

Welcome to

# The Church of *Saint Luke*

A Roman Catholic Community of Disciples

October 18, 2015  
Feast of Saint Luke



Through his suffering,  
my servant shall justify many.  
— *Isaiah 53:11b*



## 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

Tuesday: 5:00 pm  
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



FIRST READING: Acts 2:42-47  
SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 4:10-17b  
GOSPEL: Luke 10: 1-9

*The Lord Jesus appointed seventy-two disciples whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. Lk 10:1*

## Reflection:

Think about/share about a time when someone prepared the way for you or you prepared the way for someone else. What would be important considerations in preparing someone for the Lord's visit into their life? To whom might the Lord be sending you to prepare them for his visit?

## 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

Mark Balmert

Amy Cannon

Bob Guarnotta

Linda Jacobson

Anita Leak

Sam Lupo

Don Mercurio

Dcn. Emeritus:

Dennie Nickell

Rick Roberts

Dave Sapper

Karen Sapper

Tom Selfani

Bryan Shull

Dcn. Jerry Stenovec

Dcn. Allan Williams

## 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,

Working at the Breakfast Hall wore me out today. The readings at the Mass were kind of fun. The Gospel was about Jesus eating at the house of a Pharisee and not washing his hands. At the Breakfast Hall one of the volunteer jobs is squirting a bit of soap into the hands of the people as they come to get into line. There is a big long sink there for them.

We served from 8:00 am till 10:30. I don't know if we had less help or if we just didn't have it together today. It's best when all of the jobs get done one right after the other and things keep moving. There's setting out the cups, napkins and utensils, then placing a pot of coffee on the table, filling the cups with juice and placing a sweet bread at each place. Then the plates of food are set down and tortillas added to them before the next group of six is called and a volunteer prays grace with them before they sit.

It just wasn't working today. I was supposed to be in charge of coffee, along with another guy, but I kept switching jobs trying to help us catch up. The other coffee guy has huge amounts of energy and is constantly smiling, joking and commending people. He freed me up to do other things and I don't know why but I was serious about us staying caught up, so much that one of the people who comes to eat there told me to slow down and not work so hard. Another told me it would help me get into shape.

I guess that is one of the things I really like about this place. I'm getting to know people. We're becoming friends, of a sort, for one morning a week. I talk to the other volunteers naturally (some of them are homeless too, by the way) but I really like it when someone who has come to eat there wants to talk. They ask me where I'm from and they tell me the places they have been in the U.S. I probe a little to get a bit of their stories. I'm amazed at how similar they are.

I'm getting to know which ones like coffee, which ones only want juice, who wants extras of what, etc. There were new people today whom I hadn't seen before. A couple more families with children and a couple of young guys who looked to me like teenagers. New people are a little obvious because they are obviously following what the others are doing and sometimes sit before we pray. It's also cool how they take care of each other. A table that didn't drink much coffee will share with a table which has a lot of coffee drinkers and those who don't eat sweet rolls find someone else who might want it.

I spent about twenty minutes talking with Padre Jesus which is really fun since he doesn't speak any English. I learned that he is not Mexican; he's from Spain. He has a lot of opinions about immigration policies but since he doesn't speak English, I missed most of what he was telling me. What I did understand was that he was going to spend the day helping a couple of people locate their birth certificates. These are deportees who lost all of their identity papers when they were deported. They can't accomplish anything in their lives until they get identity papers. Evidently running them down isn't the easiest thing to do, the way Padre Jesus was talking. And, I know it takes money because he was counting his pesos before he left wondering where he was going to get more.

I suppose that my enjoyment of my Tuesday morning routine is partially because it is new, every Tuesday. I hope my energy for it continues. I enjoy the volunteers and the people who come there to eat and I'm even now enjoying the people I see outside on the street. They have now become more normal to me and I have no hesitation interacting with them. I praise God for that.

