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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT – MARCH 7, 2021

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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-Canas are required.

Baptism & RCIA: 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 March 7, 2021
The Third Sunday of Lent



Readings for March 14, 2021
The Fourth Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17
Responsorial Psalm: 19:8, 9, 10, 11
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25
Gospel: John 2:13-25

First Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23
Responsorial Psalm: 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6
Second Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10
Gospel: John 3:14-21

	MARCH		MASS INTENTIONS	OFFERED BY
Saturday	6	5pm	Charles Kilby	Bereavement Ministry
Sunday	7	10am	People of St. Luke	
Tuesday	9	11am	Robert Kosman	Bereavement Ministry
Wednesday	10	11am	Carrie Piar	Polly Gardner
Thursday	11	8am	Bernard Buchholz	Charlie/Linda Bratton
Saturday	13	5pm	Deceased Members/ Karl, Forster, Kreft Families	Greg & Pam Magers
Sunday	14	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 27/28

\$3,991.25	Regular Offering, Thank you!
147.00	Catholic Times
100.00	Good Friday, Holy Land-50, Easter-50
85.00	Sanctuary-65, Food Pantry-20
65.00	Catholic Relief Services
59.00	Black and Indian Missions
20.00	Central/Eastern Europe

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.

Prayer to St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church: O Glorious Saint Joseph, you were chosen by God to be the foster father of Jesus, the most pure spouse of Mary, ever Virgin, and the head of the Holy Family. You have been chosen by Christ's Vicar as the heavenly Patron and Protector of the Church founded by Christ. Protect the Sovereign Pontiff and all bishops and priests united with him. Be the protector of all who labour for souls amid the trials and tribulations of this life; and grant that all peoples of the world may be docile to the Church without which there is no salvation.

Happy Belated Birthday wishes to Polly Gardner who turned a youthful 98 this past week.

Prayers are requested for....Kaden Allerding, Jeff Allison, Cynthia Barkhimer, **Cecil Bragg, Twila Colopy**, 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, **Michael Sandman**, 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	3/13	5pm	Nick & Sheri Tharp Eric Morris-Vic Campanelli	Peggy Dunn
Sunday	3/14	10am	Mark Hedge-Jerry Mickley Ed & Anna Annett	Judy Hedge

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.

Disciple Maker Index Survey – We need 100% Participation – We are 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 continue participating 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. A paper copy will be available for pick up after the Masses this weekend or at the office for those who do not have internet access. 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.

Converging Roads Medical Ethics Conference, "Health Care and Human Dignity" will be Saturday, April 24, 8:30am-7:30pm at the Pontifical College Josephinum, Columbus, OH, presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation, the Diocese of Columbus, and the Catholic Medical Association of Central Ohio. Continuing education credits for healthcare professionals will be offered. Registration: \$69-\$149 based on CME/CNE inclusion. Please visit convergingroads.com or email sara@forlifeandfamily.org for more info.

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The Third Sunday of Lent, March 7. *"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." Exodus 20:4* How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times, they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God's help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue. Learn how you can answer that call to cultivate your virtues and support your parish by contacting the Catholic Foundation. Visit www.catholic-foundation.org/development for more information.

EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday	March 9	6:30-8:30pm – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle
Wednesday	March 10	8:30-10:30am – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle 6:30-7:30pm – PSR Classes Resume for K-6 Grades
Thursday	March 11	6:30-7:30pm – PSR Classes Resume for 7 & 8 Grades
Friday	March 12	5-7pm – KofC Drive-thru Fish Fry (see below) 7pm – Stations of the Cross
Saturday	March 13	3:30-4pm – Reconciliation in Center, appointments only, see below

Catholic Relief Services, Rice Bowl Program: In response to the increase of world hunger caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, CRS is working with partners to provide emergency food rations in more than 30 countries as well as COVID-19 prevention and awareness. The donations from CRS Rice Bowl allow families everywhere to overcome the hurdles placed in front of them. Increasing global hunger and malnutrition along with several natural disasters have left thousands without a home or without crops to feed their families and communities. Everyone everywhere has struggled. Help the least of our sisters and brothers! Please support CRS Rice Bowl during Lent. Visit www.crsricebowl.org for more details.

