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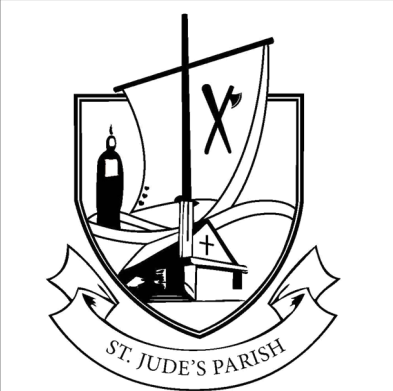
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MASS SCHEDULE SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday: 5:00pm (English)
Sunday: 8:00am (Italian)
9:30am, 11:00am (English)
12:30pm (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES
Mon-Thurs 8:00am
Friday 7:00pm
1st Friday 8:00am & 7:00pm
(Holy Hour every Friday 6:00pm)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Mon - Wed 8:30am-4:00pm
Closed for Lunch 12:30pm to 1:30pm
Thurs & Fri 2:00pm-7:00pm

CHURCH HOURS
Mon - Wed 7:30am - 4:00pm
Thurs 7:30am - 7:00pm
Fri 8:00am - 7:30pm
Saturday 2:00pm - 6:30pm
Sunday 7:30am - 2:00pm

St. Jude's Parish

Welcome to New Parishioners
We warmly welcome all new parishioners to St. Jude's and encourage them to register in the parish office. Offertory envelopes are available upon request when registration takes place.

Sacrament of Baptism
Contact the parish at least six months before the desired date of baptism to obtain information regarding requirements and sacramental preparation, and to discuss any other concerns you may have.

Confessions
The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available Saturdays at 4:00pm - 4:45pm and other times by appointment.

First Communion & Confirmation Program

Parents are asked to contact the office for information. Our programs begin in the fall (September or October) and end with the reception of the sacraments. Registration dates are announced in the bulletin, on our website, social media, and from the pulpit.

Sacrament of Matrimony
Couples contemplating marriage at St. Jude's Parish are asked to contact the parish office and review the marriage package before an interview with the priest. Diocesan regulation demands that marriages are booked one year in advance minimum.

Funerals
Please contact the Funeral Home of your choice first. They will contact the parish office to make church arrangements. **Remember Catholic Cemeteries when making your arrangements.**

R.C.I.A. and R.C.I.C. Programs

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) and for Children (RCIC) has now been implemented. Please contact the office to register and arrange to fill out an application for next year. The RCIA will only take place if a minimum of 5 people register.

Rosary
Daily after 8:00am Mass (English).
Saturdays 8:00am (Spanish)

First Friday
Every **First Friday** of the month Mass at 8:00am, Holy Hour at 6:00pm, Mass at 7:00pm and devotions to St. Jude after mass.

Devotions to St. Jude
Every Wednesday after the 8:00am Mass, every Friday after 7:00pm Mass and privately in St. Jude's Chapel every day.

Renovación Carismática
(Spanish) meets Fridays at 7:30pm
Mario Vasquez (Coordinator)

Neo Catechumenate Way
Saturdays at 7:00pm
Giovanni Tersigni (coordinator)

CFC Handmaids of the Lord
Anita Espino (coordinator)
Tel. Number 647-878-7195

Lectio Divina
Scriptural reading, meditation and prayer
2nd and 4th Sundays 2:30pm - 3:30pm.
Holy Family Room. For information call Anita Espino 647-878-7195.

St. Vincent de Paul
Marinella Gonzalez (coordinator)
Tel: 416-742-9072 Ext. 111

Knights of Columbus
We are Catholic men who put charity and community first. If you wish to join; call 416-859-7738 or email john.colonna@gmail.com

Parish Finance Council
Pastor (Chair) Paschal D'Souza (Vice-chair), Mary Lovisa (Secretary), Teresa Tedesco, James Downey, Yolanda Flores.

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Dan Christante (property manager)
James Downey.

Parish Schools
St. Jude's Tel: 416-393-5279
St. Simon Tel: 416-393-5383
St. Basil-the-Great Tel: 416-393-5513

Parish Volunteers
We are currently in need of volunteers for the following ministries: English Lector 5pm Mass, Italian Lector, offertory counters.

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 7th
5:00pm Mass
† Osvaldo & Maria D'Andrea
♦ In Thanksgiving to St. Jude from Teresa Di Noto

Sundav, June 8th
8:00am Mass
† Domenico & Flavia Fama
♦ In Honour to the Madonna Delle Grazie from Bruna

9:30am Mass
† Deceased members of the Nguyen Family
♦ For the Health of Heidi & Sam Assi
♦ In Thanksgiving to God for the 25th Wedding Anniversary of Tam & Uyen Nguyen

11:00am Mass
PRO-POPULO
12:30pm Mass
† Victor Eduardo & Victor Hernán Arévalo
† Jorge Washington Hehus
† Carlos Alberto Lodato
† Aurora Toaza Lopez
† Ana Isabel Muñoz De Mosquera
† Ramon Mella Pasten
♦ For the Health of Janett Rios Hernandez
♦ For the Health of Cecilia Riquelme
♦ In Thanksgiving for the 18th Birthday of Ariadna Rangel
♦ In Thanksgiving for the Birthday of Aquiles Jose Sanchez Acevedo
♦ In Thanksgiving to St. Jude for the Alcivar Coello Family