In His service,

*Fr. Ron*

### ACHIEVING SANCTITY

Let us throw ourselves into the ocean of God's goodness, where every failing will be cancelled and anxiety turned into love. —St. Paul of the Cross



## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Karen Marie Moscar, Candace Solorzano, Elliott Rivera, Alice Zizzo, Luis Orrantia, Maggie Matthews, Sophia Christensen, Steven, Cindy Russell, Karen Walker, Mike Murphy, Ann Mussomeli, Jeanine DeSanti, Joe James Sowards, Jim Carver, Vie Liddell, George Serban, Olivia Dunn, Elda Iavelli, Jennifer Soares, Dorothea Wall, Tony Gonzales, Martina Chiappara Cahill, Antoinette Daquisto-Guidi, Matthew Chu, Petra Gallegos, Bob Weisham, Frank Asaro, Teri Harrison, Danielle P. Joe Scannicchio, Maria Warcholik, Ruthie Condon, Marin Mejia, Mike Marcon, Theresa & Vito Seragusa, Tracy Weaver, Rick Gores, Corrine Meierbachtol, Sue Sullivan, Geri McCabe, Rose Camacho, Ray Camacho, Maria Oliver, Al Oliver, Tommy Collet Sr., John Lawton, Justin Hughes, Clara Morrison, Travis Butler, Jordan Garcia, Winston Quitiquit, Gregory S., Joan Hall, Lucy Renko, Joni Marco, Vern Hubka, Ricky Latorre, Camryn Mayer, Dolores Morrison, Aimee Gatus, Tommy Collet Jr., Thomas Baca, Chuck Moore, Eugene Cuomo, Gui Mei Guo, Audrianna Lococo, Mario Ingargiola, Karl Viederstein, Carey Moore, John Morrison, Maria Teresa Valquez, Nancy Samayoa, JoAnne Morse, Tyler Parr, Karin Oravetz, Terry McMullin, Pam Oates, Mary Morrison, Laura Allen & Family, Ryan Waters, Sam Attisha, Debra Burke, Angelo Scardina, Andrew Mearm, Marco Antonio Ballesteros Miranda, Rod Fakhoury, Janice Ayers, Peter Spinali, Karen Mays, Judy Nickell, Brett Harris, Richard Perricone, John Agostini, Clara Morrison, Austin Gatus, Michael Milnick, Rosemary Lowe, Hayden Remington, Bob De Winter, Kim Hankins, Joy Reynolds, Jeanne Lane, The Hill Family, Connie Bowen, Wayne Hill, 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. *By the same token please notify Nancy when a name can be removed.* We appreciate the prompt notification and 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 10/11/2015

<b>Plate:</b>	\$	795.00
<b>Envelope:</b>	\$	8,852.00
<b>Total Collection Basket:</b>	\$	9,647.00
<b>Online Giving August:</b>		\$14,119.45

**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: <http://thechurchofstluke.org>

Click on: Online Giving box on upper right of screen.

For more information please call the parish office at 442-1697

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

**THE SOUL OF:** John Dickerson, Sarah Wade

**BAPTISM:** Tomas Nance

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:**

<b>Ken and Susan Stempien</b>	<b>56 Years</b>
<b>Rex and Karen Cole</b>	<b>49 Years</b>
<b>Jim and Georgia Taft</b>	<b>45 Years</b>
<b>Richard and Barbara Theisen</b>	<b>37 Years</b>
<b>Rigo and Lupe Martinez</b>	<b>7 Years</b>
<b>Anthony and Marivel Gonzalez</b>	<b>10 Years</b>
<b>Dan &amp; Amy Cannon</b>	<b>15 Years</b>
<b>Walter &amp; Jerry Newell</b>	<b>64 Years</b>

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

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday:** Acts 2:42-47; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; 2 Tim 4:10-17b; Lk 10: 1-9

