



# ST. LUKE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

OCTOBER 1, 2023

### SUNDAY HOLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5pm | Sunday 7:30am, 9am (Italian), 10:30am, 12Noon, 5:00pm

### DAILY MASSES

Monday to Friday 12 Noon + Saturday 8:30am  
School Days: Tuesday + Thursday 8:30am

#### THE PASTORAL STAFF

**Pastor** Very Rev. John J. Costello, V.E.

**Parochial Vicar** Fr. Chin Nguyen

**Permanent Deacon** Deacon John P. Kramer

**In Residence** Most Rev. Raymond F. Chappetto, DD and  
Rev. William F. Krlis

**Weekend Assistant** Rev. Msgr. John J. Strykowski

**Weekend Assistant** Fr. JunHee Lee

**Director of Religious Education** Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J.

**Pastoral Associate** Sister Theresa Agliardi, R.S.M.

**Principal** Mrs. Jan Brunswick

**Director of Music** Jessica Tranzillo-Smith

**Secretary** Maureen Ottoson

**Confessions** Saturday 3:30PM - 4:30PM; and by appointment  
or when requested.

The Rectory is the home of our Priests as well as the site of the parish offices. Please call ahead before coming with parish business in order that your inquiry will be assisted by a knowledgeable staff person.

**First Friday** - additional 8:30AM Mass when school is in session.

**Eucharistic Adoration** - First Fridays after Noon Mass with Benediction at 2:00PM; Saturdays during confessions from 3:30PM with Benediction at 4:30PM.

#### DEVOTIONS

**The Holy Rosary** precedes the noon Mass Monday to Friday and the 8:30AM on Saturday.

**The Miraculous Medal Novena** follows Noon Mass every Monday.

**The Charismatic Prayer Group** meets Tuesdays at 7:30PM.

**The Italian Charismatic Prayer Group** meets Thursdays at 7:30PM.

**The Padre Pio Prayer Group** meets the last Tuesday of the month at 7:30PM.

#### THE SACRAMENTS

**Baptism of Infants** Please call Sister Theresa at 718-746-8531 to schedule a baptism interview.

**Weddings** Please contact one of the priests **prior to making plans with a wedding hall**. The Bishop requires, in all cases, that weddings be set no later than six months prior to the date.

**Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.)** Interested in becoming a Catholic? Need to receive Communion and Confirmation? Call Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J. at (718) 746-3409.

#### Ministry to the Sick

If anyone is confined to home and unable to come to Mass, please call the Rectory to arrange to have the sacraments brought. If you foresee hospitalization, please call the Rectory and arrange to be anointed.

#### SAINT LUKE SCHOOL [www.slswhitestone.org](http://www.slswhitestone.org)

16-01 Msgr. Dillon Place, (150 Place) Whitestone, NY  
718-746-3833 | Mrs. Jan Brunswick, Principal

Our school serves the community with classes from Nursery through Eighth Grade. 718-344-7620.

**School of Religion** Offering Religious Education classes to our young people attending public school. Our Director of Religious Education, Sister Katherine Burke, C.S.J., can be reached in her rectory office at 718-746-3409.

Volunteers are always welcome.

**Music Office** Jessica Tranzillo-Smith is our parish Director of Music. She can be reached at the Music Office at 718-746-8102 Ext.30

**ANNOUNCED MASSES**  
**September 30, 2023-October 08**

**Saturday, September 30**

8:30 The Tierney & Brady Families  
5:00 Agnes Wakie; John Paul Savastano;  
Louis & Renee DeRitis; Pro Populo

**Sunday, October 01**

7:30 Theresa Morsa  
9:00 Frank Morelli; Giuseppe Zuccarello;  
Margherita, Giuseppe & Salvatore Arminio;  
Michele, Giovanna & Leonardo Arminio;  
Vincenzo & Franca Santangelo;  
John & Mary Morelli  
10:30 Mirijana Jurcic  
12:00 Rose Varrassi  
5:00 Purgatorial Society Mass

