

December 14, 2025
Third Sunday of Advent

St. Luke Catholic Parish

930 East Redd Road

El Paso, Texas 79912

Phone: (915) 585-0255 (Church & Office)

E-mail: stlukeparish@att.net

www.stlukeelpaso.org



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

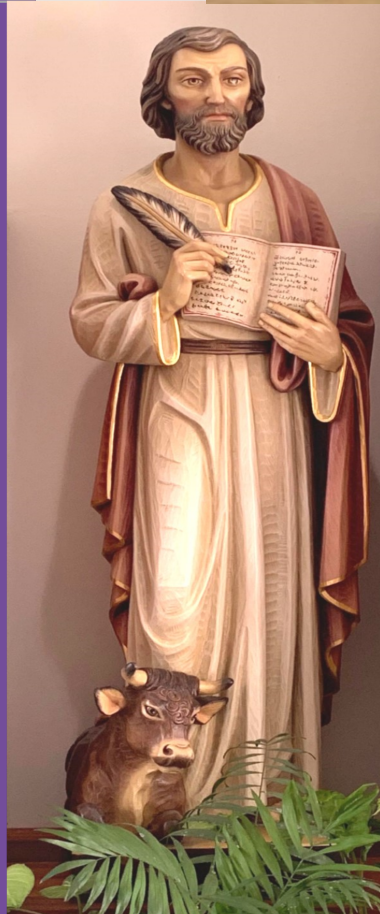
Children & Youth Mary Hernández

ADULT FORMATION

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

PRAYER-ORACION

Servidoras de Cristo Laura Nevarez
Hijas de María Sylvia Hernandez



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.	Edward Rodriguez
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

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, December 13, 4:30 pm

† Jeremy Talamantes
 † Ramon & Gloria Lara
 † Kirstin Shaeffly Castaneda

Sunday, December 14, 9:00 am

† Maria Teresa Alarcon
 † Jose de Jesus Zarate Chavez
 † Robert & Roberta Rapanut

Sunday, December 14, 11:00 am

Pro Populo

Domingo, Diciembre 14, 1:00 pm

† Alfredo, Socorro & Haydee Meza
 † Refugio & Pascual Avanceñor
 † Maria & Modesto Uro

Sunday, December 14, 4:00 pm

† Roberto A. Hernandez
 † Mariana & Victor Alarcon
 † Margarita & Jaime Alarcon

Monday, December 15, 7:30 am

† Luz & Francisco Marquez
 † Elvira & Joe Valdespino
 † Hermelinda & Rosalio Fernandez

Tuesday, December 16, 7:30 am

† Tony Ortega Jr.
 † Josephine Velez
 † Roberto & Bernarda Aguilar

Wednesday, December 17, 7:30 am

† David Maffit
 † Stephanie Gonzalez
 In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony of Padua

Thursday, December 18, 7:30 am

† Mariana & Victor Alarcon
 † Margarita & Jaime Alarcon
 † Guadalupe & Jose Luis Gonzalez

Friday, December 19, 7:30 am

Wellbeing of John Paul Quinn
 † Alonso & Hortencia Solis
 † Guadalupe Estrada

Saturday, December 20, 4:30 pm

† Edward R. Rodriguez
 † Nicholas L. Phillips
 † Jacob Benavides

Sunday, December 21, 9:00 am

Wellbeing of Mary Quinn
 † Rufina & Manuel Trejo
 † David Maffit

Sunday, December 21, 11:00 am

For the Health of Evangelina Huerta
 † Graciela Lopez
 † Lorenzo Sr. & Phillip M. Nieto

Domingo, Diciembre 21, 1:00 pm

Pro Populo

Sunday, December 21, 4:00 pm

† Stephanie Gonzalez
 † Guadalupe & Jose Luis Gonzalez
 † Gavino & Rebecca Romero

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	Num 24: 2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4-5ab; 6 and 7bc, 8-9; Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday	Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19 and 23; Mt 21:28-32
Wednesday	Gen 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4ab, 7-8,17; Mt 1:1-17
Thursday	Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25
Friday	Jdg 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25
Saturday	Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 1:26-38
Sunday	Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Rm 1:1-7; Mt 1:18-24

Let us hold each other in prayer

Betty Richeson, Paul Richeson, Martha Moreno, Sam Angulo, Sue Angulo, Hal Marcus, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Cáceres family, Cáceres Family, Rios Family, Alonso Family, SantaCruz Family, Alejandra Serna, Cindy Davis, Isabel Avila, Hazel Perea, Martha Franco, Francisco Grijalva, Robert Oliver, Andrea Bernabey, Caceres Family, Rios Family, Alonso Family, SantaCruz Family, Julieta Diaz, Cristian Baeza Ibarra.

† *Barbara McCarthy, † David Rodriguez,*

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 December 1st –7th, 2025

Envelopes	\$ 10,427.52
Kiosk	\$858.00
Online	\$ 3,527.85
Pay Pal	\$60.00
Venmo	\$10.00
TOTAL	\$ 14,883.37

Building Fund \$3,230.00

Thank you for building the St. Luke family!

Announcements



THE SHEPHERD'S CORNER
Religious Books & Gifts
(915) 585-1771



**Advent candles and
other items are now available.**



**Baptism will be celebrated on December 20th
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:

- ⇒ Copia 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:

- ⇒ Copia del certificado de Bautismo
- ⇒ Copia de la 1era Comunión
- ⇒ Copia 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.

