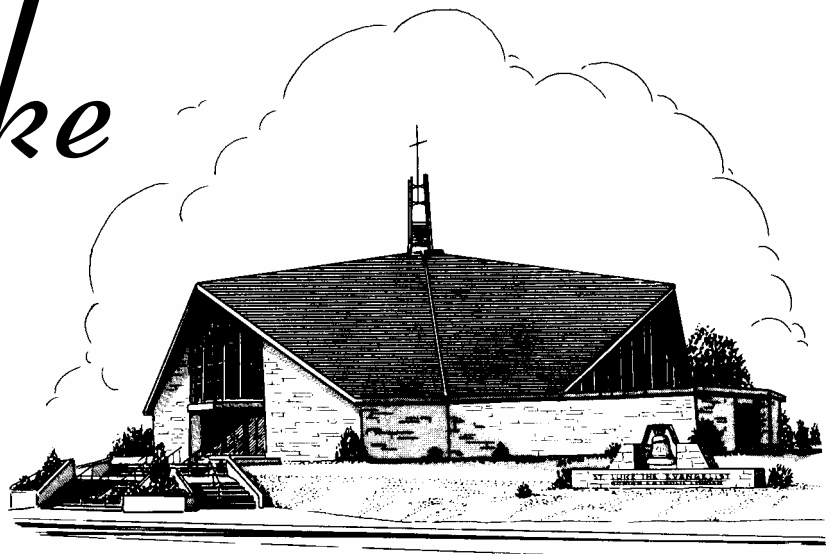


# St. Luke

## the Evangelist

Roman Catholic Church

Easton Road & Fairhill Avenue  
Glenside, Pennsylvania



Parish founded in December 1905

Cluster 73, Montgomery County Vicariate, Archdiocese of Philadelphia

### Question of the Week

*Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves  
but are not rich in what matters to God.*

Luke 12:21

### Which are the true riches God has given you?

## Mission Statement

*We, the parish family of St. Luke the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, respecting our tradition, affirming our strong family ties, and valuing our diverse community, are called by Baptism to commit ourselves to:*

- *Liturgy that gives glory to God which unites and strengthens the community of faith;*
- *Build a church community that welcomes all, encouraging each home to be a domestic church;*
- *Listen to the Gospel of Jesus, live it in our daily lives, and share it with one another; and*
- *Serve others as Jesus did, especially the poor and those in need.*

#### Pastoral Staff

Rev. Msgr. J. Michael Flood ..... Pastor  
 Rev. Laurence J. Gleason ..... Parochial Vicar  
 Rev. Mr. Thomas Croke ..... Permanent Deacon  
 Rev. Joseph T. Murphy ..... Retired  
 Mrs. Sharon D'Amore ..... Director of Religious Education  
 Mrs. Jeanne Kyle ..... Director of Parish Services  
 Sr. William Adele, SSJ ..... School Principal  
 Ms. Molly Mahoney ..... Director of Music Ministries

#### Parish Staff

Tina Dean ..... Secretary  
 Rose Carini ..... Secretary  
 John Alekna ..... Maintenance

#### Parish Pastoral Council

Rev. Msgr. J. Michael Flood  
 Rev. Laurence J. Gleason  
 Rev. Mr. Tom Croke  
 Sr. William Adele, SSJ  
 Sharon D'Amore  
 Agnes Di Lanzo  
 Betsy Ketterlinus  
 Jane Kieser  
 Jeanne Kyle  
 Steve Mascione  
 Steve Seweryn  
 Rita Timoney  
 Tom Wieckowski

#### Church and Rectory Office

2316 Fairhill Avenue StLukeRC@aol.com  
 Glenside, PA 19038

215-572-0128  
 fax: 215-572-0482

#### Regular Hours:

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM, MON - THURS, SAT  
 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM, FRI; 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM, SUN

#### Summer Hours:

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM, MON - THURS, SAT  
 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM, FRI; 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM, SUN

#### Religious Education Office

2330 Fairhill Avenue  
 Glenside, PA 19038

215-884-2080

Hours: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM, Monday - Friday

#### St. Luke School Office

2336 Fairhill Avenue  
 Glenside, PA 19038

215-884-0843  
 fax: 215-884-4607

Hours: 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM, Monday - Friday  
 during School Year

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM  
 Sunday: 6:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 AM  
 Daily (Monday - Saturday): 6:30 & 8:30 AM

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 PM & 7:30 - 8:00 PM  
 Eve of Holy Day & First Friday: 7:30 - 8:00 PM

# St. Luke the Evangelist Church, Glenside, Pennsylvania

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**August 1, 2004**

**Sacrament of Baptism.** Except during Lent, parish celebrations of Baptism are held during the 9:30 am Mass on the first Sunday of the month and at 1:00 pm on the other Sundays. Parents should attend the Pre-Baptismal Program (held once a month) before the day of Baptism. Call the rectory to register.

