

MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY

Sunday, July 23, 2023
Sixteenth Sunday In
Ordinary Time
Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

Gathering: All Creatures Of Our God And King

BB 549

Responsorial Psalm (Psalm 100

All the earth proclaim the Lord, sing

your praise to God.

Preparation In Every Age BB 472
Mass Parts Mass of Creation

Communion Unless A Grain Of Wheat BB 504

Recessional: Take The Word Of God With You BB 382



Out of respect for the Lord and in consideration of fellow parishioners, please remember to silence or turn of your cell phones during Mass. Thank you!

PLEASE HELP US!

As you leave church, kindly take your Bulletin with you or return it to the basket at the entrance of the Church, return your music book and Mass card to their proper place, and pick up after yourself as you leave. Thanks for being attentive and respectful! F. Albert.



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№ PARISH TITHING

Our Parish needs to take in \$9700.00 each week in order to make ends meet. This amount represents an adjusted budget offertory of \$8500.00 per week plus the combination of budgeted Property and Fuel second collections (\$4800.00 per month divided into 4 weeks or \$1200.00 weekly). Your weekly contribution helps ensure that the Parish remains a vibrant community. Please remember to submit your weekly gift even if you will be away. Consider signing up for electronic giving (see below). Especially in these trying times, your Parish depends on your responsible stewardship and support!

July 16, 2023

Offertory

\$6,293.11



Saint Luke the Evangelist Parish uses *Parish Giving* to provide parishioners with an opportunity to make your offertory and other contributions through Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). Parish Giving is a simple, secure, and convenient way to manage your stewardship without weekly envelopes and without worries. This program is available to parishioners at no cost. Log on to the St. Luke the Evangelist Parish website at http://stlukenh.org, click on the Parish Giving logo, and follow the easy registration instructions.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

July 23 Fuel

July 30 No Second Collection August 6 Property Management August 13 No Second Collection

Sugges	ted Weekly Co	ontribution
	Based on Inco	ome
Annual Income	5% Commitment annually/ weekly	3% Commitment annually/ weekly

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\$40,000 \$2,000/ \$40 \$1,200/ \$24	
\$30,000 \$1,500/ \$30 \$900/ \$18	
\$25,000 \$1,250/ \$25 \$750/ \$15	
\$15,000 \$750/ \$15 \$450/ \$9	

Suggested Weekly Contribution Based on a Percentage Increase					
Your Current Offertory Contribution	25% Increase	30% Increase	40% Increase		
\$75.00	\$93.75	\$97.50	\$105.00		
\$50.00	\$62.50	\$65.00	\$70.00		
\$40.00	\$50.00	\$52.00	\$56.00		
\$35.00	\$43.75	\$45.50	\$49.00		
\$30.00	\$37.50	\$39.00	\$42.00		
\$25.00	\$31.25	\$32.50	\$35.00		
\$20.00	\$25.00	\$26.00	\$28.00		
\$15.00	\$18.70	\$19.50	\$21.00		
\$10.00	\$12.50	\$13.00	\$14.00		
\$5.00	\$6.25	\$6.50	\$7.00		

▼ PARISH NEWS **▼**

NEW HAMPSHIRE CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thank you on behalf of Saint Luke the Evangelist Parish for making a donation to the New Hampshire Catholic Appeal. If you have not made a donation to the Appeal, you can do so by filling out a donation envelope found in the pews or at the church entrance. You can make an online gift by visiting www.catholicnh.org/about/get-nvolved/giving/nhca/. You can also use your smartphone with the QR code below.

Our Parish target is \$46,740.00. As of July 10, 2023, we have raised \$27,368.00. Thank you again for your support of our NH Catholic community and these important diocesan ministries.



END OF LIFE PLANNING

Three Beliefs is a document from the Diocese of Manchester that gives valuable assistance to Catholics and others on end-of-life issues. Three Beliefs explains Catholic teaching on life-sustaining treatment and care and includes the New Hampshire Advance Directive form modified in such a way to make it consistent with both Catholic teaching and New Hampshire law. Three Beliefs contains a helpful FAQ section and wallet cards that include important information for healthcare providers.

The New Hampshire Advance Directive form was revised by a law that is consistent with Catholic teaching and the changes to the New Hampshire form. If you completed an advance directive before 2021 and your intentions for your end-of-life care have not changed, you do not need to complete a new form as long as your advance directive was valid when it was executed. For example, if you completed the October 2007 version of *Three Beliefs* and signed the document before two witnesses or a notary public or justice of the peace, you do not need to complete a new advance directive form.

