

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 23, 2017

Gospel

His slaves said to him, 'Do you want us to go and pull them up?' He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest... Just as weeds are collected and burned up with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will collect out of his kingdom all who cause others to sin and all evildoers. They will throw them into the fiery furnace, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth.

Mt 13:28b-30a & 40-42

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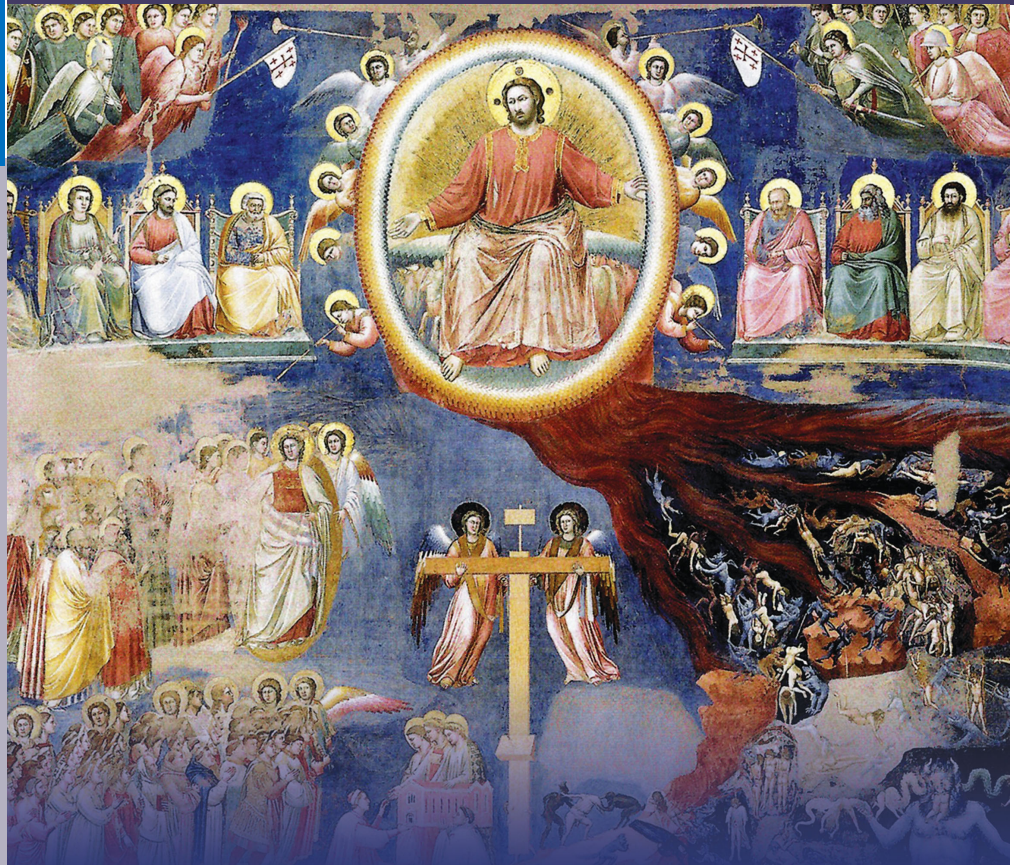
THE CHURCH OF

Saint Luke

A ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF DISCIPLES

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Mission Statement

The Church of St. Luke is a joyful, welcoming, caring, active family of believers striving to grow in knowledge of and love for God and each other. Challenged by the Word, nurtured by the Eucharist, and enlivened by the Spirit, we seek to live the message of Jesus in serving the needs of others both within our Parish and in the larger community.

Masses

Wed., Thurs., Fri.: 7:30 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm

(Also by appointment)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday

9:00 am—5:00 pm

Fax: (619) 442-2293



16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading : Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

Second Reading: Romans 8: 26-27

GOSPEL: Matthew 13: 24-42

Reflection: Reflect upon/Share about the weeds, in your experience of Church, which have challenged your faith? What helped you maintain your relationship with the Church? What can you do to help the Church be more holy?