**Monday:** Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21

**Tuesday:** Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

**Wednesday:** Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48

**Thursday:** Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

**Friday:** Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lk 12:54-59

**Saturday:** Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 13:1-9

**Sunday:** Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday:** 5:00pm Ramiro Fernandes, RIP

**Sunday:** 9:00am Christopher Collins, RIP

11:30am Parishioners of Saint Luke

**Tuesday:** 5:00pm Sharon Ostrander, RIP

**Wednesday:** 7:30am Robert Bedore, RIP

**Thursday:** 7:30am Presiders Intention

**Friday:** 7:30am Chase Laird, Spec. Int.

**Saturday:** 5:00pm Bruno & Margaret Bubis, RIP

**Sunday:** 9:00am Parishioners of Saint Luke

11:30am Max Verduzco, RIP

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

**TODAY:** FEAST OF SAINT; WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

**Monday:** Ss. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, and Companions

**Tuesday:** St. Paul of the Cross

**Wednesday:** Weekday

**Thursday:** St. John Paul II

**Friday:** St. John of Capistrano

**Saturday:** Feast of Saint Luke; St. Anthony Mary Claret

**Sunday:** Feast of Saint Luke

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — My servant shall justify many, and their guilt he shall bear (Isaiah 53:10-11).

**Psalm** — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

**Second Reading** — Let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help (Hebrews 4:14-16).

**Gospel** — Whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all (Mark 10:35-45 [42-45]).

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## GOD'S WORK OF SALVATION

God's work of salvation is the focus of this weekend's readings. From the prophetic event of Isaiah to Jesus' understanding of the human condition in Hebrews, concluding with Jesus paying our ransom in Mark, God is in control. There may be failings and misunderstandings along the way. We may move away from God, but at our conversion, God leads us back. Like James and John, we may let greed and power blur our vision of what Jesus wants us to know about the Kingdom; but tirelessly we are taught and re-taught what life in the Kingdom will be. Jesus has paid our ransom to ensure that we will share in the Kingdom.

It is not unusual to think of Jesus' ransom as a punishment that he endured. However, it is more accurate, and more like Jesus, for us to recognize ransom as God's gift to us. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Irish are rightly tired of being the subject of jokes about guilt. In fact, it is from the Celtic church that the whole experience of reconciliation in our tradition was creatively rescued and revived. The Irish church was unique in its origins, not so much organized around dioceses, but around monasteries. Aspects of religious community life readily spilled over into ordinary gatherings of the faithful, including the way people looked at sin and applied remedies. Unlike the public nature of canonical penance, the Irish method was linked to a kind of mentoring process they called "soul friending." Just as young novice monks might find a mentor in the wisdom of a senior guide, so did a way of penance open up to ordinary folks. Monks were accustomed to frequent confession of faults to the abbot or mentor, who would suggest penances. In time, abbots with a certain flair for this began to share lists of sins and corresponding "tariffs" with others. Some of these books survive, and provide a hair-raising view of long-ago sins like cattle rustling, and a great deal of self-correction involving dips in icy streams and rolling about in thickets of thorns. After the penance was performed, the penitent returned to the confessor, and in a private act marked by the laying on of hands, or perhaps a kiss of the altar, the sinner was restored.

Irish monks were committed travelers, and their methods were widely copied. We might say that they saved a sacrament, but at the expense of shifting attention to the sins of the individual and away from the actions of the reconciling community. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



A Special Thanks to all fellow parishioners & friends who participated in and supported the SVDP Walk for the Poor on September 26th at Santa Sophia Church. We had a daring dozen walkers and another dozen on line/off line donations totaling close to \$500.00 All proceeds directly benefit our Church of St. Luke St. Vincent de Paul Society to help the hungry, the poor and the needy in our local El Cajon Community. Volunteers/new members are needed to help with Home Visits, help at the Food Panty Program at Santa Sophia, etc. We meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursday's 11am in the church hall. Contact;  
Mike Wasyliv

*It is time for  
The Monthly  
Church Cleaning  
and we need your help!  
"The Church Cleaning Crew"  
will meet to clean the  
Church Sanctuary and Baptistery.  
We need all available hands  
Monday, October 27th  
from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon  
Please bring dust cloths,  
handvacs, brooms)  
Please help this important  
ministry .  
For more information please call  
Peggy Nelson*

**Save the Date**  
January 30, 2016  
2nd Annual  
*Taste of Saint Luke*  
*International Cuisine*

Share: food, fun and  
friendship  
Something delicious to  
taste for everyone!  
If you are interested in  
volunteering, hosting a  
table or want  
to help with this fun  
event please call:  
Pat Riggs



## All Souls Novena

*(Begins November 3rd)*

The All Souls Novena (a nine day prayer) is a special way to remember our loved ones who have gone before us.

