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**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER– APRIL 18, 2021**

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**Deacon Tim Birie**

**Father Homer Blubaugh, retired**

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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 & RCIA:* Call Greg Henkel at 740-392-4711 ext. 104 or [gregmhenkel@gmail.com](mailto: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 April 18, 2021  
Third Sunday of Easter



Readings for April 25, 2021  
Fourth Sunday of Easter

**First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19**  
**Responsorial Psalm: 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9**  
**Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a**  
**Gospel: Luke 24:35-48**

**First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12**  
**Responsorial Psalm: 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29**  
**Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2**  
**Gospel: John 10:11-18**

|           | <b>APRIL</b> |      | <b>MASS INTENTIONS</b>           | <b>OFFERED BY</b>    |
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| Saturday  | 17           | 8pm  | Donald Lloyd Malcuit             | Bereavement Ministry |
| Sunday    | 18           | 10am | People of St. Luke               |                      |
| Tuesday   | 20           | 11am | JoAnn Guinther                   | Pete & Brenda Dinan  |
| Wednesday | 21           | 11am | Linda Cruz                       | Jim & Nora Blubaugh  |
| Thursday  | 22           | 8am  | The Forgotten Souls in Purgatory | Vince Staley         |
| Saturday  | 24           | 5pm  | Marjorie M. Curry                | Bereavement Ministry |
| Sunday    | 25           | 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](http://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 April 10/11**

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| \$2,610.00 | Regular Offering, Thank you!     |
| 290.00     | Easter                           |
| 30.00      | Good Friday/Holy Land            |
| 30.00      | Food Pantry                      |
| 10.00      | Church in 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.

**Church in Central and Eastern Europe Collection, this weekend** April 17/18: This weekend our special collection supports the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps restore the Church and build the future in more than 25 countries still struggling to recover from former communist rule. Funds from this collections support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach. Please be generous to the collection today. For more information, please visit [www.usccb.org/cee](http://www.usccb.org/cee).

**CRS Rice Bowls:** Please return your rice bowls to the Parish. Thank you for participating in CRS Rice Bowl during Lent. Your contribution will help the poorest among us in over 100 countries through Catholic Relief Services. If you do not have a CRS Rice Bowl, you can make a contribution at [www.crsricebowl.org](http://www.crsricebowl.org).

**Prayers are requested for....**Kaden Allerding, Jeff Allison, Cynthia Barkhimer, **Joy Blubaugh**, Cecil Bragg, Twila Colopy, Rose Crawford, **Barb Davis**, Jim Denuit, Gretchen Dues, Natalie Ebner, **Mary Ann Flowers**, Patrick Gaffney, **Felisha Goldsmith**, 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**

Saturday 4/24 5pm  
 Sunday 4/25 10am

**USHERS/GREETERS**

Frank Meravy-Paula Stebbins  
 Ed Blanchard-Brad Mickley  
 Mark Hedge

**LECTOR**

Deacon Tim  
 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/](http://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](http://flocknote.com/login) and enter your email address and password. Click visit [WoFDigital.org](http://WoFDigital.org).

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul** holds its monthly collection this weekend. Every dollar given helps Knox County's needy pay for utilities, rent and other needs. Online donations can also be made at: [st-vincentdepaul.weshareonline.org](http://st-vincentdepaul.weshareonline.org)

**A note about "overflow" seating:** Once seating in the church reaches capacity, overflow seating is available in the Community Center. You will be able to watch the Mass on the big screen and receive Holy Communion. We have reached capacity in the church the past two Sundays and used the overflow space. Saturday Mass has had room for more in the church and the 11am Tuesday and 8am Thursday Masses have only a small number of people attending.

**RCIA:** A number of people have said that what drew them to the Catholic Church was the Eucharist. As we reflect on recognizing Jesus in the Breaking of the Bread, think for a moment whether there is someone you could invite to Mass and to explore what else the Catholic Faith might hold for them. For information on Christian initiation or RCIA, call Greg Henkel at 740-392-4711, ext. 104 or email [gregmhenkel@gmail.com](mailto:gregmhenkel@gmail.com).

**Earth Day and Laudato Si' Resources.** During the Vatican's Laudato Si' Special Anniversary Year, we are called to restore our common home. Catholic Climate Covenant's 2021 Earth Day program is now available. This free one-hour educational program can be easily downloaded. It is intended for Earth Day (April 22) or the 6th anniversary of Pope Francis' encyclical Laudato Si' (May16-24). The interactive program includes prayers, readings, a short video, discussion questions, and suggested "restoration" activities. Visit [www.catholicclimatecovenant.org](http://www.catholicclimatecovenant.org).

**Men Of The East - Traveling Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration** with Reflection: St. Francis de Sales will host the Men Of The East for a traveling Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration with Reflection on Thursday, May 13 at 7pm. Men Of The East exists to support, strengthen and help maximize the spiritual growth of men of the Catholic Church. For more information visit [www.MenOfTheEast.com](http://www.MenOfTheEast.com).

**Stop your tax dollars from going to pay for abortion!** Congress is trying to force Americans to pay for abortion. The Hyde Amendment and similar laws have protected taxpayers from funding elective abortion for 45 years. Now, powerful members of Congress want to take away these laws that both Democrats and Republicans have supported for nearly half a century. Billions of taxpayer dollars could be used to pay for abortion. Take action and go to [www.notaxpayerabortion.com](http://www.notaxpayerabortion.com).

