

St. Luke Catholic Elementary School

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NewsBrief

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Testing Week: Be sure your child gets a good breakfast and plenty of rest.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

September 22nd – 24th: Standardized Testing Week

September 24th: Gift Wrap Sale Ends at 3:30 PM

(Late orders will not qualify for prizes)

6 PM Casino Night Meeting – Room 6

September 25th: Festival T-Shirt Day

2:30 PM Student Senate Rally

September 30th: \$1 Paid Dress

October 2nd: First Friday Mass (Full Mass Uniform)

Picture Day (Red Sweaters Required)

October 7th: Noon Dismissal – Faculty Meeting

October 8th: 7 PM SLACS Parent Meeting

Included in this week's Newsbrief:

- ✓ Letter from Ms. Simon (MUST READ)
- ✓ October Calendar
- ✓ Book Fair Information
- ✓ Running Club Registration
- ✓ St. Luke Bells Choir Information
- ✓ Picture Order Form
(to be turned in on picture day)
- ✓ Lunch Order Form

Parent Volunteers Needed Casino Night Fundraiser

Let's make fundraising enjoyable!

We are looking for parent volunteers to join us this year in planning our 1st Casino Night Fundraiser. Have fun and earn PPP Hours planning a great event for our school. If you're interested in joining this committee or would like to find out more about this event please join us on **Thursday, September 24th at 6 PM in Room 6.**

Any questions call Darci at 943-0786.

Washington D.C. Meeting

September 30th
6 PM in Room 6

7th Grade Planning Meeting

September 30th
3:15 PM in Room 6

Friday, September 25th will be our first Festival T-shirt Day. Students may wear their Red Festival T-Shirt with UNIFORM Bottoms. Otherwise regular uniform is enforced.

The Gift Wrap/Frozen Food Sale is coming to an end. Please turn in all order forms and money to the school office by 3:30 ON 9/24. All orders that are received by the deadline will be eligible for prizes, anything received after the deadline will NOT be eligible for prizes.

Mustang Matrix

Next **Wednesday, Sept 30**, the Matrix Permission slip will be going home allowing us to send these tickets home with your child. **Keep in mind this is our only Mandatory Fundraiser** and each family is required to sell 20 tickets at \$10 per ticket. This year any ticket stubs and money not turned in by November 5th will be assessed a \$25 late fee and any tickets that have not been sold will be added to your FACTS Tuition in December.

HELP

We are in need of donations of food and/or money for this year's Feast of St. Luke Scholarship Mass and Reception.

We will need orange juice, grapes, strawberries, donuts, bagels and cream cheese, coffee cakes or cookies. (*Fruits need to be washed prior to delivery*).

You will receive 1 PPP hour for each \$10's of cash or \$10's worth of food or beverage you donate. (*Remember you must submit your receipt with your food donations*).

Urgent you contact Grandma Gail by Monday, October 12th, before she goes shopping. Call 931-4144 or 481-230...you can leave a message...hope you can help. **Thanks!**

Every year St. Luke School participates in the Susan G. Komen National Lee Denim Day. All proceeds from this fundraiser go directly to help find a cure for breast cancer.

This year St. Luke School is participating in the Susan G. Komen Passionate Pink Day.

On October 5, for a \$2/child or \$5/adult we are asking that families show their support by wearing everything pink! Pink Hair, Pink Shoes, Anything PINK (predominantly pink top, denim pants is ok). **If you opt not to wear pink you must be in school uniform.**

⌘ We will also have a **Pink Silent Auction** running from 10/5 – 10/9. Come by the office and see all things pink, place a bid and remember ALL proceeds go to breast cancer research.

Lost and Found

There are two pair of children's glasses in the office. If your child has lost their glasses please come by and take a look.

Mustang Matrix



**Congratulations to our winner:
Laura Rodriguez**

Did you know...

... that **7th grade** is a Super Class and **Mrs. Novara** would like to welcome all of her new students, **Abriana, Tatiana, Christian, Stephanie, Dycember, and Hannah** to our school. We are so happy to have all of you here and you are such a great addition to our class. ☺

... that **Room 5** acted out some of Jesus' parables last week.

... that **12 fifth grade students** have earned an A+ in spelling.

...**Mrs. Sanders** and the **whole third grade class** want to say that our new student Thomas is a joy!

...that **Mrs. Curtis** and **Mrs. Simon** were very impressed with the maturity and eagerness of the **Student Senate** members on their retreat.

... **Student Senate** is having a rally at 2:30 on Friday. They will teach you the school's new song and go over upcoming activities for the year!

... that third grade had their Chapter 1 Math Test and all did well! Congrats!

... we want to wish happy birthday to **Donald Wuellner** who just celebrated his 9th birthday....Happy Birthday!

... **Jacob Zanini** is First Grade **Star of the Week**. He wants to be a police officer when he grows up. Jacob is a star because he "is nice, has many friends and likes to play with them." Congratulations Jacob!!

.. **Angelina Haskell-Raney** supplied Kindergarten with a 24 pack of new playdough. Thank you!

...that **Ms. Miguelino** (Sophia in 3rd grade's mom) **Mrs. D'Souza** (Julianne in Kindergarten's mom) got the Houghton Mifflin Reading Materials for us. Thank you so much!

Parking Lot Safety

Families are still entering the parking lot on Fulton Street at a High Speed. Entrance and Parking lot speed limit is 5 MPH.

Please obey the Safety Patrol when they say slow down, no parking, etc. They are there for your safety and the safety of our children.

Beginning next week WARNINGS will go home to those families who continue to NOT follow the parking lot guidelines.

CYO Girls Basketball Score

4th Grade

St. Luke White -16 vs. Sacred Heart - 6
St. Luke Red 8 vs. St. Anne - 10

5th Grade

St. Luke - 6 vs. St. Anne - 36
St. Luke - 13 vs. Annunciation - 8

6th Grade

St. Luke - 26 vs. St. Michael - 10
St. Luke - 54 vs. Sacred Heart - 3

Sr. Trinity

7th & 8th Grade

St. Luke - 50 vs. Annunciation - 5

GO LADY MUSTANGS!

Parent Power

There are many ways you can support your child's learning and school. Here are a few ideas:

- ♥ Spend a few minutes every evening looking over handouts your youngster brings home. Fill our forms to return the next day.
- ♥ Tell your child's teachers if you can help them out at school or home.
- ♥ Make sure teachers know you appreciate their efforts. From time to time, send a thank-you note or an email.
- ♥ Contact your child's teacher immediately if you see a problem. Working together will help your youngster succeed.
- ♥ Attend conferences, parent meetings, and school events regularly.

For more information and other helpful tips visit www.rfeonline.com.