



ST. LUKE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

JUNE 11, 2023

SUNDAY HOLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5pm | Sunday 7:30am, 9am (Italian), 10:30am, 12 Noon, 5pm

DAILY MASSES

Monday to Friday 12 Noon + Saturday 8:30am
School Days: Tuesday + Thursday 8:30am

THE PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor Rev. John J. Costello

Parochial Vicar Fr. Chin Nguyen

Permanent Deacon Deacon John P. Kramer

Pastoral Year Seminarian Callistus Ibeh

In Residence Most Rev. Raymond F. Chappetto, DD

Weekend Assistant Rev. Msgr. John J. Strykowski

Weekend Assistant Fr. JunHee Lee

Director of Religious Education Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J.

Pastoral Associate Sister Theresa Agliardi, R.S.M.

Principal Mrs. Jan Brunswick

Director of Music Jessica Tranzillo-Smith

Secretary Maureen Ottoson

Confessions Saturday 3:30PM - 4:30PM; and by appointment or when requested.

The Rectory is the home of our Priests as well as the site of the parish offices. Please call ahead before coming with parish business in order that your inquiry will be assisted by a knowledgeable staff person.

DEVOTIONS

First Friday - 8:30AM Mass when school is in session.

Adoration after Noon Mass with Benediction at 2:00PM.

The Holy Rosary precedes the noon Mass Monday to Friday and the 8:30AM on Saturday.

The Miraculous Medal Novena follows Noon Mass every Monday.

The Charismatic Prayer Group meets Tuesdays at 7:30PM.

The Italian Charismatic Prayer Group meets Thursdays at 7:30PM.

The Padre Pio Prayer Group meets the last Tuesday of the month at 7:30PM.

THE SACRAMENTS

Baptism of Infants Please call Sister Theresa at 718-746-8531 to schedule a baptism interview.

Weddings Please contact one of the priests **prior to making plans with a wedding hall**. The Bishop requires, in all cases, that weddings be set no later than six months prior to the date.

Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.) Interested in becoming a Catholic? Need to receive Communion and Confirmation? Call Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J. at (718) 746-3409.

Ministry to the Sick

If anyone is confined to home and unable to come to Mass, please call the Rectory to arrange to have the sacraments brought. If you foresee hospitalization, please call the Rectory and arrange to be anointed.

SAINT LUKE SCHOOL www.slswhitestone.org

16-01 Msgr. Dillon Place, (150 Place) Whitestone, NY
718-746-3833 | Mrs. Jan Brunswick, Principal

Our school serves the community with classes from Nursery through Eighth Grade. 718-344-7620.

School of Religion Offering Religious Education classes to our young people attending public school. Our Director of Religious Education, Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J., can be reached in her rectory office at 718-746-3409.

Volunteers are always welcome.

Music Office Jessica Tranzillo-Smith is our parish Director of Music. She can be reached at the Music Office at 718-746-8102 Ext.30

ANNOUNCED MASSES
June 10, 2023-June 18

Saturday, June 10

8:30 Francis McHugh
5:00 Connie Peacock; Ante K. Martnovic &
Pro Populo

Sunday, June 11

7:30 The Barretta Family
9:00 Pio Rauzi; Frank Morelli; Maria &
Margherita DeLuca; Angelo & Francesco
Belviso; Maria & Antonino DeLuca;
Ninfa & Salvatore Romano; Vincenzo
D'Angelo; Giuseppe Maimone
10:30 Esperanza Rodriguez
12:00 Mary Doyle
5:00 Purgatorial Society Mass

Monday, June 12

12:00 Leonardo Ingravallo

Tuesday, June 13

8:30 Michele & Carmela Chiovitti
12:00 Margaret & William McManus

Wednesday, June 14

12:00 Patrick Lynch

Thursday, June 15

8:30 NO MASS
12:00 Jose A. Cruz

Friday, June 16

12:00 The Barile Family

Saturday, June 17

8:30 Olindo Testa & Family
5:00 Christian Platt, Jr.; Dora Addeo;
Blanche Urban

Sunday, June 18

7:30 Father's Day Mass Remembrance;
Pro Populo
9:00 Father's Day Mass Remembrance
10:30 Father's Day Mass Remembrance;
Purgatorial Society Mass
12:00 Father's Day Mass Remembrance
5:00 Father's Day Mass Remembrance

MEMORIALS

For the week of June 11-June 17



The Altar Bread is given in memory of
Stanley David Zuzic
Requested by His Mother & Family

The Altar Wine is given in memory of
Stanley David Zuzic
Requested by His Mother & Family

The Altar Flowers are given in memory of
Pietro Evangelista
Requested by Mary Varlese & Family

