



# ST. LUKE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Fifth Sunday of Easter

MAY 18, 2025

### SUNDAY HOLY MASSES

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

### DAILY MASSES

Monday to Friday 12 Noon + Saturday 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

**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.

**Order of Christian Initiation (O.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

### Saturday, May 17

**8:30** Vincent & Michael Merchant  
**5:00** Ann Denise Pendola, Frank Morelli, Brian Go, Carmela Carillo, James Anderson, Maria DiMaria

### Sunday, May 18

**7:30** Pro Populo  
**9:00** Don Erminio Russo, Gerlando & Ida Giugno, Pino Emmanuele, Maria & Margherita DeLuca, Lucia Migliaccio, Giulia Nitti, Giuseppina Dionisio, Rosa & Maria Salomone, Maria, Giovanni & Famiglia DiGiorgio, Grazia Ricevuta for Mario— Maria SS Dell Udienze, Defunti Cicio, Cannova & Guzzardo Families & Friends, Vincenzo & Luigi Torre (compleanno), Antonietta Castronovo & Famiglia, Angela Lucchese & Famiglia, Antonino & Angela D'Amico, Domenico & Maria Marchese  
**10:30** Giuseppe Croce  
**12:00** Glen J. McGlinchey  
**5:00** Purgatorial Society

### Monday, May 19

**12:00** Joseph Viso

### Tuesday, May 20

**8:30** John Kolk & Ligia Feher  
**12:00** Cardinal O'Connor, Msgr. Asip. Msgr. Capua & Msgr. Tosi

### Wednesday, May 21

**12:00** Joseph Berardi

### Thursday, May 22

**8:30** Ante Martinovich  
**12:00** Elaine Vernice

### Friday, May 23

**12:00** Msgr. John Tosi

### Saturday, May 24

**8:30** Josip Marnika  
**5:00** William Juliano, Frank Morelli, Gaetana Triolo, Frank Annitto, Brian Go, Prena Kalaj

### Sunday, May 25

**7:30** Pro Populo  
**9:00** Nancy DiNardo, Don Erminio Russo, Maria & Margherita DeLuca  
**10:30** In Honor of St. Jude  
**12:00** Raffaele & Anna Russo  
**5:00** Purgatorial Society

## MEMORIALS



The Altar Bread is given in memory of Charles Weigl, Cyril, Vera & Sidonia Liska, Vera Nemitz, and Sister Mary Armelda SSND

Requested by  
Mildred Weigl and Family

The Altar Wine is given in memory of Msgr. John C Tosi

Requested by  
Mary Chianese

The Sanctuary Lamp is given in memory of Francis Xavier Bay Nguyen

Requested by  
Members the Golden Age Club

## Pray for the Sick Members of Our Parish

<i>LORRAINE ALLESI</i>	<i>JAKUBOWSKI, RSM</i>
<i>ANTHONY BALDO</i>	<i>MADELINE KARLITZ</i>
<i>SELENE BELESIS</i>	<i>LILY MORALES</i>
<i>EDWARD BLAKLEY</i>	<i>KATHLEEN O'CONNELL</i>
<i>MARY BRETT</i>	<i>WANDA PRESTIFILIPPO</i>
<i>JOHN ANTHONY BURKE</i>	<i>GIUSEPPE RAELE</i>
<i>ANN CALLAHAN</i>	<i>NEIL RUIZ</i>
<i>EVA DAMIANO</i>	<i>JOSE MANUEL SILVA</i>
<i>GRACE DAVIS</i>	<i>CAROLINE SAPORITO</i>
<i>NOREEN DONOHER</i>	<i>MARIANNA TOTINO</i>
<i>LOUISA DUME</i>	<i>MARY VARLESE</i>
<i>CAROLLYNN FREDA</i>	<i>JOSEPH T. VERNICE</i>
<i>ROSA GALEJ</i>	<i>MILLIE WEIGL</i>
<i>ROSANNA GUMIEL</i>	<i>LEONARDA ZUCCARELLO</i>
<i>SR. MARY HELENE</i>	

## Pray for the Deceased Members of Our Parish



*Benedetto Polito*

Dear Friends,

May 11, 2025	
8:00 PM	134
7:30 AM	102
9:00 AM	113
10:30 AM	172
12:00 PM	165
5:00 PM	52
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>738</b>