Copies of *Three Beliefs* are available at the church entrance.

MEN OF ST. JOSEPH

Our ministry aims to emulate St. Joseph and become better husbands, fathers, sons, and brothers. There are no dues and the Men of St. Joseph do not participate in projects or other volunteer efforts as a group. Instead, we gather together for sharing among men to help each of us to become a better person, a better family man, and a better member of the Church. Join us on Saturday, morning, **August 19, 2023 from 8:00 to 9:00 AM** in the parish hall of the Plaistow campus.



MARRIAGE IN THE CHURCH

Did you know that ALL
Catholics are required to be
married in the Church as a
condition of the
validity of their marriage?

Any Catholic married in a civil ceremony (JP) or in any religious ceremony other than a Catholic one (unless specifically excepted by the Bishop) is not living out the Sacrament of Marriage in its fullness according to the teaching of the Church. Contact Fr. Albert at the parish office for more information.

RETROUVAILLE A Lifeline For Married Couples

Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vi) means rediscovery in French. This program helps couples put their broken pieces back together and rediscover their love for each other. This program starts with a weekend which teaches couples a new form of communication called Dialogue and lets couples know that they are not alone. Our next Retrouvaille weekends are August 18-29, 2023 and November 10-11, 2023. For more information, email 3023@helpourmarriage.org.

WHILE AWAY THIS SUMMER...

We appreciate all of you who remember to send in your Parish Offertory during the Summer even when on vacation or visiting other parishes. Thank you for remembering that our expenses also continue through the Summer months. We invite others to consider doing the same before or even after you return home.

₩ WEEKLY CALENDAR

Wednesday, July 26 **Holy Angels Church** Open All Day For Prayer

Thursday, July 27

8:30 AM - 8:30 PM Eucharistic Adoration

Newton

Saturday, July 29

3:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

Plaistow



The Sanctuary Light at Holy Angels Church will burn this week in loving memory of

Charles Aro

by his children and grandchildren

RESTROOM BREAKS DURING MASS

Attention Parents

Please be sure to accompany your young children when they need to use the restroom during Mass. This is for their safety and your peace of mind!

PRAYER LINE

St. Luke's offers a prayer line as a resource for those seeking prayer assistance. To submit your prayer request please call Cathy Smith at 603-382-8324, ext. 314 or email her at csmith@stluketheevangelist.net.

BUSTED HALO

Busted Halo is a unique media resource sponsored by the Paulist Fathers of the US that utilizes a relevant and accessible voice to help people understand the Catholic faith, put it into practice in their everyday lives, and share it with others. Check out their site, podcasts and videos at www.bustedhalo.com.

THE GOD MINUTE

Every morning a small group of priests, religious, and lay people start their day in prayer. Soft music, sacred scripture, and a thoughtful reflection are weaved into a 10-minute prayer called "The God Minute." It's then uploaded for you to access and pray along with us on your own time. And it's free. Listen with your coffee in the morning, while driving to work, or taking a walk. See how easy and beautiful prayer can be! www.thegodminute.org

MASS INTENTIONS ▼

Saturday, July 22 ~ Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 12:13, 16-19; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 (Vigil)

Ellen Schruender by Diane Mahalati 4:00 PM

Newton

Sunday, July 23 ~ Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 12:13, 16-19; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43

8:00 AM John Morrocco by Cathy and Tom Cronin

Newton

10:00 AM Donna Hammerstein

by Joe and Ann Marie Sheehan

Plaistow

Monday, July 24 ~ Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest

Ex 14:5-18; Mt 12:38-42

8:00 AM Margaret Krafton by Barbara Metcalf

Newton

Tuesday, July 25 ~ James, Apostle

2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

8:00 AM People of the Parish

Plaistow

Wednesday, July 26 ~ Joachim and Anne, Parents of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Mt 13:1-9

6:30 PM Nancy Cotter by Cathy Smith

Plaistow

Thursday, July 27 ~ Weekday

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Mt 13:10-17

8:00 AM Diane Burke (1st Anniversary)

by the Stanley family

Newton

Friday, July 28 ~ Weekday

Ex 20:1-17: Mt 13:18-23

No Mass

Saturday, July 29 ~ Mary, Martha, and Lazarus

Ex 24:3-8; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42 (Day)

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52 (Vigil)

4:00 PM Walter Hogan (Birthday Remembrance)

by his sister, Justine

Plaistow

Sunday, July 30 ~ Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52

8:00 AM Douglas J. Linnehan by John and Carol Tucker

Newton

10:00 AM Adrienne King (Month's Mind)

Plaistow



SAINT LUKE THE EVANGELIST PARISH

Grief Share Support Group meets on Mondays beginning May 22 at 6:30 PM. Meetings are held at the Parish Office at 8 Atkinson Depot Rd., Plaistow.

