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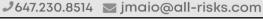
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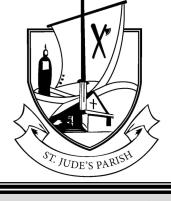






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SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday: 8:00am (Italian) 9:30am, 11:00am (English) **12:30pm** (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Friday 7:00pm 1st Friday 8:00am & 7:00pm (Holy Hour every Friday 6:00pm)

Mon - Wed 8:30am-4:00pm Thurs & Fri 2:00pm-7:00pm

CHURCH HOURS

Mon - Wed 7:30am - 4:00pm Thurs 7:30am - 10:00am & 2:00pm - 7:00pm Fri 2:00pm -8:00pm **Saturday** 2:00pm - 6:30pm 7:30am - 2:00pm Sunday

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 required to make contact with 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.

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.

Rosarv

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

Renovación Carismática

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

Neo Catechumenate Way

Saturdays at 7:00pm Giovanni Tersigni (coordinator)

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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 (Vicechair), 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 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.



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00pm (English)

Mon-Thurs 8:00am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

XXXI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

<u>Saturday, November 2nd</u> 10:00am & 12:00pm All Souls Masses PRO-POPULO

5:00pm Mass PRO-POPULO

Sunday, November 3rd 8:00am Mass

- Deceased Members of The Bon Family Deceased Members of the Chiappetta Family
- Agata & Filippo Colacci
 Vincenzo & Endolina Conciatore
- Deceased Members of the Desanti Family
- Franca & Vicenzo Donato
- Domenico & Flavia Fama
- Laura Pasut
- Luciano Pasut Francesco & Felice Pitto
- Luigi & Ana Maria Pitto
- Antonietta & Filippo Martorano Deceased Members of the Mikicic Family
- Elena Scidà
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- Eugenio & Rita Dodaro Grace Ferretto
- Emilio Giordano Pasquale Miorelli
- Yvon Monteiro Prescilla & Agapito Pascua Sr.
- Walter & Basil Thomas
- † Carlos Alberto Torres In Thanksgiving to St. Jude for favours received
- ♦ In Thanksgiving for Anika Paramananthan's

11:00am Mass

- PRO-POPULO
- 12:30pm Mass † Víctor Eduardo & Víctor Hernán Arévalo
- Magdalena Barajas Becerra
- · Gloria & Maik Burneo Gonzabay
- José Emilio Lucas Ángel Ramon Orellana
- Maria Luisa & Jose Ramon Sanders
- Martha Christina Torres
- Arminda & Vincente Torrez
- In Honour to St. Jude
- ♦ For the Health of Washington Belisario Cadena ♦ For the Health of Rosario Carreño Espinos
- ♦ In Thanksgiving for the 15th Birthday of

Monday, November 4th

8:00am Mass

- † Maria Easter Soriano-Zabala Tuesday, November 5th 8:00am Mass
- † Father Keith Langstaff Wednesday, November 6th 8:00am Mass
- All Souls in Purgatory
- Thursday, November 7th 8:00am Mass
- ♦ In Thanksgiving to St. Jude from Teresa Di Noto Friday, November 8th
- Deceased members of Della Rossa Family
- Modesta Figliomen In Honour to the Virgin Mary

Sanctuary Lamp

November 2nd - 8th

† In Thanksgiving to the Guardian Angels of Nina Manias Grandchildren



Pray for the sick:

Emanuel Bermudez, Luisa Zanella Tony Mattachione, Filomena Canzino Valentina Rodriguez, Louie Line Vieira, Nubia Nuñes, Eliza Tomsen Lina Grecco, Elsa Moreno, Ida Colombo, Jeyathas Balasingam.

Pray for the recently deceased:

Grace Ferretto, Nevis Perusini, Mario Capobianco, Brian Monk, Letteria Sicari, Maria Vincenza Cianfarani.

XXXI Sunday In Ordinary Time

"Which commandment is the first of all?" In this Sunday's Gospel, a scribe, that is, an expert on the Law of Moses, asks Jesus about the first commandments.

Jesus answers by reminding him the passage from the first reading: "Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength." (Dt 6:4-5; Mk 12:30).

Jesus knew this passage very well not only because he was God, but because as a true man he allowed himself to be educated by his father, St. Joseph, and his Mother Mary. St. Joseph and the Virgin Mary not only taught their Son Jesus biblical quotes, but they also educated him in the love of God and neighbor.

The love of God and our neighbor must be learned in the bosom of the home. From there, parents, loving their children, have to teach them what love means, such as obedience, respect, tolerance, forgiveness, generosity, solidarity, etc. It is at home, by the example of the parents, that children learn to love God and their neighbor. Let us continue my brothers and sisters to listen and share with others the love of God and the love to our neighbor.

XXXI Domenica Del Tempo Ordinario "Qual è il primo di tutti i comandamenti?"

Nel Vangelo di questa domenica, uno scriba, cioè un esperto della Legge di Mosè, chiede a Gesù quali siano i primi comandamenti.