Alternate: Reflect upon/Share about the evil you see in the world today. What seems to be its source? What seems to feed it? What can you do to try to counteract it or, at least, try not to participate in it?

Parish Council, Finance Council & From the Pastor

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Parish Pastoral Council normally meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month.

Visitors/observers welcome. If you wish to have an item placed on the agenda, contact a Council member to present it for you or contact the Parish Office.

Parish Council Members:

Fr. Ron Cochran
Jane Alfano
Mark Balmert
Amy Cannon
Bob Guarnotta
Linda Jacobson
Anita Leak
Sam Lupo
Don Mercurio
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Karen Sapper
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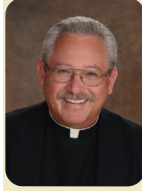
PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The Parish Finance Council meets every other 3rd Wednesday of the month.

Parish Finance Council Members:

Fr. Ron Cochran
James Chitkowski
Jim Crockett
George Heidenreich
Jeanne Houghtby
John Krueger
Cathy March
Dave Sapper
Jim Stepovich
Richard Venancio

From the Pastor



Dear parishioners,

Saturday, the 15th, the Los Angeles Times carried what I consider to be a very well written article about Anaheim, California removing the benches from bus stop shelters "because of complaints about the homeless population around Disneyland." The author quoted many people's viewpoints about the homeless and the removal of the benches without judgement. I'm not one who says that that is what all news reporting should be but, in this instance, it allows a look at the breadth of the problem without turning some people off before seeing that breadth.

Homelessness is more than just a problem for the homeless. The article states that the complaints were about vagrants drinking, defecating or smoking pot. The complaints were from small shop owners and motel owners. It's easy, and probably correct, to imagine that they were passing on complaints from their customers. The homeless don't have an appropriate place to do the things these complaints are made of. We, in contrast, have our homes and are welcomed in to public facilities.

The homeless don't feel welcomed. One of the homeless who was interviewed explained, "When we have a few dollars, we can't even enter the store to buy a piece of food," he said. "Some people thought the bus stop would be a good place to crash. No one welcomes us because of who we are and how we look. They have no clue how we ended up here, they just judge." The homeless are people, people with a story. I'm convinced they are the ones The Sheep and The Goats story of Matthew 25 is talking about.

Homelessness is an increasingly big problem. The article states that 15,300 people were unsheltered last year in Orange County. I'm surprised and appalled by the number of people living on the streets. Comparatively, a survey in January found 5,621 people were unsheltered in San Diego County. The survey noted that homelessness increased in San Diego by 5% which is, I think, about double the rate of increase from the prior year.

Governments are trying to do something about the problem. The reporter interviewed Orange County's director of care coordination who said most cities don't have the capacity to respond effectively and said they are trying to build a combined, coordinated approach taking into account the different causes of homelessness. It's obvious there is concern for the problem as is also evidenced, in our area, by the San Diego and East County homeless task forces.

The long-term solution is a long way off. The head of one of the non-profits which works with the homeless said, "The ultimate solution is permanent supportive housing. When we interact with someone, we need to provide immediate relief and then we sit down to assess each person and come up with a plan to give them better quality of life." By-the-way, note how this proposed solution is a middle-class solution to be imposed on a person living in poverty. Don't you think a plan developed by the person in poverty, if he or she is mentally/emotionally capable of it, has a better chance of being acted upon by the person in poverty?

The homeless will choose from among the solutions open to them. One of the homeless interviewed said, "We'll just stretch out on the concrete. That's the way we are - we improvise." People in poverty are problem solvers; that's oftentimes what they spend their day doing. But, they can only solve problems with the solutions that are open to them. The article points out that it wasn't the benches, so much, that were important to the homeless but the shade provided by the shelter. Maybe there is another way to provide them with shade.

One of the problems, it seems to me, is that we too easily blame the homeless for their homelessness. We forget that we closed the mental institution in the 1960's when there were over 600,000 housed in those institutions. We put those people on the streets with promises of community mental health centers, a promise that was never fully funded. We forget that we sent them to wars putting them in situations which resulted in an overwhelming number of cases of PTSD. We forget that many people in our culture don't have access to the resources that allow us to make the right decisions that keep us from being on the streets.

