



# ST. LUKE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

DECEMBER 31, 2023

### SUNDAY HOLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5pm | Sunday 7:30am, 9am (Italian), 10:30am, 12Noon, 5:00pm

### DAILY MASSES

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

#### THE PASTORAL STAFF

**Pastor** Very Rev. John J. Costello, V.E.

**Parochial Vicar** Fr. Chin Nguyen

**Permanent Deacon** Deacon John P. Kramer

**In Residence** Most Rev. Raymond F. Chappetto, DD and  
Rev. William F. Krlis

**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

**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.

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

**Eucharistic Adoration** - First Fridays after Noon Mass with Benediction at 2:00PM; Saturdays during confessions from 3:30PM with Benediction at 4:30PM.

#### DEVOTIONS

**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](http://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**  
**December 30 to January 7**

**Saturday, December 30**

8:30 Anna & Cristoford Mancini  
5:00 Raymond Arel, Steven Romano, Angela &  
Joseph Giglio & Leslie Thorsen

**Sunday, December 31**

7:30 Pro Populo  
9:00 Bruno Celso, Frank Morelli, In Honor of  
San Sylvestro Papa, il Amata Memoria di  
Cono Pirrone, Giuseppina DiMaria  
10:30 Gertrude & J. Paul Lynch  
12:00 Purgatorial Society  
5:00 No Mass

**Monday, January 1, 2024**

12:00 Pro Popolo

**Tuesday, January 2**

8:30 No Mass  
12:00 Theresa & Ed Pompa, Rose Marchetti

**Wednesday, January 3**

12:00 Barbara N. Koski

**Thursday, January 4, 2024**

8:30 Margaret & William McManus  
12:00 Joseph T. Vernice

**Friday, January 5**

8:30 Dinko, Sime, Marija, Radoslav Drazic  
12:00 Frank Trotti & Family

**Saturday, January 6**

8:30 Pietro Evangelista  
5:00 Lucy & Mike Dolinski, Mary & Daniel  
Peacock, Sean Brett

**Sunday, January 7**

7:30 Pro Populo  
9:00 Alessandro Matonte Cesare Cavallo, Maria  
& Nicola DiSarro  
10:30 Jesus Angel Colmenero Atienza  
12:00 Domenico Santucci  
5:00 Purgatorial Society

**MEMORIALS**  
**For the week of December 31 to January 6**



The Altar Bread is given in memory of  
**Michael Colasuonno**  
Requested by  
Josephine Colasuonno

The Altar Wine is given in memory of  
**Michael Colasuonno**  
Requested by  
Josephine Colasuonno

The Altar Candles are given in the memory of  
**Michael Colasuonno**  
Requested by  
Josephine Colasuonno

The Sanctuary Lamp is given in memory of  
**Michael Colasuonno**  
Requested by  
Josephine Colasuonno

The Altar Flowers are given in the memory of  
**Riko Licul**  
Requested by  
Marko & Despina Kalogeras

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

**EDWARD BLAKLEY**  
**VIOLA CLEO**  
**BRADSHAW**  
**ROSANNE CAPUTO**  
**NOREEN DONOHER**  
**IRVING FELD**  
**CAROLLYNN FREDA**  
**ROSA GALEJ**  
**SR. MARY HELENE**  
**JAKUBOWSKI, RSM**

**MADELINE KARLITZ**  
**JOHN LENHART**  
**JOHN MARTINELLI**  
**JASON MEEHAN**  
**PATRICIA NULTY**  
**HELENE ORLANDO**  
**BARBARA REITER**  
**VICKY SALAND**  
**CAROLINE SAPORITO**  
**MARY VARLESE**  
**JOSEPH T. VERNICE**

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



*Gloria Vivian Lambropouls*  
*Irving Feld*  
*Yvonne Lewis*

Dear Friends,

DECEMBER 23/24	
5:00 PM	172
7:30 AM	108
9:00 AM	83
10:30 AM	121
12:00 PM	90
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>574</b>

