

ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE PARISH



Sunday, October 11, 2020- Twenty- Eighth Sunday Ordinary Time

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PARISH STAFF

Pastor..... **Rev. James W. Kirkpatrick, Jr.**
Deacon..... Daniel E. Brick
Music Director/Organist/Choirmaster..... Michael Hauser
Folk Group..... Peggy Barkley
Family Faith Formation /Confirmation coordinator.... Lynda Mostowy

RECTORY HOURS

Monday - Thursday - 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. Fridays- 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

Tuesday & Thursday 10:00 am- 2:00 pm

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please fill out a registration form obtained at entrances to the church or contact the rectory during office hours.

FUNERAL LUNCHEONS

The Bereavement committee is a group that provides a luncheon at the Parish Center for a minimum of 25 people and not more than 100 people following the **funeral Mass** of a parishioner. Volunteers are always needed and will be placed on a rotating team.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon, 7:00 pm
Tuesday and Thursday 6:45 am
Monday-Friday 9:00 am
Saturday 9:00 am
Holy Day Masses see inside

FIRST FRIDAY EXPOSITION

9:30 am to 5:00 pm (Sept. - June)

No First Friday devotion during July & August

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays at the 9:00 am. Mass.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesdays 9:30 am-8:00 pm in Church

Divine Mercy Chaplet recited at 3:00 pm.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:00 pm-4:45 pm
(or by appointment)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements are to be made by calling the rectory 6 months in advance. **A date cannot be reserved until the couple meets with the pastor.** Couples are to attend a Pre-Cana Conference.

BAPTISMS

Held at 1:00 pm on the last Sunday of the month. They can also be scheduled at weekend Masses. A required class for parents and godparents is held in church the Tuesday before the Baptism at 7:00 pm. Please call the rectory for registration. A godparent is to be a Confirmed Catholic and be able to obtain a letter of recommendation from his/her parish.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

“St. Jude the Apostle is a Roman Catholic community committed to knowing our Christian Faith. We are a welcoming community striving to live in the truth of the Gospel, with love in service to others. Led by the Holy Spirit and rooted in the Eucharist, we believe in the dignity of each person and that all life is sacred.”

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK
October 10-18, 2020**

Saturday, October 10, 2020 - (Vigil)

Gal 3:22-29 Ps 105:2-7 Lk 11:27-28

9:00 am - Catherine Ferraro by daughters Nancy, Mary & Lucy

5:00 pm- David McNamara (birth remb) by Carolyn & family

Sun., October 11, 2020 - Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 25:6-10a Ps 23:1-6 Phil 4:12-14. 19-20 Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

8:00 am - Frances & Dan Grayson by Ordian family

10:00 am- Al DiMatteo by Rose & family

12 noon - David Colvin (birth remb) by family

7:00 pm - Fr. Joe Moreno by Thom and Marina Pennock

Monday, October 12, 2020 - Weekday

Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 5:1 Ps 113:1b-5a, 6-7 Lk 11:29-32

9:00 am - Rosemary Springer by Nancy Recupero

Tuesday, October 13, 2020 - Weekday

Gal 5:1-6 Ps 119:41 43-45 47-48 Lk 11:37-41

6:45 am -Marie Guacagno by Jerry and Pam Casillo

9:00 am - Joseph Stevick by Mike Casacci & family

Wed., October 14, 2020 - St. Callistus I, pope and martyr

Gal 5:18-25 Ps 1:1-4, 6 Lk 11:42-46

9:00 am - Joseph Harrington by Ken & Carol Rak

Thurs., October 15, 2020 - St. Teresa of Jesus, virgin & doctor of Church

Eph 1:1-10 Ps 98:1-6 Lk 11:47-54

6:45 am - People of the Parish

9:00 am - Laura Nickerson (ann. of death) by family

Fri., October 16, 2020 - St. Hedwig, religious/St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin

Eph 1:1-11-14 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5 12-13 Lk 12:1-7

9:00 am -Patricia Ann Bonar by son, Scott Bonar and family

Saturday, October 17, 2020- (Vigil)

Eph 1:15-23 Ps 8:2-3b, 4-7 Lk 12:8-12

9:00 am - Joseph Boryszewski, Jr. by children and grandchildren

5:00 pm - Joanne Wawrzynek by son, Walter & Cheryl Wawrzynek

Sun., October 18, 2020 - Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 45:1, 4-6 Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10 1 Thes 1:1-5b Mt 22:15-21

8:00 am - Joseph Boryszewski, Jr (ann. of death) by wife, children and grandchildren

10:00 am - William Leach by Emerlita

12 noon - William Hengel by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Connell

7:00 pm - Steve Downing by Diane Kissel

If interested in having a Mass said for your loved one, we have the 7:00 pm Mass available. Call the rectory office.

The 2021 Mass intention book is available at the rectory office. You may stop in Monday-Thursday from 10 am - 2 pm, or call 694-0540.