Homelessness is not just a problem for the homeless and the problem was not caused just by poor decisions made by the homeless. It's our problem and we, corporately, are part of the cause. We, with them, need to be part of the solution in the manner of working together, in the manner of Christian caring for one another. Remember our Lord's law of love.

In His service,

Fr. Ron

Remember in your Prayers, Weekly Readings, Mass Intentions



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Lorraine Flint, Bill Phillips, Isaac Armas, Mary Botte, Lara Pasi, Nancy Usrey, Ryan Cochran, Emmanuel Hallak, Dylan Coughlin, Frank Alfano, Selena Chum, Jimmie Davis, Dr. Barbie Taylor, Rachel Chavez, Michele Chavez, Joy Darrah, Gray Draper, Linda Rogers, Helen Chu, Al Bowen, Margaret Dennison, Jacob Seilheimer, Joyce Kammer, Theresa Worcholik, Cheryl Berry, Natalie Enriquez, Candace Dayton, Harriet, Ladel, Michael Ward, Nina Murphy, Noel Fisher, Jason Zdunich, Karen Bennett, Connie Elba, Blanche Duncan, Charles Brown, Jim Leachman, Christine Banuelos, Jose Orrantia, Dave Johnson, Mina Scannicchio, Jan Lindgren, Carol Petrich, Carey Moore, Jose Azarza, Parker Landis, Joan Smith, Anthony Potito, Kaylee Mikulsky, Jackie, Jeff Rogers, Michelle Tello, Katherine Boomer, Chase Laird, Vera Navetta, Miriam Kaskorkis, Adelaide Fitzwater, Ed Solorzano, Alice Zizzo, Luis Orrantia, Maggie Matthews, Sophia Christensen, Steven, Cindy Russell, Karen Walker, Mike Murphy, Ann Mussomeli, Jeanine DeSanti, Joe James Sowards, Vie Liddell, Olivia Dunn, Elda Lavelli, Jennifer Soares, Dorothea Wall, Martina Chiappara Cahill, Antoinette Daquisto-Guidi, Bob Weisham, Teri Harrison, Danielle P. Joe Scannicchio, Maria Warcholik, Ruthie Condon, Marin Mejia, Mike Marcon, Theresa & Vito Siragusa, Tracy Weaver, Rick Gores, Corrine Meierbachtol, Sue Sullivan, Rose Camacho, Ray Camacho, Tommy Collet Sr., John Lawton, Justin Hughes, Clara Morrison, Travis Butler, Jordan Garcia, Winston Quitiquit, Gregory S., Joan Hall, Joni Marco, Vern Hubka, Ricky Latorre, Camryn Mayer, Dolores Morrison, Aimee Gatus, Tommy Collet Jr., Thomas Baca, Chuck Moore, Gui Mei Guo, Audrianna Lococo, Karl Viederstein, Carey Moore, John Morrison, Maria Teresa Valquez, Nancy Samayoa, Tyler Parr, Karin Oravetz, Terry McMullin, Mary Morrison, Laura Allen & Family, Ryan Waters, Sam Attisha, Debra Burke, Andrew Mearm, Richard Perricone, John Agostini, Clara Morrison, Austin Gatus, Rosemary Lowe, The Hill Family, Russell Morrison, Frances Colombo, Christina Morrison, Megan Kruer Jones, Zaim Attisha, Laura Lee, Teresa Russo, Lillian Peregud; and all our relatives and friends who are sick. **A NOTE ABOUT OUR PRAYER LIST:** If you would like to add a name to our prayer list please contact Nancy Adema. **Also please notify Nancy when a name can be removed.** We appreciate the prompt notification & your cooperation.

PARISH FINANCES

In order to fulfill our budget, we need to collect an average of \$12,722 in the collection basket each week. Some weeks may be higher and some lower but we need to maintain that average. Additionally, we have budgeted for an average of \$12,802 to be contributed monthly through our Online Giving contribution program.