The Sanctuary Lamp is given in memory of
Frank Franzone (25th. Anniversary-RIP)
Requested by: Love, Thomas, Madeline
& Tammy Bullaro

The Altar Candles are given in memory of
Dora Addeo
Requested by The Licata Family

**PRAY FOR THE SICK OF
OUR PARISH FAMILY**

**SEAN BRETT
ROSANNE CAPUTO
NOREEN DONOHER
CAROLLYNN FREDA
SR. ELIZABETH GILL
MADELINE KARLITZ
PATRICIA NULTY**

**WILLIAM OTTOSON
VICKY SALAND
ANNE SMITH-
THOMPSON
JOSEPH T. VERNICE
MILLIE WEIGL**

**PRAY FOR THE
DECEASED OF OUR PARISH FAMILY**



Philomena Valente

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

June 11, 2023

Dear Friends,

Sometimes at this time of year unexpected transitions take place in the diocese. I recently received a call from a senior priest looking for a new residence. Fr. Bill Krlis (CURL iss) is the retired pastor of Most Precious Blood Church in Astoria, and he asked if we had room here at St. Luke. He came over for dinner to meet with Fr. Chin and me and to see the accommodations. I am happy to announce that he will take up residence here at St. Luke later this month.

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ – formerly “Corpus Christi.” This is the final “special Sunday” after Easter before we return to Ordinary Time Masses on Sundays. Especially since the pandemic, the Church is trying to renew all Catholics in our understanding of the Eucharist as the Real Presence of Jesus – Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. Our deanery celebration this past Thursday and our own Eucharistic procession on Saturday night this weekend allows us to manifest our faith in Jesus in a very special way. I hope that our opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration on Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:30 PM, on First Fridays after the noon Mass until 2:00 PM, and at other times during the year will help our own faith community foster a rekindled appreciation for the Real Presence of the Lord among us in the Eucharist.

On Thursday and Friday this week, we will celebrate graduation events for the Class of 2023 of St. Luke School. I am truly grateful to Mrs. Brunswick, Mrs. Mezic, and all the faculty and staff of our school for their hard work and sacrifices that allow us to provide a Catholic education to the families of our community. It is increasingly difficult to maintain a Catholic School and to provide a dedicated and committed staff, so we are grateful to the parents who entrust their children to us and to everyone who facilitates our program. I am sure that everyone is looking forward to the last day of school to enjoy some rest and relaxation after another school year!

Just a reminder that we are hosting Early Voting again in the Parish Center. The machines will arrive on Friday, June 16th, and voting will take place through Sunday, June 25th. For security reasons, parish groups cannot use the Parish Center during that period. I apologize for the inconvenience and I thank you for your understanding. The compensation we receive from the Board of Elections certainly makes it worth our while to make the space available.

I attended a Pastors Meeting with Bishop Brennan this past Tuesday, and he raised the issue of the Migrant Crisis in our diocese. Msgr. LoPinto, the Director of Catholic Charities, reported that there are many young women delivering their children who need diapers, strollers, baby food, etc. The pastor of St. Pius V in Jamaica said that his parish feeds between 75-150 migrants everyday, and they need provisions of things like chicken, beans, and rice to provide food for those who come. If anyone is interested in coordinating efforts here at St. Luke to try to provide for these needs, please let me know.

With love and prayers,
Fr. John Costello

St. LUKE CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE
Masses, Prayer Groups, Meetings, Parish Events

SUNDAY June 11	7:00 am St. Vincent dePaul Clothing Truck –In Church Parking Lot to 12:00 Noon 7:30 am Mass 9:00 am Italian Mass 10:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 5:00 pm Mass
MONDAY June 12	12:00 Noon Mass
TUESDAY June 13	8:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 6:30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group
WEDNESDAY June 14	12:00 Noon Mass 7:00 pm SLAA Meeting
THURSDAY June 15	8:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 6:30 pm Italian Charismatic Prayer Group
FRIDAY June 16	12:00 Noon Mass 6:30 pm Boy Scouts
SATURDAY June 17	6:00 am Early Primary Day Voting- At the Tosi PC to 9:00 pm 8:30 am Mass 3:30 pm Confession 5:00 pm Mass
SUNDAY June 18	6:00 am Early Primary Day Voting- At the Tosi PC to 9:00 pm 7:30 am Mass 9:00 am Italian Mass 10:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 5:00 pm Mass



**ST. LUKE PARISH
 MISSION STATEMENT**

As a community of believers in Jesus Christ and in Communion with the Universal Church, we strive to follow the Lord's command to love God and one another. Rooted in word and sacraments as we grow together a Eucharistic community inviting all to the Good News of Jesus.

