# New Roads CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

## St. Joseph & St. Luke

**ARE YOU NEW HERE? WELCOME!** No matter who you are or where you're from, we're so glad you've joined us. Say hello to someone on our team (anyone wearing a name tag). We'd love to meet you!

## **January 20, 2019**

THE STORY OF YOUR LIFE // We all love stories. We love stories because we are part of a larger story. The Bible tells the story of God and how he interacts with humanity through the course of salvation history. When we see our lives as a story and part of God's larger story, it brings greater meaning to our life and our choices. Through this series we'll work to better understand our own life story and how God can use our story to draw others to him.

WE'RE HIRING! // New Roads is hiring for a **Director of Adult Ministry**. We're looking for someone with several years of ministry experience who is committed to developing leaders and helping people grow as disciples. If you know someone who may be a good fit for this position, please encourage them to visit our Web site for more details and the link to apply.

DO YOU SERVE IN OUR COMMUNITY? // You are required to attend VIRTUS training "Protecting God's Children" (one-time only) if you serve with children, youth under 18, the elderly, or have the potential to interact with them. We're offering two options at New Roads: Thursday, Jan. 31 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, March 3 at 2:30 p.m. Additional sessions available at other locations. The training makes participants aware of the signs of child sexual abuse, how to prevent it, and what you need to know. Attendees must preregister at www.virtusonline.org. Call us if you have questions.

USED CLOTHING COLLECTION // The St. Vincent de Paul Society of New Roads Catholic Community is conducting a used clothing drive during the weekend of April 27 and 28. Please bring your donations to the Beech Street church parking lot where volunteers will load them into the St. Vincent de Paul truck. What a good excuse to look into those far corners of your closets.

#### **TINY DISCIPLES**

Tiny Disciples is a drop-off worship experience for kids ages 2-5. Kids get the chance to have fun and learn that God loves them while their parents get some quiet time to participate in worship. Tiny Disciples runs every Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph and the 11:30 a.m. Mass at St. Luke. Just follow the signs to the Tiny Disciples room or ask any greeter to show you how to get there.

#### KIDS' CHURCH

For children in grades K-5, we offer Kids' Church, Children's Liturgy of the Word. How does it work? Children come to Mass with their families; after the opening prayer they are invited to come forward to gather in a separate space for readings, a message, and fun activities geared to their age. Kids' Church runs every Sunday at the 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Luke and the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph.

#### **SPARK**

Spark is New Roads' ministry for middle school students. It's an experience geared specifically to middle school students (grades 5 through 8) with fun games and engaging small-group discussion. Our next meeting is Sunday, May 27, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at St. Jospeh lower hall. Visit our Web site for more details! www.newroadscatholic.org

#### DRIVE

Drive is a small group experience open to all high school students. We hear a message about a topic (sports, friends, etc.) and talk about how the gospel can help us navigate it more successfully. Drive is a place for conversations about life that students might not have at school or on the field. Find our upcoming meeting dates and register on our web site: www.newroadscatholic.org.

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SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY // What's in the WATER? What is being done to protect the water we use? We work for justice for all and welcome all to join us in this work. Visit our Web site for more information: newroadscatholic.org/social-justice-ministry. Full Committee Meeting, Jan 23, at 7 p.m. Upcoming subcommittee meetings: Homelessness and Affordable Housing, Jan 24 at 7 p.m.; Our Common Home/The Environment, Feb 1 at 11:30 a.m; Refugees/Immigrants, Feb 11 at 7 p.m. All meetings take place at St. Luke lower church.

MLK BREAKFAST // Belmont's annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Breakfast will be held at Belmont High School on Jan. 21 8:45-11:00 a.m. Activities in the gym for children ages 5-10 years. Daycare for preschoolers available. Music performed by Chenery Middle School students and by LadyCap. Purchase tickets at the door or online at eventbrite.com.

NEW ROADS ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE // New office hours are Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Please note: The office will be closed Monday, Jan. 21, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

MASS INTENTIONS			SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES
St. Joseph Jan 20 Jan 27 St. Luke	10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Sebastian Patti Michael Fransen- 3 yrs	St. Joseph 7:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. (with modern music & children's programs) 5:30 p.m. (with modern music)
Jan 20 Jan 25 Jan 26 Jan 27	9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 6:45 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Gerard Coffey & Raymond Becker John & Barbara Morrison Joseph Calabro family Paul Oates- 2 yrs Massimino DeAngelis	St. Luke 4:00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil) 9:00 a.m. (with kids' church & coffee hour) 11:30 a.m. (with tiny disciples)
MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE  St. Luke  January 21 There is no 6:45 a.m. Mass due to the holiday.			RECONCILIATION  Saturdays at 1:00 p.m. at St. Luke

# **OUR TEAM**

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