A Prayer Meeting

St.Luke's Prayer Group

St. Luke's Prayer Group is a branch of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal in Calgary. The group began in 1975 under the direction of Fr. Pat Cramer and Fr. Michael Duggan. It meets every **Tuesday at 1:00 pm** in the parish center.

The prayer group comes together as community to

- praise, worship and honor God
- encourage each other to grow in faith, commitment and service to Christ and his body the church.
- seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit in our daily lives

At the heart of a charismatic prayer group is baptism in the Holy Spirit, obtained often, but not only in Life in the Spirit Seminars. It is an entrance into deeper life in the Spirit. "As we ask the Lord for, and expect an outpouring of his Spirit, we enter into a new relationship with the Holy Spirit, his presence is intensified within us, we experience a deeper conversion, a personal abiding experience of the reality and presence of Jesus Christ, manifested in a transformed life and the use of spiritual gifts." Fr. Francis Martin

Contact Person: Charleen Thoreson @ 403.239.0588 A prayer meeting may include:

- opening prayer and welcome,
- a time of praise (singing) and worship
- scripture reading
- teaching, sharing
- testimony
- Intercessory prayer
- prayer ministry
- the use of spiritual gifts such as tongues
- prophecy
- the word of knowledge, and healing
- fellowship and support
- social activities

The prayer meeting is centered on the risen Jesus as Lord, Savior, Redeemer, the Truth, the Light and the Way.



1 Cor 14:28

When you assemble, one has a hymn, another, some instructions to give, still another, a revelation to share, one speaks in a tongue, another interprets. Let all things be done to build up the community.

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If you would like more information or would like to join the prayer group please complete the following form:
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Phone
Email

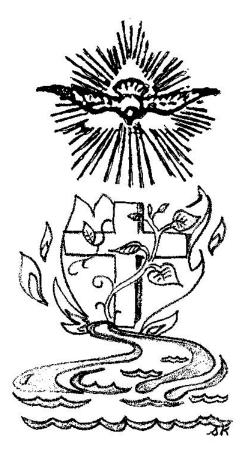
Please leave the completed form in the collection basket or at the parish office. Thank you. We look forward to meeting you!

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"In our own age, then, we are called anew by the ever ancient and ever new faith of the Church to draw near to the Holy Spirit as the giver of life." Pope John Paul 11 Encyclical Dominum et Vivificantem (The Lord and Giver of Life)

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Isaiah 12:3-4 With joy you will draw water at the fountain of salvation, and say on that day: give thanks to the Lord, acclaim his name; make known his deeds, proclaim how exalted is his name.