**Sacrament of Marriage.** All wedding preparations should be made at least 6 months in advance of the expected date of marriage. All engaged couples should attend a Pre-Cana Program early in their engagement. Please call the rectory to make these arrangements.

**New Parishioners.** Welcome to our Parish Family! To register, visit the rectory after Mass on Sunday or call for an appointment. For information on becoming Catholic, call Jeanne Kyle at 215-572-0128.

**Moving?** If you are moving within the parish please let the rectory know of your new address. If you are moving from the parish, please let us know so we can say 'Good bye' & 'God go with you.' We also want to know if you want the parish to keep in touch with you to let you know about various activities. Call the rectory office.

**Angels of Mercy.** If you need a ride to the doctor or hospital, need some help food shopping, etc. call on our Angels of Mercy, coordinated by Tim Walsh, 215-886-1268.

**Parish Nurse Team.** Advocates who work with parishioners to promote wellness and manage illness; 215-884-0546

**St Luke Spiritual Library** is located in the Easton Rd vestibule of the Church.

**Chapel House** is the house with the porch between the upper (new) school building and the convent at 2330 Fairhill Avenue.

**FFH - Fr. Fitzpatrick Hall** is the church auditorium, located beneath the church.

**MMR - Music Ministry Room** is a room located in FFH.

**AR - Alumni room (a/k/a Lyon's Den)** is a room located in FFH.

**This week pray for St Albert the Great Parish in Huntingdon Valley.**

## *This Week at St Luke's*

**Sunday, August 1 - Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30 am Baptisms

**Monday, August 2**

9:00 am Bible Study, Lyons Den

**Tuesday, August 3 - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

1:00 pm Summer Stock Rehearsal, FFH

**Wednesday, August 4**

7:30 pm Guitar Group, MMR

**Thursday, August 5**

1:00 pm Summer Stock Rehearsal, FFH

7:30 pm Choir

**Friday, August 6**

**Saturday, August 7**

2:00 pm Easton Road Cleanup

4:30 pm Anointing of the Sick

**Sunday, August 8 - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR WEEK**

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| <b>Sun</b>   | Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23; Colossians 3:1-5,9-11; Luke 12:13-21 |
| <b>Mon</b>   | Jeremiah 28:1-17; Matthew 14:13-21                              |
| <b>Tues</b>  | Jeremiah 30:1-2,12-15,18-22; Matthew 14:22-36                   |
| <b>Wed</b>   | Jeremiah 31:1-7; Matthew 15:21-28                               |
| <b>Thurs</b> | Jeremiah 31:31-34; Matthew 16:13-23                             |
| <b>Fri</b>   | Daniel 7:9-10,13-14; 2 Peter 1:16-9; Luke 9:28b-36              |
| <b>Sat</b>   | Habakkuk 1:12-2:4; Matthew 17:14-20                             |
| <b>Sun</b>   | Wisdom 18:6-9; Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19; Luke 12:32-48               |

## **WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, August 2 - Weekday**

6:30 am Jimmy & Michael McGillian req by their parents

8:30 am Andrew Weiss req by Cynthia & Mike Ludwig

**Tuesday, August 3 - Weekday**

6:30 am John Currie req by his parents

8:30 am Robert Hoyer & Michael Stanton

**Wednesday, August 4 - John Mary Vianney, priest**

6:30 am John McNamara

8:30 am Alice Baumher req by Mr & Mrs Daniel Ortolani

**Thursday, August 5 - Weekday**

6:30 am Raymond James Durkin

8:30 am Antoinette Candelire req by Rita Cervone

**Friday, August 6 - Transfiguration of the Lord**

6:30 am Karen Volpe req by Albert Stellacio

8:30 am Chester Smotryst req by his wife & family

**Saturday, August 7 - Weekday**

6:30 am Deceased Members of Hannah & Owen McFadden family

8:30 am Joseph Lamina

We welcome new members and invite visitors and parishioners to share fully in our parish life. As new members you bring vitality and growth to our parish. To register, please call for an appointment to meet with a priest. (215-572-0128).