I hope and pray that everyone had a blessed and happy Christmas with family and friends. These are always special days to slow down a bit, enjoy time with others, and, most importantly, celebrate the wonderful birth of our Savior. This weekend we celebrate the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph. As a faithful Jewish family, Mary and Joseph went to Jerusalem to present Jesus in the temple shortly after his birth. There, they encountered Simeon and Anna, who both spoke of the special plan God had for this child. Mary and Joseph both supported Jesus as he grew up in the home at Nazareth,

giving a great example to all parents whose children might show signs of a special vocation from the Lord.

We welcome back Bishop Chappetto, who will return to New York this week and will stay with us at least for the month of January. We also welcome a new administrative assistant to our parish. Erica Cuerdo lives in St. Mel Parish and has begun working in the rectory. We will have a temporary shift in office hours, so please watch the bulletin for more information. Welcome Erica!

Next weekend we will have our annual Epiphany Party for all our adult volunteers and ministers. After all that goes on in preparation for Christmas, it is nice to have an opportunity to gather together during this holy season and have a relaxed evening with one another. During the party we will have the drawing for the Epiphany raffle. If you'd like a chance to get some help paying those Christmas bills, please get your tickets to the rectory by next Saturday afternoon.

Today is also New Year's Eve, so we bid farewell to 2023 as we welcome a new year of grace. This year is a leap year, a presidential election year, and athletes from around the world will gather in Paris for the summer Olympics. As 2024 begins, we pray for the Church, for peace in the world, for our families, and for all who rely on our prayers. May the mercy of God accompany us every day, and may we grow in our desire to serve God by serving our brothers and sisters.

DECEMBER 24/25	
4:00 PM	500
6:00 PM	230
10:00 PM	215
9:00 AM	117
10:30 AM	250
12:00 PM	327
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1639</b>

On behalf of the clergy and staff of St. Luke Parish, I want to express our gratitude for all the many kind wishes and generous gifts that were sent to the rectory for Christmas. Many of you go out of your way to send cards, baked goods, and other treats to show your love and appreciation. We are extremely grateful for your goodness and support not only at Christmas, but all year long. Thanks, too, to the Knights of Columbus for providing books on the Eucharist for our parishioners.

Happy New Year!  
 With love and prayers,  
 Fr. John Costello

**ST. LUKE CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE**  
**Masses, Prayer Groups, Meetings and Events**

SUNDAY Dec. 31 <i>Holy Family of Jesus, Mary &amp; Joseph</i>	7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM 12:00 Noon	Mass Italian Mass Mass Mass
MONDAY January 1 <i>Solemnity of Mary</i>	12:00 Noon	Mass
TUESDAY January 2 <i>St. Basil the Great</i>	12:00 Noon 7:00 PM	Mass Bereavement Group
WEDNESDAY January 3 <i>The Most Holy Name of Jesus</i>	12:00 Noon 7:00 PM	Mass Adult Choir Practice
THURSDAY January 4 <i>St. Elizabeth Ann Seton</i>	8:30 AM 12:00 Noon 1:00 PM	Mass Mass Golden Age Meeting
FRIDAY January 5 First Friday <i>St. John Neumann</i>	8:30 AM 12:00 Noon 3:00 PM 5:30 PM 7:00 PM	Mass Mass Girl Scouts AA Boy Scouts
SATURDAY January 6 <i>St. Andre Bessette</i>	8:30 AM 3:30 PM 5:00 PM	Mass Confessions Mass Volunteer party??
SUNDAY January 7 <i>The Epiphany of The Lord</i>	7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM 12:00 Noon 5:00 PM	Mass Italian Mass Mass Mass 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 8:00 am to 3:00 pm  
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!  
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!**

We wish you and your family a blessed  
Christmas, and a beautiful and healthy  
New Year