The total amount budgeted through these sources is \$660,095 this year. Our budget includes another \$106,384 expected income from other sources; (Annual Catholic Appeal rebates, Christmas & Easter collections, Sacramental Donations, Interest, One-time gifts & bequests, etc.).

LAST WEEK: Totals for 7/16/2017

Plate:	\$	746.00
Envelope:	\$	8,399.00
Total Collection Basket:	\$	9,145.00
Online Giving May 2017 = \$20,604.78 (114 users)		

SUPPORTING THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH: *Once you've made a decision on how much you should be giving, decide how to give.*

WAYS TO GIVE: You can use envelopes, as many people do, you can set up automatic donations through your Bank, (forms available in the parish office), you can go to Online Giving on the St. Luke website and set up an online giving plan which you can personally manage or call the parish office to arrange an online giving plan administered by the parish Business Manger. Online Giving Link: www.thechurchofstluke.org Click on: Online Giving in the center of subject bar. For more information please call the parish office at 442-1697.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

JULY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Tommie and Don Lenox	64-years
Joe & Bobbi Payson	63-years
Mike & Charlotte Wolpert	52-years
Don & Kathy Mercurio	52-years
Jim & Mary Ledwith	47-years
Ed & Marilyn Hanson	45-years
Mike & Debra Wasyliw	38-years
Frank & Jane Alfano	35-years
Ed & Beverly Isacco	33-years
Larry & Karin Oravetz	30-years
Mike & Christine Haley	27-years
Roger and Bann Attiq	24-years
Alex and Kate Yapjoco	17-years

If you would like to have your Wedding Anniversary placed in the bulletin please call 442-1697.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30
 Monday: Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc-6/Mt 12:38-42
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-6/Mt 20:20-28
 Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-28/Mt 13:1-9
 Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Dn 3:52-56/Mt 13:10-17
 Friday: Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8-11/Mt 13:18-23
 Saturday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
 Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: 5:00pm Antonia Isabella Vitale RIP
 Sunday: 9:00am Carol Pyle RIP
 11:30am Parishioners of St. Luke
 Wednesday: 7:30am Jessie restine RIP
 Thursday: 7:30am Russell Boucher RIP
 Friday: 7:30am Bill Hehman RIP
 Saturday: 5:00pm Rosalie Pasalacqua RIP
 Sunday: 9:00am Parishioners of St. Luke
 11:30am Iolanda Donato RIP

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Monday: St. Sharbel Makhluif, Priest
 Tuesday: St. James, Apostle
 Wednesday: Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Thursday: Week Day
 Friday: Week Day
 Saturday: St. Martha
 Next Sunday: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Meditation, Live the Liturgy & Why Do We Do That

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Under normal circumstances, Debbie and I like to send out individual thank you notes after receiving a gift or other kind act. However, the overwhelming response we received following the sudden and tragic loss of our dear daughter-in-law makes that task impossible. Debbie and I would like to sincerely thank you for all that you have done for us and our family in this difficult time. By all that you have done, you have shown in a most profound way what discipleship is all about. We have been lifted by your prayers, expressions of love, support and outreach. Our parish is truly special and that is because of all of you.

God Bless you all.

Deacon Jerry & Debbie Stenovec

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) inquiry classes

Wednesday, 2 August at 7:00 PM in the youth room.

These inquiry sessions are for anyone who is interested in converting to our faith, completing their sacraments, or just learning more about Catholicism. All are welcome. Just as important, if you should know of someone who has expressed an interest in learning more about our faith, this is the perfect opportunity for you to carry out our mission as disciples and bring them to the inquiry sessions.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Deacon Jerry.

GOSPEL MEDITATION: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The weeds are the children of the evil one, and the enemy who sows them is the devil." This is not a pretty picture. Jesus shares a parable in today's Gospel that reminds us of a truth we would rather forget: evil is real, and the devil is at work. The bountiful harvest of our faith is something that Satan wants to destroy. And he has a host of diabolical tactics to help him carry out his wicked plans. But there is one strategy in particular that we must be on guard against.

