

Catholic Church of St. Luke

4408 Highway 86 • Easley, SC 29642

September 16, 2018

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mass Times:

Saturday 6 PM

Sunday 9 AM

Thursday 12:15 PM

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HOW TO REPORT ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE

REPORT IMMEDIATELY!

REMEMBER: YOUR ROLE IS TO REPORT. THERE IS TO BE NO INVESTIGATION BY YOU OR ANYONE ELSE AT THE PARISH/SCHOOL LEVEL

If you suspect abuse has occurred within a family:

Contact the Department of Social Services within the county the abuse took place.

Contact the Diocese, to report status at (843) 261-0430.

If you suspect an abuse has occurred that involved diocesan personnel (priests, deacons, teachers, employees or volunteers) contact:

The local police department immediately.

Call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (843)856-0748 or (800)921-8122

Dear Parishioners,

In future weeks I will continue to write about the ways Catholics become better Catholics. For those who are able to teach and work with me as ushers, singers, lectors, musicians, altar servers, visitors of the sick — and in many more ways — I hope you do not consider this as volunteering! Every thing, every talent, every moment that we have is a gift from God. As Catholics, it is our duty to God to be good stewards of these gifts, and to use them for the good of the Church as guided by our pastors. I like to thank all who participate in the Church's work, and I like to be thanked — but we must realize that our "gifts" and service are the way we thank God for all we receive moment by moment.

Sadly, the weather has caused us to cancel this week's celebration at Holy Cross. Let us continue to pray for emergency workers, evacuees, and for all who suffer from natural disasters.

A big facelift to Holy Cross's basement hall is almost finished. To make up for the cancelled cook out, we will have a potluck when all is ready and perhaps while many leaves are providing beautiful color.

Fr Jim Dubrouillet

The facilities of St. Luke are available to all ACTIVE parishioners. This includes the use of the church for Baptism, Weddings and other Sacramental events. Active Membership is determined as follows:

1. Registered in the parish for 6 months.
2. Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
3. Financial support of the church according to your means.

Baptism: Parents must complete training prior to having a child baptized. Please call the parish office to schedule a meeting with the Pastor.

Marriage: Those contemplating marriage should contact the office at least EIGHT months prior to the wedding date to schedule an appointment with the priest.

This Week in Our Parish

Sun 9/16	9 AM 10 AM 11:30 AM	Mass + <i>David Stein</i> Eucharistic Adoration (Sr. High Youth attend) Mass @Holy Cross <i>For the People</i>
Mon 9/17	12:15 PM	Mass @Holy Cross + <i>Gerard DesRoches</i>
Wed 9/19	12:15 PM 6:30 PM	Mass @Holy Cross + <i>Jennifer Watts</i> Religious Education (grades 1-6) Adult Bible Study
Thu 9/20	12:15 PM	Mass <i>Priest Intention</i>
Fri 9/21	12:15 PM	Mass w/Anointing of Sick @Holy Cross
Sat 9/22	2:30 PM 4 PM 6 PM	Confession @Holy Cross Mass @Holy Cross + <i>John Kane</i> Mass <i>For the People</i>
Sun 9/23	9 AM 10 AM 11:30 AM	Mass + <i>Joseph & Gladys Egan</i> Jr. High Youth Mtg. Sr. High Youth Mtg. Mass @Holy Cross <i>For the People</i>



Classroom assistants are needed for our elementary program on Wednesday evenings. If you would like to help, please call Faye Fazio at 855-9039 or FFazio@charlestandioocese.org

Stewardship Report

September 8-9 \$3,708
Online Giving \$865

Thank you for your generosity and support!



40 Days For Life: You're invited to take part in our local 40 Days for Life effort from **September 26 through November 4**. Prayer, fasting and public vigil at the abortion facility are key components. Many believe the Holy Spirit is using this movement to end abortion and at the same time bring people of many faiths together. To find out more and sign up to help please visit: www.40daysforlife.com/greenville and www.facebook.com/40daysgreenville or call Judy Masterson 864-506-0964. Help to spread the word to others about this important life-saving effort.

Rosaries for Life - Pray 5 decades daily from Sept 26 – Nov 4. Turn in your counts to your parish office or email them to rosaries4life@gmail.com.

Craft Bazaar: The St. Luke Bazaar on November 10-11 is currently seeking crafters and product distributors. Pass the word to all those you know who are crafty or selling distributor products. Visit the Church's website or call/email Karen Brons (864-616-4236; kbrons@pridestaff.com).

My Own Church: If you have registered with St. Luke via 'My Own Church', please be sure to enter all family members into the database. If you would like to receive offertory envelopes, please contact the office at 855-9039 or EKyle@charlestandioocese.org.

Readings for Week of September 17

Mon	1Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10
Tue	1Cor 12:12-14, 27-31A; Lk 7:11-17
Wed	1Cor 12:31-13:13; Lk 7:31-35
Thu	1Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50
Fri	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13
Sat	1Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15
Sun	Wis 2:12, 17-20; Jas 3:16-4:3 Mk 9:30-37



Online Giving

Visit the parish website, www.holycrossstluke.org to learn more about online giving and sign up today! Online giving helps you maintain your giving even if you cannot be at Mass. Thank you to all who are using Online Giving!