Please note the Rectory Office  
Will be closed on  
Monday, January 1, 2024  
We will open Tuesday,  
January 2nd, 2024 at 9:00 AM



Thanks to those who  
helped to make our  
Nativity so beautiful  
this year:

Associazione Sacchese d'America	Antenisca & Joe Picatagi
Claudia Morelli	Serafina & Carmelo Corbo
Maria & Massimiliano Frasca	Rosetta & Pietro Tomao
Domenico Accetta	Francesca & Rosario Masullo
Rosalba & Angelo Masullo	Michele D'Angelo
Angela & Pasquale Masullo	Rosa & Fernando Minchella



The following students from our parish have attained Honor Roll status at

### The Mary Louis Academy

Principal's List:  
Sophia Bortot  
Kayla Colombo

First Honors: Hanna Vojar

Second Honors: Nora Slattery

### Kellenberg Memorial High School

National Honor Society:  
Melania Vista and Zachary Vista

National Junior Honor Society:  
Nicholas Nuccio

Perfect Attendance 2022-2023:  
Anthony Nuccio, Nicholas Nuccio,  
and Zachary Vista

**First Friday  
January 5th, 2024**



Exposition after  
Noon Mass

Benediction at  
2:00 PM

*As this New Year begins, may God's  
light shine upon you.  
Come spend some quiet time talking  
with Him ...  
He's waiting for you.*



## **Flushing First Friday Club**

**The Flushing First Friday Club  
will meet on Friday, January, 5th at  
Verdi's of Whitestone at 12 Noon**

Lunch will be served after the  
celebration of Mass.

The speaker will be  
Rev. Msgr. Kevin Noone

Cost of 4 course lunch is \$45



**BEREAVEMENT  
SUPPORT**

Next Meeting:  
Tuesday, January 2nd, 2024  
at 7:00 PM  
Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center

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

Our 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.

Sister Theresa can also offer  
you individual bereavement  
counseling sessions if needed.

Sr. Theresa  
718-746-8531

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



**2024 Announced Masses  
& Memorials**

*Announced Masses for 2024 are  
still available at the rectory office.*

*Multiple intention Mass options are also available  
for Saturday evenings at 5:00 in English,  
and Sunday at 9:00 AM in Italian.*

*Memorials for Altar Bread, Wine, Flowers,  
Sanctuary Lamps and Altar Candles are also available.*

*What a beautiful way to remember our loved ones.*



**Epiphany Raffle**  
for the benefit of St. Luke Church

Drawing - Saturday, January 6, 2024

**\$10 per chance**  
**3 chances for \$25**

**50% to parish**

**50% split in 3 prizes:**  
1st - 25%  
2nd - 15%  
3rd - 10%

return tickets in collection basket or to rectory

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*Epiphany  
Parish  
Volunteer Party*

**Saturday, January 6, 2024**  
**Following the 5:00 PM Mass**  
**In The Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center**

*We would like to invite all adult ministers, committee members, and those who volunteer in any way to join us in for a thank you party for your service to our parish community.*

Please RSVP by Friday, December 29th 2023

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ministry:** \_\_\_\_\_

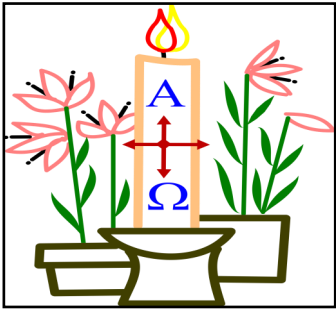
**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please drop off in the collection basket or rectory office by 12/29/23. You can also email the information to [stlukewhitestone@aol.com](mailto:stlukewhitestone@aol.com) please put Epiphany Party in subject line. **Sorry, this event is for adults only.**

## MEMORIALS



The following memorials are available each week for a \$50 offering:

**ALTAR BREAD  
ALTAR WINE  
SANCTUARY LAMPS  
ALTAR CANDLES**

The following is available each week for a \$100 offering:  
**ALTAR FLOWERS**

Please visit the rectory or call (718)746-8102 to arrange for a memorial for a loved one.

