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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. Offertory envelopes are available upon request at the parish office.

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
 Sarina Flores (coordinator)

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 Giovanni Tersigni (coordinator)

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

Building Committee
 Dan Christante (property manager), James Downey.

Parish Schools
 St. Jude's Tel: 416-393-5279
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Parish Volunteers
 If you are interested in volunteering in any of our parish ministries, please speak to our Pastor after Mass.

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

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 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. Registration dates are announced in the bulletin, on our website, social media, and from the pulpit. Our programs begin in the fall, and end with the reception of the sacraments.

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.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 27th

5:00pm Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory
Sunday, June 28th
8:00am Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory
9:30am Mass
 † Reynaldo Carlos
 † Cornelio & Paula Germino

11:00am Mass
 PRO-POPULO
12:30pm Mass
 † Jesús Aurelio Betancourt
 † Margarita Machuca
 † Reyes Martínez
 † Miguel Torres
 † Las Almas del Purgatorio
 ♦ For the Health of Nicol Daboud Garcia

Monday, June 29th

8:00am Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory

Tuesday, June 30th

8:00am Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory

Wednesday, July 1st

8:00am Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory
 ♦ In Thanksgiving to St. Jude from Mary

Thursday, July 2nd

8:00am Mass
 † Reverend Joseph Minguel Rodrigues

Friday, July 3rd

8:00am Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory
7:00pm Mass
 † All Souls In Purgatory

Sanctuary Lamp

June 27th - July 3rd

† All Souls In Purgatory



Pray for the sick:

Theresa Morin, Sonia Torres, Giovanna Scelsa, Mateo Andres Hernandez, Kade Richardson, Tonya Potter, Maria Troitino, Santo Amodio, Domenico & Isabella Fonte, Tommaso Pozzuoli, Maria Di Palma, Alexis Casella Lopez, Crystal Osborne, Tony Mattachione, Filomena Canzino, Eliza Tomsen, Lina Grecco, Ida Colombo, Jeyathas Balasingam.

Pray for the recently deceased:

Angelo Brussolo, Franca Rauti.

XIII Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Whoever loves father or mother more than me, is not worthy of me”. In today Gospel Jesus tells what he expects of his disciples. Jesus called them for special mission: to preach, to teach, and to heal. They have to pick up their crosses and follow him. They must love God more than their families and friends. After the instruction Jesus added: “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me”.

On this Sunday we welcome Fr. Thomas Varghese Thaikattu. He is our new associate pastor. As associate he will celebrate the Eucharist on Sundays and during the week and assist with the catechism of the sacraments. Please give him a big St. Jude’s welcome!.

XIII Domenica Del Tempo Ordinario

«Chi ama padre o madre più di me, non è degno di me». Nel Vangelo di oggi Gesù dice cosa si aspetta dai suoi discepoli. Gesù li ha chiamati a una missione speciale: predicare, insegnare e guarire. Devono prendere la loro croce e seguirlo. Devono amare Dio più delle loro famiglie e dei loro amici. Dopo l'esortazione, Gesù ha aggiunto: «Chi accoglie voi accoglie me, e chi accoglie me accoglie colui che mi ha mandato».

Questa domenica diamo il benvenuto a Padre Thomas Varghese Thaikattu. È il nostro nuovo viceparroco. In qualità di viceparroco, celebrerà l'Eucaristia la domenica e durante la settimana e assisterà i catechisti nei sacramenti. Dategli un caloroso benvenuto da parte di tutta la parrocchia di San Giuda.

XIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

«Quien ama a su padre o a su madre más que a mí, no es digno de mí». En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús explica lo que espera de sus discípulos. Los ha llamado a una misión especial: predicar, enseñar y sanar. Deben tomar su cruz y seguirlo. Deben amar a Dios más que a sus familias y amigos. Tras esta exhortación, Jesús añadió: «Quien los recibe a ustedes, me recibe a mí; y quien me recibe a mí, recibe al que me envió».

Este domingo, damos la bienvenida al Padre Thomas Varghese Thaikattu. Es nuestro nuevo Sacerdote auxiliar. Como Sacerdote auxiliar, celebrará la Eucaristía los domingos y durante la semana, y asistirá en la catequesis de los sacramentos. Por favor démosle una calurosa bienvenida de parte de toda la parroquia de San Judas.

First Friday Masses



Friday July 3rd, is the first Friday of the month. We will have morning Mass at 8:00am, and Holy Hour at 6:00pm followed by Holy Mass at 7:00pm and St. Jude’s novena after Mass.

60th Annual Feast to St. Gabriele



The Passionist Community invites everyone to the annual feast in honor of St. Gabriele, which will take place on **Sunday August 23rd**, starting at 1:00pm at the Veneto Centre, 7465 Kipling Ave. Woodbridge.

St. Jude’s 65th Anniversary Gala Fundraiser

Tickets are on sale after Sunday mass and weekdays at the parish office. **Adult ticket \$125.00 Children 12 and under are \$90.00.** This includes a four-course meal and open bar. Come celebrate with us.

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Confirmation 2026/2027

Registration is now open

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Parish Meetings, Events and other News

Pray for Vocations

“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.” Accept the invitation that is being extended, an invitation by the one who sent him. If you feel you are being called to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-997, vocations@archtoronto.org

Lectio Divina

Come, join us for Lectio Divina (scriptural reading, meditation & prayer) Sundays at **2:00pm**, at St. Jude’s Parish-Holy Family Room.

June 28th, Matthew 10:37-42
July 5th, Matthew 11:25-30
July 12th, Matthew 13:1-23
July 19th, Matthew 13:24-43
July 26th, Matthew 13:44-52

Coordinator: Anita Espino 647-878-7195

Office Closed & Summer Hours

Wednesday July 1st, we celebrate Canada Day; the parish office will be closed and the morning mass is at the regular time **8:00am**.

Starting Monday **July 6th** the parish office hours will change for the summer. The office will be open Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday from **8:30am to 1:00pm**. Thursday & Friday will remain the same 2pm to 7pm. Regular hours will return **Monday September 8th**.

The parish bulletin will be available every two weeks during the summer months.

Second Collection

Next weekend, **July 4th and 5th**, we have a second collection for the **Building Maintenance fund**, to continue taking care of our Church building. Thank you for your generosity.

Offertory Envelopes

We ask parishioners to kindly stop using prior years’ offertory envelopes, as they have been reassigned and your donation may be misdirected. Parishioners interested in using offertory envelopes can pick up a new box at the parish office.

Summer Camp Opportunities for Children and Youth

Summer camps are being offered for children at 59 parishes from the Archdiocese of Toronto this summer, with over 86 weeks of dates and locations to choose from. Parents who may be interested can access the complete list of parishes, locations and dates here: ocytoronto.org/parish-camps and are encouraged to contact the parish of interest directly to register or get more information.

ShareLife

Your support of ShareLife connects young parents with necessary resources

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Counselling and practical programs became her lifeline. Today, with renewed confidence and a sense of possibility, she is considering going back to school. You made this possible. You can help young mothers like Annie find hope, healing, and a brighter future.

Thus far we have raised **\$22,857.85 (72.56%)** toward our 2026 Parish goal of **\$31,500.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

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 a 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 recommendation letter from your Pastor.