

Saint Lucy Catholic Church

3101 Drexel Ave., Racine, WI 53403

*Heaven is
like a Treasure*



- "The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field." *Mt 13:44*



July 24, 2011

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses:

Saturday - 4:00pm

Sunday - 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am

There is also a 5:00pm mass with the exception of the following dates: 9/04/11, 12/25/11, 01/01/12.

Weekday Masses:

Monday through Saturday - 8:10am

Confession:

Saturday - 3:00pm-3:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament:

Tuesday: 8:30am-6:00pm

Wednesday: 8:30am-4:00pm

Thursday: 8:30am-10:00pm

Holy Hour

No Holy Hour scheduled for July, August or September.

Will resume October 3rd.

Rosary

Recited daily, Monday through Saturday, 7:15am

The Parking Lot Project will take several weeks. Mass on the Grass will not be held until the project is completed.

ST. LUCY PARISH

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WEDDINGS - Should be arranged at least 6 months before wedding date and couples should be registered and practicing members of the parish.

BAPTISM - Arrangements for registered & practicing members of the parish can be made after attending the Baptism Prep Class. **Next class: Aug 7th (No Class in July)** at 6:30pm. Call Sandy Gottfredsen, 554-1801, x208 to sign up. Baptisms take place on Sundays at 11:30am (following the 10:30am mass).

BULLETIN REQUESTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS - Must be dropped off at the Parish Office in writing or e-mailed to: stlucy@archmil.org by Monday, 9:00am for the next week's bulletin. (Schedule changes near holidays.)

MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS - Must be received by 9:00am on the Thursday before the weekend in legible print. All announcements will need to be approved by Fr. Mark.

Prayer List

Please remember the following individuals in your prayers:

Amy, Esther Basler, Richard Bentson, Bill Borke, A. Braun, D. Braun, Roger Canfield, Darlene Chart, Chris and Kelly, Barb Christoff, Helen Clark, Tom Costabile, Les Cronau, Luzbella Dela Cruz, Daniel, Dan DeMatthew, Katherine DeYoung, Brian Easthon, Chris Edwards, Mary Lou Evans, Steve Evitts, Maxine Feiler, Fisher, Linda Fleetwood, Sandra Fredericks, Friend, Gary, Mrs. Marie Gorski, Greg, Spec. Ben Griffiths, Helen Gryczkowski, Michael Hansen, Brittany Hardy, Frances Hartwick, Mary Herman, Carol Huff, Leslie Hurdis and granddaughter Paige, Christopher Jacobson, Clayton Janney, James Jarosz, Father Jeff, Sue Johnson, Terry Kammiem, John and Mildred Kemper, Margaret Kennon, Jeanette Kohel, Gloria Kosterman, Linda, Lorrie Kroes, Rick Kucharski, Jeanette Lasso, Sebastian Latz, Nelly and Larry Leonard, Jeanne Lojeski, Chrissy Lorbeck-Hohl, Sherri Luedtke, Rex and Jean Lukasavige, Ashley Luther, Rob Luther, Steve Maritch, Mary, Mary, Susan McKeever, Stephanie Smerchek, Cele Muelver, Armando Navarro, Jacque Nielsen, Sue Nielsen, Frances O'Brien, Bob Olley, Robert Nelsen, Jill Nielsen, Gladys Panis, Claire Ricchio, Charlene Ripley, Marion Roiniotis, Lydia Schilke, Adrian SchweiKl, Bill Seidel, Don Smith, Nancy Sobczak, Dian Sorenson, Terri (Ludwig) Stephan, Judy Stublaski, David Sturino, Mary Svoboda, Pat Taggart, Tim, Angie Toter, Angeline Trabert, Joan Van Wie, Aunt Vivian, Rano Wells, Fr. Brendan Wroblewski, Mike Zelenski, Barb Zarzecki, Rose Ann Zickus.

To place a name on the Prayer List, call the Parish Office at 554-1801, Mon-Fri., 8am-4pm. Names will be kept on for 4 to 6 months. If more prayers are needed, please call to place name back on the list. †



Marriages

Margaret Erin Walsh became the bride of John Kenneth Kapellusch on Saturday, July 16th at St. Lucy Church. Rev. Mark R. Jones presided at the 1:00 PM ceremony.

Congratulations to the Walsh and Kapellusch Families!!



Remember to return your Festival Yard Signs! Thanks for displaying them!

Branches

Connecting Military Families

Do you have an active-duty military service member in your family serving miles away? Do you miss that person, feel proud of him or her, and are concerned about his or her well-being? Would you like to meet with other military families who understand what you are feeling? Drop into a meeting of "Branches" at St. Michael's Episcopal Church* in Racine. We meet the first Monday of the month from 6 - 8 p.m. (No meeting July 4, 2011) Bring pictures and stories to share. Also bring a pot luck dish and your own alcohol-free beverage. Children are welcome, however, there will not be childcare available. For more information, call Sandy Clark, 262-886-8548. Invite other military families you know to join us!

