

# Catholic Church of St. Luke

4408 Highway 86 Easley, SC 29642

February 26, 2017

## Readings for the week of Feb. 27

<b>Monday</b>	Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mk 10:17-27
<b>Tuesday</b>	Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23; Mk 10:28-31
<b>Wednesday</b>	Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 & 17; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
<b>Thursday</b>	Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 9:22-25
<b>Friday</b>	Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15
<b>Saturday</b>	Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5:27-32
<b>Sunday</b>	Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17; Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19; Mt 4:1-11

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**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. Use of the envelope system to support the parish.

**Baptism:** Parents must attend a training class prior to having a child baptized. Please call the parish office to schedule the training.

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

**Anointing of the sick:** Please call the emergency phone (864)897-7980, to request hospital visits or individual anointing, when someone is seriously ill or having surgery.

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):** Individuals interested in becoming members of the Catholic Community must participate in the process of Christian Initiation. For more information, please call the parish office.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday afternoons from 2:30 - 3:30 PM or call for an appointment.

Dear Parishioners,

By accepting the Church's practices of fasting and abstaining with humble trust, God will grant us peace and joy.

Fr. Jim

**Abstaining from meat** is required for Catholics 14 and older on **Ash Wednesday and every Friday of Lent**. Meat is the flesh of warm blooded creatures. (Eggs and fish are not meat.)

**Fasting also is required on Ash Wednesday** (March 1) and **Good Friday** (April 14) for Catholics who have reached the 18th birthday and not reached their 59th. This fasting means one full meal at any time, and eating two other times a total of food less than or equal to one full meal. This fast includes avoiding food between meals. For this fast, beverages like coffee, milk, and juice are not food.

Catholics are encouraged to continue the Good Friday fast until the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night.

**Eucharistic Fast** is required of all Catholics preparing to receive the Holy Eucharist on any day. This means avoiding all food and beverages for one hour before receiving Communion -- water and medicine being the only exception.

Every Lenten Friday, 6:30 PM Stations of the Cross at *Holy Cross & St. Luke*  
*Confessions during Stations at St. Luke: March 3, 17, and 31,*  
*and at Holy Cross: March 10, 24, and April 7*

Holy Thursday, April 13, 7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper *Holy Cross*

Adoration in silent prayer continues until 9:00 PM

Good Friday, April 14, 3:00 PM Celebration of the Passion *Holy Cross*

Holy Saturday, April 15, 9:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass *St. Luke*

Easter Sunday Mass, April 16, 9:00 AM *St. Luke*; 11:30 AM *Holy Cross*

Rev. James Dubrouillet

Deacon Anthony Cassandra

Ms. Liz Kyle  
Secretary

Mrs. Faye Fazio  
Religious Education

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Mon-Thu · 9:00AM-2:30 PM  
Friday ..... CLOSED

**CONFESSION**

Saturday .....2:30-3:30 PM  
@ Holy Cross



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**HOLY CROSS MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday ..... 4:00 PM  
Sunday ..... 11:30 AM  
Mon, Wed, Fri ..... 12:15 PM  
Phone: (864) 878-0574

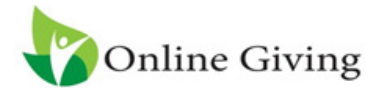
**This Week in Our Parish**

Sun	2/26	9 AM	Mass
		10 AM	Sr. High Youth Mtg. Jr. High Youth Mtg.
		11:15 AM	Mass (@ Holy Cross)
Mon	2/27	12:15 PM	Mass (@ Holy Cross) Offered for † Frank Valeray by M/M B. Petrilla
Tue	2/28	7 PM	RCIA
Wed	3/1	12:15 PM	Ash Wednesday Mass (@ Holy Cross) Offered for Terry Anderson
		7 PM	Ash Wednesday Service
Thu	3/2	12:15 PM	Mass
Fri	3/3	12:15 PM	Mass (@ Holy Cross) Offered for Joyce Griffin
		6:30 PM	Stations of the Cross (followed by meal) Confession
Sat	3/4	2:30 PM	Confessions (@ Holy Cross)
		4 PM	Mass (@ Holy Cross) Offered for † Janie Villano by Villano Family
		6 PM	Mass Offered For the People
Sun	3/5	9 AM	Mass Offered for † Elmer Bouchard by Edna Bouchard
		10 AM	Sr. High Youth Mtg.
		11:15 AM	Mass (@ Holy Cross)

**EVERY LIFE IS PRECIOUS** – Support the **CWO baby shower** for Birthright of Greenville by placing your donation of baby gifts for new moms (onesies, t-shirts, baby sleepers, 0-3 mo. & 3-6 mo., diapers, baby wipes, baby shampoo /wash) in the baby bassinet placed in church entrance March 4<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup>. This year marks the 44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Supreme Court decision *Roe v. Wade & Doe v. Bolton* legalizing abortion. Parishioners are also invited to pray for the souls of the unborn outside the Greenville Women's Clinic, 1142 Grove Road, Greenville, SC, on any weekday that you find yourself with an hour of free time; one may gain a partial indulgence for the Rosary's recitation in whole or in part whether said at the clinic or in private.

**FEATURED SPEAKER** for the next **CWO Meeting**, Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, will be Regina Gay, Pampered Chef Consultant, who will talk about fun ways for fundraising in any organization. Bring guest, make some new friends, and enjoy some Pampered Chef recipes. A new time for this meeting will be announced later to avoid conflicts with Sunday dinner & family time.

**NO LOCAL FAMILY?** The *CWO* supports a ministry group called The Arimatheans. *CWO* ladies offer their emotional & physical support and fulfill the Corporal Work of Mercy (to bury the dead) by attending funeral Masses in unison at St. Luke or Holy Cross when a grieving family has no family or friends living in the area. Please call St. Luke office (864-855-9039) to alert them and Fr. Jim of your need for support.



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<b>Stewardship Report</b>		<b>Capital Campaign</b>			
Online Giving	\$1,165.00	Cost YTD	\$1,238,471	Growth/Dev	\$550,000
Feb 18-19	\$2,709.49	Interest	\$14,902	Donations	\$519,226
Budget	\$147,284.72	Total Cost	\$1,253,373	Pledges Due	\$73,493
Deficit	(\$8,910)			Funds Needed	\$110,654

*Thank you for your generosity and support.*