As the French poet Charles Baudelaire put it, "The devil's finest trick is to persuade you that he does not exist." Sneaky as it may be, this approach is effective! And, unfortunately, the attitude of our modern era is very conducive to buying the lie. Too often we dismiss the idea of the invisible spiritual reality of angels and demons. It doesn't seem "scientific" enough for us because it can't be seen or "proven." But neither can our faith! We believe in a host of invisible realities starting with God himself. We should not be fooled into thinking that the devil is a make-believe cartoon character with red horns and a pitchfork on his shoulder. Alas, no. As the "Catechism of the Catholic Church" reminds us, "Scripture witnesses to the disastrous influence of the one Jesus calls 'a murderer from the beginning'" (CCC 394) and, as we read in the Bible, "Indeed, the Son of God was revealed to destroy the works of the Devil" (1 Jn 3:8). This is not pretend, and so it must be taken seriously. But so too, the reality of Satan must be situated within the broader context of God's supreme power. The devil "cannot prevent the building up of God's reign" (CCC 395). The influence of evil can never defeat the power of our faith, unless we let it do so.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Today we are presented with the parable of the weeds and the wheat. We struggle with the imperfection that exists in our world. This imperfection shows itself in human sinfulness with its consequences--disease, natural disasters, suffering, and even death. We wonder why God did not simply make everything perfect right from the beginning so that harmony, peace, and tranquility would be the norm. God builds free will into us and into our world so that we can learn to freely love him. Anything less than this would not provide the freedom to choose to acknowledge and develop our relationship with our Creator. For now, the weeds and the wheat must coexist. Our faith teaches us that we live and walk in hope that when the harvest comes only the wheat of God's love will remain.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Question: July 26 is the feast of Joachim and Anna. Who are they and what do we know about them?

Answer: Joachim and Anna are the parents of Mary, the mother of Jesus, yet there is absolutely no biblical reference to them whatsoever. So where do we get their names, and what is their story? Their names are found in an apocryphal gospel known as "The Infancy Gospel of James." Apocryphal, or hidden, gospels consist of accounts of Jesus' life that were ultimately not accepted as inspired works, and thus were not included in the Bible. However, they sometimes captured the Christian imagination, spilling into the devotional dimension of the community.

James' infancy gospel begins with the parents of Mary and their desire for a child. In their prayer and petitions to God, they are heard and given the blessings of a child, whom they named Mary. The fact that we celebrate the feast of Joachim and Anna indicates that the bond of family love is important in the Christian life. Long before Grandparents' Day was established, the church had a feast that honored the presumed grandparents of Jesus. While their names are part of non-inspired apocryphal legends, the Savior's human ancestry is not. Christ, the incarnate Word, dwelt among us in the flesh in a human family. In honoring the grandparents of Jesus we really proclaim our faith in the Incarnation--God becoming human!

Contacts & Calendar Information

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

For additional calendar and event information.

www.thechurchofstluke.org

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Joanie Maitilasso and Carole Morales

OFFICE HOURS: **Monday - Friday:** 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

**THE DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS IS
 MONDAY AT 12 NOON.**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Month of July

(Calendar Events are subject to change)

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| Sat
22nd | 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time
3:30pm Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass |
| Sun
23rd | 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time
8:30am Pro Life Rosary
9:00am Mass w/ Children's Liturgy Word
11:30am Mass w/Children's Liturgy Word |
| Mon
24th | 9:00am Church Cleaning |
| Tues
25th | 6:00 Outreach Committee Meeting
6:30pm Young adult Gathering |
| Wed
26th | 7:30am Mass
4:30pm Parish Finance Council |
| Thu
27th | 7:30am Mass
5:00pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting |
| Fri
28th | 7:30am Mass |
| Sat
29nd | 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time
3:30pm Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass |
| Sun
30th | 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time
8:30am Pro Life Rosary
9:00am Mass w/ Children's Liturgy Word
11:30am Mass w/Children's Liturgy Word |
| Mon
31st | No Meetings |

ST. LUKE VBS 2017 MAKER FUN FACTORY



*WE FINISHED ANOTHER WEEK OF VBS AT ST. LUKE AND WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THOSE INVOLVED!!!
VBS TOOK PLACE JUNE 26-30TH 9AM-12PM*



Saint Luke Faith Formation Registration for 2017-2018

Registration forms are now available on the Parish website or in the Parish office.