Our Church is open for private prayer from 8:00am until 3:00pm each weekday. Take advantage of the opportunity to spend some quiet time in prayer and reflection.



At 11:15 AM from Monday to Friday, parishioners pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass. All are welcome, especially as they pray for peace in Ukraine at this time. If you cannot join in person, please join them spiritually.

If you wish to register as a parishioner of St. Luke Church, please stop by the Rectory Office during regular office hours, where you can pick up a census card which can be filled out or returned by mail or in the Sunday Collection Basket. You can even download the Census card online.

Please check our website:
stlukewhitestone.org

Kindly let us know if you would like to receive weekly offering envelopes. or if you would prefer to donate online.
Come and join us!

COLLECTIVE INTENTIONS MASS

The names below will be remembered at the Collective Intentions Mass,
Saturday, July 01st. at 12:00 noon.

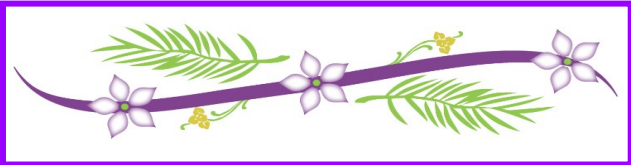
Raymond Arel
Theresa Matrullo

If you would like to have a loved one remembered at this Mass, please call the Rectory.

MEMORIALS	<p style="text-align: center;">Please call or visit the Rectory if you would like to arrange for a memorial in memory or in honor of a loved one.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The following memorials are available weekly: <i>ALTAR BREAD, ALTAR WINE, SANCTUARY LAMP, ALTAR CANDLES</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">The offering is \$50 for the above mentioned memorials. In addition, <i>ALTAR FLOWERS</i> are available weekly. The offering is \$100 for a fresh arrangement of flowers at the Altar.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The name of the person remembered will be printed in the bulletin. Gift acknowledgement cards are available in the rectory.</p>
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MEMORIALS	
Memorials for 2023 are available. Please call the rectory at 718-746-8102 for requests.	
Available Memorials June - September 2023	
<i>Altar Bread</i>	July 30; August 06, 27; September 03, 10, 17, 24
<i>Altar Wine</i>	July 23, 30; August 06, 27; September 03, 10, 17, 24
<i>Altar Flowers</i>	July 02, 23, 30; August 06, 27; September 10, 17, 24
<i>Sanctuary Lamp</i>	July 02, 23, 30; August 06, 13, 20, 27; September 03, 10, 17, 24
<i>Altar Candles</i>	July 23, 30; August 06, 13, 20, 27; Sept. 03, 10, 17, 24



COLLECTIVE INTENTIONS MASSES
<p style="text-align: center;">Once a month Saint Luke Church offers a Collective Intentions Mass at 12:00 Noon on Saturdays.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">This Mass is a special Mass where families can celebrate and remember their loved ones. Family can be invited to attend. Jessica, our cantor and Loneda, our organist are always present.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Collective Intentions Mass Dates:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>July 01, 2023</i> <i>August 05, 2023</i> <i>September 02, 2023</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">If you would like to remember a loved one to celebrate their anniversary or birthday month, please call the Rectory to include their names at any of the Masses listed above. The requested offering is \$50.</p>

AVAILABLE 2023 ENGLISH MULTIPLE MASS INTENTIONS

JULY: 29

SEPTEMBER: 2, 9

OCTOBER: 14

NOVEMBER: 4

DECEMBER: 23

Every Saturday @ 5:00 PM, there is availability for the English Multiple Mass Intentions, however, each of the dates reflected above have no intentions as of yet. This Mass is celebrated each Saturday at 5:00 PM. The requested offering is \$15.00 per Mass. To purchase, please call or visit the Rectory.

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE
 BEGINS JULY 1/2, 2023

WEEKENDS
SAT - 5:00 PM
SUN. - 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM (ITAL), 10:30 AM, 12:00 NOON.

St. Luke

Holy Trinity has 6:00 PM Sunday Mass

Sunday 5:00 PM Mass will return September 10th

Confessions with Adoration Sat. 3:30-4:30 PM

**SOLEMNITY OF
 THE MOST
 HOLY BODY AND
 BLOOD OF CHRIST**

**"FOR MY FLESH IS TRUE FOOD,
 AND MY BLOOD IS TRUE DRINK."**



THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

Week of June 11, 2023



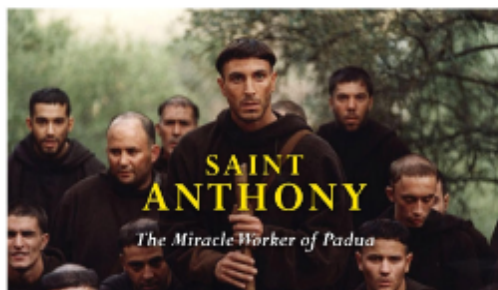
The Sacred Heart and the Immaculate Heart | Sacred Art

Do you have a devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus? Deepen your devotion by listening to this discussion of sacred art pieces depicting the heart of Christ.