Habemus Papam! I was attending a deanery meeting in Jamaica when the white smoke coming out of the Sistine Chapel chimney signaled to the world that there was a new Pope. We stopped the meeting, and we watched and waited for a while, but then I had to get back to St. Luke for an appointment, so I left the meeting but kept my phone on the live feed from EWTN. While I was caught in bumper-to-bumper traffic on the Van Wyck Expressway, the Cardinal came out to the balcony and announced

that Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost was elected and chose the name Leo XIV. I never thought in my lifetime I would see an American-born Pope, but clearly the Spirit had other plans! We join with the Universal Church in praying for our new Holy Father, that he may be the shepherd that the Church needs at this time.



For many years, St. Luke hosted an AA group on Friday evenings in the Pastoral Center. Such groups have a long history and provide a supportive community of peers who help one another through the 12 steps of recovery and sobriety. We were recently informed that the group will no longer meet here at St. Luke. We pray in thanksgiving for the many people who were able to turn their lives around one day at a time through the support they encountered on Friday evenings in our church basement. We also pray for all those who continue to struggle with any number of addictions, that they may find the help they need to overcome their addictions and bring healing to themselves, their families, and their friends. While the Friday group will no longer meet here at St. Luke, the Sunday morning group will continue.

With Fridays now freed up for parish use, I want to discuss options with the Parish Council to see how we might best use the Pastoral Center going forward. Fund raisers and other events typically held on Saturdays or Sundays might choose Friday night as an option now that the center is available. Perhaps the youth group will find Fridays as a good night for some of their events. For the time being, we will not lock any other group on Friday nights until we determine how the space might help us provide fun and helpful activities for the parish.

On this Fifth Sunday of Easter, Jesus teaches his disciples in a simple yet profound way: "I give you a new commandment: love one another." He continues: "This is how all will know you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." The message is as valid today as it was 2,000 years ago. From our experience, we know that love, forgiveness, compassion, mercy are not easy ... love, forgive, be compassionate, and show mercy anyway. It is certainly what Jesus would do!

With love and prayers,  
Fr. John Costello

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Prayer Groups, Meetings and Parish Events

For Mass Schedule see Page 2

SUNDAY  
May 18  
Fifth Sunday of  
Easter

MONDAY  
May 19  
Easter Weekday

TUESDAY  
May 20  
Easter Weekday

WEDNESDAY  
May 21  
Easter Weekday

THURSDAY  
May 22  
Easter Weekday

FRIDAY  
May 23  
Easter Weekday

SATURDAY  
May 24  
Easter Weekday

SUNDAY  
May 25  
Sixth Sunday of  
Easter

3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal  
6:30 PM Charismatic Prayer Group

7:00 PM Religious Education Mass and Reception  
7:30 PM Senior Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 PM Sunday Scripture Sharing

1:00 PM Golden Age  
6:45 PM Italian Charismatic Prayer Group

6:30 PM Boy Scouts



*Welcome*  
TO  
St. Luke Church

## 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.**



Monday to Friday, at 11:15am 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](http://stlukewhitestone.org)**

Kindly let us know if you would like to  
receive weekly offering envelopes.

# 2025 Memorials

## June—December Available

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

**ALTAR BREAD**

**ALTAR WINE**

**SANCTUARY**

**ALTAR**

**LAMP**

**CANDLES**

A memorial with an arrangement of **ALTAR FLOWERS** is available weekly with an offering of \$100.

## Collective Intentions Mass

Several times a year we celebrate a Collective Intentions Mass, on a Saturday at Noon, for parishioners to have the opportunity to remember their loved ones. We celebrate these to memorialize the special anniversaries of our loved one's passing.

Our organist and cantor are there to help lead and accompany our celebration.

**Upcoming Date**

May 31, 2025

*St. Anthony Novena 2025*



Join us on  
Tuesdays after  
the noon Mass.

All are welcome!

# The CHOSEN

**Join St. Luke and St. Mel  
at  
AMC Theater, Bayside**

Three Thursdays in May:

May 8  
May 15 at 6 PM  
May 22

3 tickets for \$75

Each viewing is 2.5 hours

**Come to either rectory to  
purchase tickets.**

**four**  
WAYS to  
**GIVE**  
at  
Saint Luke's

**SUNDAY**

05/11/2025  
\$12,755

Mother's Day  
Mass  
Remembrance  
\$3,333



### Mobile Giving

Text directly 929-209-6614  
to send your offering via  
message.



