



## April 5, 2015 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

On this day of days we offer a joyful sacrifice of praise to the Father who raised his Son from the dead. Let us be intent upon the life Christ offers us.

### Readings for April 12, 2015

1<sup>st</sup> Acts 4:32-35  
2<sup>nd</sup> 1 John 5:1-6  
Gospel John 20:19-31



### MASS INTENTIONS April 5 - 11, 2015

6:30 AM	Alberto Bondoc	
7:30 AM	Babe Paul & Anna Bane	
8:45 AM	George Diep	
10:15 AM	Joshua Aquino & Maria Bravo	
11:45 AM	St. Luke Parishioners	
1:15 PM	Jose and Lupita Rodriguez & Family	
	No 5:30 pm mass on Easter Sunday.	
Monday	8:30	<i>Thanksgiving</i> – Stephanie Canton-Galvez
Tuesday	8:30	Virginia Vasquez
Wednesday	8:30	Albert Novo
Thursday	8:30	Emiliano & Praxedes Sabandal
Friday	8:30	Catalina Alviar Medalla
Saturday	8:30	Maria Le
	5:30	Kenneth Stockwell

**Note:** There is only one daily mass the week of April 6 – 10, at 8:30 am in the church as school is in recess for Easter break.



### DEATHS

Please pray for the soul of Susan Romena who passed away this week. May God grant her eternal rest and bring consolation to her family.



### EYE ON FINANCE

#### Plate Collections

March 22, 2015	\$	10,156.00
March 29, 2015		11,566.00
Emergency Assistance		2,903.00

### SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection today supports the *Diocesan Assessment*; next weekend will support *St. Luke Catholic Elementary School*. Thank you for your continued generosity.

### RICE BOWLS

There will be baskets in the sanctuary for the next two weekends to collect Rice Bowls. Please make checks to St. Luke Church with "Rice Bowl" in the *Memo* line. Thanks for helping the "poorest of the poor."

### FOOD FOR FAMILIES



The weekend of April 18 & 19, the Knights of Columbus will be in the parking lot after all masses collecting non-perishable food items to help stock the shelves of the Catholic Charities Food Pantry. Remember to pick up an extra can or two of something each time you shop and bring them that weekend. Your donations are much appreciated.



### FRUIT OF THE VINE

St. Luke Catholic Elementary School cordially invites you to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual

### **Fruit of the Vine: Food, Beer, & Wine Stroll**

on Saturday, April 18, 2015 from 6 – 10 pm on the St. Luke campus. This is a 21 and over event, and will feature fabulous live music, an array of restaurant and food vendors and offerings from local wineries and craft breweries. All funds raised will directly benefit the students of St. Luke School. Tickets NOW on sale for \$30 each. Contact the school office, 464-0801 for tickets or more information. To see current vendors, go to [www.stlukestockton.com](http://www.stlukestockton.com) and click on *Fruit of the Vine: Food, Beer, and Wine Stroll*.



### CELEBRATE!

The Children of God Prayer Group will celebrate its 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on Saturday, April 11 in the gym. As part of the celebration, a dinner, catered by Angelina's, will be served. The cost of the dinner is \$10 per person. (Prepaid reservation is required.) There will be a concert, raffles, and entertainment. Doors will open at 5:30 pm with dinner served at 6:00 pm. Everyone is welcome. For more information, please call Vivian at 477-1668.

### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

The Feast of Divine Mercy will be held in St. Luke's Church, Sunday, April 12. Gathering and sign-in will begin at 2:30 pm with Eucharistic Exposition, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and Benediction to follow at 3 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.



### MAKE YOUR GOOD MARRIAGE GREAT!

Plan to go on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend June 12 – 14 in Turlock or October 2 – 4 in Modesto. Register early – weekends fill up quickly! For more information, call John and Angelica at 691-0603 or visit the website at [www.stocktonwwme.org](http://www.stocktonwwme.org).

