

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 1

9:00AM ✘ Frank Kobularcik By: Lucy Pope
 11:00AM ✘ Chris Quinlivan By: Quinlivan Family
 1:00PM
 5:00PM ✘ Hilda Hearn Kelly By: Gail Middleton

Monday, June 2

11:00AM ✘ Bobbi Akers By: Smith Family

Tuesday, June 3

6:30PM

Wednesday, June 4

6:30PM ✘ Haileselassie Tewolde By: Lete Tewolde

Thursday, June 5

11:00AM

Friday, June 6

NO MASS

Saturday, June 7

5:00PM Stephen Piccolo By: Len & Gina Short

Sunday, June 8

9:00AM ✘ Martha Yackly By: Ron & Jean Yackly
 11:00AM ✘ Bob Chambers By: Chambers Family
 1:00PM
 5:00PM ✘ Joseph Niemiec By: Goodrich Family



In your kindness please remember the following in our parish...

Joe McGinnis, Mary McGinnis, Gerry Hennessee, Sr. Veronica Grover, Elsie Frye, Fran Wroclawski, Patsy Croce, Clark Phillips, Kay Phillips, Heida Rollins, Bill Rollins, Bob Goodrich, John Sturdevant, Ann Sanders, Fran Doyle, Regina Shue, Horace Smith, Valerie King, Danny Kendall, Kenny Edmiston, Buddy Horne, Julia Armién, Annette Connell, Maureen Deese, Bill Pickering, Ted Neal, Sue Sansevero, Jake Hagemann, Helen Mulvaney, Don Palmer, Luke McKee, Tiffany Brook, Jan Johnson, Austin Schill, Edna Hess, Olive Werhand, Ardy & Adelaide Stevens, Mary Jo Jones, Nancy Torres, Michael McNally, Jack Ribosh, Debra Collins, Raul Lopez-Ibanez, James Shue, Marie Mahnke, Molly Raiola, Don Ruggiero, Sharon Speights, Bill Enos, Sharon Glöse, Pat Viola, Cody Herrick, Pat Winburn, Liz & Charles Cooper, Charles & Beverly Siever, Mary Mulholland, Faith Petho, Miguel Alonso, David Weaver, Nancy Gallucci, Renee Cristy, Paul Bauer, Harriet Weaver and Carolyn Shotwell

and among our friends and family...

Stephen Piccolo, Stephen Flohr, Gus Giustozzi, Joan St. Aubin, Charles McNeil, William Shackleton, Patty Armién, John and Fran McMorrow, Michael Shue, Isabella Santos, Joe Keller, Deborah McNeil, Carolyn Lamkin, Mel Gaertner, Alexis Whalen, Patti McGoey, Mary Kobularcik, Eileen Rilli & Tom Vealy, Frances Fowler, Rhonda Davis, Dr. Glenn McCain, Charles Aragon and Grace Aranda

(Previously named friends and family members are now placed in our Book of Intentions)



We welcome the following next weekend at the Sunday 9:00AM Mass:

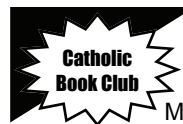
Alecos James Kalogirou, Child of Elias & Judith

Blessings to the Kalogirou Family!

- ♦ All are invited to the Hispanic Ministry's Retirement Party for Fr. Jim on Sunday, June 8 following the 1:00PM Mass. Food, Fun and Fellowship will be provided!
- ♦ Great opportunity for community service...Help is needed to setup and cleanup for Bi-lingual Mass on Sundays from 12:30—2:30PM. Please call Edra Alonso at 704-846-7753 if you are interested.



Anyone who is considering joining the next RCIA class in September and may need an annulment of a previous marriage before coming into the Church, should register NOW so that the annulment process can be started as soon as possible. Contact Sr. Veronica at 704-545-1224 x 17 or 704-545-1607.



The June book selection is "The Glass Castle" by Jeannette Walls. Read and join us on June 24 at 10:30AM in the FLC. For more information call Marilyn Armstrong at 704-753-1112.

Mass for U.S. Military Personnel - Bishop Peter J. Jugis will celebrate a Mass for U.S. military personnel on Sunday, July 6, 2008 at 3:00 p.m. at Saint Patrick Cathedral in Charlotte. The Mass and rosary (to be recited at 2:30 p.m.) will be offered for all military personnel who have died and for those who are now serving. All military personnel are invited to come in uniform. Photos of those who have died or who are now serving in the military will be displayed in the cathedral vestibule prior to the Mass. To include your loved one, please mail a color or black/white photocopy of them with their name and military rank on the back of the picture to Mrs. Nancy Weber, Office of the Bishop, 1123 South Church Street, Charlotte, NC 28203 to be received no later than July 2, 2008. (Photocopies of pictures will not be returned)

PAX CHRISTI sponsors a peace vigil every second Saturday of the month at 4:30PM. The next one will be on June 14 at the reflection pond. We welcome everyone to join us to pray for peace.

Faith Formation is in need of several volunteers to teach and co-teach Faith Formation and Confirmation. There are openings for Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday sessions. Faith Formation requires an hour of preparation at home, 28 weeks of teaching from Sept-May, August teacher meetings, a background check and one three-hour Protecting God's Children class taken at convenience of volunteer. Please call Martha Hannah or Cheryl Finch if you are interested or have questions about this volunteer opportunity.