THE SHEPHERD'S CORNER
Religious Books & Gifts
(915) 585-1771

Thursday, Friday:

11:30am-1:30 pm

Saturday: 4:00 pm-6:00 pm

Sunday: 9:30 am-2:30pm



Volunteers needed



**Knights of
Columbus®**

KNIGHTS CORNER

Franklin Mountain Council #12160

St. Luke Parish

Fraternity: Brothers in Christ

Fraternity means standing shoulder-to-shoulder with fellow Catholic men—sharing prayer, fellowship and support in life's challenges. Through service and friendship, the Knights help build stronger families and a stronger parish community.

Learn more: www.kofc.org

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S DAY SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

***Dec. 24 5:00pm English
7:00pm English***

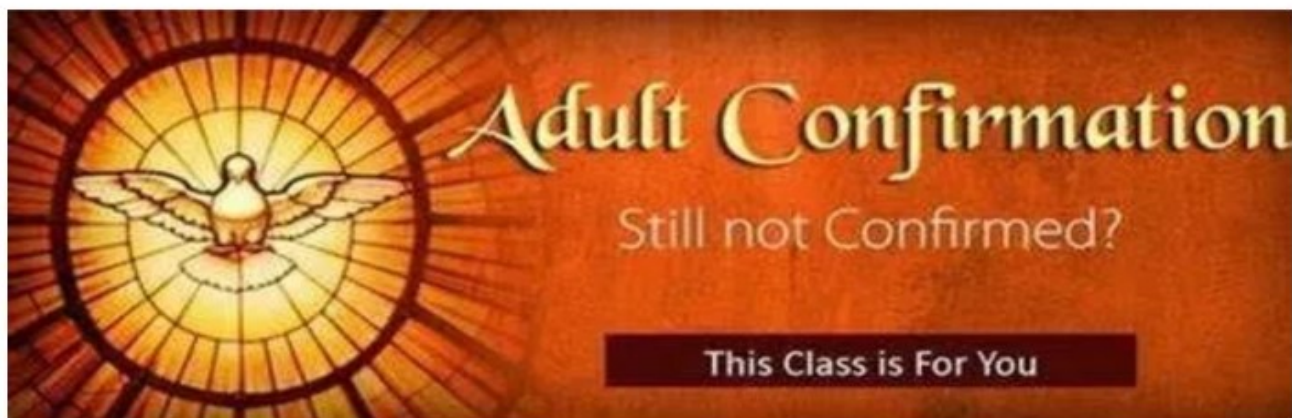
CHRISTMAS DAY MASS

***Dec. 25 11:00am English
1:00pm Spanish***

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

***Dec. 31 5:00pm Spanish
Jan. 01 11:00am English***





Adult Confirmation

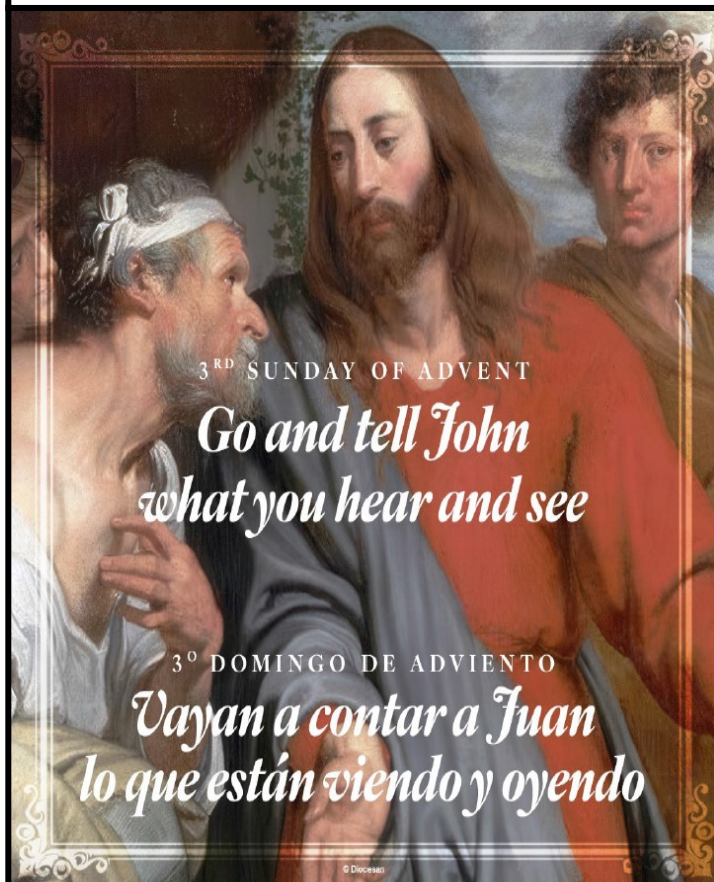
Registration for spring 2026 class is open

All adults who are interested in receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation are invited to [register for upcoming classes](#) which will begin on January 11, 2026.

The Kick-off Retreat will be on January 24, 2026. After that classes meet on Sundays, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (includes attending 11 a.m. Mass), and will run through the end of May, 2026. Cost is \$50/person.

Copies of Baptism and First Communion certificates will be required. If you are married, we will need proof of a Catholic marriage.

Sponsor will need to present proof of Baptism, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation. If married, they will also have to present proof of Catholic marriage.



BIBLE STUDY

We have various groups doing Bible Study and discussion. Please call the parish office for information on the days and times the groups meet.