**The Pro-Life Rose** placed before the statue of Mary is in loving memory of Jimmy & Michael McGillian req by their parents.

**The St Vincent de Paul Carnations** placed before the statue of St Joseph are in loving memory of Joseph Lettieri req by Marie Winstanley.



Bill Dougherty  
Peter Kulp  
Sr Joseph Irene Riley, SSJ  
Armando Tedesco



Joyce Cleaveland  
Bill Fleming  
Michael Jamison  
Bill Joyce  
Catherine Kelly  
John Ketterlinus  
Mary King  
Phil Martinez

Henry Mayer  
James McCormick  
Robert McCormick  
Elizabeth McLaughlin  
Peter Neuert  
Darlene Spoonhour  
David Stinson  
Georgia Zehnder



Seek the things  
that are above.  
Col 3:1

### A Family Perspective

#### 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Has a deliberate decision been made in your family to place greater importance on becoming "rich in the things that matter to God" than on accumulating wealth and material possessions?

#### Anointing of the Sick

We celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick on the first Saturday of the month. The next Anointing is **August 7, 2004** at 4:30pm, just before the 5:00 Vigil Mass.

We invite those who

- are of advanced age
- have a serious illness (including mental illness)
- are facing surgery in the near future
- are in treatment for prevention of return of serious illness
- those who are usually homebound

to receive this sacrament.

We invite the rest of the parish community to join in our prayers for those who are sick. And we encourage those who have family, friends, and neighbors who are shut-ins to bring them to Mass on that Saturday.

Of course, the Sacrament will be administered to anyone in an emergency at any time.

#### Web Site of the Week

*In the Catholic tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue; participation in the political process is a moral obligation.*

To investigate further read *Faithful Citizenship: A Catholic Call to Political Responsibility* at <http://www.usccb.org/faithfulcitizenship/index.htm>

#### St. Luke's is a Tithing Parish

Sunday Collection July 25

Last Year \$13,589

This Year \$15,073

Thank You!

Please remember St Luke Church while on vacation.

**The St Vincent de Paul Society** thanks you for your continued support in helping the needy of our community through your generous contributions to the poor boxes at the Church exits.

#### Vocation Views

Grow rich in the sight of the Lord. Pray to know God's will. (Luke 12)

#### Reflection Questions

##### 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

##### Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23

Do you remember those who toil anxiously under the sun and have very little to show for it?

##### Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Have you ever prayed/thought about your greed?

##### Luke 12:13-21

Have your brothers and sisters in the Lord benefited from the gifts God has given you to share?

#### Check Your Memory

Part of St Luke's Centennial celebration in 2005 is to develop a parish history. We are interested in forming reminiscent groups of parishioners and former parishioners from the days of the pastorates of Rev Augustin H Rufe and of Rev James O Patterson.

If you are willing to help by participating in such a group, please call the rectory at 215-572-0128 or Jim Markham at 215-887-7055 to leave your name and phone number.

#### PREP News

**Registrations** are ongoing for PREP and Little People Sunday School. Forms may be found in the back of Church or in the rectory.

**We are still in need of volunteers to help our program grow.** If you are interested in being a classroom aide, hall monitor, or a substitute, please call Sharon D'Amore 215-884-2080.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** - Looking for a fun summer activity to foster faith in your child? Weekly activity sheets will be available on the back tables in Church. Talk with you child about the Sunday readings and do the activity sheet together. There are two age groups: 3-6 and 7-12.

#### Church Ministry Institute

Would you like to deepen your faith and learn more about parish ministry? Consider the Archdiocesan Church Ministry Institute - a three-year certificate program. Applications are now being accepted for September, 2004. For more information call the Church Ministry Office at 215-587-0551.

#### An Invitation

If you are

- a baptized Catholic wishing to prepare for Confirmation or
- a non-Catholic wishing to learn of and to experience the faith of Catholics

You are invited to share in a unique process of initiation, education, formation, and spiritual growth of adults.

