

St. Luke School

Dear Families,

March 26th, 2020

I **hope** this letter finds you settling into the new routines of remote learning. The learning curve has been steep but all of us are making progress and starting to see those “aha” moments when things just “click”. Perhaps it is when you catch your child figuring out how to solve a problem by constructing a structure with materials around the house, or when they are praying with their classmates during morning ZOOM meetings, or maybe it’s just that quiet reflection you have when you are by yourself and thankful for the gifts God has provided.

We must never lose sight of **HOPE**. Spring is upon us and new life is bursting forth everywhere. Take time to see this and know we are going to get through this pandemic and be stronger as a result. This week, I had a staff member share how the sound of a single bird singing caught the attention of her and her husband. They were so intrigued by the sound that they listened to it for a while. Eventually, a neighbor came out and they asked if he had heard the sound of this bird. He replied with a resounding, “yes”, and told them the name of the bird. He said there are many birds like this one who sing often. This morning, I took time to listen to the bird symphony outside my house before my morning run. It was beautiful and gave me hope that we are a day closer to getting through this pandemic.

Here is a devotional prayer I read on Tuesday morning that also gives me hope: “You can feel secure, even in the midst of cataclysmic changes, through awareness of God’s continual Presence. The One who never leaves you is the same One who never changes: God is the same yesterday, today, and forever. As you release more and more things into God’s care, remember that God never lets go of your hand. Herein lies your security, which no one and no circumstance can take from you.” – Psalm 89:15; Hebrews 13:8; Isaiah 41:13.

Lastly, thank you for signing up for your parent/student/teacher remote conference this week. This will be a good time for you to speak with the teacher, celebrate the learning with your child, and plan for an exciting third trimester. **HOPE** is in the air!

We will get through this! As Dr. Martin Luther King said about **HOPE**: **Only in the Darkness Can You See The Stars** – *Although the darkest moments of our lives can seem the worst, it is often in these times that we find our light.* Be strong, look for the beauty around you, listen to the birds sing, smell the flowers, and know **YOU** are making a huge difference by your “call to action”. During this uncertain time, be **hopeful** and listen to the call of the Holy Spirit to be an *inquiring mind, heart for Jesus, and “clean” hands for service.*

God bless,

Rick

We are Inquiring Minds, Hearts for Jesus, and Hands for Service.

Notes from the school office:

- ✓ We are working on our calendar for the 2020/2021 school year. Though it is not finalized, we can let you know the important dates that have been set:
first day of school is Tuesday, Sept. 1 (Meet & Greet drop in between 8:30 and 11:30 am);
last day of school is Friday, June 11, 2021;
graduation is Monday, June 7, 2021.
A complete calendar will be available later in the spring.

If you have a question or need more information, check the school's website at www.stlukeshoreline.org or call the office at 206-542-1133.

Remember, Scrip is still available! Here's how:

- 1) Go to www.Shopwithscrip.com to purchase electronic scrip for national vendors by paying with Presto Pay. You can also place orders online for local gift cards and pick them up at the school on Fridays between 9am and 3pm. If you have purchased scrip before, you already have an online user name. Email scrip@stlukeshoreline.org and I will assist.
- 2) Email completed order forms to scrip@stlukeshoreline.org and pick up the orders and pay at school on Fridays between 9am and 3pm.

All orders will be ready for pick up on Fridays between 9am and 3pm. If Friday does not work for you, just send me an email and we can arrange another time. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,
Nicole Fortune
Scrip Coordinator
Scrip@stlukeshoreline.org

Scrip form is attached at the end of this packet.

OPEN NOW! Usborne Books & More Book Fair at St. Luke School!

Looking for a new chapter book series, art activities, science experiments or learning resources? Come visit the ONLINE book fair! <https://l3466.myubam.com/1495522>. Check out the new "Learning from Home" category on the website to help you find books curated by grade level as well as activities to keep readers of all ages engaged and learning. Books will ship directly to you in 5-7 days and St. Luke earns 50% of ALL sales in free books!! If you have questions or need recommendations, please contact our Usborne Books & More rep Lisa Gallo at magnoliabookworm@gmail.com or text at (425) 298-3992.



WE'RE GOING ONLINE WARRIORS!

Yep, it's official! This year, we will be hosting our auction online!!

We CANNOT do it without you. Now, more than ever, we need your support and follow-through with your family commitments. PLEASE send in, drop off, or go online to donate.

More details coming soon!



WE NEED YOUR AUCTION DONATIONS!!

Although school is closed, items can still be delivered or dropped off!

For now, the school office is open from 9am-3pm M-F.

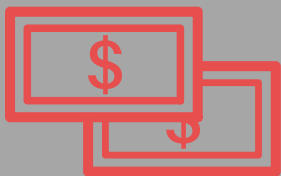
Please make sure to complete the donation form to get credit for your donation. All families are responsible for a donation(s) or procurement item (s) valued at \$300.

-DON'T LEAVE YOUR HOUSE-

**Purchase something off the Amazon Wish list
and it's shipped directly to the school!**

(In case of a full school closure, other delivery arrangements have been made. Don't worry!)