**Envelopes are available in the office, in the pews and on the side tables in the Baptistry.**

For more info call the parish office at 442-1697.

## This Weekend is the 2015 World Mission Sunday Appeal

**The Society for the Propagation of the Faith  
A Pontifical Mission Society**

**Please Give Generously**

World Mission Sunday, organized by the Propagation of the Faith, is a day set aside for Catholics worldwide to recommit themselves to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and sacrifice.

Pope Francis in his letter for the celebration of Mission Sunday explains why the Church is a "missionary Church" that must go forth.

Every year the needs of the Catholic Church in the Missions grow - as new dioceses are formed, as new seminaries are opened because of the growing number of young men hearing Christ's call to follow Him as priests, as areas devastated by war or natural disaster are rebuilt, and as other areas, long suppressed, are opening up to hear the message of Christ and His Church. That is why the involvement and commitment of Catholics from around the world is so urgently needed. Offerings from Catholics in the United States, on World Mission Sunday and throughout the year, are combined with offerings to the Propagation of the Faith worldwide.

## Everyone is Invited for The Feast of Saint Luke



*Invite a friend and  
Come Celebrate our Patron Saint*

**This Saturday & Sunday  
October 17th & 18th**

**Join us for Complimentary—  
Saturday Night Wine & Cheese  
After the 5:00 pm Mass**

**& Sunday Pancake Breakfast  
After the 9:00 am Mass**



**Bring  
a Friend**

☞ FROM THE BULLETIN EDITOR ☜

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Joanie Maitilasso, Editor

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

THE DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS IS

MONDAY AT 12 NOON.

secretary@thechurchofstluke.org

☞ VISIT OUR WEBSITE ☜

For additional calendar and event information.

www.thechurchofstluke.weconnect.com

☞ CALENDAR OF EVENTS ☜

Month of October

Sat  
17th

Feast of Saint Luke  
3:30pm Reconciliation  
5:00pm Mass  
6:00pm Feast of Saint Luke Wine & Cheese

Sun  
18th

Feast of Saint Luke  
8:25am Pro Life Rosary  
9:00am Mass w/RCIA Rite of Acceptance  
& Children's Liturgy of the Word  
10:15am Scripture Club 4-5  
10:15am Feast of Saint Luke Pancake Breakfast  
10:30am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level I & II  
11:30am Mass w/Baptisms: Penelope & Arabella Bauch  
& Children's Liturgy of the Word

Mon  
19th

No Meetings

Tue  
20th

5:00pm Mass  
5:45pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting  
6:30pm Women Mystics through the Ages

Wed  
21st

7:30am Mass  
8:30am Centering Prayer  
4:00pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd  
Level II  
7:00pm RCIA

Thur  
22nd

7:30am Mass  
4:00pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd  
Level I & II  
7:00pm KofC Business Meeting

Fri  
23rd

7:30am Mass  
3:45pm Middle School Life's ?'s Scripture  
Answers

Sat  
24th

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
3:30pm Reconciliation  
5:00pm Mass

Sun  
25th

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:25am Pro Life Rosary  
9:00am Mass  
& Children's Liturgy of the Word  
10:15am HS Confirmation Class  
10:15am Scripture Club 4-5  
10:30am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level I & II  
11:30am Mass w/Children's Liturgy of the Word  
1:00pm Group Baptism

Mon  
26th

9:00am Church Cleaning Crew

☞ PARISH DIRECTORY ☜

**Pastor:** Rev. Ron Cochran (619) 442-1697

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**Deacon:** Allan Williams

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**Organist:** Susan Paul

**Lectors:** Julie Carlin

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Linda Jacobson

**Greeters:** Maria Oliver

**Ushers:** George Heidenrieck

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MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

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**Centering Prayer:** Carole Morales

**Church Cleaning Crew:** Peggy Nelson

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**Eucharistic Adoration:** Cindy Christmas  
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**Knights of Columbus:** Don Mercurio,G.K.