Saint Anthony of Padua | Lukas Storyteller

Don't worry about your children being exposed to unwholesome television content anymore! In this fun, family-friendly series, your children will learn important lessons, such as the value of honesty.



Saint Anthony: Miracle Worker of Padua

This beautiful Italian film depicts the life of St. Anthony of Padua, including his preaching, his love for the poor, and the wonders of his miracles. It will doubtless help you cultivate devotion to this beloved saint.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.



SAINT LUKE'S PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

Enrollment Mass cards for your deceased relatives and friends may be purchased in the Rectory Office and at Gleason Funeral Home.

The enrollment is for one year from the date of enrollment.

Mass is celebrated at one of our Sunday Masses for those enrolled in the Society. The offering for enrollment is \$20.

Each month the names of the deceased who were enrolled in the Society (from the previous month) will be published in the bulletin.

The following deceased were enrolled in the Purgatorial Society during the month of May.

***Zeljko Begonja
Vincent J. Bellomo
Gerasimes Benetos
Alan Blaskovic
Vincenzo Michael Ciano
Ethel Clark
Joseph Cloonan
Maryann DiPasquale
Joseph Dire
Anthony Geraci***

***George Gierum
Anna M. Gilmartin
Thomas Grillis
Michele Iacobellis
Vincenzo Imperatrice
Gerasimos Kanakis
Edward Kinkela
John George Kramer
Angelo Luongo
Breeda Maher***

***Ante K. Martinovic
Theresa Milio
Florence Morea
Lena Nehme
Bernadette Owens
John J. Perotti, Sr.
Christa Rathjen
Connie Rosenberg
Sr. Mary Smith, S.S.N.D.
Ivan Mladen Vrankovic***

Sacramental Celebrations in May

In addition to the many Masses celebrated and the many other acts of prayer and worship to our God,

*we **celebrated** as a parish community: 7 Baptisms, 0 Weddings & 7 Funerals.*

We rejoice with those who rejoice and share the sorrow of those who mourn for we're one Body in Christ.



Congratulations to the parents of the following children who were received into the parish family through the Sacrament of Baptism in the month of May.

***Bria Anne Conciatori
Victoria Sofia Cabrera Diaz
Fiona Rosemarie Graciani
Thomas James LaBarbera***

***Valentina Sofia Lisanti
Chloe Drew LoRusso
Victoria Nicole Vittorino***

May God bless them abundantly as they begin to guide their children in the ways of Faith.

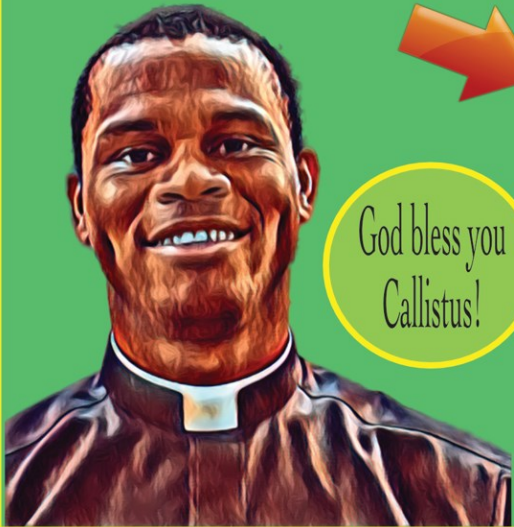


JULY 2

FAREWELL CALLISTUS!

12:00 PM

Callistus' Pastoral Year is coming to an end. We have been blessed to have him here at St. Luke, and we wish him well as he returns to the seminary in the fall to continue his studies. Please join us on July 2nd at the 12:00 PM Mass to pray for him and to express our gratitude and best wishes.



God bless you
Callistus!

After Mass we will have a luncheon to give everyone a chance to greet Callistus personally and to enjoy some time together. Please RSVP by June 26th if you will attend:

Family Name _____

No. of people attending _____

Please return in the collection basket or directly to the rectory.

Thank you!



*Golden Age
End of Year Luncheon*

**Thursday,
June 15
1:00 PM**

Verdi's - Whitestone

\$60

Tickets available at
Golden Age Meetings
or at rectory.



**St. Anthony's Bread
June 18, 2023
Blessing during 9:00 AM Mass**



Next Meeting:
Tuesday, July 11
at 7:00 PM
Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, please join us.

This group provides emotional assistance for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. If you are planning to attend for the first time, please call Sister Theresa. She can also offer individual bereavement counseling sessions when needed.