The name of the person will be printed in the bulletin.

We provide a card for the memorial that is suitable to mail or bring to the Funeral Home.



### CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS

*We are grateful for your generous response! Thank you for helping us light our beautiful Christmas tree!*

*Mary Chianese*

*In Loving Memory of:*

*Anthony Chianese*

*Tom Chianese*

*Brigida Chinese*

*Carmella Chianese*

*Charles Tomeo*

*Anna Tomeo*

*Louis Tomeo*

*Charlie Tomeo*

*Mary Tomeo*

*Neil Tomeo*



*Lisa & Damian Scardamaglia*

*Merry Christmas to:*

*Judy DeAngelis*

*Marion O'Connor*

*Marie DiTucci*

*In Loving Memory of:*

*Michael John Connell*

*Michael Joseph Connell*

*Maria & Damiano Scardamaglia*

*Deceased Members of the*

*Connell Family*

*Deceased Members of the*

*Scardamaglia Family*

*Deceased Members of the*

*Maeneza Family*

*Msgr. John C. Tosi*

*Sister Catherine T. Reilly, OP*

*Marie Connell*

*In Loving Memory of:*

*Michael John Connell*

*Michael Joseph Connell*

*Maria & Damiano Scardamaglia*

*Deceased Members of the*

*Connell Family*

*Deceased Members of the*

*Schneider Family*



*Julie Manganella*

*Merry Christmas from:*

*Manganella Family*

*In Loving Memory of:*

*Sara Manganella*

*Rosario Manganella*

*Blanca Medina*

*Brenda Vega*



*Spencer & Michelle Lui*

*Merry Christmas from:*

*Spencer & Michelle Lui*

*In Loving Memory of:*

*Ida D'Amelio*

*Patrick Smith*

*Nasaria M. Casocot*

*Elisa M. Tayrus*



# Infant Baptism at St. Luke

Please call Sr. Theresa 718-746-8531 when you have received the birth certificate to schedule a baptism interview



Upcoming dates:  
January 6th, 2024  
February 10th, 2024  
April 20, 2024

Please note - there are no infant Baptism's during Lent

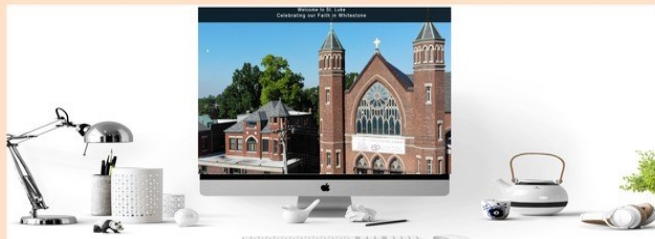
## Young At Heart



# St. Luke Golden Age Club

Come join the fun  
Thursdays at 1:00 PM  
In the Msgr. Tosi  
Pastoral Center

Everyone is Welcome



## Give To St. Luke Online

It's easy and safe to sign up - visit our St. Luke website and click on "Give Central Give Online"

## Sunday Collection

December 17, 2023

Parish Collection

\$11,254

Due to publishing deadlines the collections from the weekend of December 24, 2023 and Christmas Day will be in a future bulletin.

*Thank You For Giving From Your Heart* ♥

## Collective Intentions Masses

Several times a year we celebrate a Collective Intentions Mass on a Saturday at Noon to accommodate the requests of parishoners for an opportunity to remember a loved one at Mass for a special anniversary of death (i.e. one month or one year), or to celebrate a special event.

Our organist and cantor are there to help us celebrate.

