



THE LIGHT for St. Luke

Thanks, St. Luke!!!

On behalf of the school community and School Council, we would like to thank our parents and students for their participation in the Entertainment Book Sale. **We sold each and every book!** Well done! We have sent our final accounting to the Entertainment Company, and cannot accept any DEMO books back at this time. Any families with outstanding books will need to keep the book and either sell the book or pay the \$20 for it.



Above, from left: Mrs. Ortiz, Mrs. Kahlich, Mrs. Alonzo, Mrs. Tijerina, Mrs. Cano, Mrs. Caballero, Mrs. Hinojosa, Mrs. Gutierrez, Mrs. Cantu, Mrs. Knisley, and Mrs. Pena.

A VERY SPECIAL THANKS to Angie and Henry Alonzo and their team for all of their hard work during the sale. Your time and energy are tremendous gifts to our school and our children. God bless you for your willingness to serve. Please, when you see the Alonzos and any of the others who served on the team, say "Thanks!"

Classroom Blessings

This Sunday, 30 September, at the 11 a.m. Mass, we will be recognizing the Men's Club, the PTC, the School Council, and the maintenance staff for their work in room renovations in the fifth grade classrooms this summer. At the close of Mass, we will have a brief announcement, thanking publicly those who donated funds to this project (which is a yearly part of our five-year plan, 2007-2012). Then we will invite all to walk over to the fifth grade classrooms for a blessing of the rooms by Father Jim, and an open house for those interested in viewing the rooms. We would like to thank Larry Faulk, Frank Adair, Eddie Estrada, Albert Almanza, and Claudia Vasquez for their work this summer in those classrooms. All of the labor was done internally. We also extend a very special thank you to Claudia and Michael Vasquez for their donation of oak shelving. The Vasquez family purchased from Holy Rosary over 30 large and mid-sized oak shelving that has been installed in classrooms throughout our school, replacing older shelving.

Text of the Plaques to be placed in the classrooms:
*Room Re-Dedication – St. Luke PTC & Men's Club
 September 30, 2007*

This plaque recognizes the contributions of the St. Luke Catholic School Parent-Teacher Club and the St. Luke Men's Club. Their donated funds were used to renew this classroom for another decade of service to our children. We continue to hold up the example of these fine women and men of our community, who serve following the examples given to us in Mary our Mother, Joseph, and Jesus Christ our Lord.



*With love and respect,
 The Children of St. Luke Catholic School*

UPCOMING CALENDAR

		26	27	28	Friday, 28 Sept. 8:00-8:30 a.m. Coffee and donuts in café for parents, w/ Principal, Sch. Coun., & PTC	
		Vball @ home vs. St. Gregory Soccer vs. St. Monica @ St. Matt	AS Mass led by 5A & 5B Vball @ home vs. Concordia	Noon Dismissal Teacher Prof. Dev., afternoon Fl. Fball @ home vs. Holy Name, 5 p.m.		St. Luke Vball Tourney
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
 CYO Basketball Registration, 10 a.m.—2 p.m.	Soccer vs. St. Pius @ Holy Spirit Vball @ home vs. St. Paul	Soccer vs. St. James @ St. Matt	Soccer vs. St. James @ St. Matt	Room Parents Mtg., Halloween Carnival, 6:30, GCL Vball @ St. James	AS Mass led by 8A PTC Lunch, Pizza Ent. Book Sales Pizza & Ice Cream Parties Fl. Fball @ home vs. St. Phillip of Jesus	Golf practice, Alamo, 8-10 a.m. (29 Sept. & 6 Oct.)

Soccer Team

Congratulations to the soccer team for their wins against St. Cecilia (12-0) and Holy Spirit (7-0). The next soccer game is this afternoon against St. Monica at St. Matthew's fields. The soccer rebels are 7-0 for the season.

Flag Football

The flag football team was off last week; their next game is Friday, Sept. 28, 5:00 p.m. against Holy Name at home (Bert Stott Field).

Volleyball

The first district game was played on Mon., Sept. 24 at St. Anthony H. S. A and B teams beat St. Anthony Eagles two out of three games. Come out and support your teams this coming weekend as they battle with other schools in our 1st St. Luke Volleyball Tournament (Sept. 28-29). The next district game is Sept. 27 at home vs. Concordia.

Go Rebels!

Pictured below are the A and B Girls and Boys Cross Country teams. They swept the AIAL Cross Country meet, winning all four team competitions. Congratulations!



PTC

PTC Pizza Lunch

St. Luke PTC will be sponsoring a Papa John's Pizza Lunch on Friday, October 2, 2007. If your child wants to order lunch, please complete an order form for each child and return with cash or check by Wednesday, Oct. 3. Payment for multiple orders may be combined in one check. Order forms were sent home today. Extra order forms are available in the School Office. Any questions—call Terre Figueroa @ 256.1473.



St. Luke Cheerleader Clinic

All St. Luke girls in grades PK-5th are invited to participate in a cheer clinic sponsored by St. Luke Cheerleaders. All participants will perform at halftime during the St. Luke Flag Football game on Friday, Oct. 12 at 4:30 p.m. The cheer clinic will take place on Saturday, Oct. 6, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the St. Luke Gym. The cost for the clinic is \$20, and includes a T-Shirt for the performance. For more information, contact Sandra Mendoza @ 684.9529 or 355.1486. Registration forms are available in the school office. Deadline to register is Fri., 9/28.

FROM THE COUNSELOR

**Parent Presentation
Safe Environment/Child Abuse
Prevention**

*Friday, Sept. 28, 11:00 a.m.
St. Luke School Library*



**NOON DISMISSAL
REMINDER**

A reminder that students will be dismissed at Noon to allow for Teacher Professional Development on Friday, September 28. After school care will be available. Students staying for after school care need to pack a sack lunch as the cafeteria is closed on Noon dismissal days.

Coffee Talk

Join us for coffee and donuts on Friday, Sept. 28 from 8:00-8:30 a.m. in the cafeteria. We encourage parents to stay after they drop off their children and mingle with the Principal, School Council, and PTC to talk about the school year, and volunteer opportunities.

From the Parish Office

As of October 1, Mass times will change to the following schedule: Sunday Masses will be at 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Morning Mass will also be celebrated on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday and Saturday mornings will remain communion services at 8:15 a.m.