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 – March 12 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.

St. Vincent De Paul School will be having their 25th Annual Auction, “A Night of Silver Linings.” Please save the date and join us for a virtual evening of hope, unity, and appreciation on March 13 from 6-9pm. For bidding and access and questions contact Tina Hall at tinabobeans5@yahoo.com. You will receive a link to create an account with the auction website. Register by March 10.

PCCW is sponsoring a bus trip to Columbus to pray at the Planned Parenthood building on Saturday, March 20, 2021. The bus will leave Danville at 1pm. This is for the 40 Days of Prayer. We need people to go so please call Marcia Durbin at 740-599-6459 and leave a message. Thanks, and God Bless.

Reconciliation Day is being planned for Tuesday, March 23, from 6-8pm here at St. Luke. We will have three priests here for confessions for a total of 72 appointment times. Mark your calendar and check for more details in next week’s bulletin.

Season of Hope Monthly Theme: Patience. In order to overcome what Bishop Brennan calls a poverty of hope that is experienced by many of our brothers and sisters during these challenging times, the Diocesan HOPE Task Force has developed a bulletin insert on the theme of patience.

Catechism of the Catholic Church 585: On the threshold of his Passion Jesus announced the coming destruction of this splendid building, of which there would not remain “one stone upon another.” By doing so, he announced a sign of the last days which were to begin with his own Passover. But this prophecy would be distorted in its telling by false witnesses during his interrogation at the high priest’s house and would be thrown back at him as an insult when he was nailed to the cross.

The Third Sunday of Lent – March 7, 2021

Opening Hymn: “Have Mercy on Us, Lord” (“Attende Domine”)

Have mercy on us, Lord, Jesus our Savior: Burdened with sin, we implore you!
O great Redeemer, King of all creation, As we are sinners, we deserve your judgment:
Jesus, be gracious; hear our prayer of sorrow.
Have mercy on us, Lord, Jesus our Savior: Burdened with sin, we implore you!
Exulted Savior, Cornerstone of heaven; Gate of salvation; Way to life immortal:
Send forth your Spirit; Heal your humbled people!
Have mercy on us, Lord, Jesus our Savior: Burdened with sin, we implore you!

First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17

In those days, God delivered all these commandments: “I, the LORD, am your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery. You shall not have other gods besides me. You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or worship them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their fathers’ wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but bestowing mercy down to the thousandth generation on the children of those who love me and keep my commandments.

“You shall not take the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished the one who takes his name in vain.

“Remember to keep holy the sabbath day. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD, your God. No work may be done then either by you, or your son or daughter, or your male or female slave, or your beast, or by the alien who lives with you. In six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

“Honor your father and your mother, that you may have a long life in the land which the LORD, your God, is giving you. You shall not kill. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor’s house. You shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, nor his male or female slave, nor his ox or ass, nor anything else that belongs to him.”

Responsorial: Psalm: 19:8, 9, 10, 11

R. Lord you have the words of everlasting life.

The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul;
the decree of the LORD is trustworthy, giving wisdom to the simple. **R.**
The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart;
the command of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eye. **R.**
The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true, all of them just. **R.**
They are more precious than gold, than a heap of purest gold;
sweeter also than syrup or honey from the comb. **R.**

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25

Brothers and sisters: Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are called, Jews and Greeks alike, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

Gospel Acclamation

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

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

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Gospel: John 2:13-25

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, *Zeal for your house will consume me*. At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?"

Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken.

While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing. But Jesus would not trust himself to them because he knew them all, and did not need anyone to testify about human nature. He himself understood it well.

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 "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.