffs these attacks, which recapitulate the temptations of Adam in Paradise and of Israel in the desert, and the devil leaves him “until an opportune time.”

The First Sunday of Lent – February 21, 2021

Opening Hymn “The Glory of These Forty Days”

The glory of these forty days We celebrate with songs of praise;
For Christ by whom all things were made, Himself has fasted and has prayed.

Alone and fasting Moses saw The loving God who gave the law;
And to Elijah, fasting, came The steeds and chariots of flame.

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15

God said to Noah and to his sons with him: “See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you: all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals that were with you and came out of the ark. I will establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed by the waters of a flood; there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth.” God added: “This is the sign that I am giving for all ages to come, of the covenant between me and you and every living creature with you: I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth, and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the covenant I have made between me and you and all living beings, so that the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all mortal beings.”

Responsorial: Psalm: 32:1-2, 5, 11

R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Your ways, O LORD, make known to me; teach me your paths,

Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my savior. **R.**

Remember that your compassion, O LORD, and your love are from of old.

In your kindness remember me, because of your goodness, O LORD. **R.**

Good and upright is the LORD, thus he shows sinners the way.

He guides the humble to justice, and he teaches the humble his way. **R.**

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22

Beloved: Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit. In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison, who had once been disobedient while God patiently waited in the days of Noah during the building of the ark, in which a few persons, eight in all, were saved through water. This prefigured baptism, which saves you now. It is not a removal of dirt from the body but an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers subject to him.

Gospel Acclamation

R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory!

One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory!

Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father, the almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit He was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death, and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Closing Hymn "Lord who Throughout These Forty days"

Lord, who throughout these forty days, For us did fast and pray,
Teach us with you to mourn our sins, And close by you to stay.

As you with Satan did contend, And did the vict'ry win.

O give us strength in you to fight, In you to conquer sin.