### Drop Off In-Person

You may drop off your  
envelopes in the collection  
basket at mass or in the  
rectory office.



### Mail-In

St. Luke's Church  
1634 Clintonville St.  
Whitestone, NY 11357



### Online Giving

Scan this code or visit  
our platform online at  
[givecentral.org/location/614](https://givecentral.org/location/614)

# Msgr. Tosi Scholarship Fund



Since Monsignor Tosi's death  
in May 2020, a Scholarship  
Fund was established to help  
students from St. Luke to  
pursue their high school  
education in a Catholic high  
school.

We are accepting  
contributions to the fund so  
that we can continue to honor  
Monsignor Tosi's memory and  
dedication to Catholic  
education.

Please contact the rectory.

**Sunday Scripture Sharing**  
with Deacon John Kramer

**Wednesdays at 7:30 PM**  
Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center

Join others as we reflect on  
the upcoming Sunday  
Scriptures, discuss Church  
teachings, and open  
ourselves to the Holy Spirit.

*All are  
Welcome!*

Thursdays at 1:00PM  
**in the Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center**

**St. Luke Golden  
Age Club**

Everyone is welcome!

**Annual Catholic  
Appeal 2025**  
DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN

ACA 2024 Final Results:  
224 donors  
\$122,167.00

Getting there!

47%  
St. Luke Parish Goal  
\$104,503

130 donors  
\$48,870 pledged  
Average gift:  
\$376

Mrs. Angela Bello  
Mrs. Felina Cruz  
Ms. Josephine Diverde  
Mrs. Margaret Galanti  
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Hackert  
Ms. Kathleen Lisoski & family  
Mr. Vincent Madonna

Ms. Maria Quintans  
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Robilotto  
Ms. Marie Scardamaglia  
Mrs. Margaret Smyth  
Ms. Evelyn Tetro  
Ms. Ann M. Vitelli  
Mr. & Mrs. Peter & Deirdre Zuccarello









**SATURDAY, JUNE 21**



<b>CHECK IN</b> <b>8:30AM - 10AM</b> <b>ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH</b> 196-10 NORTHERN BLVD, FLUSHING, NEW YORK	<b>RUN START</b> <b>TIME 10AM</b> <b>ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH TO</b> <b>HOLY CROSS CHURCH</b>	<b>ENTERTAINMENT</b> <b>HOLY CROSS CHURCH</b> 150-05 12TH AVE WHITESTONE, NEW YORK
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FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT  
[JOANNASOPHIAFOUNDATION.ORG](http://JOANNASOPHIAFOUNDATION.ORG)

**Ensuring a Safe Environment for all**

The Diocese of Brooklyn has reached an agreement with the NYS Attorney General to enhance child safety measures. This agreement requires updated training for all clergy, employees, and volunteers who work with children. The new training is designed to provide valuable information to help adults ensure the safety of children and adults during interactions.

If you are working with children in any capacity, please log in to your account at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org) and complete any outstanding training items. If you have any questions, please contact 718-965-7300, ext. 6076.

# Infant Baptism

at St. Luke's

Please call Sister Theresa to schedule a baptism interview when you have received the Birth Certificate

**718-746-8531**



**Upcoming Dates:**

- June 14th
- July 19th
- Aug. 16th
- Sept. 6th
- Sept. 27th

## BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

**If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, please join us. Our next meeting is**

**Tuesday, June 3, 2024**  
**at 6:00PM in the**  
**Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center**

**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 ahead.**

Individual bereavement counseling sessions are also available.

**Sister Theresa**  
**718-746-8531**

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



Buffet dinner, coffee, tea & cookies.  
Beer, wine & soda for purchase.  
A little music ... A little mystery ...  
And lots of FUN!

**Don't Miss A Killer Evening ...**  
**Saturday Night - June 7th 2025 - at 7PM**  
**Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center**  
**Murder Mystery Night At The 50's Prom!**

Come dressed for the 50's Prom!  
You might just win a little something!  
\$70.00 Per person  
(21 and over only)

You never know what will happen at the prom!  
You might be a suspect, or a witness or our murderer!  
But even if you just come for the laughs - it  
promises to be a killer of a night!

