

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!

September 1, 2019

BELMONT PORCHFEST // On Saturday, September 7, New Roads will participate in the 2nd Annual Belmont Porchfest. Join us in the St. Joseph courtyard on Common Street for excellent, fun, and popular music by the New Roads worship team from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm.

FALL KICKOFF // At all Masses next weekend (September 7 & 8), we'll kick off the new year with a new messages series. Join us at the 10:00 am Mass at St. Joseph as we re-start our kids worship programs (Kids' Church & Tiny Disciples), and enjoy some food and conversation after Mass. This is a great opportunity to invite a friend or neighbor who doesn't have a church to join you at New Roads. Invitation cards are available as you leave today.

ST. LUKE CENTENNIAL // On Saturday, September 21, 2019 at 4:00 pm, at St. Luke Church, Cardinal Seán O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston, will preside at a Mass of Thanksgiving in honor of the St. Luke Parish Centennial. All are invited to join us to celebrate the past, rejoice in hope for the future, and follow where God hopes to lead us. Join us for a reception immediately following in the lower hall. RSVP to stlukecentennial@gmail.com or 617-901-8379.

SERVING AT ST. LUKE CENTENNIAL // Join us in making this celebration happen! We are in need of hospitality ministers, host ministers, and volunteers to assist with food service and clean up at the reception. If you are able to serve, contact Nancy Mitchell at stlukecentennial@gmail.com or 617-901-8379.

RECONCILIATION & EUCHARIST REGISTRATION // If you have a child in 2nd grade or above who would like to receive their first Reconciliation and Eucharist this year, please visit our Web site, www.newroadscatholic.org, to register your family. We look forward to journeying with you this year!

GROWING OUR TEAM // We are thrilled to announce a new addition to our team: Kristen Bell has joined our team as Kids' Church Coordinator, a new part-time position. Kristen is a first grade teacher at the Wellington elementary school and brings valuable experience working with children as well as enthusiasm for the New Roads mission & vision. Please join us in welcoming Kristen when you see her!

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE // Please note that the daily Mass schedule will change beginning the week of September 9, 2019. The new schedule will be: Mondays: 6:45 am Mass at St. Luke and 9:00 am Mass at St. Joseph; Tuesdays: 9:00 am Mass at St. Luke; Wednesdays: 6:45 am Mass at St. Luke and 9:00 am Mass at St. Joseph; Saturdays: 9:00 am Mass at St. Luke.

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 St. Joseph at the 10:00 a.m. Mass, September through June. 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. 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 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Joseph, September through June.

SPARK

Spark is a 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. Visit our Web site for more details! www.newroadscatholic.org

KIDS MINISTRY

Are you interested in serving in kids ministry? It's an incredible way to impact the next generation and serve our church. We've got big plans for the coming year and you are invited to be a part of it. Send us a message at info@newroadscatholic.org to learn more about serving in kids ministry.

SPECIAL COLLECTION // This week's special collection at St. Joseph supports the Pine Street Inn, which provides housing, shelter, and job training to men and women experiencing homelessness in Boston. Donations may be placed in the red baskets at the doors.

LABOR DAY // In observance of the Labor Day holiday, the New Roads offices will be closed on Monday, September 2, 2019. There will not be a 6:45am Mass at St. Luke on Labor Day; there will be a 9:00am Mass at St. Joseph.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION // Our Sunday scripture reflection series will begin again on September 8. We meet every Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. at St. Joseph library to pray and reflect on the upcoming Sunday's readings. Join us for prayer and reflection in a relaxed environment.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – ST. LUKE // The St. Vincent de Paul Society of New Roads Catholic Collaborative will meet Sunday, September 8 at 10 a.m. in St. Luke's lower church, classroom area. Please come and share in our work to help those in need. We receive as much in return for our work as we give in tangible help. New members are always welcome.

SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY // 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. The next full committee meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 18 at 7 p.m. The committee will be working on preparing for the Archdiocesan Justice Convocation on October 5. Upcoming subcommittee meetings: Care of Our Common Home, September 6 at 11:30 a.m.; Homelessness/Affordable Housing, September 11 at 7 p.m.; Refugees/Immigrants, TBA. All meetings take place at St. Luke lower church.

ST. LUKE PRAYER SHAWL // Join us for our first meeting, Wednesday, September 18 between 10am-12pm in St. Luke lower hall. Our shawls are given to people who are ill, suffering loss or needing comfort. They are easy to knit and we can help get you started knitting.

MASS INTENTIONS

St. Joseph

Sept 1	5:30 p.m.	Michael Lettieri
Sept 8	7:30 a.m.	David & Donald Rissmiller
	10:00 a.m.	Jean Barbera

St. Luke

Sept 5	9:00 a.m.	Helen & William Murphy
Sept 7	4:00 p.m.	Shirley Sheehan
Sept 8	9:00 a.m.	Angela D'Andrea
	11:30 a.m.	Philip Miller (4 yrs)

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 1:00 p.m. at St. Luke

Reconciliation will not take place on Saturday, August 31

SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES

St. Joseph

7:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. (with modern music & children's programs)
5:30 p.m. (with modern music)

St. Luke

4:00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil)
9:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.

DAILY MASS TIMES*

St. Joseph: Monday & Friday at 9:00 a.m.

St. Luke: Monday & Friday at 6:45 a.m.
Thursday & Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

*Schedule changes Sept. 9. See notice above

OUR TEAM

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