



The Light

St. Luke Catholic School

February 8, 2017



"I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life"

Jn 8:12

Re-registration 2017-2018, Current School Families February 22 and February 23, 3:30 to 6:30 pm, Parish Hall

Re-registration packets for continuing school families will be given out at that time. The registration fee that applies to your family is due in full. All school accounts (tuition, After-school Care, library, fundraising fee, etc., must be up-to-date in order for a family to re-register). Please contact Lisa Holguin at 210-286-2489 if you have any questions regarding your 2016-2017 fundraising fee balance.

2017-2018 Registration Fees

	In-Parish	Out-of-Parish
1 Student	\$275.00	\$300.00
2 Students	\$325.00	\$350.00
3 Students	\$375.00	\$400.00
4 Students	\$425.00	\$450.00

Box Tops Drive Update

There is still time for any of our homerooms to take the lead and win the Sweet Treat Party. The last day to turn in Box Tops for the Sweet Treat Contest is Fri., Feb. 24. The top three homerooms to date: 1B—747; 4B—673; and 7B—530. The total number of Box Tops collected school wide so far: 5,309. [Please click for a list of Box Tops participating products.](#) Thank you for clipping Box Tops!

Coming Soon! Talent Show Tryouts

It's that time of year again. This year's Talent Show is scheduled for May 9th. Students are encouraged to contribute their God given talents. Tryouts will be held after school on Monday, March 27th, Wednesday, March 29th, and Thursday, March 30th. More information to follow in upcoming Light newsletters.

Thank You!!!

Thank you St. Luke parents, PTC, School Council, and Room Parents for all the support, effort, and attendance for and during our Cowboy Breakfast and many Catholic Schools Week activities. St. Luke is so blessed to have such a fantastic community of parents!

Candy Grams Sponsored by the Beta Club

Beta Club members will be selling Candy Grams before and after school through Feb. 13. This year, there are six designs to choose from. These prayer-blessings will be hand-delivered on Valentine's Day.

Please help us to assure that each student and faculty member receives one of the up-beat cards with candy. Candy Grams cost \$1.00 each and all proceeds benefit the Beta Club Scholarship Fund.

Thank you for supporting this annual Valentine Fundraiser!




PTC Chick-fil-A Lunch—February

This month's PTC Lunch is scheduled for Friday, February 24. If you have not placed an order through Yearly Pay, please place your order by 3:30pm, Thursday, February 16. You can pay for both Chick-fil-A lunches this semester (Feb. 24 & Apr. 21) or just for the Chick-fil-A lunch on Feb. 24.

[Please click here for the Semester Pay form.](#)

[Please click here for the order form only for the month of Feb.](#)

 St. Luke Catholic School <i>Virtue of the Month for February: Love</i>			8 Midpoint 3rd Q. Beginner Strings	9 Mass led by 7B <u>NO Advanced Strings</u> <u>Basketball A-Girls Championship Game, 7pm, Holy Cross High School</u>	10 Deficiency notices go home	11
12	13 Extracurricular re-/eligibility begins <i>Intermediate Strings</i> Registration (<i>new families</i>) 2017-2018, Parishioners more than 1 yr.	14 Choir After-school ART Class	15 <u>NO Beginner Strings</u> 3rd Grade First Reconciliation, 6:30pm, Church	16 Mass led by 1st Grade Advanced Strings Scrabble Club	17 NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL, Mon., Feb. 20

Congratulations Lady Rebels!

Many congratulations to the girls and their coaches. The girls basketball team defeated OLPH in their semifinal match yesterday. Best of luck to the girls as they face St. Mary's- Fredericksburg for the AIAL championship. Come out and support the Lady Rebels tomorrow at 7:00pm, Holy Cross High School.

Go Rebels!

Homeroom Group Photos Pre-Kinder through 7th Gr.

Mark your calendar
Tuesday, February 28
Pictures must be prepaid.
Order forms will be sent home on
Wednesday, February 15, and are
due back by picture day.

World's Finest Chocolate Sale Continues through Feb 16

[Please follow this link](#) to read the flyer with more details, including information on how to qualify for

Top Prizes

- 1st Prize—\$400 tuition voucher
- 2nd Prize—X Box One
- 3rd Prize—Wireless Beats

For families who selected the "Participate" option for meeting their fundraising fee, this is the last fundraiser for this school year.

Need more chocolate? Pick up and money drop off on **Sat., Feb. 11, 10am to 12pm**, School Office Hallway.

Please contact Roberta Bernal at 210-837-9395, Candace Gallegos at 210-364-0903, or Gladys Appelt at 210-392-5245 with any questions.

All monies due February 16th.



2017 Catholic Creative Arts Contest

During the month of January, students in grades 1—8 participated in this year's CAAC Creative Arts Contest. Students were given the opportunity to design their own expression of their understanding of the concept of "stewardship" They were encouraged to use their lively imaginations and freedom of thought to express themselves creatively in the categories of poetry, creative writing, and art. Winning entries from each grade are being showcased outside the art classroom (Rm. 310, 1st floor, middle school building). Top winners and honorable mention recipients will be included in a commemorative book.

The following students were selected to compete in the Archdiocesan-wide competition:

Art: Madisyn Gil, 1st gr.; Isabella Vasquez, 2nd gr.; Serenity Gomez, 3rd gr.; Chau Nguyen, 4th gr.; Madison Galan, 5th gr.; Aldrin Victoriano, 6th gr.; Joseph Gonzalez, 7th gr.; Corryne Tidwell, 8th gr.

Poetry: Dean Gerry, 1st gr.; Jonah Melendez, 2nd gr.; Henry Neff, 3rd gr.; Octavio Martinez, 4th gr.; Haley Carder, 5th gr.; Cierrah Acuña-Garcia, 6th gr.; A J Wylie, 7th gr.

Creative Writing: Gabriel Mejia, 8th gr.

Here are two examples of our students' outstanding work:

Stewards of God's Creation By Octavio Luis Martinez, 4th Gr.

Let us follow the Holy Father's words,
And love God's creation from the flowers to the birds.
Undeniable is our earthly call.
Dare to respect, from the big to the small.
Adoring God in His creation below,
To protect the unborn and watch as they grow.
Oldest to youngest, stewards we should be.

Singular vessel of devotion, help it begin with me.

Stewardship By Albert Wylie, 7th Gr.

What are we here for? Riches and jewels?
What more would we be than jealous fools:
To serve God is our angle,
The poor and downtrodden, I thank you!
For helping me to find The Ultimate Goal
To serve the lame, blind, deaf, and humble
Sans all this earthly, material jumble
This seed of hope, I am willing to sew



For the 2017-2018 school year, tuition payments will be processed through FACTS tuition management. FACTS offers St. Luke families lower annual fees, reduced late fees, it is more user friendly and approved by the Archdiocese of San Antonio. [Follow this link for more information.](#)



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