\$50 offering requested

**Upcoming Dates:**  
**January 27, 2024**  
**March 16, 2024**  
**May 25, 2024**

## Visit from Father Michael Drea Chaplain for FOCUS



The weekend of January 13-14, 2024, Father Michael Drea will be visiting our parish on behalf of Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS). Fr. Michael Drea serves at the National Chaplain for Mission Development for FOCUS. He was ordained in 2004 by Sean Cardinal O'Malley for service in the Archdiocese of Boston. Prior to his role at FOCUS, he served for seven years as Senior Catholic Chaplain at Harvard University where he invited FOCUS to serve with him on campus. In addition, he has served as pastor for two different parishes in the Archdiocese, as well as a member of the FOCUS Board of Directors and on various other boards of trustees. Father Drea is a proud alumnus of Boston College where he received both his undergraduate and graduate degrees. FOCUS is a national organization serving college students at more than 232 campus/locations including eight international locations, 23 parish venues and nine digital expansion campuses. More than 970 FOCUS missionaries invite college students into a relationship with Christ and His Church, while equipping them for a lifetime of Catholic evangelization. Fr. Drea is excited to be with you soon and share the hope of the New Evangelization! To learn more, please visit [www.focus.org](http://www.focus.org).



Although the Eucharist appears to be simple bread and wine, it is actually the “source and summit” of the Christian life.

***Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist*** explores the truth and beauty of Christ’s real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture to its profound role in the life of the Church and its members. The Eucharist is the crescendo of the entire story of salvation.

JOIN US AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE OLBS PARISH CENTER for this VIDEO series by FORMED.

JAN. 11th -- Episode 1: God Is with Us

JAN.18th -- Episode 2: The Story of the Eucharist

JAN. 25th – Episode 25: Bread for the Journey

FEB.1st – Bonus Episode: Biblical Foundations with  
Dr. Tim Gray

Please register using the link below, the QR code, or by calling the rectory at 718-229-5929

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Parish Center  
203 Street between 34<sup>th</sup> and 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue, below the church.  
Sponsored by the OLBS ADULT FAITH FORMATION TEAM.





St. Kevin Church, Flushing Queens,  
will provide round trip bus transportation to Washington, D.C.

Friday, January 19th, 2024

Bus is leaving from St. Kevin Church Flushing  
45-21 194th Street, Flushing, NY 11358

Leaving at 6:00 AM

Cost: \$40

To Register and save your seat:

Please use the weblink below or the QR code

<https://stkevinchurch1.flocknote.com/signup/149779>



## ON THE BULLETIN BOARD



**SPECIAL NEEDS PARENTS GROUP**—Sacred Heart of Jesus Bayside invites parents/guardians with children/adults with all special needs or IEP's to join us to share and exchange ideas in an informal setting. For information contact Mrs. Lyons at 718-631-1307 or email at [shreligiousdbayside@yahoo.com](mailto:shreligiousdbayside@yahoo.com). Meetings are at 10:00 AM on the following dates: Tuesday, December 5th, Thursday, January 11th, Tuesday, February 13th, Tuesday March 19th

**Support Our Advertiser's** — We are grateful to the local merchants and businesses that support St. Luke by placing ads in our bulletin! Please support them!

**To advertise—call The Church Bulletin at 631-249-4994**

**Theology Degree and Certificate Programs**—this Spring join St. Joseph's Seminary for 100% online or in-person degree and certificate programs in Catholic Theology! Registration for Spring 2024 is open. Contact Admission at 914-367-8145, or [sjsacademics@dunwoddie.edu](mailto:sjsacademics@dunwoddie.edu).

**MOLLOY UNIVERSITY**—looking to finish your degree? Molloy University offers a fully online bachelor's degree for adults with a convenient format. For more information contact Lara Sehne, Assistant Dir. Of Outreach & Partnerships at the Office of Enrollment (516) 323-4411 or [enrollonline@molloy.edu](mailto:enrollonline@molloy.edu)

**Looking for Free & Fun Activities** — Visit [nycgovparks.org](http://nycgovparks.org) website for free events happening all around the city in our parks - including guided tours by park rangers, seasonal activities and more. You'll also find programs for seniors and kids. Some require pre-sign up, but all are free.