## **CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH**

April is national Child Abuse Prevention Month. As part of our effort to keep you informed about child abuse and neglect and protecting our children, there will be a short insert in each week's bulletin during the month of April. For information on how you can become more informed and involved in keeping our children safe, please call:

*Linda Dillen*  
*Benefits Manager/Diocesan Training Coordinator*  
*Safe Environment*  
*Diocese of Stockton*  
*209-466-0636*

## **HOW TO REPORT COMPLAINTS OR ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE IN THE DIOCESE OF STOCKTON**

The Diocese of Stockton treats all complaints of sexual abuse seriously and deals with such allegations in a confidential, prompt, and thorough manner with compassion and consideration for all those involved.

To make a complaint of sexual abuse against anyone acting in the name of the Catholic Church, you may do so in writing or by telephone. Whether the abuse was recent or occurred many years in the past, contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 209-466-0636, extension 604, or in writing to 212 N. San Joaquin Street, Stockton, California, 95202, marked "confidential" and directed to the attention of the Victim Assistance Coordinator.



## **RETROUVAILLE – MARRIAGE RECOVERY**

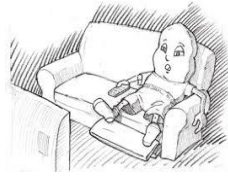
Is your marriage in trouble – miserable – dead? Would you like it to come alive?

Rediscover each other. Retrouvaille can give you communication skills so that you can relate to each other on a new emotional and mature plane. For a schedule of upcoming weekends or more information, call 800-470-2230 or visit the website at [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com).

## **HAS ABORTION LEFT YOU WITH A BROKEN HEART?**



Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild, and redeem hearts broken by abortion. The weekend offers a supportive, and non-judgmental environment to transform the pain of the past into love and hope. Women, men, and couples are encouraged to attend. The next weekend will be April 24-26, 2015. Space is limited. Sign up now! All inquiries are completely confidential. For retreat details contact: Kim Fuentes, 209-465-5433 or [kfuentes@stocktondiocese.org](mailto:kfuentes@stocktondiocese.org).



OR



## **WHAT DO YOU HAVE PLANNED FOR YOUR CHILD THIS SUMMER?**

It should include St. Luke Salesian **SUMMER CAMP !**

**For kids entering grades 1 – 8, June 22 – July 17.**

**Join us here at St. Luke's for 1, 2, 3, or all 4 weeks!**

*Early bird registration begins April 25. Call the St. Luke's Youth Office at 942-1026 for details!!*

## **2015 PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND**

Father Ric Fernando will lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Israel and Jordan from November 23 through December 4, 2015 (11 days; 10 nights). Sites include but are not limited to: Cesaria, Roman remains, Amphitheater and Aqueduct, Elijah's Cave, Mt. of Beatitudes, Holy Sepulcher, Jericho, and much, much more! Daily mass, and plenty of time for shopping! Deadline for ordering tickets is April 15! Call Mrs. Astrid Antaran, 478-4815 or 423-2601 or Father Ric at 948-3450 to book your reservation.

## **2016 HOLY YEAR PILGRIMAGE**

Bishop Stephen Blaire will be leading a diocesan pilgrimage from June 1 through June 11, 2016 to Rome for the Holy Year. Visits to Venice, Florence, Assisi and Orvieto will be included. More detailed information will be available shortly after Easter. Visit the Diocesan website at [www.stocktondiocese.org](http://www.stocktondiocese.org) frequently for more information about the pilgrimage and other Diocesan events.

## **THANKS AND MUCHAS GRACIAS!**

Many hands make for light work! This past Saturday Easter Church cleaning was wonderful and St. Luke's wishes to thank all who participated. Our school 8th graders, Confirmation students, and Youth Group really worked hard scraping gum, hand scrubbing stairs and waxing all the pews - they deserve an extra *Thank You!* This was truly a Lenten service to our Church!

## **CUSTODIAL WORKERS WANTED**

Wisdom Elite, LLC is a government contractor and is looking for custodial workers to fill long-term positions in the Stockton area. Duties include office bathroom cleaning/restocking, dusting, vacuuming, and mopping. Starting pay is \$17 per hour. For more information or to apply, contact Dr. Tony Aparicio at 307-421-6215.