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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.

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.

Renovación Carismática
 (Spanish) meets Fridays at 7:30pm
 Sarina Flores (coordinator)

Neo Catechumenate Way
 Meets Saturdays at 8:00pm
 Giovanni Tersigni (coordinator)

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

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

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.

Lectio Divina
 Scriptural reading, meditation and prayer
 Sundays 2:00pm, the Holy Family Room.
 Anita Espino (coordinator) 647-878-7195.

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.

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

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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.

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

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.

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

Parish Schools
 St. Jude's Tel: 416-393-5279
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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)
 Weekday morning masses in the Holy Family Room-office area

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
 Thursday 2:00pm - 7:00pm
 Friday 8:00am - 7:30pm
 Saturday 2:00pm - 6:30pm
 Sunday 7:30am - 2:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 30th

5:00pm Mass

- † Giovanni & Anna Mikicic
- † Michele & Anna Valardi
- ♦ In Thanksgiving to The Holy Spirit

Sunday, May 31st

8:00am Mass

- † All Souls in Purgatory

9:30am Mass

- † Nancy Lourdes Acosta

11:00am Mass

PRO-POPULO

12:30pm Mass

- † Guadalupe Carcelen
- † Reyes Martínez
- † José Genaro Rojas Montalvo
- † Oscar José Sánchez
- † Susana & Eliana Sánchez
- † Maria Guillermina Toro
- † Deceased Members of the Yannuzzi Family

- ♦ For the Health of Nicol Daboud Garcia

Monday, June 1st

8:00am Mass

- † Maria De Pinto

Tuesday, June 2nd

8:00am Mass

- † Father Claudio Moser

Wednesday, June 3rd

8:00am Mass

- † All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, June 4th

8:00am Mass

- † Giuseppina Spatafora

Friday, June 5th

8:00am Mass

- † All Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm Mass

- † Carmen Bonifacio Espino

Sanctuary Lamp

May 30th - June 5th

- † 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:

- Esterina Colaguori, Amna Bennet, Alba Arevalo, Luigi Stellato.

The Most Holy Trinity



Today we celebrate the solemnity of the Holy Trinity. We celebrate the mystery of God who is One and Triune: God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.

When we talk about the "Mystery of the Holy Trinity", perhaps someone thinks that it is possible for us to decipher that he is one God, if there are three persons. Let us remember that the word "mystery" etymologically means "plan". It is therefore God's plan, to reveal himself to us that we do not have to insert this knowledge into our tiny intelligence, but into our spirit, which has a great capacity to believe and love.

When Jesus came into the world, he came to speak to us about God as his Father and our Father, and of the Holy Spirit as the one sent by the Father and by the Son.

Jesus revealed to us that God is a community of three persons, an eternal Trinitarian family. By revealing to us the mystery of God, Jesus also revealed to us the deepest mystery of the human being, because we were created in the image and likeness of God (Gn 1:26).

Today that we celebrate this very special Feast, I wish you "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of the Father and the communion of the Holy Spirit be always with you."

La Solennità della Santissima Trinità

Oggi celebriamo la solennità della Santissima Trinità. Celebriamo il mistero di Dio Uno e Trino: Dio Padre, Dio Figlio e Dio Spirito Santo.

Quando parliamo del "Mistero della Santissima Trinità", forse qualcuno pensa che sia possibile decifrare che Egli è un solo Dio, se ci sono tre persone. Ricordiamo che la parola "mistero" etimologicamente significa "piano". È dunque piano di Dio rivelarsi a noi affinché non dobbiamo instillare questa conoscenza nella nostra limitata intelligenza, ma nel nostro spirito, che ha una grande capacità di credere e amare.

Quando Gesù venne al mondo, venne per parlarci di Dio come suo Padre e nostro Padre, e dello Spirito Santo come colui che è stato

inviato dal Padre e dal Figlio.

Gesù ci ha rivelato che Dio è una comunità di tre persone, un'eterna famiglia trinitaria. Rivelandoci il mistero di Dio, Gesù ci ha rivelato anche il mistero più profondo dell'essere umano, poiché siamo stati creati a immagine e somiglianza di Dio (Gn 1,26).