Call 603.382-8324 for information.

PROJECT RACHEL MINISTRY

If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, non-judgmental help is available. Call 6034-663-0192 or email ProjectRachel@rcbm.org.

FOR OUR RECORDS

We need your help to keep our records current. If there are any births, deaths, marriages, moves, or address changes in your family, please notify the Parish Office at 603-382-8324 or by email at tremblay@stluketheevangelist.net. If you're new to our parish, registration forms are available at the entrances of both churches. Registration forms can also be found on our website at http://stlukenh.org.

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COLLECTION COUNTERS NEEDED

We are looking for a few good people to help us with one of our "hidden ministries," the counting of our Parish collections. Volunteers are needed to help count and document collections each week. The counts are usually done on Monday mornings from 9:00 – 10:30 and occasionally on a Tuesday morning when holidays occur. If you think that you might enjoy the company of this dedicated group while sharing in this important ministry, please speak to Fr. Albert for more information.



ST. LUKE THE EVANGELIST RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education Registration for the 2023-2024 Academic Year for **Grades K through 6** begins in September. Whether your child is currently enrolled or is new to the Program, please call Cathy Smith at 603-382-8324 for more information.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We are truly blessed to have times for Adoration of Our Lord in our Parish. This time of prayer and intercession is not only a source of great grace for the individual, but it is a great source of grace for us as a parish family, as well.

We have many who have made the commitment to spend an hour each week with our Eucharistic Lord, *but* we need more people so there will be at least two people at each hour. We are also looking for people who would be able to substitute.

Newton – Thursday 8:30 AM – 8:30 PM

If you can commit to one hour a week in Adoration of our Lord, or if you can be a substitute, please contact Cathy Smith at 603-382-8324, ext. 305 or email her at csmith@stluketheevangelist.net.

The Church in Plaistow is open all day on Wednesdays for people to stop by and pray before the presence of Jesus in the tabernacle.

■ PARISH DIRECTORY ■

 Parish Office
 603-382-8324

 Parish Prayer Line
 603-382-8324 x 314

 St. Vincent de Paul Society
 603-382-8324 x 315

 St. Luke's Food Pantry
 603-819-4949

 Preschool
 603-382-9783

 Presentation of Mary Convent
 603-382-2744

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▼ Community News **▼**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. JUDE COUNCIL #6617 MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus of our Parish sponsor a monthly food drive to support the Saint Luke the Evangelist Food Pantry. A list of items needed, along with a paper shopping bag, are distributed at the end of Masses on the

3rd weekend of each month to those who wish to participate. We ask that you bring back the non-perishable food items the following weekend (4th weekend of the month). You are also welcome to drop off donations at the Parish Office during normal business hours or at one of our Parish churches. Monetary donations are also welcome (make checks payable to Saint Luke Food Pantry), or gift cards to local supermarkets. Thank you reaching out to help families in our community who need assistance. The Knights and the Food Pantry appreciate your generosity and support.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HAPPENINGS

At the end of June, the Knights partnered with the Plaistow Lions to purchase, assemble, and install a set of steps to enter and exit an above ground pool. The gift was given to a Plaistow family to help brighten the day for their young child who is going through a very long and tough battle with cancer. The child is having a difficult time with mobility, so the hope is that the steps will make it easier to get in and out of the pool.

The Knights welcome individuals and families to assist us in our works in the local community. If you want more information, please contact

Dan Sullivan at 603-770-4803 or at

Dans49@comcast.net.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. JUDE COUNCIL #6617 www.kofc6617.org



ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

A Men's AA Step Meeting is being held on Sunday mornings from 7:00 to 8:00 AM at the St. Luke the Evangelist Parish Hall (Holy Angels.) Masks are required. Bring your own coffee. For more information, call Joe at 617-921-9899.

CARING FOR LOVED ONES WITH DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP

Are you caring for a family member or friend with memory loss? You don't have to face it alone. Join Catholic Charities NH for a five-week online support group, "Caring for Loved Ones with Dementia," starting Wednesday, July 26. You will discover a deeper understanding of dementia and practical resources to support your loved one's wellbeing. To register, please visit www.cc-nh.org/dementia. There is no cost. For more information, contact Louise at 603-752-1352, ext. 4573 or email lmorneua@nh-cc.org.