**Monday, October 02**

12:00 Vinnie Maye

**Tuesday, October 03**

8:30 Dinka Cota  
12:00 Patrick Lynch

**Wednesday, October 04**

12:00 Francesca DiVerde

**Thursday, October 05**

8:30 Marisa Ciucci  
12:00 Lenda Rastelli

**Friday, October 06**

8:30 Michael Colasuonno  
12:00 Sheila McCabe

**Saturday, October 07**

8:30 Marie Tierney  
12:00 Collective Intentions Mass  
5:00 Giuseppe Marando;  
Annette & Joseph Paesano

**Sunday, October 08**

7:30 Pro Populo  
9:00 Frank Morelli; Rosario & Alba Masullo;  
Francesco & Michele DiBiase;  
Frank Fortunato; Gina Sacco  
10:30 Purgatorial Society Mass  
12:00 Steven Stern  
5:00 Francesco Morsa

**MEMORIALS**

**For the week of October 01-October 07**



The Altar Bread is given in memory of  
***Kay Morley***  
Requested by Denis & Sheila Ring & Family

The Altar Wine is given in memory of  
***Nancy Ann Lampasso***  
Requested by Her Family

The Altar Flowers are given in memory of  
***John Paul Savastano***  
Requested by: Love & Miss You,  
Aunt Maryann & Grandma

The Altar Candles are given in memory of  
***Henry Dierks***  
Requested by The Dierks Family

**PRAY FOR THE SICK OF  
OUR PARISH FAMILY**

***EDWARD BLAKLEY***  
***VIOLA CLEO BRADSHAW***  
***SEAN BRETT***  
***ROSANNE CAPUTO***  
***NOREEN DONOHER***  
***CAROLLYNN FREDA***  
***ROSA GALEJ***  
***SR. ELIZABETH GILL, OP***  
***SR. MARY HELENE***  
***JAKUBOWSKI, RSM***

***MADELINE KARLITZ***  
***JOHN MARTINELLI***  
***JOHN MASSAN***  
***PATRICIA NULTY***  
***WILLIAM OTTOSON***  
***VICKY SALAND***  
***CAROLINE SAPORITO***  
***MARY VARLESE***  
***JOSEPH T. VERNICE***  
***MILLIE WEIGL***

**PRAY FOR THE  
DECEASED OF OUR PARISH FAMILY**



*Let us remember all the  
deceased members of  
our parish.*

Dear Friends,

On Wednesday this week, Bishop Brennan will celebrate Mass at the Co-Cathedral of St. Joseph to install new Regional Episcopal Vicars for the Diocese of Brooklyn. As you know, I am the Regional Vicar for Queens East, which encompasses Whitestone, Flushing, Bayside, Douglaston, Cambria Heights, Rosedale, and through the Rockaways. I meet regularly with the bishop and other vicars, attend deanery meetings, Assignment Board meetings, Presbyteral Council meetings, and deal with situations as they arise with parishes and priests. I thank you for your prayers and support, and appreciate your patience as I continue to balance my diocesan responsibilities with my parish duties.

Since the installation will take place on the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, we will bless animals on Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00 PM. Actually, the other benefit is that the children in our Religious Education Program have class on Wednesday afternoon; by blessing on the Eve of his feast, it gives those children a chance to bring their pets for a blessing. We look forward to seeing our furry parishioners on Tuesday!

Our gospel passage today focuses on doing the Father's will. It's easy to say, "yes;" the challenge is to actually do what is asked of us. We often hear the word *vocation* as a way to describe our call as disciples. I would suggest that there are "Vocations" and "vocations." Vocations are our lifelong calls to priesthood, diaconate, consecrated life ... even the life of dedicated service offered by single people. On the other hand, vocations are the daily opportunities we are given to show charity, kindness, and mercy to our brothers and sisters. In our lifelong Vocations, sometimes we get tired and have a hard time remaining faithful. In our day-to-day opportunities to respond to God's call, sometimes we say, "yes" and sometimes we say, "no." The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak! Every week when we gather for worship to hear God's Word and be nourished by Jesus in the Eucharist, we are renewed and strengthened in our commitment to discipleship. Please God, let our "yes" be "YES!"