- Sessions for Pre-school-Grade 5 begin the week of September 10th
 - Sessions for Middle School Grades 6-8 begin Monday, September 11th
 - Confirmation Preparation begins Sept. 10 with High School Youth Group beginning Sept. 11th
- You may register through our Parish Website at
www.thechurchofstluke.org

OR drop by our Parish Office, Monday through Friday between 9:30am-4:30 pm
Please check the Parish Calendar on the website for class times, dates and special events.



It's time for Church Cleaning

**Monday, July 24th
9:00 am to 12:00 noon
For more information
please call
Peggy Nelson**

You are Invited to Celebrate St. Ignatius Day with the Jesuit Community!

**You are Invited to Celebrate
Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish
1770 Kearney Ave., San Diego, 92113
Monday, July 31st,
6 PM - Mass 7 PM - Dinner and Program**

**celebrate 100 years of Jesuit ministry,
the launch of a new province (Jesuits West)
and the inauguration of a Center for Ignatian Spirituality.
Cost: The gift of your presence!
RSVP: Fr. John Auther, SJ (jauthersj@olgsd.org)
or 619-233-3838 ext. 214.**

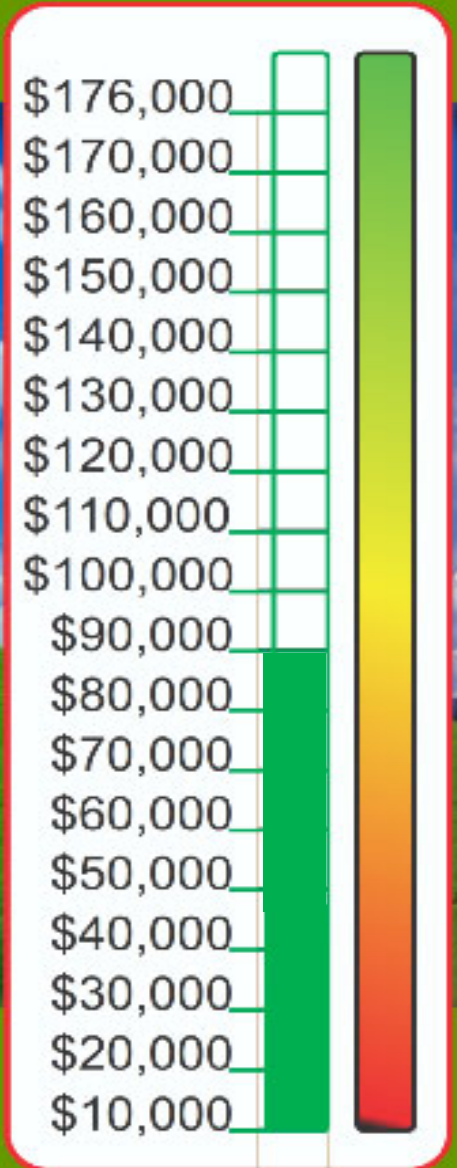


The Church of Saint Luke Goes Green

Help us **JOIN** together
as a community in this effort



WE CAN
SAVE OVER **\$38,000.00** PER
YEAR



Your Help Makes a Difference



Parish Events



Church of St. Luke Annual School Supply Drive Cajon Valley Union School District 2017-2018

The Church of St. Luke is collecting school supplies for the Cajon Valley School District starting July 15-August 6. Attached is a partial list of needed school supplies. A duplicate list of the needed school supplies will also be attached to the "Blue Barrels" located in the Baptistery. Parishioners may also donate checks or cash. Please make the checks and cash envelopes out to: St. Luke Outreach Ministry. Cash donation envelopes and checks should be deposited in the collection baskets.

