

LUKE LIVE! Goals/formats/cost

GOALS: to strengthen the participants' involvement with the Scriptures & foster evangelization & faith sharing; to provide parishes with an ecumenical opportunity (retreat may be co-sponsored with neighborhood Protestant Churches.) The Sunday homily inaugurating the Mission will present "Ways We Interact & Relate to the Bible" using the Sunday readings as examples. Weeknight discussions highlight community-building themes such as "Kingdom of God."

Formats & Settings *LUKE LIVE!* may be offered in formal Mission format of 2, 3 or 4 consecutive evenings for your parish OR as a Weekend Retreat Friday evening through Sunday afternoon for special groups with a minimum of 60 participants. The most ideal setting for *LUKE LIVE!* is your church sanctuary; refreshments in your gathering space.

Cost To Your Parish:

1. Missionary's Travel Expenses:
Airfare or Train fare to your parish or foundation.
2. Missionary's Room & Board (usually Rectory) for 4 to 6 days (depending on Schedule & Format you choose)
3. Professional Pianist: Your foundation pays your accompanist for one hour of rehearsal with Fr. DiLuzio prior to Night 1 & then for 3 evenings or sessions at your accompanist's required fee. (*Suggested stipend: \$150 per session; \$50 for rehearsal*)
4. Advertising Costs (Your decision, but I request a minimum commitment of bulletin brochure inserts &/or flyers plus pulpit announcements.) I will provide copy-ready proofs of brochures in black & white or color with your dates & times plus sample flyers upon request.

Cost to Participants: A Free-will offering will be taken for each evening session. A minimum of 60 participants required each night OR parish agrees to pay a flat fee of \$1,500 (ONLY if less than 60 participants). **This flat fee is negotiable, however, and, in most cases, the free-will offering is preferred.** For the Weekend Retreat Format, the suggested minimum is \$25. per person for a minimum of 60 people. All proceeds are tax-deductible contributions to the "**PAULIST FATHERS.**" (You may add your own expenses to the retreat fee should you decide to provide snacks, etc.)

Missionary's Schedule

Suggested WEEKDAY EVENING FORMAT

Saturday Vigil Mass:

Missionary presides or concelebrates & preaches

Sunday Morning Masses

Missionary presides or concelebrates & preaches

Sunday Evening 1: Evening Masses (if offered)

Monday through Wednesday or Thursday:

1. One daily Mass with your community &/or school OR a prayer service with an optional coffee social &/or discussion question & answer session immediately following.
2. Reconciliation two weekday afternoons—either at your regular scheduled time or by appointment on the last 2 days of the mission (Tues/Wed or Wed/Thur. afternoons) OR a 5th night Reconciliation Service.

Monday Evening: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 1: 7 PM to 8:30 PM

Tuesday Evening: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 2: 7 PM to 8:30 PM

Wednesday Evening: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 3: 7 PM to 8:30 PM

Thursday Evening: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 4: 7 PM to 8:30 PM

Snack and Social time may follow the program or be included in the 1 ½ hour time frame upon request. Weekday Format may include visits to parish school(s). A one-hour version of Luke Live! may also be negotiated for a school assembly.

Suggested WEEKEND RETREAT FORMAT

Friday Evening 7 or 7:30: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 1

Saturday 11 to 12:30 PM: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 2
followed by Lunch

Saturday 2 to 3:30 PM: Small Group Discussion

Saturday 5 PM: Saturday Vigil Mass (for retreat participants and/or with parish-at-large.)

Saturday 6 PM: Light Meal

Saturday 7:30 PM to 9 PM: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 3 & Social

Sunday 11 AM to 12:30 PM: **LUKE LIVE!** Session 4

Sunday 12:30 to 1:30 PM: Lunch & Farewells

2-NIGHT FORMAT: Sessions 1 & 2 combined; sessions 3 & 4 combined. Each Night from 7 to 10 PM w/ intermissions.