**The Catholic Foundation:** We have been blessed to have been awarded a Parish Life Capital Project Grant in the 2020 Responsive Grants Cycle distributed by The Catholic Foundation. We are proud that the value of our Parish is being acknowledged and supported. We are grateful for all the donors who made this grant possible through The Catholic Foundation. Individuals who care deeply about helping others and want to do more in their community can set up endowments and other funds through The Catholic Foundation for the benefit of organizations like St Luke. To learn more about how you can set up funds to help St Luke Church please reach out to The Catholic Foundation's Director of Development, Scott Hartman, at [shartman@catholic-foundation.org](mailto:shartman@catholic-foundation.org) or 614-443-8893.

## EVENTS OF THE COMING WEEK

|           |          |  |
|-----------|----------|--|
| Tuesday   | April 20 | <b>1-7pm – Bloodmobile (appts. needed, see below)</b><br>6:30-8:30pm – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle                 |
| Wednesday | April 21 | 8:30-10:30am – Prayer to Jesus in the Tabernacle<br>6:30-7:30pm – PSR K-6 Grades   |
| Thursday  | April 22 | 6:30-7:30pm – PSR 7-8 Grades   |
| Saturday  | April 24 | 3:30-4pm – Reconciliation (see below)  |
| Sunday    | April 25 | <i>World Day of Prayer for Vocations (Good Shepherd Sunday)</i><br>6pm – Middle/High School Youth Group at Hiawatha Park |

**Third Sunday of Easter, April 18, 2021 Real Presence, Real Future reflections** by Pamela Harris, Resurrection Parish & RPRF Commission Member. “Live What We Believe,” today’s Gospel invites us to live as missionary disciples who serve Christ in the work of the Church. We believe in the Life, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus. When He appeared in the Upper Room, the disciples’ initial response was confusion and fear. Their anxiety dwindled upon seeing His wounds and after he ate, their minds opened to the meaning of Scripture. Then Jesus commissioned them to preach salvation to all. Through our baptism, we are called to be witnesses to the Gospel, living what we believe with open hearts and minds. May the Peace of the Risen Christ be with you! To read more about how we are growing together in the life of faith and discipleship in the Diocese of Columbus, visit [www.RealPresenceRealFuture.org](http://www.RealPresenceRealFuture.org).

**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](http://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.

**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. 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.

**Bloodmobile:** There will be a bloodmobile here at St. Luke on Tuesday, April 20 from 1-7pm. Go to [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) to schedule your appointment.

**Catechism of the Catholic Church 645:** By means of touch and the sharing of a meal, the risen Jesus establishes direct contact with his disciples. He invites them in this way to recognize that he is not a ghost and above all to verify that the risen body in which he appears to them is the same body that had been tortured and crucified, for it still bears the traces of his passion. Yet at the same time this authentic, real body possesses the new properties of a glorious body: not limited by space and time but able to be present how and when he wills; for Christ’s humanity can no longer be confined to earth and belongs henceforth only to the Father’s divine realm. For this reason too the risen Jesus enjoys the sovereign freedom of appearing as he wishes: in the guise of a gardener or in other forms familiar to his disciples, precisely to awaken their faith.

## Third Sunday of Easter – April 18, 2021

### Opening Hymn: “Christ, The Lord, Is Risen Today”

Christ, the Lord, is ris'n today, Alleluia! All on earth with angels say. Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia! Sing ye heav'ns and earth reply, Alleluia!  
Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia! Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!  
Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia! Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

**Glory to God in the highest**, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

### First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19

Peter said to the people: “The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and denied in Pilate’s presence when he had decided to release him. You denied the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murderer be released to you. The author of life you put to death, but God raised him from the dead; of this we are witnesses. Now I know, brothers, that you acted out of ignorance, just as your leaders did; but God has thus brought to fulfillment what he had announced beforehand through the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer. Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away.”

### Responsorial: Psalm 4:2, 4, 4-8, 9

**R. Lord, let your face shine on us.**

When I call, answer me, O my just God, you who relieve me when I am in distress;  
have pity on me, and hear my prayer! **R.**

Know that the LORD does wonders for his faithful one;  
the LORD will hear me when I call upon him. **R.**

O LORD, let the light of your countenance shine upon us! You put gladness into my heart. **R.**

As soon as I lie down, I fall peacefully asleep, for you alone, O LORD,  
bring security to my dwelling. **R.**

### Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a

My children, I am writing this to you so that you may not commit sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous one. He is expiation for our sins, and not for our sins only but for those of the whole world. The way we may be sure that we know him is to keep his commandments. Those who say, “I know him,” but do not keep his commandments are liars, and the truth is not in them. But whoever keeps his word, the love of God is truly perfected in him.

### Gospel Acclamation: Luke 24:32

**R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us; make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

**R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia**

## **Gospel: Luke 24:35-48**

The two disciples recounted what had taken place on the way, and how Jesus was made known to them in the breaking of bread.

While they were still speaking about this, he stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." But they were startled and terrified and thought that they were seeing a ghost. Then he said to them, "Why are you troubled? And why do questions arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me and see, because a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you can see I have." And as he said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While they were still incredulous for joy and were amazed, he asked them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave him a piece of baked fish; he took it and ate it in front of them.

He said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures. And he said to them, "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things."

## **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 Day of Resurrection"**

The day of resurrection! Earth, spread the news abroad;  
The Paschal feast of gladness, The Paschal feast of God.  
From death to life eternal, From earth to heaven's height  
Our Savior Christ has brought us, The glorious Lord of Light.

Our hearts be free from evil That we may see aright  
The Savior resurrected In his eternal light,  
And hear his message plainly, Delivered calm and clear:  
"Rejoice with me in triumph, Be glad and do not fear."