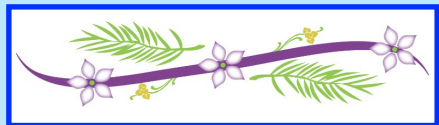
Because October 1<sup>st</sup> falls on a Sunday this year, we do not celebrate the memorial of St. Therese of Lisieux, the Little Flower, but we certainly can pray for her intercession. It's amazing that this young woman who died at an early age in a cloister in a remote part of France is known and beloved all over the world. Her "Little Way" has inspired countless people to come to know and love God in a very special way. I recommend *The Story of A Soul*, her spiritual autobiography, to all parishioners. It's a simple read, but so profound and inspirational. Not only is Therese a saint, but her parents, Zelig and Louis, were also canonized saints in 2015 by Pope Francis. What a remarkable family! May their intercession assist the families here at St. Luke!

Next Saturday, the Church celebrates Our Lady of the Rosary. So many parishioners find great comfort and many blessings by praying the Rosary and being brought to Jesus through Mary. On our parish feast day, the students of St. Luke School will come to church for a Rosary Rally to ask for Mary's special intercession on our community. This simple devotion has such great power. Pray the Rosary!

Love and prayers,  
Fr. John Costello

**St. LUKE CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE**  
**Masses, Prayer Groups, Meetings, Parish Events**

<b>SUNDAY</b> October 01	7:30 am Mass 9:00 am Italian Mass 10:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 5:00 pm Mass
<b>MONDAY</b> October 02	12:00 Noon Mass
<b>TUESDAY</b> October 03	8:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 6:30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group 7:00 pm Bereavement Group
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> October 04	12:00 Noon Mass
<b>THURSDAY</b> October 05	8:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 1:00 pm Golden Age Club Meeting 6:30 pm Italian Charismatic Prayer Group
<b>FRIDAY</b> October 06	8:30 am First Friday Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 5:30 pm AA Meeting 7:00 pm Boy Scouts
<b>SATURDAY</b> October 07	8:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Collective Intentions Mass 3:30 pm Confession 5:00 pm Mass
<b>SUNDAY</b> October 08	7:30 am Mass 9:00 am Italian Mass 10:30 am Mass 12:00 Noon Mass 5:00 pm Mass



**ST. LUKE PARISH  
MISSION STATEMENT**

As a community of believers in Jesus Christ and in Communion with the Universal Church, we strive to follow the Lord's command to love God and one another. Rooted in word and sacraments as we grow together a Eucharistic community inviting all to the Good News of Jesus.

**Our Church is open for private prayer from 8:00am until 3:00pm each weekday. Take advantage of the opportunity to spend some quiet time in prayer and reflection.**



At 11:15 AM from Monday to Friday, parishioners pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass. All are welcome, especially as they pray for peace in Ukraine at this time. If you cannot join in person, please join them spiritually.

If you wish to register as a parishioner of St. Luke Church, please stop by the Rectory Office during regular office hours, where you can pick up a census card which can be filled out or returned by mail or in the Sunday Collection Basket. You can even download the Census card online. Please check our website: **stlukewhitestone.org** Kindly let us know if you would like to receive weekly offering envelopes. or if you would prefer to donate online. **Come and join us!**

# COLLECTIVE INTENTIONS MASS

The names below will be remembered at the Collective Intentions Mass,  
Saturday, October 07th. at 12:00 noon.

**Lucille Annunziato**  
**John, Anton, Joseph & Anna Boneta**  
**The Boneta Family**  
**Tito D'Urso**  
**Nancy Ann Lampasso**

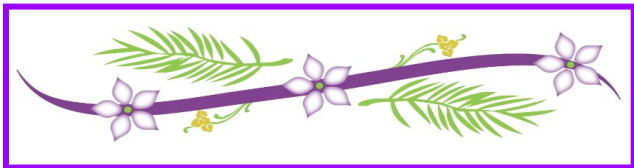
**Carmelo Mattina**  
**Rosalie & Dominick Pugliese**  
**Vincenzo Tenaglia**  
**Joseph Totino**  
**Edward Walsh**

If you would like to have a loved one remembered at this Mass, please call the Rectory.