**Reservations in advance only --- sorry no purchase at the door.**  
**All sales must be in by: Monday, June 2nd (all sales are final)**

Please return the form below with your check made out  
St. Luke for \$70 (add Murder Mystery to the memo area)  
please return it to the rectory by 6/2/25  
Or use the QR Code below to register and pay by credit card.  
(If using the online option, no need to fill out this form.)

First & Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

# of Tickets : \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

I am paying for the following people, plus myself: \_\_\_\_\_;

\_\_\_\_\_;

\_\_\_\_\_;

\_\_\_\_\_;

I would like to sit with: \_\_\_\_\_ at the event

To make your reservation online and pay with your credit card - please use this  
QR code or visit ... [www.givecentral.org/Murder-Mystery-Web](http://www.givecentral.org/Murder-Mystery-Web)



## St. Luke School of Religion

Wishes to Congratulate the Boys and Girls who received their First Holy Communion on May 10th and their Catechists

*Charlotte Agostino*

*Violet Agostino*

*Sienna Balistreri*

*Rocco Brucculeri*

*Aria Caba*

*Kayla Candela*

*Joseph Cavera*

*Daniel Cecchetti*

*Juliana Domenech*

*Olivia Firrincieli*

*Lorenzo Ginestri*

*Sabato Lovisek*

*Angelia Macaluso*

*Selena Melon*

*Vera Mullins*

*Madelyn Munoz*

*Liana Pagelli*

*Ersi Prenga*

*Natalia Ragusano*

*Jeremias Reyes*

*Joseph Romano*

*Sophia Rossitto*

*Leonardo Limitone*

*Ariana Ryan*

*Joseph Sahakian*

*Brooke Sankey*

*Nicholas Scali*

*Salvatore Sedita*

*Steven Skaats*

*Easton Smith*

*Theodore Stathes*

*Christian Stiehl*

*James Vargas*

*Sebastian Zylberberg*

Catechists: Mrs. Lisa Scardamaglia (2-1)  
Mrs. Edna Stern (2-2)  
Mrs. Denise Hercules (2-2)  
Mrs. Danielle Vargas (2-3)

Class Helpers: Ms. Sofia Galia (2-1)  
Mrs. Carrie Dyson (2-2)  
Ms. Olivia Neos (2-3)  
Mrs. Ann Skaats (2-3)

## St. Luke School

Wishes to Congratulate the Boys and Girls who received their First Holy Communion on May 3rd and their Teachers

*Matteo Amoroso*

*Sean Bowles*

*Isabella Carrero*

*Annmarie Fernandez*

*Giancarlo Frantino*

*Ethan Jaramillo-Medrano*

*Zendaya LaPenna*

*Chloe Luli*

*Chloe Machuca-Pulloni*

*Charlotte O'Neill*

*Giovanni Parodi*

*Joseph Puntino*

*Kaylee Riccardi*

*Alessandro Ricci*

*Massimo Ricci*

*Julia Rivera*

*Noelia Rivera*

*Skylar Romano*

*Celina Saraceno*

*Samantha Theuma*

*Joseph Vascellaro*

*Giuseppe Vitale*

*Valentina Vittorino*

*Chloe VonWerne*

*“For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.”*

*John 6:33*

*St. Luke School of Religion and St. Luke School wishes to congratulate the young men and women who prepared for and received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, April 10 as well as their Catechists: Nancy Barone, Linda DeVito, MaryJane Artese, Patricia Brintle and Maria Abicca and Religion Teacher, Anthony Rau.*