Please call Jeanne Kyle at the rectory, 215-572-0128.

#### Question of the Week

##### Which are the true riches God has given you?

Every week we display a question related to the Sunday readings. We invite you to ponder the question during the week.

**K of C  
Annual Crab and Chicken Dinner**

Knights of Columbus, Flaherty Council, will host its Annual Crab and Chicken Dinner on Saturday, **August 14**, food served 6:00 to 8:00, party til 11:00 in the K of C Hall, 235 Limekiln Pike in Glenside. All-you-can-eat dinner, draft beer, wine, soda and music are included. \$25 pp in advance, and \$30 at door. Buy your tickets, this is always a sellout! This event is open to the public. For tickets or info call 215-576-9312.

**Reserve the Date:**

Sunday, December 4, 2005,  
Cardinal Rigali will preside at our  
100th Anniversary Mass.  
Dinner plans in the making.

**CYO News**

**Coaches** - Anyone planning to coach a CYO team must provide a Letter of Intent, specifying what sport and team to CYO Coaching c/o the Rectory. ?? call Pete Siegfried 215-884-8650.

Any questions regarding late **registration for Fall Sports** can be directed to Mrs Sue Nedbal at 215-886-9316.

**Over 50's**

**Washington DC - Sept 27-30, 2004**  
Tour the White House, US Capitol, Washington Monument; Holocaust Museum, World War II Memorial; tour Basilica of the National Shrine of Immaculate Conception etc. Breakfast and dinners included - \$450. Joan Shillington, 215-887-0127.

**Showboat Casino & Price is Right Live Stage Show. Aug 24, 2004** - Bus leaves 1pm - Return 11:30pm. Must have Showboat Rewards Card + ID to receive show ticket. Cost \$15. Return \$10 + Show ticket. Joan Shillington 215-887-0127.

**Red Cross Blood Drive**

The American Red Cross has scheduled a blood drive here on **August 18** (because the Hall is air-conditioned) from 1:30 pm to 7:00 pm.



Red Cross  
Blood Drive

Appointments are preferred. To schedule one please contact: American Red Cross at 215-451-4326 or sign up online at [www.pleasegiveblood.org/donate/](http://www.pleasegiveblood.org/donate/) or call the rectory 215-572-0128.

**Politics**

In times of terror and war, of global insecurity and economic uncertainty, of disrespect for human life and human dignity, we need to return to basic moral principles. Politics cannot be merely about ideological conflict, the search for partisan advantage, or political contributions. It should be about fundamental moral choices. How do we protect human life and dignity? How do we fairly share the blessings and burdens of the challenges we face? What kind of nation do we want to be? What kind of world do we want to shape?

Politics in this election year and beyond should be about an old idea with new power--the common good.

- USCCB Administrative Committee  
*Faithful Citizenship: A Catholic Call to Political Responsibility*, pp. 1-2

**Prison Support Group**

Mary Mother of Captives (MMOC) has started a Pen Pal Program where you can visit someone who is in prison by mail.

Please help in this Corporal Work of Mercy - total anonymity guaranteed. For additional information call Jack/Sophie 215-698-7656.

When I was in Prison you visited me...*Matthew 25:36*



**St Luke Summerstock  
11th Annual Presentation**

This year's performance is

**The Royal Bachelor**

—a very amusing musical based on the fairy tale, *The Princess and the Pea*. Show dates are **August 10 and August 11** at the Keswick Theater. Show time 7:00pm.

Show tickets will be for sale after Masses on Saturday, July 31st, Sunday, August 1st & Saturday, August 7th and Sunday, August 8th. Tickets can also be purchased by calling Sharon Slusarski at 215-887-4475, or at the Keswick on the evenings of the performances. Tickets are \$7.50 each.

**St Luke the Evangelist School**

Our parish school admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at our school. Similar policies apply to the school staff. Our school does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, its admission policies, or in any school-administered program.

**Mid-Life Catholic Singles**

Planning meeting: Wednesday, **August 18**, 7 - 8pm, St Cecilia's New School Building, lower level, 535 Rhawn St, Fox Chase. Join us! 267-968-6866.

**The church's Fairhill Avenue doors are unlocked throughout the weekday, daytime hours. On Tuesdays we have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.**