<b>MEMORIALS</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Please call or visit the Rectory if you would like to arrange for a memorial in memory or in honor of a loved one.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The following memorials are available weekly: <b>ALTAR BREAD, ALTAR WINE, SANCTUARY LAMP, ALTAR CANDLES</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">The offering is \$50 for the above mentioned memorials. In addition, <b>ALTAR FLOWERS</b> are available weekly. The offering is \$100 for a fresh arrangement of flowers at the Altar.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The name of the person remembered will be printed in the bulletin. Gift acknowledgement cards are available in the rectory.</p>
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<b>MEMORIALS</b>	
Memorials for 2023 are available. Please call the rectory at 718-746-8102 for requests.	
Available Memorials October - December 2023	
<i>Altar Bread</i>	November 05, 12, 19, 26; December 17
<i>Altar Wine</i>	October 08; November 05, 12, 19, 26; December 03, 17
<i>Altar Flowers</i>	October 08, 15, 22; November 05, 12, 19
<i>Sanctuary Lamp</i>	Oct. 01, 15, 22, 29; Nov. 05, 12, 19, 26; Dec. 03, 10, 17
<i>Altar Candles</i>	October 08, 15; November 12, 19, 26; December 03



<b>COLLECTIVE INTENTIONS MASSES</b>
<p style="text-align: center;">Once a month Saint Luke Church offers a Collective Intentions Mass at 12:00 Noon on Saturdays.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">This Mass is a special Mass where families can celebrate and remember their loved ones. Family can be invited to attend. Jessica, our cantor and Loneda, our organist are always present.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collective Intentions Mass Dates:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>October 07, 2023</i></b> <b><i>December 09, 2023</i></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">If you would like to remember a loved one to celebrate their anniversary or birthday month, please call the Rectory to include their names at any of the Masses listed above. The requested offering is \$50.</p>

## AVAILABLE 2023 ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTION DATES

**NOVEMBER: 21 & 28**

*Please call or visit the Rectory if you would like to purchase an Announced Mass Intention for 2023. There are several available dates with multiple time slots. The offering is \$15.00 per Mass. To purchase, please call or visit the Rectory.*



*First Friday  
October 6, 2023*

*Come let us adore!*

*Exposition after  
Noon Mass*

*Benediction at  
2:00 PM*



**Next Meeting:**  
**Tuesday, October 03**  
**at 7:00 PM**  
**Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center**

**If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, please join us.**

**This group provides emotional assistance for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. If you are planning to attend for the first time, please call Sister Theresa. She can also offer individual bereavement counseling sessions when needed.**

*Pray for those who have lost loved ones.  
 May they rest in peace.*

**Sr. Theresa**  
**718-746-8531**

**A Prayer for Hope**

Heavenly father, I am your humble servant,  
 I come before you today in need of hope.

There are times when I feel helpless,  
 There are times when I feel weak.  
 I pray for hope.

I need hope for a better future.  
 I need hope for a better life.  
 I need hope for love and kindness.

Some say that the sky is at it's darkest just before the light.

I pray that this is true, for all seems dark.  
 I need your light, Lord, in every way.  
 I pray to be filled with your light from head to toe. To bask in your glory.  
 To know that all is right in the world, as you have planned, and as you want it to be.

Help me to walk in your light, and live my life in faith and glory.  
 In your name I pray,  
 Amen.

# INFANT BAPTISM AT ST. LUKE

Call  
**Sr. Theresa**  
**718-746-8531**

- Call when you have received the birth certificate to schedule a baptism interview.

Upcoming dates:  
**October 14, 28,**  
**December 02 & 16**

## THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of October 01, 2023



**Faustina and the Spread of Divine Mercy | Divine Mercy | Episode 4**  
 This episode of Divine Mercy and the Second Greatest Story Ever Told, reveals how a saint from Poland embarked on one of the greatest missions in the history of the Church, becoming a catalyst for the message of Divine Mercy.



**Brother Francis: The Barefoot Saint of Assisi**  
 In this 10-part audio drama, listeners can dive into the life of St. Francis of Assisi as he goes from being a son of wealth and privilege to a man who gave up everything for the sake of Christ.



**The Feast of St. Thérèse**  
 In celebration of the feast of St. Thérèse, Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Scott Hefelfinger sit down to discuss the life and writings of this great saint and Doctor of the Church.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription. Visit [signup.formed.org](http://signup.formed.org) and select our parish name.

