

August 17, 2025
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Luke Catholic Parish

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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Baptism	Claudia Egger
OCIA	Binky García & Claudia Egger
Adult Confirmation	Tom & Martha Chavez

To inquire about Marriage Preparation
call the Parish Office

RELIGIOUS FORMATION

Children & Youth	Mary Hernández
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ADULT FORMATION

Bible Study	Barbara Stonecipher
Faith & Sharing	Elba Maria Stell
Faith Enrichment	Tom Chavez
Evangelization	Dafne Aguilar

PRAYER-ORACION

Madres Unidas	Celeste Rangel-Schultz
Servidoras de Cristo	Laura Nevarez
Hijas de María	Elizabeth Arenas



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Society	Lucy Kelley
Altar Servers	Dc. Guillermo
Eucharist Ministers:	
English	Scott Nary
Spanish	Marco Cedillo
Lectors	Scott Nary
Hospitality	Tony Castañeda
Choirs:	
4:30 p.m.	Matthew Chesanek
9:00 a.m.	Martin Reyes
11:00 a.m.	Charles Leinberger
1:00 p.m.	Carlos Quiroz
4:00p.m.	Liza Chavez

SOCIAL & PASTORAL MINISTRIES

St. Vincent de Paul	Alfredo Ortega
Care/Common Home	Alexis Rivera
Fé en Acción	Laura Flores & Juan Isasi
Mujer Moderna	Patricia Sanabria
St. Luke Book Club	Claudia Egger
Knights of Columbus	Mike Chavarria
Seminarios/Sanacion	Ed & Paty Sanabria
Young Adults	Angela Bohovic

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship	Claudia Egger
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Mission Statement: *Called by the Holy Spirit, St. Luke's multi-cultural community strives to participate in the sacramental life of the Church, expand our knowledge and understanding of our Catholic faith, and extend Christ's ministry by example, in loving and serving our brothers and sisters in the border region.*

Pastor: Rev. Ed Carpenter

Religious Formation Director: Mary Hernández

Office assistants: Armida Rodriguez & Dorothy J. Miranda

Deacons: Guillermo Jiron, Carlos Viesca, Roman Bustillos and Fernando Jimenez.

Director of Ministries / Office Manager: Claudia Egger

Safe Environment Coordinator: Claudia Egger

Assisting Priest: Rev. Ed. Roden-Lucero

Masses: Saturday: 4:30 pm Sunday: 9, 11am & 4pm in English & 1 pm en Español. **Weekdays:** 7:30 am (M-F)

Confessions: Saturdays 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday 9 am. to 5 pm. & Friday 9 am. to 3 pm.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH 8:00 a.m.-9:00a.m.

Website: www.stlukeelpaso.org Bulletin Deadline, Friday noon, a week prior to bulletin publication

On- Line Giving Portal: <http://giving.parishsoft.com/dl/?uid=stl930271> **Facebook:** www.facebook.com/StLukeElPaso