The next meeting is Monday, August 1st, 6-8 p.m.

*St. Michael's Episcopal Church, 4701 Erie Street, Racine, WI

WHAT'S GOING ON AT ST. LUCY'S & ST. LUCY'S PARISH SCHOOL?



St. Lucy's Bus Trip

The bus leaves St. Lucy's Parking Lot (northeast side by the school gym) on Sunday, July 31st at 11:30 sharp to see "Jersey Boys" at the Marcus Center, Milwaukee. Please be on time, the bus leaves promptly!

St. Vincent de Paul Meal Program

As I am writing this it is so hot who can think of making casseroles for the needy let alone serving the meal. But just think how the less fortunate must feel in this type of weather—at least most of us have air conditioning. Now I will get to the meat of the subject. St. Lucy Parish will host the St. Vincent De Paul Meal Program on August 9th. Please sign up at the kiosk to make a casserole or donate a food item. If you would like to drop off your item at the school or church office you may do so. Thank you in advance. If you have any questions feel free to contact Janet Urban - 554-9100 or 554-1801 ext. 212 or Chris Lukasavage - 634-4318.

Time is flying by...

One week left to enroll your children in a Religious Education class without an added "Late Fee". Forms for all programs are at the kiosk.

Help!

Volunteers needed for our upcoming VBS~ scheduled for Aug. 1 - 5. Call Sandy at the CCD office to volunteer. 554-1801, x208.

Hey Kids!

Strap on your sandals and get ready to see what life was like when Jesus was a kid!

- Play Bible Games
- Snack on traditional treats
- Craft cool projects
- Meet Jesus' mom Mary, and hear what it was like to raise God's very own Son!
- The adventure starts soon....so get ready to step back in time!

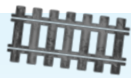


Program runs Aug. 1st through 5th, 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Find the registration form at the kiosk!! Children ages 4 - 12 are welcome! Sign up today!

Back on Track Initiative

For July 17, 2011

Back on Track total July 17th.....	\$228.00
Back on Track Goal	\$350,000.00
Back on Track Total to Date	178,661.73



Collections

For July 17, 2011

Adult Envelopes	\$10,527.10
Automatic Withdrawal Contributions(ACH)	3,846.84
Children's Envelopes	0.50
Offertory.....	871.37
Community Needs	440.00
Parish School Assistance Fund.....	45.00
Capital Improvement Fund.....	197.00
Debt Reduction Fund.....	175.00
Total.....	\$16,102.81



Baptisms

Jackson Robert Rashleger, born to Robert and Laura (Fischer) Rashleger III, on July 28, 2008 was baptized on Sunday, July 17th by Rev. Mark R. Jones.

Natalie Jean Rashleger, born to Robert and Laura (Fischer) Rashleger III, on October 25, 2010 was baptized on Sunday, July 17th by Rev. Mark R. Jones.

Maya Rafela Tobias, born to Brandon and Elizabeth (Mendez) Tobias, on October 18, 2010 was baptized on Sunday, July 17th by Rev. Mark R. Jones.

Congratulations to the Rashleger, Fischer, Tobias and Mendez Families!!



17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Altar Society News

Thank you: Once again the Altar Society would like to give a big thank you to the parishioners of St. Lucy's for all the theme baskets, the knit and crochet items as well as all the other items that were donated for the Craft Booth at the festival. Thank you also to the volunteers who worked in the Craft Booth during the festival

A big thank you also to everyone who stopped by and bought chances as well as other items.

Festival Success: Over the years, because of your donations and shopping in the craft booth as well as purchasing chances on the many items, the craft booth has been able to turn over to the Church through the Festival Committee profits ranging from \$2700 to over \$4000. Thanks again to everyone who had anything to do with making our part of the festival a big success.

Church Cleaning: Members of the parish clean the church every Monday morning at 9:00 a.m. for about one hour. We furnish cleaning supplies, you bring yourself. Men are welcome to help with the cleaning.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: Prayer Shawl Ministry and members continue to knit or crochet the shawls. If you know of anyone in need of a prayer shawl (people facing surgery, illness, depression, or just a booster upper) please call Ruth Organ at 554-8255.

November Craft and Bakery Sale: Items that were not sold at the festival will be available at our November Craft and Bakery Sale. This Craft and Bakery Sale is usually held the first or 2nd weekend in November in the School Cafeteria. Crafts for sale in November will be Afghans, baby items, scarf's, hats, mittens, lap robes, kitchen towels and much more. Watch the bulletin for further news on this sale.

Christmas Bread and Cookie Sale: On a Saturday and Sunday a few weeks before Christmas we will again be having our Christmas Bread and Cookie Sale in the Narthex of the Church after all Masses. Detailed information will be in the bulletin closer to the sale.