<i>Martina Abadia</i>	<i>Giuliana Farrell</i>	<i>John Parzych III</i>
<i>Francesco Alesci</i>	<i>Angelina Fernandez</i>	<i>Antonino Pellegrino</i>
<i>Stefania Amato</i>	<i>Gabriella Fernandez</i>	<i>Mason Portillo</i>
<i>Lana Aranda</i>	<i>Madelyn Fernandez</i>	<i>Ashlee Robledo</i>
<i>Claudia Augello</i>	<i>Xavier Filipowski</i>	<i>Matteo Rullo</i>
<i>Viviana Barone</i>	<i>Giavanna Franqui</i>	<i>Joseph Russo</i>
<i>James Ben-Jacob</i>	<i>Teagan Frisina</i>	<i>Grace Sakis</i>
<i>Angelo Beqi</i>	<i>Gianna Galia</i>	<i>Nathan Sanchez</i>
<i>James Bongino</i>	<i>Sebastian Garzon</i>	<i>Adrian Sanz</i>
<i>Nicholas Callonas</i>	<i>Francesco Giambrone</i>	<i>Christopher Simonelli</i>
<i>Aryana Campanelli</i>	<i>Valentina Giambrone</i>	<i>Edward Sinchi</i>
<i>Giavanna Carnazza</i>	<i>Sofia Ginestri</i>	<i>Roland Sinchi</i>
<i>Robert Cecchetti</i>	<i>Alessandra Grasso</i>	<i>Marina Skibola</i>
<i>Isabella Cicciu</i>	<i>Jerry Grossman</i>	<i>Mateo Smith</i>
<i>Abigail Civitano</i>	<i>Mia Hartmann</i>	<i>Danielle Stremel</i>
<i>Louis Compito</i>	<i>Marco Iacono</i>	<i>Arianna Taibi</i>
<i>Gianna Conzatti</i>	<i>Melania Iacono</i>	<i>Giuseppe Triolo</i>
<i>Anthony Corbo</i>	<i>Filip Kulpa</i>	<i>Anthony Toma</i>
<i>Luka Cuellar</i>	<i>Sabrina Lentini</i>	<i>Michael Turturro</i>
<i>Gianfranco Curatolo</i>	<i>Nicholas Loonan</i>	<i>Isaac Urrea</i>
<i>Valentina DelVecchio</i>	<i>Nikola Lukin</i>	<i>Marco Vozzolo</i>
<i>Victoria DeZago</i>	<i>Viviana Marrone</i>	<i>Adrian Yupa</i>
<i>Taylor Diamond</i>	<i>Salome Medrano</i>	<i>Giuliana Zuckerman</i>
<i>Sophia DiBartolo</i>	<i>Nicholas Nuccio</i>	<i>Andrew Zylberberg</i>
<i>Anthony Dipietrantonio</i>	<i>Eduardo Osso</i>	

*"Remember, then, that you received a spiritual seal, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of knowledge and reverence, the spirit of holy fear. Keep safe what you received. God the Father sealed you, Christ the Lord strengthened you and sent the Spirit into your hearts as the pledge of what is to come."*

*St. Ambrose 3*

*St. Patrick's Cathedral  
Thursday, May 29th at 7:00 PM*



**Antonia Salzano - Mother of Bl. Carlo Acutis  
Ascension Mass at 5:00 PM followed by talk**



**Wednesday, June 25th  
6:40pm**

Get ready to experience the thrill of a Brooklyn Cyclones game and Catholic Schools Night!

- School pre-game parade/ performance
- Collars vs. Scholars
- Valedictorians and Salutatorians will be honored pregame
- Free hat with ticket

**SCAN FOR  
TICKETS**



<https://www.gofevo.com/event/Saintlukeschool>

**Praying with Our Senses:**

**A Guided Retreat**

June 1-6, 2025 | St. Raphaela Center,  
Haverford, PA

**STOP, LOOK, LISTEN,  
SMELL, TASTE, AND TOUCH**

Join Mary Pollini, St. Luke parishioner, for a silent retreat that brings prayer to life through sight, sound, smell, taste, and touch.

Each day, we will focus on one sense, using scripture, stories, and simple sensory exercises inspired by St. Ignatius of Loyola's *Spiritual Exercises*.

Contact Mary Pollini with questions  
FOR MORE INFORMATION, AND TO  
REGISTER, VISIT [straphaelacenter.org](http://straphaelacenter.org)

**JUBILEE OF  
FAMILIES,  
GRANDPARENTS &  
THE ELDERLY**



**SATURDAY, MAY 31, 2025  
10:00 AM**

**ROSARY 9:30 AM  
MASS WITH SPECIAL BLESSING AT 10:00 AM**

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR  
QUEEN OF PEACE RESIDENCE**