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 16, 4:30 pm

Pro Populo

Sunday, August 17, 9:00 am

Wellbeing of August Quinn

† Randy Kelley

† Eugenio Jr. & Josefina Aguilar

Sunday, August 17, 11:00 am

Wellbeing of Anita Balabat

† Sofronio Balabat

† Diego Martinez

Domingo, Agosto 17, 1:00 pm

Por La Salud de Emmanuel Calderon

Bendiciones para La Familia Gandara

Sunday, August 17, 4:00 pm

Wellbeing of Dylan Fernandez

† Gabriel Matamoros

† Gabriel Bougouneau

Monday, August 18, 7:30 am

† Eugenio Jr. & Josefina Aguilar

† Margarita & Jaime Alarcon

† Victor & Marianna Alarcon

Tuesday, August 19, 7:30 am

Wellbeing of John & Mary Quinn

Wellbeing of Dylan Fernandez

† Sharon Farrenkopf

Wednesday, August 20, 7:30 am

Wellbeing of Titus Bohovic

† Margarita & Jaime Alarcon

† Victor & Marianna Alarcon

Thursday, August 21, 7:30 am

Por el Bienestar de Mary Quinn

Por el Bienestar de Dylan Fernandez

Friday, August 22, 7:30 am

† Alonso & Hortencia Solis

† Adelaida Doctolero

† Mike and Salvador Villalobos

Saturday, August 23, 4:30 pm

Wellbeing of Dylan Fernandez

† Edward R. Rodriguez

† Nicholas L. Phillips

Sunday, August 24, 9:00 am

† Yvonne Pena

† Mary Spencer

† Hortencia Jimenez

Sunday, August 24, 11:00 am

Pro Populo

Domingo, Agosto 24, 1:00 pm

† Lazarita Baca

† Humberto Baca

† Ernesto Espinoza

Sunday, August 24, 4:00 pm

† Kerry Couder

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday	Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday	Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday	Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mt 22:1-14
Friday	Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40
Saturday	Ru 2:1-3, 8-11, 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Mt 23:1-12
Sunday	Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12: 5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

Let us hold each other in prayer

Paulina Orozco, Connie De Luna, Eva Landeros, Maria Luisa Martinez, Vero Jimenez, Bill Griffin, Hugo Baca, Betty Richeson, Paul Richeson, Adrian Chavez, Andrea Emilia Bernave, Casares Family, Rios Family, Carmen Alvarado, Mateo Carreon, Josefina Rivera, Robert Rivera, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Helena Latiff, Art Muñoz, Rosa Hidalgo, Engracia Grijalva, Josh Gomez, David Rodriguez, Angela Medina, Pricilla Foster, Jesus V., Richard Castillo, Dylan Fernandez, Priscilla Foster, Cindy Davis.

† Vincent Medina, † Juan Frias, † Ramona Aguilar, † Lupita Monroy, † Alice G. Lopez, † Kenneth Bull, † Robert (Doc) Tovar, † Robert Tovar.

April 2025 Financial Report

Regular Income	82,828.15	Year-To-Date (YTD)	
Less Expenses	60,711.64	YTD Actual Income	797,862.32
Less Mortgage B	5,388.73		
Net Gain/Loss	\$16,727.78		
		Mortgage B (Additions & Repairs)	
		Beginning Bal	\$148,161.92
		Less Principal	\$5,388.73
Building Fund Bal	\$280,348.52	Ending Bal	\$142,773.19

GIVING

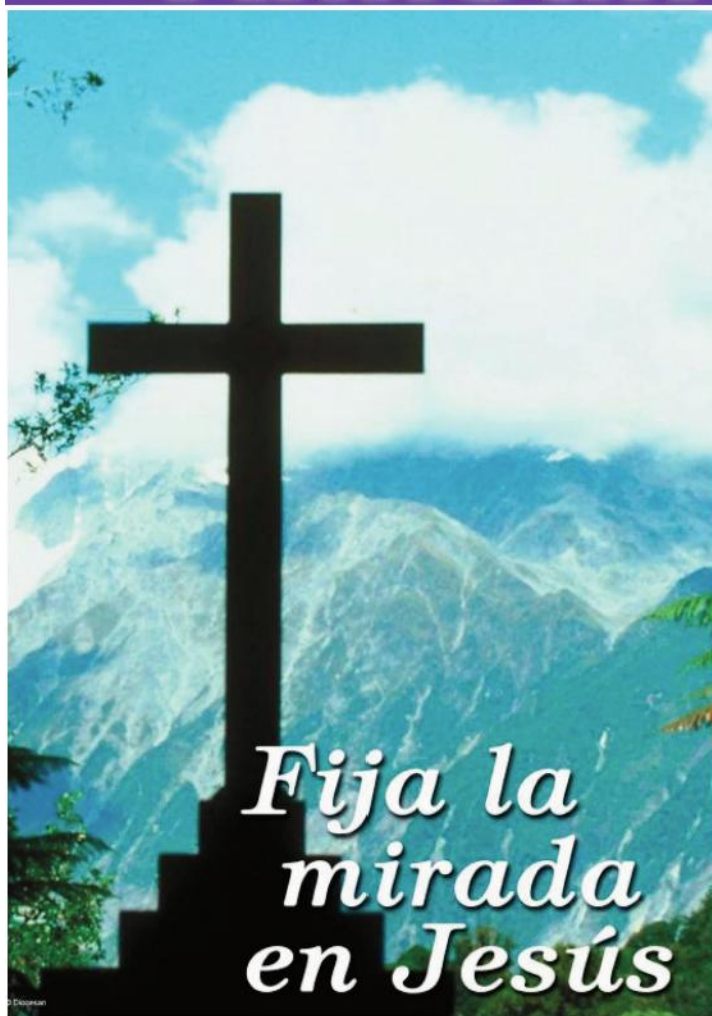
Week of August 4th --10th, 2025

Envelopes	\$ 8,981.00
Kiosk	\$830.00
Online	\$ 6,733.00
Pay Pal	\$280.00
Venmo	\$20.00
TOTAL	\$ 16,844.00

Building Fund \$237.00

Thank you for building the St. Luke family!