*Pray for those who have lost loved ones.
 May they rest in peace.*

Sr. Theresa
718-746-8531

A Prayer for Hope

Heavenly father, I am your humble servant,
 I come before you today in need of hope.
 There are times when I feel helpless,
 There are times when I feel weak.
 I pray for hope.
 I need hope for a better future.
 I need hope for a better life.
 I need hope for love and kindness.
 Some say that the sky is at it's darkest just before the light.
 I pray that this is true, for all seems dark.
 I need your light, Lord, in every way.
 I pray to be filled with your light from head to toe. To bask in your glory.
 To know that all is right in the world, as you have planned, and as you want it to be.
 Help me to walk in your light, and live my life in faith and glory.
 In your name I pray,
 Amen.

INFANT BAPTISM AT ST. LUKE

Call Sr. Theresa 718-746-8531

- Call when you have received the birth certificate to schedule a baptism interview.

Upcoming dates:
 June 24,
 July 08, July 22 &
 August 12

Saturday Adoration

3:30 to 4:30 PM
 during confessions

Come and worship the Lord!

Please Help St. Luke's Parish by
Donating Online through
Give Central Below

<https://www.givecentral.org/location/614>

**Give
Online**

Text to Give:
929-209-6614

Second Collections in June:

June 18th., 2023
Collection for Air Conditioning

June 25th., 2023
Peter's Pence Collection

Thank you for your generosity!

OFFERING ENVELOPES

THANK YOU
FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



Offering envelopes are sent out roughly every three months via bulk mail by DP Murphy.

If you are not receiving envelopes, please speak with your letter carrier or the Post Office manager.

For online giving:
[givecentral.org](https://www.givecentral.org)

FROM A HEART OF GRATITUDE WE SHARE OUR
TREASURE



Thank You!

Sunday Collection

June 04, 2023

**Parish Collection
\$12,867**

HELP WANTED

Saint Luke School is looking for a pool of certified teachers/paraprofessionals to fill in as needed for substitute teachers and aide positions in all grades.

Email resume and cover letter to Principal, Mrs. Brunswick at jbrunswick@slswhitestone.org or call 718-746-3833 for more information.

Thank you!

 High-A Affiliate of the New York Mets

SAINT LUKE SCHOOL

School Fundraiser

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28TH, 7 PM || \$20/TICKET



Cyclones

- Pre-game school spirit parade around the field
- Group welcome on video board
- Bobblehead Package Option includes Deacon Mac Bobble for \$20
- Everyone receives a FREE Cyclones hat!

**Sell 500 or more tickets:
two-hour field day at
Maimonides Park!**

TICKETS: [HTTPS://FEVO.ME/SAINTLUKE2023](https://fevo.me/saintluke2023)



Please contact Ryan Dougherty with any questions.
Rdougherty@brooklyncyclones.com || 718.382.2604



NURSERY PROGRAM

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

All children turning 3 years of age before 12/31 can apply



16-01 150th Place,
Whitestone, NY 11357
(718) 746-3833
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What our Nursery Programs have to offer your child and family:



- Strong family-community ties
- Small class sizes
- Qualified faculty and staff
- Safe and nurturing environment
- Social-emotional development
- Gross and fine motor skills
- Before and Aftercare programs
- Special Education Services
- Special Subject Classes in Art, Music, Physical Education, and Foreign Language

PRE-K PROGRAM

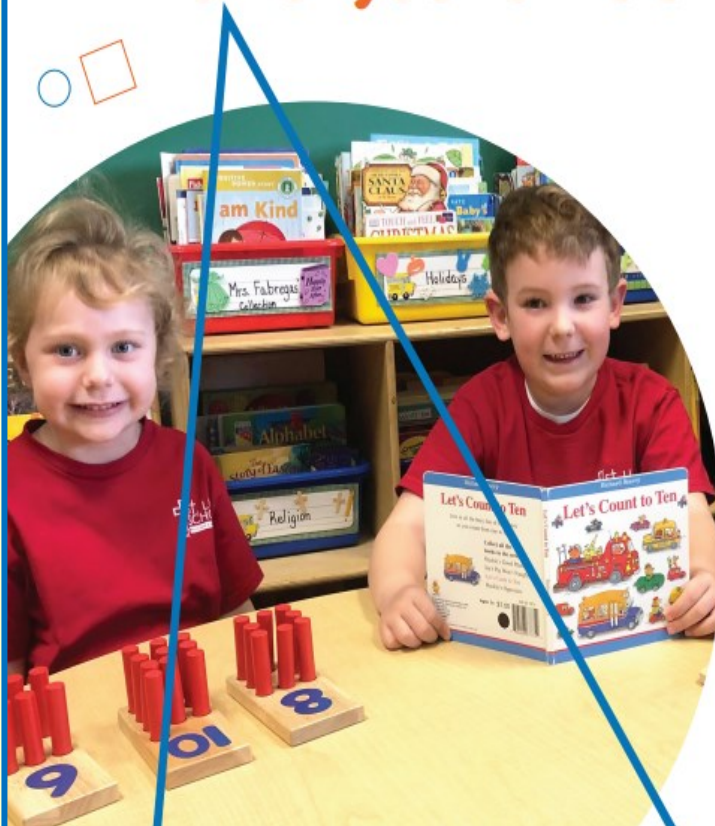
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

