

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

- Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> – St. Sharbel Makhluf**  
 8:30 AM Hubert Fowler  
 5:00 PM Florence Porto
- Sunday, July 25<sup>th</sup> – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 7:30 AM Dorothy Grill  
 9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Courtney & Gergelia Families  
 10:30 AM Pauline & James Philippone  
 12:00 PM George Nochta
- Monday, July 26<sup>th</sup> – St. Joachim & St. Anne**  
 7:00 AM For the People of the Parish  
 8:30 AM Deceased Members of the Garille & Broom Families
- Tuesday, July 27<sup>th</sup>**  
 7:00 AM Joseph Maffeo  
 8:30 AM Suzanne DePeppo
- Wednesday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**  
 7:00 AM Edward Carberry, Sr.  
 8:30 AM Dolly & Frank Hamill
- Thursday, July 29<sup>th</sup> – St. Martha**  
 7:00 AM Francis Tsiquaye  
 8:30 AM Morris Abbattista
- Friday, July 30<sup>th</sup> – St. Peter Chrysologus**  
 7:00 AM John J. Finnerty, III  
 8:30 AM Fr. Thomas F. Holland, S.J. & Fr. Harry Hoffen, S.J.
- Saturday, July 31<sup>st</sup> – St. Ignatius of Loyola**  
 8:30 AM William F. Lovell  
 5:00 PM Gerald Lysik
- Sunday, August 1<sup>st</sup> – Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 7:30 AM Lucille Ciancaglini  
 9:00 AM Marina Alzapiedi  
 10:30 AM Laura Geller  
 12:00 PM John King

*For the Sick: As a Parish Community, let us remember those who are ill, especially, Angela Alsing, Christine Bradley, Ed Burgio, Ken Butler, Dennis DeBenedetto, Ryan Donovan, Marie Dunn, Kevin Fitzgerald, Alice Fullmer, David Fullmer, Barbara Goodman, Eileen Hartnett, Joan Kelly, Florence Mancinelli, Msgr. Thomas McIntyre, Virginia Minihan, Christina Motzko Mitala, Joseph Motzko, Sister Margaret O'Donnell, Ed O'Flaherty, John Francis O'Hara, Arlene Palazzolo, Robert Rufo, Patricia Suttile and Steve Timmreck.*

*For the Deceased: As a Parish Community, let us keep in our prayers all the victims of terrorism, world violence, and all those who have recently died.*

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

The Religious Education Office will be closed the week of July 30, 2010. The office will be open on Monday, August 9<sup>th</sup> thru Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon.

**PARKING LOT**



During the month of July, for the safety of our children attending Summer CCD Classes, the Religious Education Office would like to ask parishioners who attend the 8:30 AM Daily Mass to please park their cars in the parking lot on the north side of the Church (the Parish Office side). Thank you for your cooperation.

**WORD – Home**

**Sunday Readings – July 25, 2010**

Genesis 18:20-32  
 Colossians 2:12-14  
 Luke 11:1-13

**Sunday Readings – August 1, 2010**

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23  
 Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11  
 Luke 12:13-21

**STEWARDSHIP AND TITHING**

The sacrificial giving of our parishioners in the collection on the weekend of July 17<sup>th</sup> and July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010 was \$9,713.00. The number of envelopes used was 217. These amounts include Parish Pay contributions. Thank you!



Altar Bread and Wine in Loving Memory of Regina Carberry

A donation has been made to the Altar Flower Fund in Loving Memory of Anastasia Thoelen



**MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE**



Our Monthly Food Drive will take place next weekend, July 31<sup>st</sup> and August 1<sup>st</sup>. Thank you for your generosity.

**21<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL**  
**St. Luke's "TOGETHER AS FAMILY" Parish Picnic**  
**Sunday, September 12, 2010**  
**1 PM to 6 PM**

**The St. Luke's Parish Picnic is truly a celebration as parishioners of all ages come together for a day of fun and fellowship.**

**WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!**  
**CALL PAUL PETERSEN AT 201-493-7776**

**VOLUNTEER FORM - PLEASE RETURN TO THE PARISH OFFICE**

Please let us know if your group, friends or family, or ministry would be willing to participate in any of the following areas:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number (Daytime) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (Nighttime) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please check your area of preference and return to the Parish Office.  
 A committee member will contact you!

- Set Up
- Clean Up
- Food** (Coordinator - Bob Nochta)
  - Cooks
  - Food Table
  - Beverage Table
  - Corn Table
  - Clam Table
- ACTIVITIES** (Coordinator - Lynn Lakomy )
  - Youth Activities
  - Children's Activities
- HOSPITALITY** (Area Coordinator - Mary Ann Thomas)
- PHOTOGRAPHER**
- 50/50 RAFFLE**
- (Coordinators - Barbara & Gene Motta)
- DOOR PRIZES**
- (Coordinators - Vince Gorski & Emily O'Connor)

**WE NEED A LOT OF HELP SOLICITING THE DOOR PRIZES FROM LOCAL MERCHANTS, ETC!**

Next Picnic Meeting will be on Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM in the Parish Office Meeting Room.