### **ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY - Speech & Hearing Aid Help**

Through Thursday, November 30th., 2023 - St. John's University Speech & Hearing Center is located at 152-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing, NY & is offering **free** "Hearing Aid Help" for anyone who has a hearing aid & may be experiencing some difficulty caring for it or using it. In addition, this center will be offering **free** speech screenings during the same time & location. **Please call (718) 990-6480 to schedule an appointment**

### **ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY - Center for Psychological Services**

School Year 2023 through 2024 - St. John's University Center for Psychological Services is located at 152-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing, NY, 11367 & is offering evidence-based assessment & therapy services for both children & adults. The center is open Monday to Thursday from 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM & Fridays from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM. Services are offered on a sliding-fee scale based on income. We do not accept insurance. **Please call the center at (718) 990-1900 for more information.**



... "Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples and glory for your people Israel." ...

Luke 2:22-40

### **A SENIOR PARISHIONER IS LOOKING TO RENT A STUDIO OR 1 ROOM**

If you looking to rent out a 1 room, studio or basement apartment with a private bathroom in the Whitestone, College Point, Flushing or Bayside areas; **please contact St. Luke's Rectory for further details at (718) 746-8102. Your help will be greatly appreciated.**

### **DONATIONS FOR MIGRANTS**

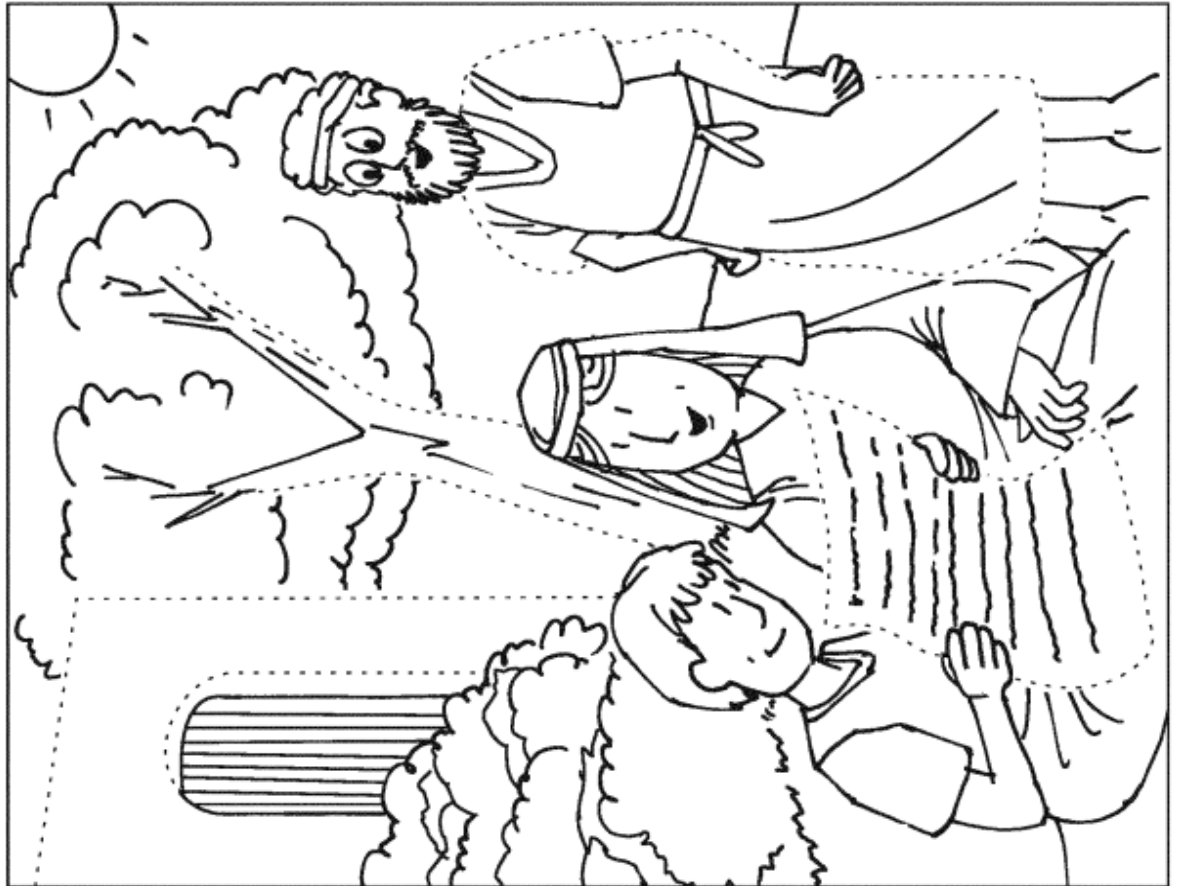
If you have slightly used clothing, shoes, baby strollers, etc. which you would like to donate to the Migrants, please drop off your donations at: Catholic Charities of Brooklyn & Queens/Community Integration Center at 191 Joralemon Street (1st. Fl.), Brooklyn, NY, 11201.