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**Outreach Ministry:** Ken Stempien (619) 442-1697

**Prayer Chain:** Nancy Adema

**Respect Life:** Don Mercurio

**Scrip:** Kerri Holzer

**Small Church Communities:** Carol Stone (619) 442-2515

**St. Luke Business Network:** Cathy March

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul:** Mike Wasyliw

# Direct from Chicago!

From the co-author of the hit comedy,  
**Late Nite Catechism**

**Two-night exclusive engagement**

SAINT LUKE FAITH FORMATION FUND RAISER



**CHRISTMAS**  
**BINGO**  
It's a Ho-Ho-Holy Night!  
by Vicki Quade  
7 p.m., Friday, Nov 6

2  
HILARIOUS  
COMEDY  
SHOWS



**MRS.**  
**O'BRIEN'S**  
Guide to the  
Golden Rule  
by Vicki Quade

7 p.m., Saturday, Nov 7

Church of St. Luke  
1980 Hillside Rd.  
El Cajon, CA 92019

Ticket price: \$30  
For tickets, call: 619-442-1697

FOR TICKETS TO THE NUNS4FUN COMEDY SHOWS GO TO:  
<https://stlukeelcajon.weshareonline.org>  
OR CALL KAREN MELLOS

**East County Christmas 4 Kids  
Children's Book Drive.**



We need your gently used or new children's books for the kids this Christmas. We know that reading is the path to success. Developing an early love of reading requires books you want to read. At last year's event, children gathered around the book tables and adults helped them choose a book they got to keep, that fit their level of reading ability. It was wonderful to watch. For some Children this was the first book they have ever chosen and gotten to keep. Sadly, we ran out of books. We are planning for an increase in the number of children this year and I believe we will need about 3000 books. We are collecting books for children from toddler to middle school, first books to "chapter books".

**Please leave the books in the baptistery.** If you are interested in volunteering to help give out books at the event on Sunday, December 13, please contact Don Mercurio for more information:

## *Las Madrinas*

### **Christmas Bake and Craft Sale**



**December 6th 2015  
after the 9:00 am Mass  
in the church hall.**

**Bake your favorite Christmas  
Cookies-Pies-Cakes  
Make Your favorite Craft Item**  
for this special event

**For More Info Call:**

**Ann Murray**

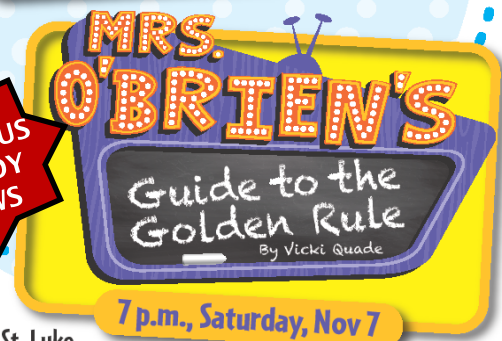
***All Proceeds to benefit Noah Homes  
and The Giving Tree***

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Church of St. Luke  
1980 Hillsdale Rd.  
El Cajon, CA 92019

**Ticket price: \$30** per show

FOR TICKETS TO NUNS4FUN COMEDY SHOWS GO TO:  
<https://stlukeelcajon.weshareonline.org>  
or call Karen Mellos

### **Saint Luke Faith Formation Registration**

**Sign up now for STL'S  
2015-2016**

#### **Parish Faith Formation Programs**

- Regular sessions for Preschool-Grade 3 began Sept. 13th, 16th, & 17th
- Grades 4-5 -began Sunday Sept. 13,
- Middle School Grades 6-8 begin Friday, Oct. 16th
- and High School begins Sunday, Oct. 11th
- You may register though our Parish Web-site at

[www.thechurchofstluke.org](http://www.thechurchofstluke.org) OR drop by  
our Parish Office,  
M-F, 9:30am-4:30 pm

**For more information call 619-442-1697**





## Drive

Annual Nationwide Intellectual Disabled Persons Fund-Raiser will be held after all Masses the weekend of October 17th-18th.