Oggi, mentre celebriamo questa festa così speciale, vi auguro che "la grazia del Signore nostro Gesù Cristo, l'amore del Padre e la comunione dello Spirito Santo siano sempre con voi".

Solemnidad de la Santísima Trinidad

Hoy celebramos la solemnidad de la Santísima Trinidad. Celebramos el misterio de Dios, que es Uno y Trino: Dios Padre, Dios Hijo y Dios Espíritu Santo.

Cuando hablamos del «Misterio de la Santísima Trinidad», quizás alguien piense que es posible descifrar que Dios es uno si hay tres personas. Recordemos que la palabra «misterio» etimológicamente significa «plan». Por lo tanto, es el plan de Dios revelarse a nosotros de tal manera que no tengamos que insertar este conocimiento en nuestra limitada inteligencia, sino en nuestro espíritu, que tiene una gran capacidad para creer y amar.

Cuando Jesús vino al mundo, vino a hablarnos de Dios como su Padre y nuestro Padre, y del Espíritu Santo como el enviado del Padre y del Hijo.

Jesús nos reveló que Dios es una comunidad de tres personas, una familia trinitaria eterna. Al revelarnos el misterio de Dios, Jesús también nos reveló el misterio más profundo del ser humano, pues fuimos creados a imagen y semejanza de Dios (Gn 1,26).

Hoy, al celebrar esta fiesta tan especial, les deseo que «la gracia de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, el amor del Padre y la comunión del Espíritu Santo estén siempre con ustedes».

St. Jude's 65th Anniversary Gala Fundraiser

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May Jesus be their companion and guide each day



Confirmation 2025/2026

Congratulations to all the Students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on **Saturday May 30th.** May the Holy Spirit 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



"God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son..." How can you best serve God in a response to that love? If God is calling you 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

First Friday Masses



Friday June 5th, 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.

Rosary Apostolate

Join the Rosary Apostolate in the Schools
New members are needed to pray the Rosary in our parish schools with our students. If you are interested please contact the parish office.

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and during this month 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 and for Priests on **Friday June 12, Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus** and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests.

Second Collection

Next weekend, **June 6th and 7th**, we have a second collection for the **Building Maintenance fund**, to continue taking care of our Church building. Thank you for your generosity.

FUNDRAISER BBQ



Summer Fun!
St. Jude's Parish invites the community to a barbecue to celebrate the summer season on **Sunday, June 14th, 2026 10:30 am to 3:30 pm** in the Parish Parking Lot. We'll have steaks, chicken, burgers, hotdogs & snow cones. You can purchase your tickets in advance **starting June 6th**, after all masses. Come and have fun with great food & music. All funds raised at this event will help us pay for the new roof loan. See you all there!

Lectio Divina

Come, join us for Lectio Divina (scriptural reading, meditation & prayer) Sundays at **2:00pm**, at St. Jude's Parish-Holy Family Room.
May 31st, John 3:16-18
June 7th, John 6:51-59
June 14th, John 9:36 - 10:8
Coordinator: Anita Espino 647-878-7195

Encuentro Matrimonial

La comunidad Hispana esta invitada a participar en el encuentro matrimonial mundial que tendrá lugar **Junio 6 y 7** en Queen of Apostles Renewal Center en Mississauga. Para más información llamar a Ismael y Maria Gonzalez Tel: 647-916-8604 o Francisco y Camen Camacho al 416-220-4414.

ShareLife

Today is our third weekend of special collections for ShareLife Sunday
Reverence for life at all stages has been a core principle of ShareLife since its founding in 1976. We recognize the sacredness of life from conception to natural death. ShareLife-funded agencies uphold this value in everything they do, bringing hope, healing, and compassion to those who need it most.

This mission of love is witnessed at Rose of Sharon, where Executive Director Deanne Kukulewich gratefully notes that "your commitment to ShareLife is an investment in young parents and their futures, fostering a community where everyone has the opportunity to thrive." Thus far we have raised **\$17,909.60 (56.86%)** 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.