**Please call (718) 726-9790 for further information. Your help is needed & will be greatly appreciated.**

**LOST and FOUND in St. Luke Church** Please see a sacristan if you have lost anything in the church.

Jesus grew and became strong.

Finish the picture.



# Children's Worship Bulletin™



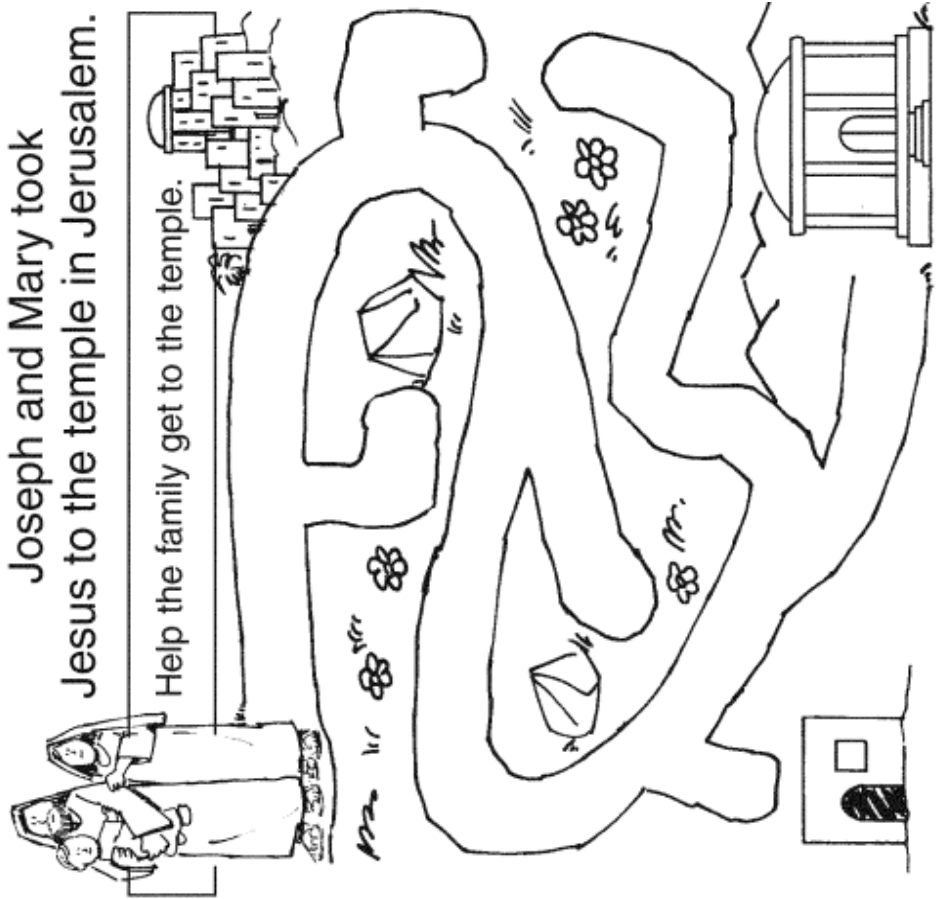
Ages 3+

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## Jesus Presented in the Temple