Announcements



Religious Formation

Registration is now open for children & adult religious formation classes in preparation for the sacraments.

You may register online on the parish website or in the parish office during regular office hours.



**Baptism will be celebrated on August 16th
in English & Spanish**

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR BAPTISM:

From the parents:

- ⇒ Copy of child's birth certificate (by the county)
- ⇒ Proof of attendance at baptism preparation class
- ⇒ Letter of permission from home parish (if you don't live in the St. Luke parish area)
- ⇒ Fee: \$10.

From the godparents (sponsors):

- ⇒ Copy of baptism certificate
- ⇒ Copy of 1st Holy Communion certificate
- ⇒ Copy of confirmation certificate
- ⇒ If married, proof of Catholic marriage
- ⇒ Proof of attendance at baptism preparation class

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:

First Saturday of the month from 10 a.m. until noon. To register, visit our website at www.stlukeelpaso.org. Cost for class is \$10/person.

Papás:

- ⇒ Cópia del acta de nacimiento del bebe (de la corte)
- ⇒ Comprobante de asistencia a clases pre-bautismales
- ⇒ Carta de permiso de la Iglesia a la que pertenecen (si viven en el área de San Lucas no es necesaria)
- ⇒ Pago: \$10.

Padrinos:

- ⇒ Cópia del certificado de Bautismo
- ⇒ Cópia de la 1era Comunión
- ⇒ Cópia del certificado de Confirmación
- ⇒ Si están casados, comprobante Católico
- ⇒ Certificado de asistencia a clases pre-bautismales

CLASES PRE-BAUTISMALES

La clase se ofrece el 1er Sábado de cada mes de 10 am a 12 pm. Si desea registrarse, favor de visitar nuestra página web en www.stlukeelpaso.org El costo es de \$10 por persona.

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Thursday, Friday:
11:30am-1:30 pm
Saturday: 4:00 pm-6:00 pm
Sunday: 9:30 am-2:30pm



Volunteers needed





Faith Enrichment Ministry

We are pleased to announce an upcoming Faith Enrichment Presentation entitled "A Catholic Call to Compassion: Responding to the World's Most Vulnerable." Join us on Monday, August 18, at 6:30 PM in the parish hall for this important event. This presentation will explore the role of Catholic Relief Services (CRS) as the international humanitarian arm of the U.S. Catholic Church, emphasizing our shared responsibility to live out our faith through global solidarity. We are honored to have Sofia Larkin as our speaker. She works with the Charitable Giving and Hispanic Development teams at CRS, the official overseas relief and development agency of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. We look forward to seeing you there!

Ministerio de Enriquecimiento de la Fe

Ministerio de Enriquecimiento de la Fe
Nos complace anunciar la próxima Presentación de Enriquecimiento de la Fe titulada "Un llamado católico a la compasión: Respondiendo a los más vulnerables del mundo". Únase a nosotros el lunes 18 de agosto a las 6:30 p.m. en el salón parroquial para este importante evento. Esta presentación explorará el papel de Servicios Católicos de Ayuda (CRS) como el brazo humanitario internacional de la Iglesia Católica de los Estados Unidos, enfatizando nuestra responsabilidad compartida de vivir nuestra fe a través de la solidaridad global. Nos sentimos honrados de tener a Sofia Larkin como nuestra oradora. Trabaja con los equipos de Donaciones Caritativas y Desarrollo Hispano en CRS, la agencia oficial de ayuda y desarrollo en el extranjero de la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos. ¡Esperamos verte allí!

Faith & Sharing Ministry

Invites you to our **Fall Book Study**
on **Thursday mornings: 9:00 am, classroom #8**

We will resume our weekly gatherings,

Thursday, September 4th

Come join us as we share refreshments and study our faith.