All children turning 4 years of age before 12/31 can apply



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slswhitestone.org

What our Pre-K Programs have to offer your child and family:



- Strong family-community ties
- Small class sizes
- Qualified faculty and staff
- Safe and nurturing environment
- Social-emotional development
- Gross and fine motor skills
- Before and Aftercare programs
- Special Education Services
- Special Subject Classes in Art, Music, Physical Education, and Foreign Language

Thank You...

Msgr. John J. Strynkowski celebrated the Sacrament of First Holy Communion for two young men of the parish on May 21st.

We Congratulate Adrian Sanz and Isaac Urrea from Saint Luke's Religious Education Program.

May God continue to bless you both.





St. Luke School of Religion wishes to congratulate the boys and girls who received their First Holy Communion on May 20th and their Catechists: Mrs. Lisa Scardamaglia, Mrs. Annette Neglia & Mrs. Susan Dierks

*Logan Abraham
Olivia Assad
Melania Bacarella
Michael Bacarella
Flynn Baker
Matteo Bosco
Christian Cecchetti
Diana DiBartolo
Nicholas Domenech
Vincent Domeny
Charlotte Farrell
Anthony Firriolo
Tyler Firriolo
Juliet Fortunato
Gabriella Galbraith
Arianna Garzon*

*Madelyn Giambrone
Natalie Greier
Tori Guarino
Olivia Johnson
Aron LaBarbera
Nicholas LaBarbera
Michael Lazaro
Robert Markosyan
Luca Mouzakitis
Patrick Mullins
Nicholas Ordolis
Gianfranco Ortiz
Victoria Ortiz
Penelope Pardo
Francesca Parisi
Alex Petropoulos*

*Leah Renart
Santina Ridge
Adriana Romano
Matteo Romano
Mia Ryan
Luke Sankey
Sofia Sanz
Greyson Smith
Nicholas Stiehl
Milania Taibi
Joseph Tortora
Sophia Tortora
Anthony Tran
Ryan Walsh
Liliana Zavattieri
Nicholas Zito, Jr.*

*"For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."
John 6:33*



*Congratulations to the May Students of the Month who
all demonstrated "Courage"*

N: Ryan Bowles

PK-1: Dominic Amato

PK-2: Emma Cusumano

K: Samantha Theuma

1-1: Victoria Vordemeier

1-2: Gabriella Vukosa

2-1: Amber Bustamante

2-2: Julianna Brusca

3-1: Rose Vazquez

3-2: Eleanor Beaver

4-1: Matteo Ferraioli

4-2: Mateja Vukosa

5-1: Chloe Young

5-2: Aliana Famoso

6-1: Abigail Civitano

6-2: Giuliana Zuckerman

7-1: Michael Silko-Cicillini

7-2: Leilah Famoso

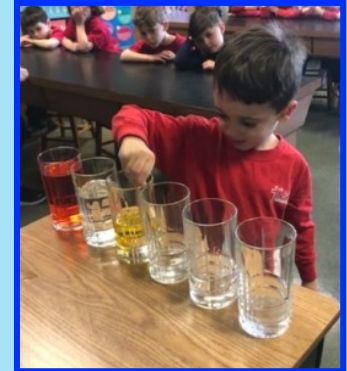
8-1: Anton Bateman

8-2: Emilio Maimone



X is for Xylophone...

*St. Luke's Pre-K visited the Science Lab and created a water xylophone.
They loved exploring sound.
They learned the more water inside the glass - the lower the sound and the
less water inside the glass - the higher the sound.*



We are Authors and Illustrators!!

St. Luke's Class 1-2 made their own class book about their silly pets and it was professionally published by Studenttreasures Publishing Company.

The students were very excited when the published books arrived and they found out that their book was entered into the "Studenttreasures National Book Challenge" contest!

Terrific job!





Annual Catholic Appeal 2023

DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

St. Luke Parish, Whitestone
Goal: \$100,274

Thank you to the most recent donors to the Annual Catholic Appeal!

- Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Dagnello
- Mr. Hector Gomez
- Mr. & Mrs. Gino Mangi
- Martin A. Gleason Funeral Home
- Mr. & Mrs. Michael Montalbano
- Mrs. Margaret Smyth
- Ms. Ann M. Vitelli

151 total donors
 \$55,402 in pledges
 55% of goal
 \$367 average gift



The Monsignor Tosi Parish Center will be used for Early Voting from Friday, June 16 through Monday, June 26. For security reasons, no other groups can use the Center during this period. We apologize for the inconvenience.

AUTO DONATIONS



The Associated Vincentian Charities of Brooklyn will take any car, truck, or van, running or not, and donate \$75 to \$200 per vehicle to St. Luke Church. Any condition, free towing and IRS tax deduction.



SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESSES



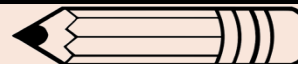
We are thankful to the merchants and businesses that support our bulletin by placing an ad. Ads can be placed in our weekly bulletin by calling The Church Bulletin Inc. at (631) 249-4994.

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Drive will take place on *Sunday, June 11th*.

Their truck will be in the Church parking lot from *7:00 am until 12:00 Noon*.

They will accept donations of gently used clothing and shoes.

ON THE BULLETIN BOARD



NYC Chapter Meeting (Online)

Friday, June 16th., 2023 between 8:00 pm to 9:30 pm. Join us for the East Coast Chapter of the Maria Goretti Network (MGN) online support group for all those in any way affected by abuse (physical, sexual, mental, emotional, financial, etc.) to experience healing in God's love & freedom through forgiveness. Abuse is never your fault & you are not alone.

Contact: nyc@mgoretti.org for the Zoom link or visit: www.mgoretti.org for more information.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH - Joanna's 4th. Annual Around the World in 5K Run/Walk

Saturday, June 24th., 2023 @ 10:00 am at Holy Cross Church: 11-05 150th. St., Whitestone, NY, 11357.

Come & join us in supporting one of our SLAA families in bringing the community together to raise awareness for SUDEP & honor our sweet Angel Joanna. A special day to share with family & friends!! Please join us & spread the word. You don't want to miss all the entertainment & great food from around the world! Save up to **\$10.00** on this event with Active Advantage & an additional **\$25.00** instant refund with gift card.

For more information please visit: <https://joannasophiafoundation.org> or call (917) 579-9464.

UPCOMING ONE DAY GETAWAY BUS TRIPS

Saturday, June 24th., 2023: Jersey shore luncheon, boat cruise 'n more; Saturday, July 01st., 2023: "Sound of Music" live theater with lunch 'n more; Sunday, July 30th., 2023: "Grease" live theater with lunch 'n more; Sunday, August 06th., 2023: "Jersey Boys" live theater with lunch 'n more.

Early RSVP A Must!!! For the cost & more information please call Barbara @ (718) 747-0941.

THE SISTERS OF ST. DOMINIC OF AMITYVILLE - Annual Beauty of the Spirit Event

Wednesday, June 28th., 2023 at The Crest Hollow Country Club: 8325 Jericho Turnpike, Woodbury, NY, 11797. This year's Keynote Speaker is Sr. Jeanne Clark, OP, Founder of Homecoming Farm. Each year our program celebrates the beauty of the spirit of women-their strength, compassion & wisdom. Our guests enjoy fantastic auctions & raffles. Proceeds from this year's event go to the restoration & repair of two elevators at the Motherhouse in Amityville. **For information, please contact the Office of Advancement at (631) 842-6000 (Ext. 246) or visit: <https://sistersofstdominic.org/2023event/>.**