**Padre Pio Feast**  
**Procession & Mass held on Friday, September 22nd., 2023**



**Saturday, October 7/sabato 7 ottobre**  
**DINNER DANCE**

**3:00 to 7:00 PM**

Monsignor Tosi Pastoral Center  
 1634 Clintonville Street  
 Whitestone, NY 11357

**GRATIS/FREE**  
 Children under 10  
 Bimbi fino a 10

**\$65**  
 per person

**To benefit/a beneficenza dell'ospedale**  
**Casa Sollievo della Sofferenza**



**DINNER - DANCING - DJ**  
**Biglietti a sorteggio (Raffle)**



RSVP by October 5th  
 Angela Masullo - 347-828-0921





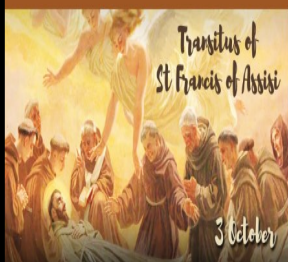
## Happy Columbus Day



*The Rectory Office is Closed in  
Observance of Columbus Day on  
Monday, October 09th, 2023.  
Mass will be Celebrated at 9:30 AM.  
There will not be a Mass at 12:00 Noon.*

## Blessing of the Animals

**Tuesday, October 3rd**  
**4:00 PM**  
**in front of church**



## Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
where there is injury, pardon;  
where there is doubt, faith;  
where there is despair, hope;  
where there is darkness, light;  
and where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek  
to be consoled as to console;  
to be understood as to understand;  
to be loved as to love.  
For it is in giving that we receive;  
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;  
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen



Olivewood Handcrafted  
from the Holy Land



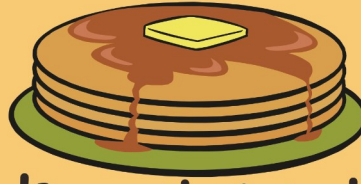
Weekend of  
Sept. 30/Oct. 1

*For God  
so loved  
the world  
that he gave  
his only son,  
so that everyone  
who believes in  
him may not  
perish but may  
have eternal life.*  
John 3:16

after all Masses  
in the  
Pastoral Center

Support our  
Brothers and Sisters  
in the Holy Land!

Pancake



Support  
our  
Youth!

Breakfast

October 15  
8:30 am to Noon

Join us in  
the Pastoral Center!



EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

**FESTIVAL of HYMNS  
&  
SONGS of PRAISE!**

Hymns & Anthems  
in Praise of the Holy Eucharist  
Litany of the Holy Eucharist



Sing with us

The Choir of St. Luke  
**October 15, 2023 at 2:30PM**  
St. Luke Church, Whitestone, NY



Saturday Adoration

**3:30 to 4:30 PM**  
during confessions

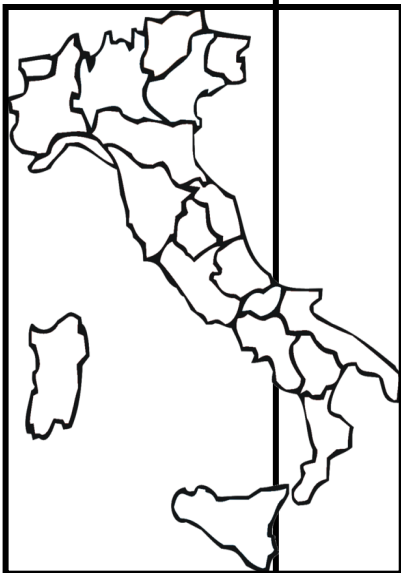
Come and worship the Lord!



## ITALIAN SCHOOL - I.A.C.E Meetings 2023-2024

For Information Call Damiana Testa at (718) 746-6269

September 25 – Registration	January 29
October 2 – Registration	February 5
October 16 – 1 <sup>st</sup> . Class	February 12
October 23	February 19 – No Class – Presidents Day
October 30	February 26
November 6	March 4
November 13	March 11
November 20	March 18
November 27	April 1 - No Class – Easter Break
December 4	April 8
December 11	April 15
December 18	April 22
January 8	April 29
January 15 – No class – Martin Luther King Day	May 6
January 22	



## ITALIAN CLASSES at St. Luke School

Registration for Italian classes will take place on:  
**Monday, September 25 and October 02**  
from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the school cafeteria.  
Classes are offered for children age 3 and up and adults.  
For more information,  
please call Damiana at (718) 746-6269.

