

ST. LUCY PARISH eNews - August 2014

Parish Picnic - Save the Date
Saturday, September 20 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM



Join your fellow parishioners for the 2nd annual Parish Picnic on Saturday, September 20th 11am-2pm, at John D. Morgan Park at the corner of Budd and San Tomas Expressway. **A BBQ lunch will be provided.** Games and fun are included! The suggested *donation to attend* is \$2/person, or \$5/family. Signups for both attendees and volunteers will be held after all Masses on the weekends of August 16-17th and August 23-24th.

Volunteers Needed for St. Lucy:

- **Picnic Committee member** - Need Spanish speaking parishioner to help plan event and register participants and volunteers at 1pm mass. Contact Jessica Dowling at 408 489-2829 or jessdowling@outlook.com.
- **Picnic "Day of Event" volunteer** - Need 30 volunteers (day of event only) to make the Parish Picnic happen. Tasks will include decorating picnic area, serving food, prepping food, welcoming registrants, set up, clean up, and assisting with games. Contact Jessica Dowling at 408 489-2829 or jessdowling@outlook.com.
- **St. Lucy Commission members** - We are seeking additional Commission members on all Commissions. Each St. Lucy Ministry should send a representative to their Commission. Commission members share what their ministry is doing and any needs they have with their Commission at our monthly meeting. If you have questions or want to represent your ministry, training is scheduled for August 14 at 7:00 PM in PAC-A or contact Christy Masleid at 650-823-5244 or cmasleid@comcast.net.

Faith Formation Registration - In Progress

Catechetical Registrations for children, youth and adults are still open in our Faith Formation Programs. Do not wait until the last day, we *will close the registration on Sunday, August 30th* as we start the sessions in the middle of September. If you are interested in preparing your child or yourself for the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation, please stop by the parish office to get a registration packet and more information:

Address:
 2350 Winchester Blvd
 Campbell, CA 95008
 Phone: (408) 378-2464

Upcoming Events - August 2014

Date	Time	Event	Location
All Wednesdays	2:30 PM	Vietnamese Prayer Group	Church
All Thursdays	9:00 AM to 5:45 PM 5:45 PM	Adoration Benediction	Church
All Sundays	7:30 PM to 9:00 PM	Life Teen	PAC-A/B/C
All Mondays	7:00 PM	Scripture Study - Letters from Prison	PAC-B Starts Aug 11 Contact Jim Miller (408) 377-5070 jamesa_miller@hotmail.com
July 27	3:00 PM	Cameroon African Mass	Lally
July 28	All Day	SVDP - School Backpack Program	Last Day. Call or come by Office 408 378-2464
July 31	6:30 PM	Grupo de Oracion - Spanish Bible Study	PAC-B & PAC-C
Aug 1 - First Fridays	7:30 PM	Young Adult Praise and Worship Night	PAC-A/B/C
Aug 6 - First Wednesdays	7:00 PM	Filipino & Friends	PAC-B
Aug 13	6:00 PM	Novena with Rosary	Church
Aug 15	6:30 PM - English 8:00 PM - Spanish	Holy Day - Assumption	Church

Aug 28	7:00 PM	Leadership Monthly Meeting - Commissions and Pastoral Council	PAC-A/B/C
Aug 31	3:00 PM	Cameroon African Mass	Lally

St. Lucy Ministries - Parish Picnic Planning Committee
by Jessica Dowling

Why did I choose the Parish Picnic Planning Committee?

I created this committee as the parish saw a need to host more events to promote fellowship within the parish as part of the Parish Assessment and Renewal (PAR) process a couple of years ago. I personally have fond memories of my childhood parish's summer picnics and I wanted to recreate that experience at St. Lucy's.

Why do I keep doing it? I love event planning and feel that having such events at the parish is important. A critical component to making people feel welcome at the parish is creating opportunities for people to get to know one another and have fun together. This fits the bill perfectly.

Why would I recommend it to a friend? It's a great way to get involved in a fun event and a good way to get to know other parishioners. I feel like I am contributing something important to the parish and helping to create special memories. The committee is nice for people who like to event plan. In addition, we also need people who would like to get involved on the day of the event with doing things such as cutting melon, serving food, welcoming and handing out name tags.

If you would like to join the Parish Picnic volunteer team or if you have questions, please contact Jessica Dowling at 408 489-2829 or jessdowling@outlook.com.

Where in the World is St. Lucy?

According to legend, St. Lucy (a.k.a. Santa Lucia) was a Sicilian Christian who lived in the 300's and was martyred for refusing to renounce her Christian faith. Sicilians are not the only ones who celebrate our patroness: Other countries, as varied as mainland Italy, Croatia and the Scandinavian countries, have traditions surrounding Santa Lucia and celebrate her feast day in their own ways. How fitting that our multicultural parish has a multicultural patron saint!

3rd Sunday Food Collection

Join your fellow parishioners to help the poor! If each family brings just one of the following items, we will have enough to fill 100 bags or more!!! Put it on your calendar for every month.

Rice - 1-2 lb bag	Dry Beans - 1-2 lb	Fruit - cans	Vegetables - cans
Cereal	Peanut Butter	Jelly or Jam	Tuna - can
Whole meals - cans: chili, ravioli, stew, etc.	Pasta sauce - can Pasta - 1 lb pkg	Mac & Cheese	Soup - can

Back to School Backpack Program

The Annual SVDP Backpack Program is in progress. It's not too late to make your donation!!! Having a backpack (NO Blue or Red) full of school supplies makes such a difference to a child! Families can call the Outreach Office at 408-378-8086 to request a backpack. Donors can bring supplies and backpacks to Mass this weekend - July 26/27, use a pink envelope indicating SVDP-Backpack, drop by, or call the Parish Office at 408-378-2464 with your credit card number.



St. Lucy Links... Parish Office: 408-378-2464

St. Lucy Parish Website – <http://www.stlucy-campbell.org/>

Bulletins - <http://www.stlucy-campbell.org/AboutUs/NewsEvents/Bulletins.html>

Homilies - <http://www.stlucy-campbell.org/AboutUs/NewsEvents/events.html>

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