Gesù risponde ricordandogli il brano della prima lettura: "Ascolta, Israele: il Signore è il nostro Dio, il Signore è uno solo; amerai il Signore Dio tuo con tutto il tuo cuore, con tutta la tua anima, con tutta la tua mente e con tutta la tua forza" (Dt 6,4 -5; Mc 12,30).

Gesù conosceva molto bene questo brano non solo perché era Dio, ma perché da vero uomo si è lasciato educare da suo padre, San Giuseppe, e da sua Madre Maria. San Giuseppe e la Vergine Maria non solo hanno insegnato al loro Figlio Gesù citazioni bibliche, ma lo hanno anche educato all'amore di Dio e del prossimo.

L'amore di Dio e del prossimo deve essere imparato in seno alla casa. Da lì, i genitori,

amando i loro figli, devono insegnare loro cosa significa amore, come obbedienza, rispetto, tolleranza, perdono, generosità, solidarietà, ecc. È a casa, attraverso l'esempio dei genitori, che i figli imparano ad amare Dio e il prossimo. Continuiamo, fratelli e sorelle, ad ascoltare e condividere con gli altri l'amore di Dio e l'amore per il prossimo.

XXXI Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario "¿Cuál es el primero de todos los mandamientos?"

En el Evangelio de este domingo, un escriba, un experto en la Ley de Moisés pregunta a Jesús por los primeros mandamientos. Jesús le responde recordándole el pasaje de la primera lectura: "Escucha, Israel: El Señor nuestro Dios, el Señor es uno solo. Amarás al Señor tu Dios con todo tu corazón, con toda tu alma, con toda tu mente v con todas tus fuerzas" (Dt 6,4-5; Mc

Jesús conocía muy bien este pasaje no sólo porque era Dios, sino porque como verdadero hombre se dejó educar por su padre, San José, y por su madre María. San José y la Virgen María no sólo enseñaron a su Hijo Jesús citas bíblicas, sino que también lo educaron en el amor a Dios y al prójimo.

El amor a Dios y al prójimo hay que aprenderlo en el seno del hogar. Desde allí, los padres, amando a sus hijos, tienen que enseñarles lo que significa el amor, como la obediencia, el respeto, la tolerancia, el perdón, la generosidad, la solidaridad, etc. Es en casa, con el ejemplo de los padres, donde los hijos aprenden a amar a Dios y al prójimo. Sigamos, hermanos y hermanas, escuchando y compartiendo con los demás el amor de Dios y el amor al prójimo.

Healing Masses

There will be two Healing masses in the month of No-

Saturday November 9th 10:00am English / Italian

Saturday November 16th 10:00am in Spanish.

The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered during these masses. This is a good opportunity to bring the elderly and the sick to receive this important Sacrament of Healing. Please share this information with family and friends.

Sacramental Preparation Programs



First Communion 2024/2025

Session One

Saturday November 30th 10:00am - 12:00noon

Confirmation 2024/2025

November 8th, 7:00pm-8:00pm Human Freedom

Session 3



Parish Meetings, Events and other News

Pray for Vocations

"What do you want Me to do you for you?" Could your answer be the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life? contact: Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email

ShareLife

Answer the call to compassion

vocations@archtoronto.org

100,000 people in Toronto are expected to turn to food charities for the first time in 2024. Through our parish's support, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and a generous anonymous donor are committing \$750,000 to fund food banks and meal programs throughout the archdiocese. Please help combat hunger at sharelife.org/donate or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your compassion. Thus far we have raised \$25,993.00. 93.5% of our parish goal of \$27,800.

Second Collection

The weekend of November 16th and 17th, we will have a second collection for the **Shepherds' Trust fund.** The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Lectio Divina

Parishioners are invited to come and join Lectio Divina (scriptural reading, meditation, & prayer) every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month from 2:30pm to

3:30pm at St. Jude's Parish in the Holy Family Room. For information please contact: Anita Espino 647-878-7195.

Schedule

Nov. 17, Mark 13:24-32 The Last Judgement Nov. 24, John 18:33b-37 Christ Kingdom Dec. 8, Luke 3:1-6 Prepare for the Lord Dec. 29, Christmas party (food, games, and gifts exchange)

Pasta Night Thank you, Grazie, Gracias We would like to express our sincere

gratitude to everyone who made St. Jude's Pasta Night Fundraiser a great success. To Panino Cappuccino Restaurant for the delicious food and donations. A special thank you to Chef Charles for all his hard work. To all the sponsors and parishioners who donated generously to this event. To all the volunteers who came out to lend a hand, set-up and serve. To Gina Chiappetta for taking on this incredible initiative together with Anna Armanetti, Sandy Richardson, Lilly Saraceni, Daniela Furlan, and Andrea Chiappetta, and to Yolanda Flores for leading the silent auction. Lastly, we would like to thank all those who came together as a community to make this evening possible. We raised close to \$9,000.00 which will go towards the new roof. Details for the final total will be reported next week.

In Christ, Fr. Josue Vargas & Fr. Croos

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Mass Intentions

Mass intentions to be announced on weekend masses and the following week, must be requested by Wednesday of each week. We cannot change dates for masses previous sly 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 rec-

ommend 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 Sun day/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.
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