**In-person classes will begin  
Monday, October 16th.**

# Give Online

Text to Give  
929-209-6614

*Thank you!*



By scanning the QR code  
to the left you will be  
brought to our page on  
Give Central:

<https://www.givecentral.org/location/614>

## Upcoming Collections in October

October 22, 2023

World Mission Sunday

FROM A HEART OF GRATITUDE WE SHARE OUR  
TREASURE



*Thank You!*

**Sunday Collection**

**September 24, 2023**

**Parish Collection**

**\$9,487**

**Hawaii Fire Assistance**

**\$2,095**



**St. Luke Parish, Whitestone**  
**Goal: \$100,274**

**Annual Catholic  
Appeal 2023**

DIOCESE OF BROOKLYN



There are no updates this week. Please help us to reach our goal by using the QR code above or by visiting the parish website at: [www.stlukewhitestone.org](http://www.stlukewhitestone.org) to find a link to contribute to the Annual Catholic Appeal. There are also envelopes available in the church vestibule. Thank you!



**All are  
welcome!**

*Fun for Seniors*

Thursdays at 1:00 PM  
Msgr. Tosi Pastoral Center

# NURSERY PROGRAM

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

All children turning 3 years of age before 12/31 can apply



16-01 150th Place,  
Whitestone, NY 11357  
(718) 746-3833  
slswhitestone.org

## What our Nursery Programs have to offer your child and family:



- Strong family-community ties
- Small class sizes
- Qualified faculty and staff
- Safe and nurturing environment
- Social-emotional development
- Gross and fine motor skills
- Before and Aftercare programs
- Special Education Services
- Special Subject Classes in Art, Music, Physical Education, and Foreign Language

# PRE-K PROGRAM

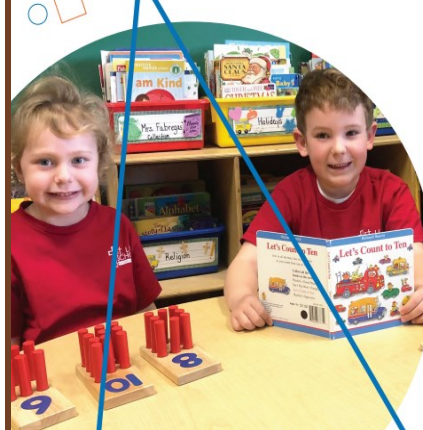
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

All children turning 4 years of age before 12/31 can apply



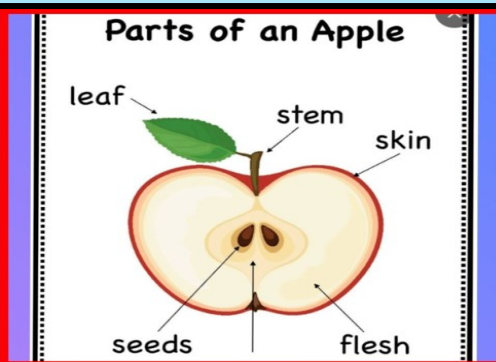
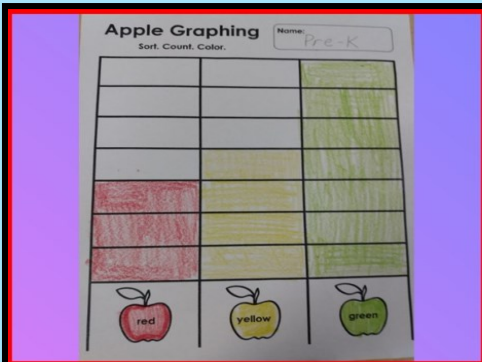
16-01 150th Place,  
Whitestone, NY 11357  
(718) 746-3833  
slswhitestone.org

## What our Pre-K Programs have to offer your child and family:



- Strong family-community ties
- Small class sizes
- Qualified faculty and staff
- Safe and nurturing environment
- Social-emotional development
- Gross and fine motor skills
- Before and Aftercare programs
- Special Education Services
- Special Subject Classes in Art, Music, Physical Education, and Foreign Language