Your support of any extra coins or \$dollar will be helpful. Your prayers are very much appreciated for a successful weekend.

Look for the yellow vested volunteers.

"A Tootsie Roll awaits you".

If you would like to volunteer (17yr or older) & participate, please call John Clark Sr



## Amazon Scrip Shoppers

Go to:

[smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com)

sign up under our charitable organization:

**Pastor of The Church of Saint Luke Catholic Parish in El Cajon**

Or try typing in The Church of Saint Luke Problems?

Email: [scrip@thechurchofstluke.org](mailto:scrip@thechurchofstluke.org)

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## CHURCH ASSISTIVE HEARING FM SYSTEM

Our Church has a FM assistive hearing system. All Church amplified audio is simultaneously transmitted over a FM system. Individual FM "receivers" are available for our use. The Church FM receivers have a single-ear earpiece that plugs into the FM receiver on one end, and into one ear on the other. Better reception is possible by using your own personal "ear buds" (allowing audio to both ears). The best reception will be obtained by t-coil equipped hearing aid users when they use an induction loop.

FM receivers are available before mass, and must be returned to an usher or to the sacristy after mass. If you're having difficulty hearing in Church; ask about using this very effective assistive hearing system.

## Friends of the Poor



is collecting Halloween candy to make Christmas Candy bags for the children in Tijuana. So, please when buying your treats or after your Halloween Parties and Trick or Treating save some of your wrapped candy (without Halloween decoration) for our brothers and sisters south of the border! Place candy that will last until December into a zip-lock bag and drop it by the Church office, bring it to Faith Formation classes, or place it in the specially marked boxes in the baptistery.

## OFFICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

at The Church of Saint Luke

*Morning and Afternoon Shifts  
(or occasional substitute)  
are available.*

**Experience is required in**

**the following tasks:**  
Fundamental computer skills

- Phone skills
- Data Entry

**Please Call Business Manager:**

**Jim Crockett at  
619-442-1697, ext. 110**

# RALPHS GROCERY SHOPPERS

Please take a few minutes to renew your commitment.  
Your time can mean hundreds of dollars for the Church of St. Luke.

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## IF YOU HAVE NEVER REGISTERED YOUR REWARDS CARD ONLINE

**NOTE: Ralphs has a secured website, these procedures will apply to everyone who has not entered their email address and assigned a password.**

1. Log in to [www.ralphps.com](http://www.ralphps.com)
2. Click on 'Create an Account'
3. Follow the 5 easy steps to create an online account
4. You will be instructed to go to your email inbox to confirm your account
5. After you confirm your online account by clicking on the link in your email, return to [www.ralphps.com](http://www.ralphps.com) and click on 'my account' (you may have to sign in again first).
6. View your information & edit as needed
7. Link your card to our organization by clicking on 'edit my community contribution' 8. Follow the instructions

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## IF YOU HAVE ALREADY REGISTERED YOUR REWARDS CARD ON-LINE

**(This means that you have already entered your email address and assigned yourself a password)**

1. Log in to [www.ralphps.com](http://www.ralphps.com)
2. Click Sign In
3. Enter your email address and password
4. Click on 'My Account' (In the top right hand corner)
5. View all your information and edit as necessary
6. Click on "Community Rewards".
7. Link your card to your organization by clicking on 'edit community contribution program info' and following the instructions. Find **Church of St. Luke** or **83930**

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*Question:* What if I or my family members don't have access to a computer or an email address, how do I donate to my favorite organization?

**Answer:** *There is an alternate registration method, a scanbar letter.*



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**Take this copy to the store the next time you shop and scan it within your order along with your rewards card or phone number and you will be linked with your organization for the duration of the current term.**

*Question:* What if I don't know what my card number is because I use my phone number?

**Answer:** *Just call our Ralphs rewards card hotline at 1-800-660-9003. Let the representative know that you need ALL digits to your card in order to register for the Community Contributions program.*

**HAVE QUESTIONS NOT ANSWERED HERE?**

**Please contact Ralphs at 1-800-443-4438 Monday – Friday, 8am – 4pm**