Monday, June 9th
8:00am Mass
† Carlo Leva

Tuesday, June 10th
8:00am Mass
† Lucia Thi Chin Do
7:00pm Mass
† Giuseppe Adragna

Wednesday, June 11th
8:00am Mass
† All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, June 12th
8:00am Mass
† All Souls in Purgatory

Friday, June 13th
7:00pm Mass
† Egidio Mariani
† Antonietta Mariani Stillar
† All Souls in Purgatory
♦ In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony



Sanctuary Lamp
June 7th – 13th
† All Souls in Purgatory

Pray for the sick:
Ettore Patrito, Emanuel Bermudez, Alexis Casella Lopez, Crystal Osborne, Tony Mattachione, Filomena Canzino, Valentina Rodriguez, Louie Lino Vieira, Nubia Nuñez, Eliza Tomsen, Lina Grecco, Ida Colombo, Jeyathas Balasingam.

Pray for the recently deceased:
Our Holy Father Pope Francis, Maria Regina.

Pentecost Sunday

Today we celebrate the solemnity of Pentecost, the beginning of the Catholic Church. With this Feast we conclude the fifty days of the Easter season. After the Ascension of the Lord Jesus into heaven the Apostles, our blessed Mother Mary and the other disciples persevered together in prayer. They had remained inside the Upper Room, where the Last Supper was, praying while awaiting the Spirit that Jesus had promised them. Our blessed Mother Mary had already received the Spirit thirty-three years earlier, when she conceived the Son of God in her womb, but now she receives the Holy Spirit to become Mother of the nascent Church. The Holy Spirit is an agent of unity for all who receive it from the heart, since it leads us with humility to recognize the greatness of our Redeemer, and his love for us. Around Christ, through whom everything was made, and without him nothing that exists was made, we can rebuild the unity of families and everyone. On this special day, let us open our hearts to be renewed by the spirit of God. This renewal is completed when each person allows themselves to be transformed by the Spirit, allows themselves to be molded by it, and because the earth is also renewed when each person is renewed.

I invite all of you to live in communion with the Holy Spirit. Living with the presence of the Holy Spirit we will recognize its fruits in our lives: love, joy, peace, generosity, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, meekness and self-control. Have a blessed Pentecost Sunday.

Domenica di Pentecoste

Oggi celebriamo la solennità della Pentecoste, l'inizio della Chiesa cattolica. Con questa festa concludiamo i cinquanta giorni del tempo pasquale. Dopo l'Ascensione del Signore Gesù al cielo, gli Apostoli, la nostra beata Madre Maria e gli altri discepoli perseverarono insieme in preghiera. Erano rimasti nel Cenacolo, dove si era svolta l'Ultima Cena, pregando in attesa dello Spirito che Gesù aveva promesso loro. La nostra beata Madre Maria aveva già ricevuto lo Spirito trentatré anni prima, quando concepì il Figlio di Dio nel suo grembo, ma ora riceve lo Spirito Santo per diventare Madre della Chiesa nascente.

Lo Spirito Santo è agente di unità per tutti coloro che lo ricevono dal cuore, poiché ci conduce con umiltà a riconoscere la grandezza del nostro Redentore e il suo amore per noi. Attorno a Cristo, per mezzo del quale tutto è stato fatto e senza di Lui nulla è stato fatto di ciò che esiste, possiamo ricostruire l'unità delle famiglie e di tutti. In questo giorno speciale, apriamo i nostri cuori al rinnovamento dello Spirito di Dio. Questo rinnovamento si completa quando ogni persona si lascia

trasformare dallo Spirito, si lascia plasmare da Lui, e perché anche la terra si rinnova quando ogni persona si rinnova. Vi invito tutti a vivere in comunione con lo Spirito Santo. Vivendo con la presenza dello Spirito Santo, ne riconosceremo i frutti nelle nostre vite: amore, gioia, pace, generosità, gentilezza, bontà, fedeltà, mitezza e autocontrollo. Vi auguro una benedetta domenica di Pentecoste.

Domingo de Pentecostés

Hoy celebramos la solemnidad de Pentecostés, el inicio de la Iglesia Católica. Con esta fiesta concluimos los cincuenta días del tiempo de Pascua. Tras la Ascensión del Señor Jesús al cielo, los Apóstoles, nuestra bendita Madre María y los demás discípulos perseveraron juntos en oración. Habían permanecido en el Cenáculo, donde se celebró la Última Cena, orando mientras esperaban el Espíritu que Jesús les había prometido. Nuestra bendita Madre María ya había recibido el Espíritu treinta y tres años antes, cuando concibió al Hijo de Dios en su vientre, pero ahora recibe el Espíritu Santo para convertirse en Madre de la Iglesia naciente. El Espíritu Santo es un agente de unidad para todos los que lo reciben de corazón, ya que nos lleva con humildad a reconocer la grandeza de nuestro Redentor y su amor por nosotros. En torno a Cristo, por quien todo fue creado y sin Él nada de lo que existe fue creado, podemos reconstruir la unidad de las familias y de todos. En este día especial, abramos nuestros corazones para que el Espíritu de Dios nos renueve. Esta renovación se completa cuando cada persona se deja transformar por el Espíritu, se deja moldear por él, y porque la tierra también se renueva cuando cada persona se renueva.