*St. Luke's Pre-K is the "Apple" of everyone's eye....*



# Martin A. Gleason Funeral Home, LLC

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## PRE PLANNING SEMINAR

Questions?  
Call  
718-359-6300

Presented by John A. Golden  
Owner & Licensed Funeral Director

**SAT., OCTOBER 21, 2023**  
11:00 am to 12:30 PM

**St. Luke R.C. Church**  
Monsignor Tosi Pastoral Center  
1634 Clintonville Street, Whitestone



Special Presentation by  
**ANN MARGARET CARROZZA, ESQ.**  
213-38 40th Avenue  
Bayside, NY 11361  
718-224-4746

ELDER LAW ESTATE PLANNING ATTORNEY  
DR. PHIL LEGAL EXPERT, FORMER ASSEMBLYWOMAN



## Remember God's Will When You Prepare Your Will

While we easily remember to provide for our family when planning our estate, it is also important to remember our "family in faith" as well.

When planning your last will and testament, please consider remembering St. Luke Parish. Some parishioners leave a fixed dollar amount; others determine a percentage of their assets to leave as a legacy to the parish that nourished them and their family for many years.

For free information on making a will or leaving a bequest to our parish, please contact:

Jeanne Farnan Mulry

Catholic Foundation for Brooklyn & Queens

718-965-7375, ext. 1621

email: [jmulry@cfbq.org](mailto:jmulry@cfbq.org)





**HELP WANTED**

We need a list of substitutes for:

- certified teachers
- paraprofessionals



Email resume and cover letter  
Principal - Mrs. Jan Brunswick

jbrunswick@slswhitestone.org  
or call  
718-746-3833 for more information



## SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS



We are grateful to the local merchants and businesses that support St. Luke by placing an ad in our bulletin!



## AUTO DONATIONS



The Associated Vincentian Charities will take any car, truck, or van, running or not, and donate \$75 to \$200 to St. Luke Church.

Any condition, free towing, and IRS tax deduction.

Call 718-491-2525

Visit us at [svdpauto-brooklynqueens.org](http://svdpauto-brooklynqueens.org)

## Kidney Needed



A parishioner is awaiting a kidney donation. Scan the QR code to find out more information.



## RETROUVAILLE

HelpOurMarriage.org  
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

### Because no marriage is beyond hope...

A marriage-saving program here in the New York/Metropolitan Area.

- Is your marriage tearing you apart?
- Do you feel hurt and angry?
- Does talking make it worse?
- Thought of leaving or divorce?
- Is your marriage heading in the wrong direction?

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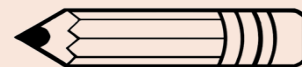


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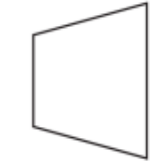
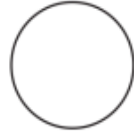
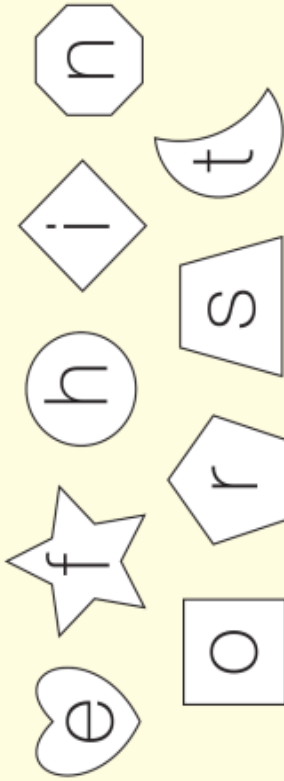
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what his father wanted him to do?

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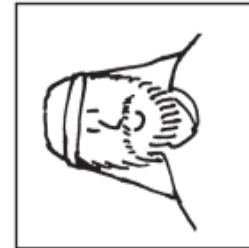


The Parable of the 2 Sons

Jesus told a parable:

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The person who thinks about the sins they have committed – and stops doing them – that person will surely live.

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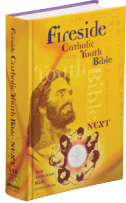
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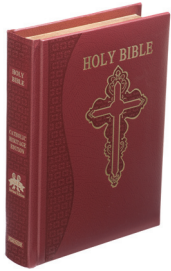
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