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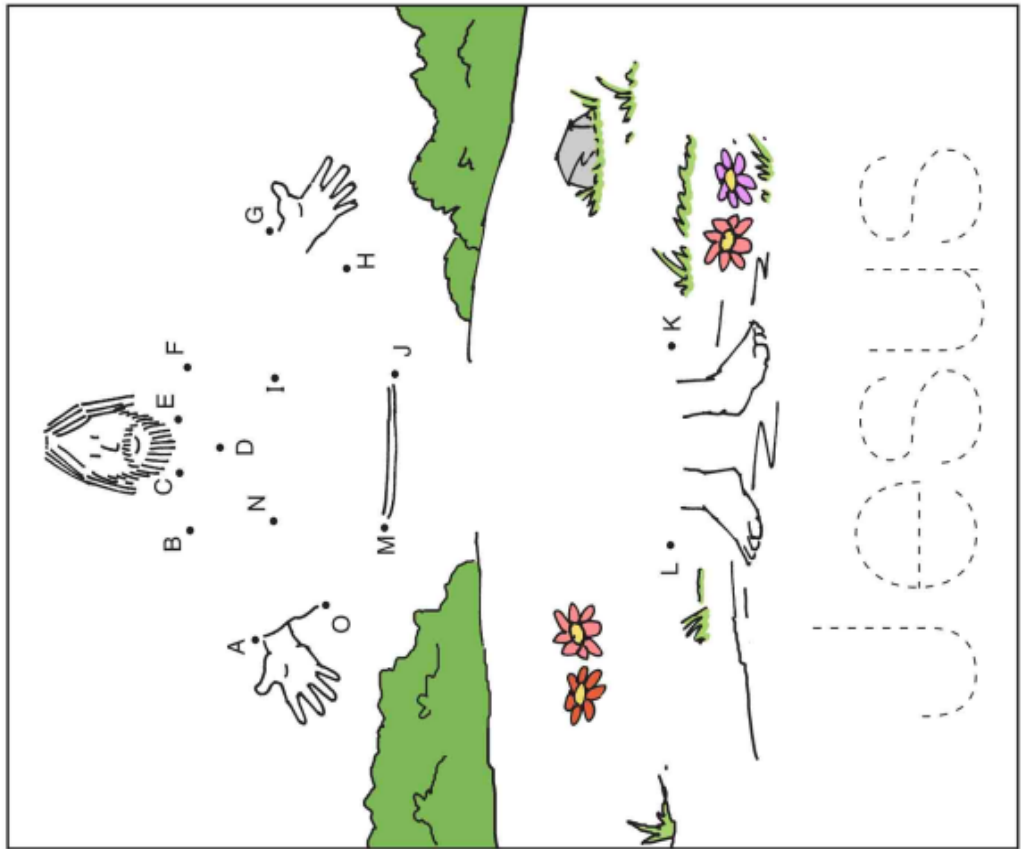
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Those who feed on this bread, Jesus,
will live forever.

Connect the dots of Jesus.

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Trace Jesus' name.



The Bread of Life

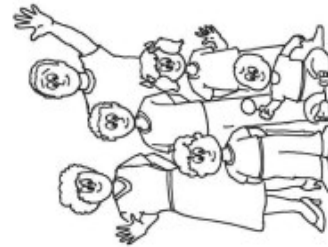
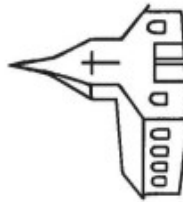
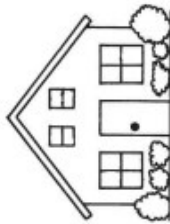
Jesus said,
"I am the living bread from heaven."

Circle 5 things that don't belong.



Praise the Lord for all He has given you.

Circle the things you are thankful for.



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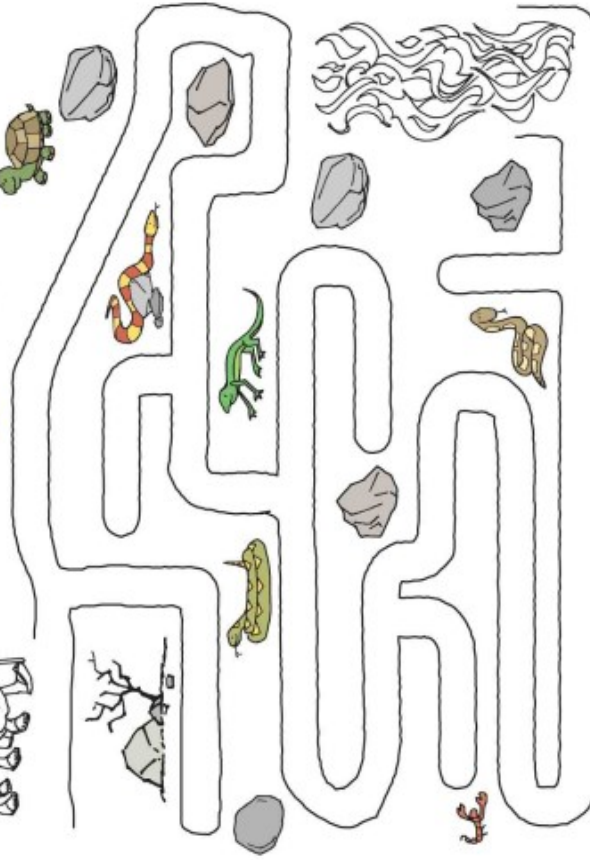
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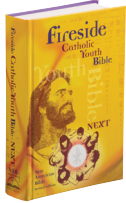
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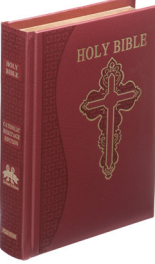
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