FIGHT HUNGER BAG PROGRAM



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Luke the Evangelist Conference, has been chosen by Hannaford's to participate in their Fight Hunger Bag Program. For the entire month of July, for every \$2.50 bag purchased at Hannaford's in East Hampstead, they will donate \$1 to St. Vincent de Paul. The bags are readily displayed in the middle of the main aisle leading to the cash registers. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul assists those in need in our community. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.



Your "Dropped Dollar" Hard At Work

Thank you for your continued support of the St. Vincent de Paul Society! Please know that your "dropped dollars" are being used wisely to help the poor in our area. Your generosity does not go unnoticed.

Drop-a-Dollar in the St. Vincent de Paul box on your way out of church.

Remember ~ 100% of your donation is used to help those who need a hand up, not a handout.

Our next meeting on Wednesday, August 16 at 7:00 PM. We meet downstairs in the Church Hall in Plaistow. New members are always welcome!

If you seek assistance or need information about the St. Vincent de Paul Society, call 603-382-8324 x315.

Hear, OH LORD, and answer me for I am poor and needy.

NEW HAMPSHIRE CATHOLIC APPEAL FUTURE OF OUR FAITH II: Many Parts, One Body



It's Not Too Late to Make Your Gift! WWW.CATHOLICNH.ORG/NHCA

As of June 2023, the NHCA has raised over \$2.5 million across the state – more than halfway to the collective \$3.8 million goal!

A gift to the New Hampshire Catholic Appeal will enable the Catholic Church in New Hampshire to meet the increasing needs of parishes, Catholic schools, retired clergy, seminarians, and much more. Each dollar is carefully stewarded to provide the maximum cost effectiveness for our ministries.

Your gift supports these essential ministries that keep our faith thriving in New Hampshire:

- Increasing and supporting vocations (seminarian education, formation, and support of the permanent diaconate)
- Making Catholic education affordable, accessible, and available to all who desire it
- Catholic Charities New Hampshire
- Caring for our retired clergy
- Vibrant parishes
- Evangelization and catechesis at home with Parable Magazine
- Missionaries abroad and multicultural ministry in New Hampshire.

Make Your Gift Online: www.catholicnh.org/NHCA.

Make a one-time gift, pledge, or give a monthly recurring gift using a credit or debit card.

Pay by Cash or Check: Make your check payable to the New Hampshire Catholic Appeal and mail to:

New Hampshire Catholic Appeal P.O. Box 5456 Manchester, NH 03108

*Please remember to include the name of your parish

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Learn more or donate online!



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Luke the Evangelist Parish, invites you to join our Prayer Shawl Ministry!

Shawls can be made with yarn, quilt fabric, or fleece. They are filled with prayer, care and love. They will be given to anyone in need of comfort, solace or encouragement.

- If you are interested in prayerful camaraderie and in joining the group or,
- If you would like to contribute knitted hats, scarves, shawls or materials to the group, you may make those donations by contacting Barbara Metcalf or Alice Litwinovich. (see below)
 - They can also be dropped off at the Parish Office during regular office hours.
- If someone you know, is in need of one of our shawls, scarves or crochet crosses contact:

& Barbara Metcalf

603-642-8334

cmbklb.bmk@gmail.com

Alice Litwinovich 603-819-9578

If you would like to join our group but cannot come to the meetings because of time constraints, we are open to additional meeting times, if there is interest.

Meeting Schedule:

- First Thursday of each month
- 10 A.M. − 12 Noon
- Parish office building (dining room)
- Material can be supplied

We are honored to provide this service to anyone in need.



Bringing Home the Word +

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)
July 23, 2023

God Gets to Judge, Not Us

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

he Gospel reading consists of **▲** parables, one of which Jesus explains. The two that seem easy to understand compare the kingdom with a mustard seed that begins small and then grows large enough to welcome all manner of birds for nesting, and of a bit of yeast that completely transforms the entire batch of dough. The parable about the weeds in the field of wheat needed explanation. Any farmer would have recognized the situation described. We don't always know where they come from, but weeds seem to crop up everywhere. What should one do? Lest wheat be inadvertently pulled up,

Sunday Readings

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

As you are righteous, you govern all things righteously.

Romans 8:26-27

The Spirit...comes to the aid of our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought.

Matthew 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

[Jesus said,] "At harvest time I will say to the harvesters, 'First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn." let both wheat and weeds grow till the harvest. That is the time of separation.