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| <p>Helping Other People Endure</p> | <p>HOPE members will meet Saturday, June 7, at 10:00 a.m. in St. Luke's Family Life Center. Our meeting is open to all parishioners interested in learning more about HOPE. New members are always welcome. We look forward to seeing you there! For more information contact Madeline Johnson at 704-846-9327.</p> |
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PLEASE NOTE: THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS DURING JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST.

Fr. Jim's retirement **Open House/Cocktail Party**.

Date: Saturday, June 7, 2008

Time: 7:00 – 10:00 PM

Place: St. Luke Parish Church

Food: Light Hors d'oeuvres / finger food

Parking: Please car-pool with someone if you can since our space is limited!

RSVP: Sign-up by Sunday, June 1st (Sign up as soon as possible, but no later than June 1st)



To help us plan it is IMPORTANT for you to sign up. Go to <http://www.stlukechurch.net> and click on the link "Fr. Jim's Open House – June 7th". This is best way to get a count of number attending. Or you can use the manual sign-up at the back of Church. Sign up at one place (on-line) or the other (back-of-church) but not both. Since our parking is limited, please plan on car-pooling with someone if at all possible.

We will be offering child care for **ages 2 to 6 only**, for one hour (from 7:00 – 8:00 pm). But you must sign-up on line and we can only accept the first 50 signed up. In lieu of gifts, the party planning group feels Fr. Jim would appreciate contributions that he can use to supplement the many expenses associated with moving, setting up and maintaining his residence in Boston. If a gift is something you'd like to do, please include a cash donation or a check made out to Fr. James Hawker, in a card brought to the Open House or to Parish office. (While gift cards are nice they sometimes lose their value or are easily misplaced.) **We look forward to seeing you!**

Please attend the **Fall Festival Planning Meeting on June 11 at 7:00PM in the FLC**. All committee chairpersons from last year are asked to attend as well as any interested parishioners. Please consider joining us to ensure that the future Festival will be even more exciting and fun filled. Thank you, and if any questions please call Danny Takah at 704.302.1436.

SAVE THE DATES:

OCTOBER 17-19 - ST. LUKE FALL FESTIVAL!

Thomasboro Elementary has the opportunity to send six children to Camp Thunderbird on scholarship. (Thanks to Phyllis Mennitt and Connie McNeeley for their help!) These children will need camp supplies which some of the families cannot afford. If you would like to contribute – please drop off items in the brick area marked "Thomasboro Campers". We are also collecting summer activity books, games, etc... for children who do not have activities or camps this summer. Make a difference in a child's life...thank you for your support! Questions? Call Kathy Capps 704-845-2964.

Camp Supplies: Sleeping bag; Flashlight; Flip flops (sizes 11-5); Toothpaste; soap; washcloths; towels; Gift card to Wal-Mart to purchase bathing suit; Duffle bag; Bug spray; Batteries (D size)



As of 05-27-08, 25% of our parishioners have pledged \$69,464. We need each of you to help us reach our goal of \$70,937. Please consider making a pledge if you have not already done so. Thank you for your generosity!

THANKS

to our **SPONSOR OF THE WEEK...** This week we would like to thank **LAWRENCE SLADEK, DDS** for advertising in our bulletin.



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| Offertory May 25: | 10,485.50 |
| We Care (7.5% of offering) | <786.42> |
| Horizon Debt Elimination | 950.00 |
| Total | \$11,435.50 |

Thanks to your recent Offertory donations, the WE CARE Committee was able to make a donation to CRISIS ASSISTANCE MINISTRY.

REMINDER: Direct Draft options for Horizon/Offertory contributions are now available! Please visit www.stlukechurch.net/donations.htm for an online form and further information, or call Lori Kissinger at 704-545-1224 x11.

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| Registered Families: | 1504 |
| Envelope Users for month of April: | 709 |

All of us are called to be good stewards of our time, but to different causes or activities according to God's specific call.
What is God's call to me?

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, June 1

1:00PM Pastor's Masters - Charlotte National

Monday, June 2

10:00AM Young at Heart Steering Mtg. - Conference Room
10:30AM Rosary - Chapel
7:00PM Boy Scouts - FLC
7:15PM Ascension - Worship
7:30PM Worship & Spiritual Life - Conference Room

Tuesday, June 3

1:00PM Small Faith Group - Conference Room
7:15 PM Building Planning Sub-Committee - FLC

Wednesday, June 4

10:30AM Bible Study - Conference Room
7:00PM Boy Scouts Committee Mtg. - FLC
7:30PM Sojourn-Worship

Thursday, June 5

9:30AM ESL Class—Conference Room
7:00PM Cub Scouts—FLC
7:00PM We Care - Conference Room
7:30PM Spirit - Worship Space

Friday, June 6

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, June 7

10:00AM HOPE Meeting - FLC
2:00 PM RCIC Mass - Worship Space
7:00PM Fr. Jim's Retirement Party - Worship

Sunday, June 8

Sausage Biscuit Sale at Mass