This fall we will be studying the documents of VATICAN II: using

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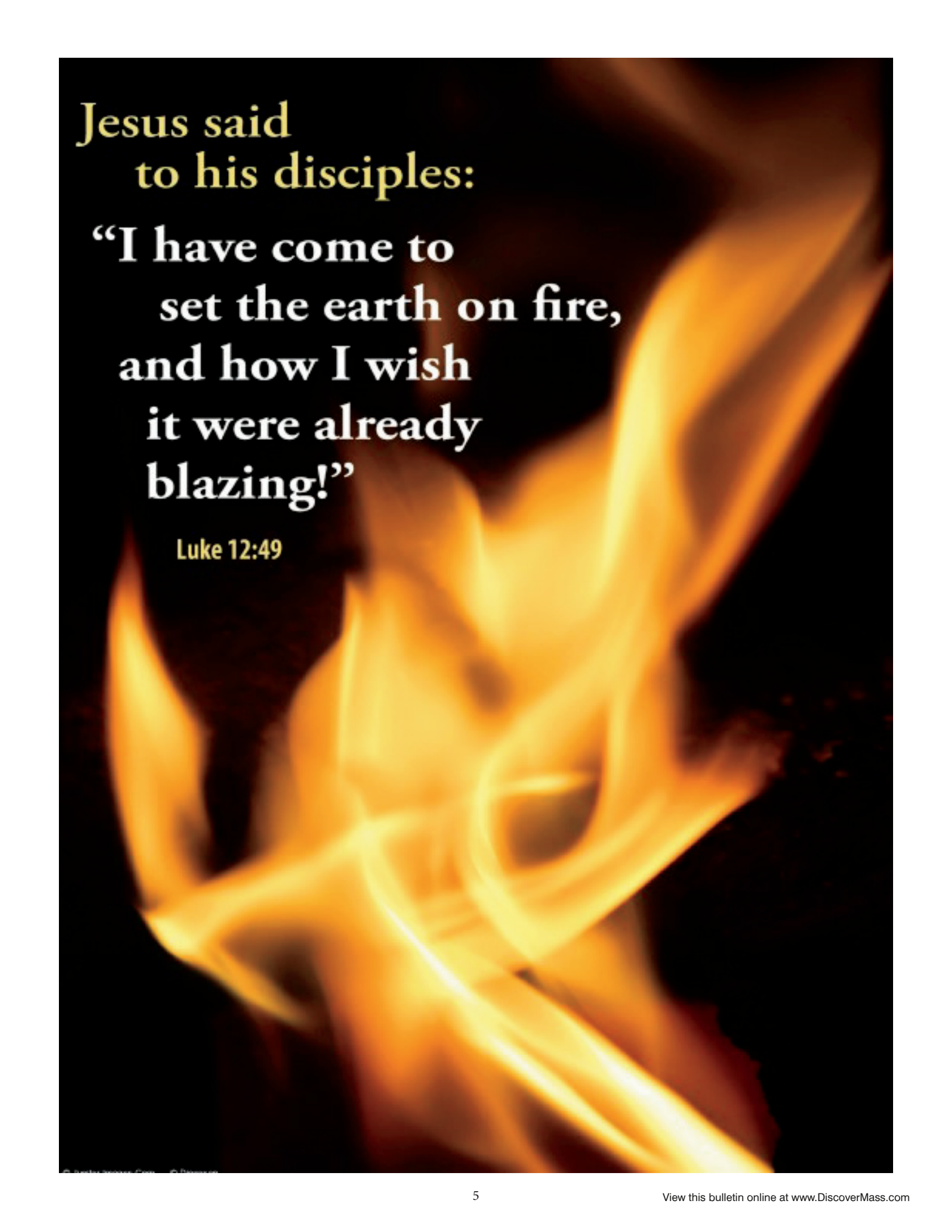
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So they took Jeremiah and threw him into the cistern of Malchijah the king's son, which was in the courtyard of the guardhouse; and they let Jeremiah down with ropes. Now in the cistern there was no water but only mud, and Jeremiah sank into the mud. Jer 38:6

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**Jesus said
to his disciples:**

**“I have come to
set the earth on fire,
and how I wish
it were already
blazing!”**

Luke 12:49

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