So, what's the meaning of these parables? Like the mustard seed, the kingdom—the new way of living that Jesus came to inaugurate—consists of small acts of unselfishness and genuine love. But it grows and grows until it is opened to all manner of people. Like the yeast, as insignificant as it might appear, this kingdom can transform all of society.

The parable of the wheat and the weeds is about the last judgment. But it also insists that the field, society, even the Church, is made up of both good and bad. It is very dangerous to try to get rid of what might be considered bad seeds, bad citizens, or bad members. One might pull up the wrong ones. There will be a time of judgment, and it will be in God's time, and in God's hands. †

The kingdom is open to all kinds of people, even the ones who seem like bad seeds.



A Word from Pope Francis

All too often, those most in need of our help, everywhere, are unable to be heard. You are their voice, and many of you... have faithfully made their cry heard. In this witness, which frequently encounters powerful resistance, you remind American democracy of the ideals for which it was founded, and that society is weakened whenever and wherever injustice prevails.

INDEPENDENCE HALL, PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEMBER 26, 2015



QUESTIONS MEETLECTIONS OUESTIONS

- How do you interact with people you think are living wrongly?
- Do you find it hard to let God be the judge?

Gun Control and Self-Control

By Fr. Bruce Lewandowski, CSsR

M ichael couldn't wait to tell his second-grade friend what had happened to him. "A policeman pointed a gun at my head this morning!" Michael's friend was scared, so he told the teacher, who told the principal, who called Michael's parents. His parents explained that their home had been raided at 6 AM by federal agents, guns drawn. One had pointed a gun at Michael. An uncle living with the family had been arrested and charged with illegal sale of semiautomatic weapons.

In 1978, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops called for gun control in their document Community and Crime: A Statement of the Committee on Social Development and World Peace. Their 2000 document Responsibility, Rehabilitation, and Restoration: A Catholic Perspective on Crime and *Criminal Justice* reiterated their support for legislative efforts to protect society from the violence associated with easy access to deadly weapons. And again in January 2013, the bishops affirmed their hope that any government action on gunviolence prevention would lead to greater respect for human life.

Like it or not, violence is part of our lives. Violent TV programs, video games,



and movies are a source of entertainment for many. War, insurrection, and mob scenes are reported on the news, in newspapers, and across the Internet. Veterans are haunted daily by the trauma of battles fought decades ago, and thousands of soldiers continue to fight in conflicts around the world. Domestic violence is a reality for many, and the tragedies of Littleton, Aurora, Columbine, and Newtown and too many other mass shootings have left an indelible mark on the American soul.

Even the word of God is filled with violence—it can be found throughout the Hebrew and Christian Testaments. Prophets, priests, and kings are guilty of it; innocent and God-fearing men,

women, and children are victims of it and it's often attributed to God. Even our salvation was won through a horrific and violent act. We can't escape or explain violence away. It's a reality.

Our society encourages and celebrates overindulgence. People overeat, overspend, overwork, overachieve, overcommit, overdose, and overreact. It seems a bit like overkill to say this, but if you can name it, you can indulge in it.

Many turn to gun control as a remedy, and maybe there should be stricter government oversight of the availability and use of firearms. But a deeper problem exists, one much greater than uncontrolled access to weapons. The inability to manage powerful emotions and urges—the absence of self-control can have life-threatening and life-ending consequences. Self-discipline and self-restraint are more than indicators of healthy and mature growth and development; they are imperative to saving lives and building and maintaining true and lasting peace. As a nation, we've got a gun to our head—it's time to get control of ourselves. #

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Merciful God, we are often quick to judge others and sometimes too lenient with ourselves. Please help us to see as you see and to do what Jesus would do.

Amen.

The Redemptorists

Sr. Thea on Being Content with Doing Her Little Bit

I think the difference between me and some other people is that I am content to do my little bit. Sometimes people think they have to do big things in order to make change. If each one of us lights a candle, we've got a tremendous light.

Sr. Thea Bowman, FSPA, In My Own Words, copyright 2009 Liguori Publications.

WEEKDAY READINGS

July 24-29

Monday, Weekday:

Ex 14:5-18 / Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday, St. James:

2 Cor 4:7-15 / Mt 20:20-28

Wednesday, Sts. Joachim and Anne: Ex 16:1–5, 9–15 / Mt 13:1–9 Thursday, Weekday:

Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b / Mt 13:10-17

Friday, Weekday:

Ex 20:1-17 / Mt 13:18-23

Saturday, Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus: Ex 24:3–8 / Jn 11:19–27 or Lk 10:38–42



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