



# Catholic Church of St. Luke

4408 Highway 86 Easley, SC 29642

May 14, 2017

Dear Parishioners,

We have ended the pre-Mass spoken announcements in order to help people keep silence before Mass.

We are using two optional Mass parts that have not often been used at these parishes — but we should be accustomed to all the regular options.... The second introduction and penitential act are:

Priest: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Have mercy on us, O Lord. All: For we have sinned against you.

Priest: Show us, O Lord, your mercy. All: And grant us your salvation.

Priest: May almighty God... everlasting life. Priest or choir: Lord have mercy...  
Glory to God....

Names and places have been changed in this true story: Jack had been failing for years, and had missed mass from time to time while in the hospital. Teresa came to daily Mass early, and saw Jill — Jack's wife — kneeling in prayer. Filled with concern, Teresa asked "Jill, I haven't seen Jack for a while — where is he?" Jill replied "He's at Robinson's." Jill had been with Jack two hours earlier, when he died.

I hope that we will all learn Teresa's lesson and allow God to speak to people in His Presence. God speaks to us most clearly in silence. Times of silence before, during, and after Mass will be times of tremendous blessing — if we work together and give each other the chance to hear.

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 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.



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### This Week in Our Parish

Sun	5/14	9 AM	Mass
		11:30 AM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i>
Mon	5/15	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> Ginger Touzeau
Tue	5/16	7 PM	RCIA
Wed	5/17	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Pat Stewart
Thu	5/18	12:15 PM	Mass Offered for Tom Dubrouillet
Fri	5/19	12:15 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Lorraine Pelczar
Sat	5/20	8:45 AM	Master's Garden Club Mtg.
		9 AM	First Communion Workshop
		2:30 PM	Confession @ Holy Cross
		4 PM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i> †Cathy Watts
		6 PM	Mass Offered for
Sun	5/21	9 AM	Mass †Beverly Trosclair
		10 AM	Graduate Breakfast (Annunciation Hall)
		11:30 AM	Mass @ <i>Holy Cross</i>

### Readings for Week of May 14

<b>Monday</b>	Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
<b>Tuesday</b>	Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
<b>Wednesday</b>	Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab; 4cd-5; Jn 15:1-8
<b>Thursday</b>	Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11
<b>Friday</b>	Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12; Jn 15:12-17
<b>Saturday</b>	Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
<b>Sunday</b>	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18; Jn 14:15-21

**Stewardship Report**

May 6-7                      \$2,919  
 Online Giving                \$970  
*Thank you for your generosity and support!*

**2017 Graduates:** The HS Youth Group will host a breakfast for all high school and college graduates and their families after mass on Sunday, May 21, in Annunciation Hall. We will take a group photo after breakfast; if you would like to bring your graduation gowns for the group photo, feel free to do so. We look forward to congratulating our graduates!

**Our MASTER's Gardeners'** next meeting is at 9 am on Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> with guest Alecia Elrod. She will demonstrate how to make a miniature garden (fairy garden) using unusual containers (ie. old bathtub, drawer, etc.). All parishioners are invited; bring a guest & meet for coffee at 8:45; bring a breakfast snack to share!

**St. Luke's CWO GARAGE SALE** is planned for Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> from 7 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. in Annunciation Hall. Clean your attic & garage and donate household goods, yard & garden items, small furniture items, and clothing (especially infant-3 years old). Donation drop off: before/after Mass on Saturdays and after mass on Sundays. For questions, e-mail giammalvom@hotmail.com.

**SUFFERING LOSS with NO LOCAL FAMILY SUPPORT?** CWO members & their spouses support a ministry group called The Arimatheans. We offer grieving families emotional & physical support and fulfill the Corporal Work of Mercy (to bury the dead) by attending St. Luke funeral Masses with you. Please call St. Luke's office or Holy Cross office to alert Fr. Jim to your need for support.