Dear Friends of Saint Charles Caritas,

God thank you for your blessings and graces!

Please pray for Susan Guenzel for her healing of lung cancer. Thank you.

Could you please add in your prayers the passing of my brother-in-law Joaquin Lim and my sister's family? He passed away last November 23. Thank you.

Caritas Schedule for December 2016

There is **No Caritas Day in December**. However, the Caritas is going to buy food for all charity institutions that we are helping on December 26, Monday at 10:00am. If you want to donate, please make your check payable to <u>Saint</u> Charles Caritas, 990 Saturn Blvd. San Diego, CA 92154. Please write outside the envelope c/o Merlyn Baker so that the ladies can give it to me or you can call me and I'll meet you at the church for your donation.

December 3, Saturday starts at 7am, 8 volunteers are going to visit the poor children in the mountain who are receiving catechism class from the Sisters of Charity- Rosarito location. We are going to distribute blankets, tarps, knitted hats, candies and cookies. They live in cardboard boxes.

December 11, Sunday starts at 8:30am outside the retreat garage. We are going to transport the jackets giving by the Girls Scout and the Nazarette Elementary School. The Jacket Drive started from October until December. The location is at the Mission de Alcala outside the St. Francis Hall. At **12 noon** is the sorting of these jackets into different sizes in room 13. We need volunteers of all ages. These jackets will be distributed to the homeless here in the South Bay and the remaining will be given to the Sisters of Charity.

May you all have a wonderful Christmas!

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