CASH donation



**RAFFLE TICKETS
\$2,500 CASH PRIZE**

More INFO

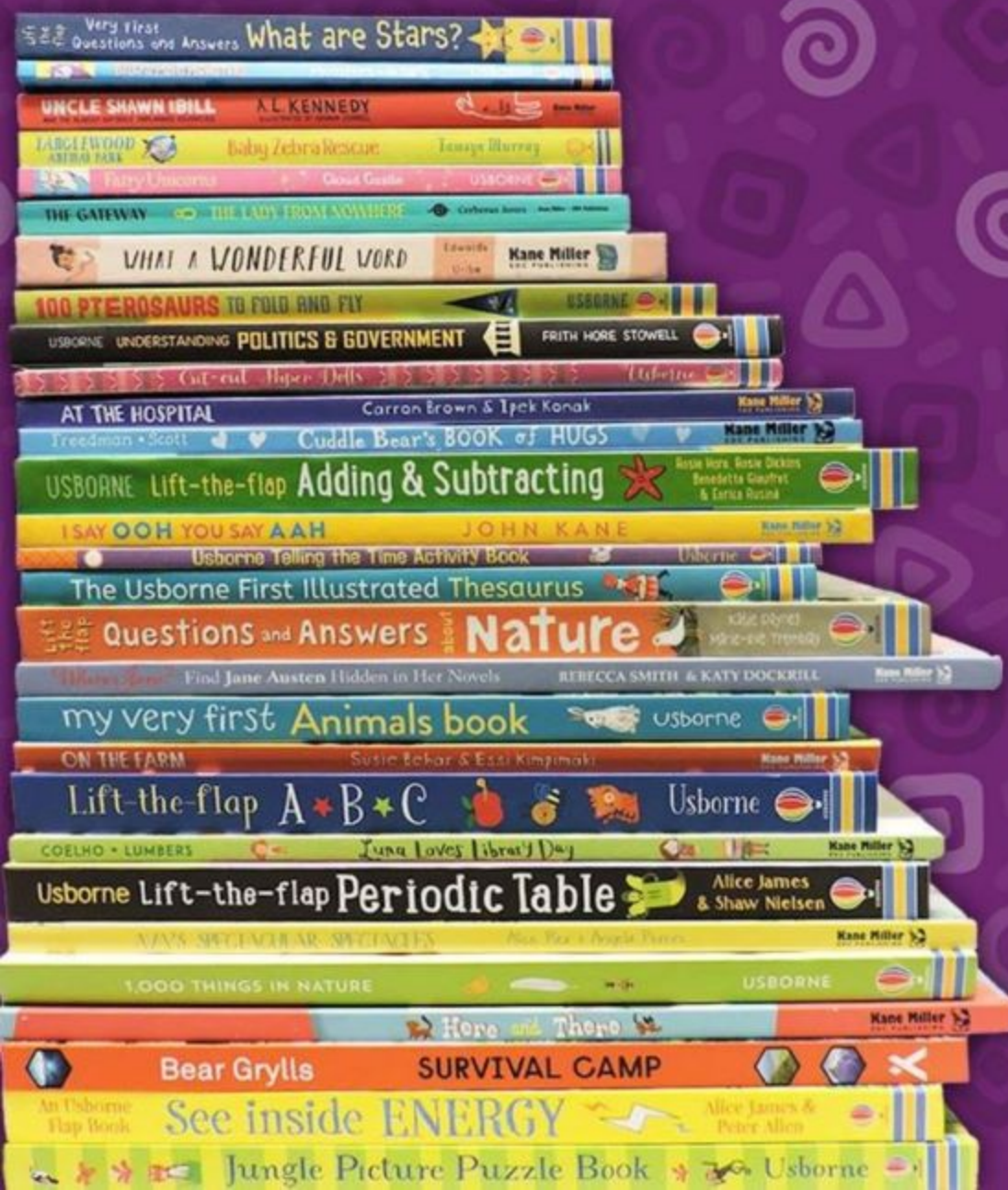


\$5/ each or a book of 10 for \$50

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ST. LUKE SCRIP ORDER FORM

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GROCERY STORES	%	AMT	QTY	TOTAL	Retail / Other	%	AMT	QTY	TOTAL
Double DD Meats	20%	\$25			Amazon	2.25%	\$100		
PCC Market	5%	\$50				2.25%	\$25		
QFC / Fred Meyer	5%	\$25			AMC	8%	\$10		
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	5%	\$100			Bath & Body Works	12%	\$25		
Safeway/Albertson's	4%	\$25			Barnes & Noble	8%	\$10, \$25		
	4%	\$100			Big 5	8%	\$25		
Sprouts Farmers Market	5%	\$50			Dennis Uniforms	5%	\$20		
RESTAURANTS	%	AMT	QTY	TOTAL	Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25		
Anthony's	9%	\$25			Game Stop	3%	\$25		
Arnie's	10%	\$25			Gene Juarez	9%	\$25		
Domino's Pizza	8%	\$10				9%	\$50		
Five Bistro	16%	\$25				9%	\$100		
Gourmet Latte	10%	\$25			Great Clips	8%	\$25		
Hill's	16%	\$25			Home Depot	4%	\$25		
Jack in the Box	4%	\$10				4%	\$100		
The Loft in Edmonds	16%	\$25			Itunes	5%	\$25		
Little Caesar's	8%	\$20			James Alan Salon	10%	\$50		
Panera Bread	8%	\$10				10%	\$100		
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Papa Murphy's Pizza	8%	\$10			Lands End	15%	\$25		
Scott's / RU	10%	\$25				15%	\$100		
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Revelations	4%	\$10				10%	\$100		
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