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## **Clairemont church to host multi-cultural benefit concert**

Donations to be accepted in support of Tijuana orphanage

**SAN DIEGO** - Clairemont Lutheran Church / Iglesia Luterana Clairemont will host "Cruzando Culturas", a multi-cultural benefit concert featuring artists from North and Central Americas.

The concert will take place on Saturday, September 30th at 7:00 p.m. in the Worship Hall at Clairemont Lutheran Church, 4271 Clairemont Mesa Blvd., San Diego, CA 92117.

Among the artists performing are *Cienaños* - a band coming all the way from Honduras - and *Agape* (*Dave Scherer*) - a Christian rapper whose "Hip Hop Outreach" ministry has inspired people from Brooklyn to Bosnia.

Internationally acclaimed Christian and pop singer/songwriter *Rachel Kurtz* will headline the concert. Kurtz's powerful lyrics and music has led millions of young adults in worship and inspired countless others.

"We are excited to host this excellent group of World musicians," says the Rev. Dr. Jonathan Doolittle, Senior Pastor. "We hope to pack the house for the event. Rachel Kurtz headlines many of our national youth gatherings and is popular across the Lutheran tradition."

Kurtz will also lead worship during the church's Family Worship gathering at 10:00 a.m., Sunday October 1, while members of *Cienaños* will provide music for the Spanish Worship at 11:30 a.m.

Admission to the concert is a \$5.00 suggested donation. Donations will help support "Sonrisas de Angel Casa Hogar" - an orphanage in Tijuana, Mexico.

The community is invited to attend.

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