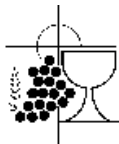
**ALL ARE WELCOME!! SO ARE NEW IDEAS!!**

## PRAYING FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY



Lance Cpl. Stephen Borelli, MP Unit - USMC  
 Major Jonathan P. Bradley –USAF Reserves  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Robert Cunningham - USARMY  
 Sgt. Joseph D'Augustine – USMC  
 Ensign Christopher A. DeVecchio – USNAVY  
 Major Michael T. FitzPatrick - USARMY  
 Capt. Sean Fox – USAF  
 Spc. Brian Garvey – USARMY  
 Patrick J. Gordon, PFC - USMC  
 Spec. James Heller – USARMY  
 Lt. Thomas G. Osgoodby – USNAVY  
 Captain Kevin Rebholz, Pilot – USAF  
 Special Operations Squadron  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Petty Officer Eric Rydh - USNAVY  
 Cpl. David W. Saunders – USMC  
 AIC Brian H. Smith – USAF  
 BMIC Colin Smith – USCG  
 HM2 Travis Thomas - Navy  
 Capt. Frank Toomey - 1<sup>st</sup> CAVALRY  
 Capt. Timothy Shea Valentine, S.J. - USARMY

## YOU ARE INVITED

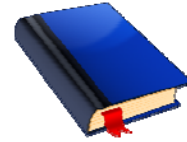


When you are at St. Luke's and the Mass intention is for your loved one, we invite you to present the Altar Bread and Wine during the Liturgy. Just mention this to our one our greeters before Mass begins. They will be happy to assist you.

## VACATIONING MASS SCHEDULES

Are you going on vacation and need to know the Mass schedule? For nationwide Mass times and locations call 1-410-676-6000 or visit us on the web at [www.Masstimes.org](http://www.Masstimes.org).

## Covenant House News...



### Journals Needed

The Covenant House Ministry is collecting blank journals to give as part of the parish's gift this year to the residents at Covenant House in NYC.

Each resident receives a hat/scarf/glove set, a pair of socks and toiletries that are collected during the year. In addition to these items, we would like to give each teen a personal gift.

Please bring new unused journals...any size or color to the Parish Office or leave them in the box marked "Covenant Journals" located in the vestibule of the Church.

We appreciate all of your donations throughout the year because without them we could not provide over 300 gift bags to homeless teens at our Annual Christmas Party.

Thank you and God bless you for your continued support of our friends at Covenant House, NYC.

## ST. LUKE'S WEBSITE

Don't forget to log onto our website to get the latest bulletin, current events, photo tours and general parish information. It's a great way to stay connected to your church community. You can find us at [www.churchofsluke.org](http://www.churchofsluke.org).

## ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL



If you have not done so, please remember to return your completed pledge envelope for the Archbishop's Annual Appeal.

You may place the envelope in the collection basket or bring it to the Parish Office. For those who have already made a contribution, thank you for your support.

*(Pledge envelopes are available in the Church Vestibule).*

## A Message from our Music Director: Can You Help?

The days roll on into years, children grow, adults age, our surroundings change – but we miss a great deal of it because we're busy, preoccupied, seeing and hearing without really doing either, and focused on the next task at hand. So, maybe you haven't noticed: We are seriously short on staffing for our choirs, all of our choirs, and we need your help, your time, and your energy, to breathe new life into our groups.

St. Luke's is blessed to have one of the most beautiful churches in the area, a beautiful campus, a great organ and piano and most importantly for music, wonderful acoustics. We are even more blessed to be staffed with priests who like to celebrate liturgy, and celebrate fully through all the senses. But, we're missing you. Our Contemporary Choir at the 9:00 Mass had dwindled to four, our Children's Choir to 12 and our Festival Choir to 12.

Here are the practice times:

Wednesday, September 15<sup>th</sup> – 6:00 PM Children's Choir

Wednesday, September 15<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 PM Festival Choir

Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup> - 7:30 PM Contemporary Choir

As you begin to arrange your schedule for the fall, won't you consider your Parish and its' music ministry?

## R.C.I.A.

If you are interested in the Catholic faith and traditions...

If you have questions about the Catholic Church...

If you feel that the Lord is calling you into a deeper relationship with Him...

If you are not Catholic, but wish to be...

Maybe you were baptized Catholic but haven't celebrated other Sacraments of Initiation – Holy Communion or Confirmation...

Then we invite you to join our RCIA process.

Please call Deacon John McKeon, RCIA Coordinator at 201-444-0272 ext. 13 for more information.

What is RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process or a journey which gently leads adults (those unbaptized and those baptized in other faith traditions) into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ within the Catholic Church. The RCIA is modeled after the Catechumenate of the early church when adults who sought entry into the Church went through various periods of growth and formation. Those in the RCIA meet regularly for prayer, faith sharing and a study of Catholic Church beliefs. A person may continue to participate in these sessions as long as he or she wishes. Through Sacred Rites which are held at successive intervals, the inquirer is introduced into the life of faith, liturgy and love.

This wonderful journey will begin at St. Luke's on Sunday mornings in early Fall.

# SCHOOL SUPPLIES



When you shop for your children's school supplies, please pick up extras for the children of our sister parish, **Resurrection School**. Your generosity will help bring a sound Christian education to the children of downtown Jersey City.

St. Luke's is again sponsoring a drive to collect school supplies for all grade levels.

The Suggested items are:

Folders	Crayons	1 Subject Notebooks	Children's Scissors	Glue
Markers	Pencils	3 Subject Notebooks	Construction paper	Pens
Backpacks	Pencil cases	Marble Notebooks	Erasers	Tape

The School could also use Gift Cards to Staples.

This enables them to purchase items they have not received such as ink cartridges.

*Please bring your donations to the Parish Office or leave them in the vestibule of the Church.  
If you have any questions, please contact Carol Courtney at 201-652-0494.*

(Last drop off date will be Monday, August 30, 2010.)