⑨ 110-30 221st Street Queens Village,  
New York, 11429



Diocese of Brooklyn



## Congratulations to our April Students of the Month who all displayed Trustworthiness.

**N: Amelie Lopez**

**4-2: Emory Kurtz**

**PK: Antoinette Covatti**

**5-1: Katie Ben-Jacob**

**K: Phoenix Rivera**

**5-2: Annmarie Fernandez**

**1-1: Matteo Ismailov**

**6-1: Lucia Galietti**

**1-2: Isabella Maimone**

**6-2: Giuliana Cafaro**

**2: Noelia Rivera**

**7-1: Victoria Colletta**

**3-1: Parineeti Gupta**

**7-2: Ariella Barone**

**3-2: Michael Colarusso**

**8-1: James Ben-Jacob**

**4-1: Gia Maimone**

**8-2: Abigail Civitano**





# St Luke's Carnival

## Saint Luke's Carnival 2025 Volunteer Registration Form

**Event Dates:** May 29th - June 1st

**Location:** Saint Luke's Church

Thank you for your interest in volunteering for the Saint Luke's Carnival! Please complete this form to sign up as a volunteer.

### Personal Information:

- Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
- Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Availability: (Please check all that apply)

- Masses Prior to Event (List Dates Available in May & Time) \_\_\_\_\_
- Thursday May 29th 6:00pm-10:00pm (Times Available) \_\_\_\_\_
- Friday May 30th 6:00pm-11:00pm (Times Available) \_\_\_\_\_
- Saturday May 31st 4:00pm-11:00pm (Times Available) \_\_\_\_\_
- Sunday June 1st 2:00pm-10:00pm (Times Available) \_\_\_\_\_

### Preferred Volunteer Roles: (Please check all that apply)

- Clean Up (Sweep, Wiping Down Tables, Garbage)
- 50/50 Raffle Sales (After Mass and at Carnival)

### T-Shirt Size: (Volunteers will receive a complimentary t-shirt)

- Size \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional Comments or Special Requests:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I am volunteering my time for the Saint Luke's Carnival and agree to follow all guidelines set forth by the event organizers.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

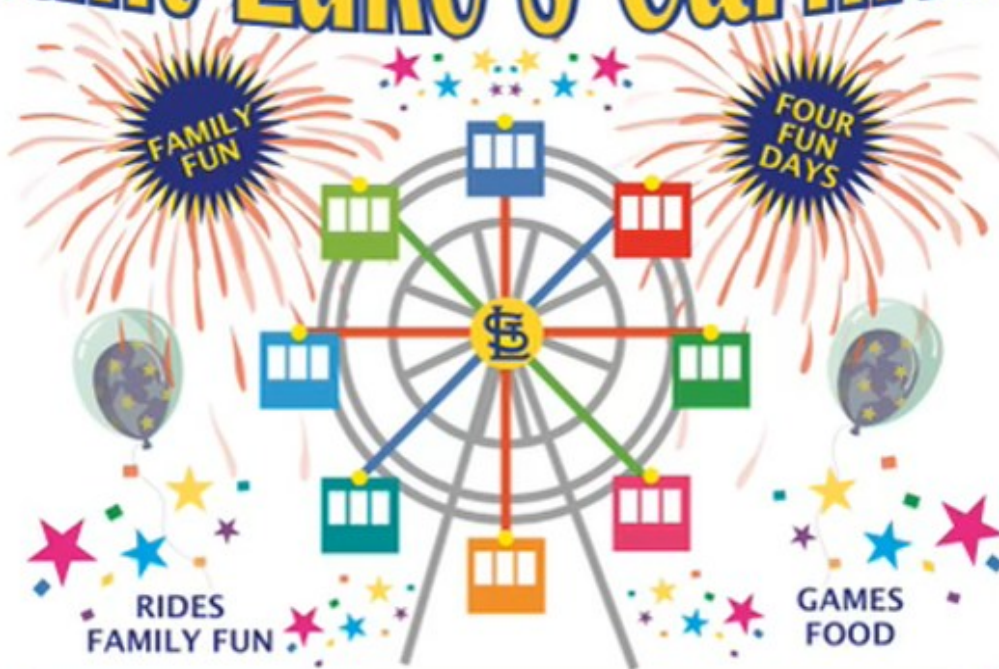
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For any questions, please contact Donna Jo (917)-685-6693 or Deirdre (917)-681-2404  
We appreciate your help in making this event a success!