Once again thank you very much for your support in the past and we hope this continues in the future. See you at our November and December Sales. New craft items and bakery will be appreciated in November and Christmas Cookies and Breads will be appreciated in December.



Faith Building for Men

Father Barron's "Word on Fire"

Weekly program on Thursday mornings
6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. (doors open at 6:15 am), June 16th through August 4th at

Father Michael J. McGivney Hall (just east of St. Lucy Church), 2516 Winthrop Ave, Racine, WI. Come any time during the program period. Video presentation and group discussion. Refreshments served. No charge for this program. Send an e-mail to churchmike61@gmail.com or blawler3@wi.rr.com for more information.

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, July 30th

4:00pm Colin Allen, Nick and Noah Rodriguez, Daniel and Adrian Machalik

Sunday, July 31st

7:30am Michael and Melissa Lim, Emma Suchla
9:00am Max Herrera, Alex Harmann, Drake Ludvigsen, Megan and Jonathan Mills
10:30am Michael Eckert, Abigail and Jacob Ross, Grace and Olivia Lefeber
5:00pm Mike and Amelia Duffy, Natalie Schmierer

LECTORS

Saturday, July 30th

4:00pm Christine Lukasavige, Mary Boyle

Sunday, July 31st

7:30am James Kramer, Kathy Carroll
9:00am Sara Anderson, Nancy Dyke
10:30am Sylvia Rosko, Carol May
5:00pm Gideon Buya, Joyce Schnepf

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, July 30th

4:00pm Kathy and Richard Bertelsen, Carol Ramsdell, Janet Urban, Lois Palm, Justin Urban, Evelyn Heinrich, Gloria Sturino, Christine Lukasavige

Sunday, July 31st

7:30am Patrick Metzker, James Kramer, Kathy Carroll
9:00am Frank and Kay Prevatt, Beckie Woods, Dan Mercier, Eileen Beesley, Nancy Dyke, John and Julie Freres, Sara Anderson
10:30am Jean Helgesen, Carol May, Cristalina Dunkerson, Sylvia Rosko, Lisa Theama, Jeanine Doubek, Dennis Stone, Angela Lefeber, Patti Landreman
5:00pm Jean Helgesen, Richard and Kathy Bertelsen

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 25th

8:10am Magdalen J. Arne by James and Kay La Belle

Tuesday, July 26th

8:10am Lucy Richer by Family

Wednesday, July 27th

8:10am Herb Jones by Delores Woods

Thursday, July 28th

8:10am Raymond Fleury by Mert and Family

Friday, July 29th

8:10am Frank Jarosz, Sr. by Family

Saturday, July 30th

8:10am Frank Candela by Rich and Barb Greco
4:00pm Bernice Kralicek by Bernice Tuttle

Sunday, July 31st

7:30am Sam Tenuta by Wife and Family
9:00am Howard and Dorothy Rodgers by Family and Friends
10:30am For Our Living and Deceased Parishioners
5:00pm Richard Scott by Loretta Slesarenko

St. Lucy Festival 2011

On behalf of the St. Lucy Festival Committee I would like to thank all you who helped make this year's festival another success. The Good Lord gave us beautiful weather, our families and the community came out in great numbers and you gave us the hard work and support we needed to get the job done. When the Festival is up and running I look around and really contemplate how much effort it takes from so many people to put this great event together. You've heard the phrase "it takes an army"; that could not be truer about our annual festival.

We are very fortunate that we have been able to continue our festival year after year. We also are blessed with the financial support you give by purchasing your ticket packages year after year. I must say however that for having a large Parish and a large School, we seem to struggle and have to beg to fill slots and even then we are forced over the weekend to find people or ask people to work extra shifts. My hope is that those of you who are able but choose not to volunteer will really think about it next year and sign up for even just one shift. It is a great opportunity to meet your fellow St. Lucy members, have a lot of laughs and most of all lend that gift of time and talent which are so necessary to insure the success of this wonderful Parish and School. OK, off the soap box.

A personal thanks to my Co- Chairs: Ken and Jeanine Doubek, Jeff and Lisa Theama and of course my wonderful wife JoEllyn. Your efforts are greatly appreciated and critical to our success. Finally, a special thank you to all of the area Chairpersons for coming back year after year. Some people might say you should have your heads examined, I say "See you next year right?" You are the best!!!! Thanks again to all and God Bless. We will of course keep you posted on our results as we work through the numbers.

Pat McLeod
Festival Chairman

St. Lucy Festival
Best Church Festival
2009 & 2010

Friday, July 8 5pm-11:00pm
Music: Eddie Butts Band 6:30pm-10:30pm
Dinner: Fish Fry 4pm-7pm
Outside Bingo: 5pm-10pm