Los invito a todos a vivir en comunión con el Espíritu Santo. Viviendo con la presencia del Espíritu Santo, reconoceremos sus frutos en nuestras vidas: amor, alegría, paz, generosidad, amabilidad, bondad, fidelidad, mansedumbre y dominio propio. Que tengan un bendecido Domingo de Pentecostés.

Pilgrimage of Hope

All are invited to participate in a pilgrimage to the **Holy Canadian Martyrs in Midland**, on **Wednesday, June 25th**. If you are interested, and to reserve your seat on the bus, contact Giacinta or Nishan after the 8am mass on Sunday, or call the parish office.

Feast of St. Anthony

Please join us on **June 13th at 2:00PM** for a Mass and Blessing in honour of St. Anthony of Padua, at Queen of Heaven Cemetery. Mass will take place in the St. Anthony Mausoleum and will be followed by a blessing with the Relic of St. Anthony and distribution of St. Anthony Bread.

JUNE 8, 2025

Sacramental Preparation Programs



First Communion 2025/2026

Registration date for the 2025/2026 program will be announced soon.

Confirmation 2024/2025



Congratulations to all the Students and parishioners who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday June 7th and Sunday June 8th. May the Holy Spirit be their light and guide them as they continue to live the Catholic faith following Our Lord Jesus Christ teachings.

Parish Meetings, Events and other News



Pray for Vocations

"Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love." Send forth workers into your vineyard. May some of our parishioners choose to serve you by becoming priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org

Lectio Divina

Come, join us for Lectio Divina (scriptural reading, meditation & prayer) every second and fourth Sunday of the month from **2:30pm to 3:30pm** at St. Jude's Parish-Holy Family Room.

June 8th, John 16:12-15

June 22nd, Matthew 16: 13-19

For information please contact Anita Espino 647-878-7195.

Marygrove Camp

Next weekend **June 14th and 15th**, we will have a Second collection for Marygrove Camp that provides young girls ages 5 to 13 the opportunity to enjoy a camping adventure, who may otherwise not be able to have this experience.

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



In this month dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and as Pilgrims of Hope during the Jubilee Holy Year we recall the words of Pope Francis, **“Hope is born of love and based on the love springing from the pierced heart of Jesus upon the cross”** (Spes non Confundit, 3). Let us pray that we may all grow in Christ's love, and in a special way let us pray for our Bishops on the Jubilee Day for Bishops Wednesday June 25, and for Priests on Friday June 27, Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests are celebrated in Rome this month.

BBQ – Celebrating Summer!!!



St. Jude's Parish invites the entire community to a barbecue to celebrate the summer season on **Sunday, July 13th, 2025 from 10:30am to 3:30pm** in the Parish parking lot. We'll have steaks, chicken, burgers, hotdogs and snow cones. Ticket sales coming soon! Come and have fun with great food and music! Remember that all funds raised at this event are to help us pay the roof loan. See you all there!

ShareLife

You are the light of hope this ShareLife Sunday

On the third ShareLife Sunday of the year, you can extend God's compassion and solidarity to our brothers and sisters. Together with your support, let us illuminate His light in the darkest of places, providing strength to those enduring unimaginable hardships. Because of you, people who feel the weight of the world on their shoulders can experience some relief. Like young

mother Sarah, and her 4-week-old baby, who fled a life-threatening situation. She went from being alone, homeless and afraid, to supported, secure and safe through programs at Catholic Family Services of Durham. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. Thus far we have raised **\$17,769.20 61.27%** toward our goal of **\$29,000.00. Thank you for living the Gospel!**

Mass Intentions

Mass intentions to be announced on weekend masses and the following week, must be requested by **Wednesday of each week at office closing time or 4:00pm**. We cannot change dates for masses previously requested. **Each mass intention can include up to two individual names with the same last name.** Thank you for your understanding and your co-operation.

Pastoral Reference Requests

In order for the pastor to be able to recommend you, he needs to know you. This is only possible if he has personal knowledge of your faith practice and involvement in the parish; not your relatives, but yourself, as this is a personal recommendation.

The following are required at St. Jude's:

- ♦ Be (yourself, not your parents or grandparents) a registered member of the parish using offertory envelopes for at least one year.
- ♦ Be in the parish for participation in Sunday/Saturday mass for at least one year prior to approaching the pastor.
- ♦ Applicant must be actively involved in a parish ministry or volunteer activity for at least one year. requirements before making your request.

It is important for you to know that to be hired to teach in any Catholic School Board in Ontario as part of your application for employment you must provide a letter of recommendation from your Pastor.