Please return the form to Saint Lukes Rectory or Saint Luke's School

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# Saint Luke's Carnival



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**Name of Participant:**

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For more information contact  
Samantha Ameno 646-671-1452

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## Community Bulletin Board

**Special Needs Parent 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. Next Meeting is at 10 AM Tuesday: Mar. 11, Apr. 8, May 6, and June 10  
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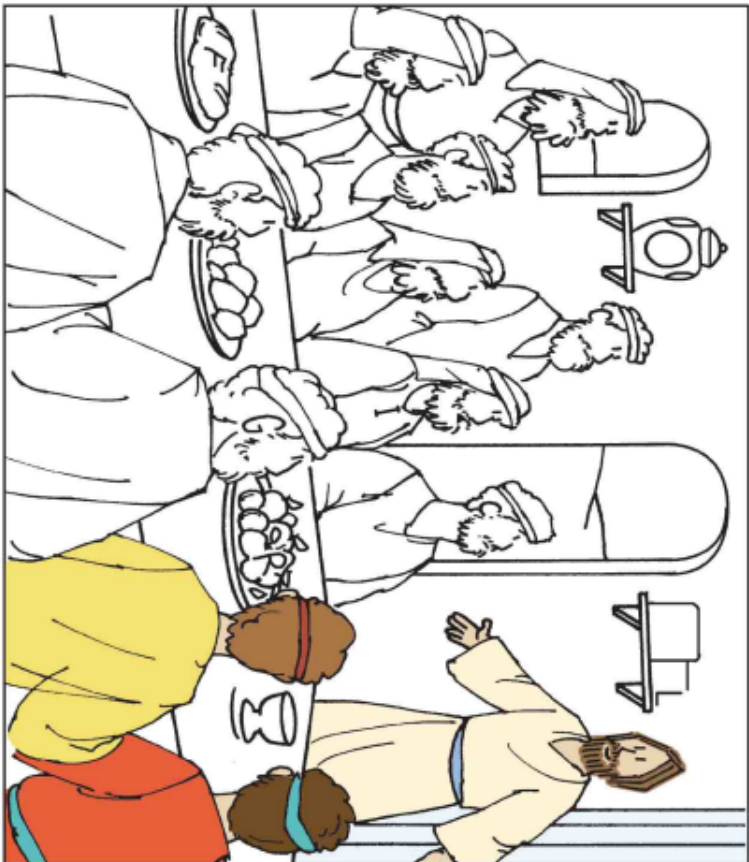
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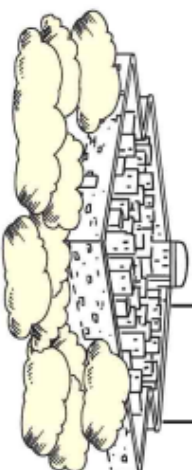
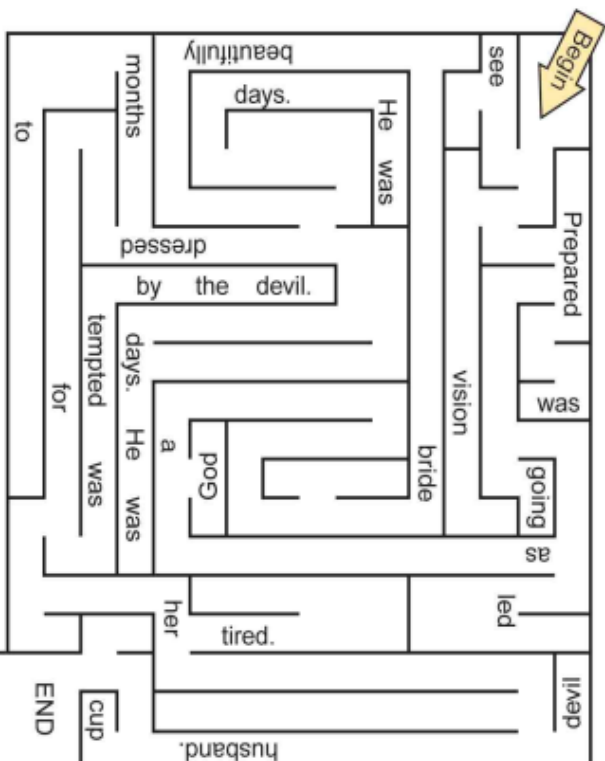
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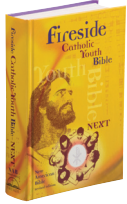
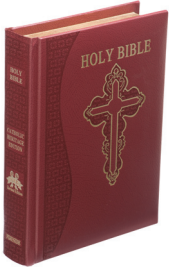
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