Joseph and Mary took Jesus to the temple in Jerusalem.

Help the family get to the temple.



Simeon held Jesus and called Him the  
Salvation from God.

Find and count the hidden objects.



4 or 5 ?



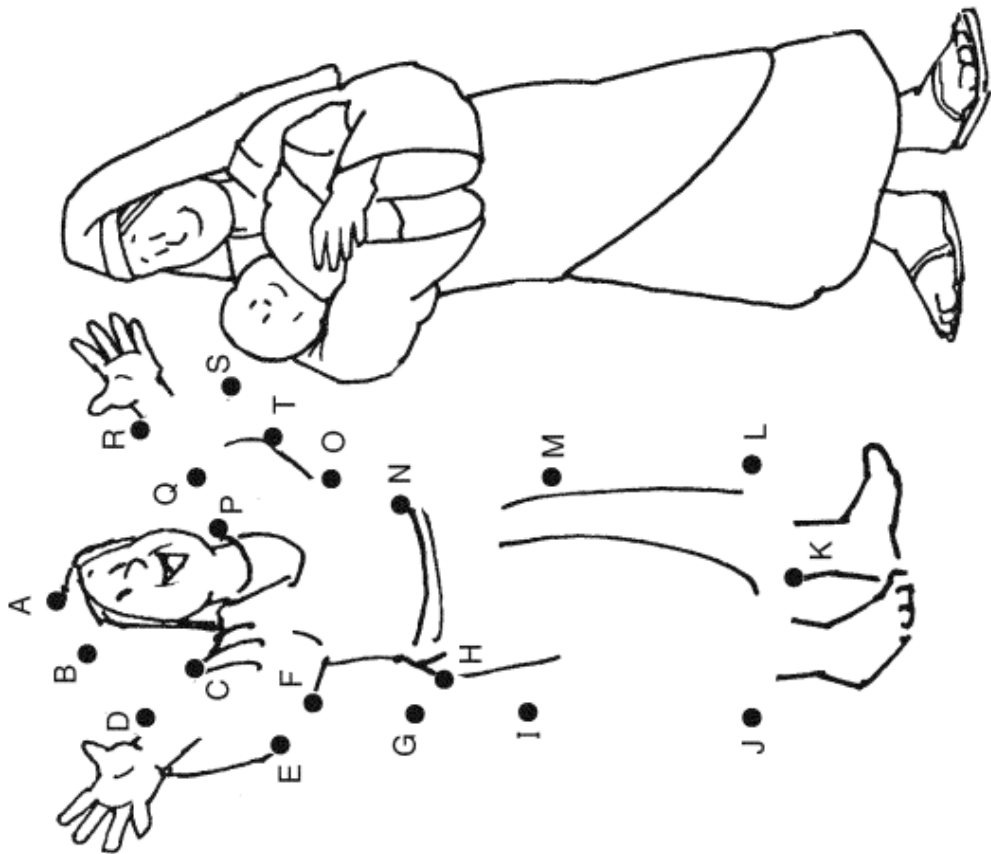
6 or 7 ?



Anna thanked God because of Jesus.

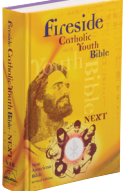
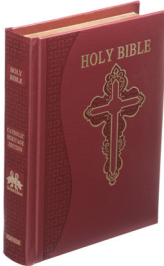
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