In addition, our Outreach Ministry needs 13-18 volunteers on August 9 and August 10 from 9am-1pm to help sort the donated school supplies and deliver them to our local elementary schools. For more information please contact: **Pat Riggs**.

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE! THANK YOU!

Coloring Books
Play Dough
Masking Tape
Correction Fluid or Pens
School Back Pack(s)
Toilet Paper
Geometry Sets
Puzzles for Kindergarten

Graph Paper Notebooks
Pens (red, blue, & black)
Expo Dry Erase Markers
Retractor Pencils
Pencil Sharpener
Pencil Boxes
Thick Crayons
Calculators
Reams of White Paper

BIC Pens (Black or Blue)
Big Erasers
Two Pocket Paper Folders
Notebook Paper
Unwrapped Crayons (K-1)
Composition notebooks Dividers
Binders
Spiral Notebooks
Fat Pencils (K-1)
Variety of Construction Paper

Crayons
Color Markers
Colored Pencils
Elmer's Glue,
Glue Sticks
Watercolors
Paint Brushes
Scissors
Rulers

OUTREACH MINISTRY NEWS for April, 2017



Donations (SENT):

\$200.00 Noah Homes
\$100.00 Holy Trinity Food Pantry
\$50.00 Friends of the Poor
\$50.00 Nativity Prep Academy
\$50.00 East County Pregnancy Care Clinic
\$298.92 Feeding San Diego
\$748.92 TOTAL

Donations (RECEIVED):

\$60.00 Weekend Mass
\$105.00 Online Giving
\$165.00 TOTAL
(Thank you for your support.)

Thank You Letters/Notes (RECEIVED): None

St. Luke Assistance Programs: Delivered 3,805 lbs. of food to the EJE Academy and Anza Elementary School. Also delivered 2,750 lbs. of water to the Military Sports Clinic.

Parish Events



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Diocesan Council
of San Diego, and the San Diego Diocesan Office
for Social Ministry, proudly host a
Day of Recollection:



Office for Social Ministry
Diocese of San Diego

400 Years of the Vincentian Charism

with Fr. Greg Adolf



St. Catherine Laboure Parish
4124 Mt. Abraham Ave.
San Diego, CA 92111

Saturday
Aug. 19, 2017

8:30am – 2:30pm

Bishop Dolan will celebrate mass.
All are invited, especially those
who do not work directly with the
Society. Harden not your hearts!

Fr. Greg Adolf will share his love
of the gospel and bring it to life.
He promises to shed light on the
Vincentian charism as it is lived
still today in our church.



Bishop John Dolan

Complimentary breakfast & lunch.
Register by Monday Aug. 14.

To register, visit
socialministriesandiego.com/sv/

Or contact Maria Valencia at
mvalencia@sdccatholic.org
858-490-8323



Fr. Greg Adolf

Father Joe's Villages

IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS

We are scheduled to serve dinner on
July 28, from 4-7 p.m.
at Father Joe's Village and need your
help. We need **14 volunteers** every
month. If you can help let Dan
Goulding know.

He can be reached by at
(619) 244-4546

or by e-mail dgoulding@qualityloan.com.

We would like to have our volunteers show
up at Fr. Joe's Village by 3:45p.m. If desired
a carpool will be leaving St. Luke parking
lot around 3:15pm for anyone interested.

*Your help is truly appreciated.
Thank you.*

*This is a monthly event and occurs
on the 4th Friday of each month.*

**7/28/17, 8/25/17, 9/22/17, 10/27/17,
11/24/17 and 12/22/17.**

SVDP WALK/RUN FOR THE POOR

SVDP Resource & Sign up Table after Masses July-September

Early registration/pledge sheets to sponsor walkers & runners .

We are hoping to raise \$5000-\$10000 that will help the poor & needy in our El Cajon & East
County Community. All proceeds stay with our local SVDP Church of St. Luke Conference"

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALK

SEPTEMBER 30, 2017 8:00 AM

**LOCATION: STEELE CANYON HIGH SCHOOL
12440 Campo Road, Spring Valley CA 91878
Music, Food, Fun**



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