MESSAGE FROM FR JIM

Dear Parishioners,

Like many things this year the presidential election has been difficult on us. Difficulties will continue to be even after it has been decided. I must say that I have been pressured many times by both sides about who Catholic voters should support. There are very important issues that we must consider when placing our votes. These include right to life issues, immigrant rights, environmental health and issues about the proper understanding of human sexuality.

It is not my place or my desire to tell you who to vote for. I do insist that you practice your constitutional duty to cast a ballot. I also think it is our duty as Catholics to strongly consider these issues.

Another thing that is clear is that whoever you decide, on this person will have policy positions that are not consistent with our faith. We should, as Catholics, make our voices heard on these issues especially with our own candidates. We should make it clear to them that we expect them to honestly reconsider their flawed positions. The people we vote for are, in a way, our responsibility.

Christ's Peace,

Fr Jim Kirkpatrick

OUTREACH PRIEST VISIT

Fr. Bernard Olszewski will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in American and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Center and South America.



NICARAGUA MISSION HELP

Ann Zon **will not** be collecting items for the mission this year. However, we have three boxes of cookbooks that were created to support the education of children in Nicaragua. The cookbooks are \$5.00. The money will be given to Ann Zon.



Cookbooks will be available after Masses on October 17/18 in the Parish Center or Church vestibule.



ROSARY GUILD BABY SHOWER

The Rosary Guild will be collecting baby items for their annual baby shower for area pregnancy facilities. Boxes will be in the Parish Center and in the Church vestibule in October. Diapers are especially appreciated.

VOCATIONS

A Vocation View

Whether we realize it or not, countless blessings are being bestowed upon us. Our very existence is itself a gift. How grateful are we for our blessings? How can we live out our appreciation? Perhaps we can do this by answering the Lord when He calls upon us.

If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535.



MEN OF FAITH

All men are welcome to join us at the next Men's spirituality meeting on Saturday October 17th after the 9:00 am mass. Light refreshments will be provided. This month's topic has to do with respect. There seems to be a rash of disrespect going on in our country these days. As men of God, how can we model respect for the next generation?



FATIMA MOVIE COMING TUESDAY TO THE DRIVE-IN

The recent movie **Fatima** is coming to the Transit Drive-In on Tuesday, October 13th at 7:30 pm. Gates open at 6:30 pm with a group rosary at 7:00 pm. The drive-in is located on Transit Rd., Lockport.

Tickets can be purchased that evening. Tickets are \$10 for ages 12 and over; \$6 for children 5-11 and children 4 and under free.

The Traveling Madonna, The month of the Holy Rosary

Pope Benedict XVI confirmed the importance of Our Lady's message for today: "Fatima is the home from which Mary chose to speak to us in modern times... We would be mistaken to think that Fatima's prophetic mission is complete." (Fatima, May 13, 2010)



She promised at Fatima, "In the end, my Immaculate heart will triumph!" Jesus later revealed to Sister Lucia that He had placed the conversion of Russia and the peace of the world in the hands and heart of His Mother. Everything depends on our own free response to the conditions Our Lady has set forth. Many strive to live the Fatima Message in even greater depth, thus making up in quality what is lacking in quantity. When sufficient numbers of people cooperate with her request, we can hasten her triumph.

World Apostolate of Fatima, USA

If you would like to honor Our Lady, please call Ann 692-4396 to arrange a time for the Traveling Madonna of Fatima to come your home

October 11, 2020

Our Faith Community's Gift to God

Week ending October 4, 2020

Receipts	\$ 9,906.03
Assumption	25.00
Heat	75.00
Auxiliary	1,050.00
Candles	141.00
Faith Formation	2,055.00
Outreach	195.00
Catholic Education	17.00
"We Share" Elec. Giving - regular wkly	1,295.00
"We Share" Capital camp.	120.00

Total receipts **\$14,879.03**

Special collections	\$ 33.00
Christ the King	25.00
World Mission Sunday	25.00
Religious Retirement Fund	510.00
Respect Life Sunday	20.00
St. Vincent dePaul Society	20.00

For more information about our "We Share" Contributions program, visit the parish website at www.stjudetheapostle.org. Click the "Parish Support" icon and follow the "We Share" link to make secure online donations using credit/debit cards or direct withdrawals from your bank account.

FLU SHOTS

This weekend following the 8 am, 10 am and 12 noon Masses a representative from Rite Pharmacy will be here giving flu shots. They will be set up in the Parish Center. Please remember to bring your insurance cards.



AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Stephen's, Grand Island - is looking for a Rectory Cook and Housekeeper. Cooking, shopping, light housekeeping 3 days a week. Call Fr. Ray Corbin at 773-7647 x 102.

Hawk-tion Roars - No one anticipated the "roar" from Covid 19 when Cardinal O'Hara High School chose "The Roaring 20s" as its theme for the 27th annual Hawk-tion fundraiser set for Friday, Nov. 13. This year's hybrid gala will offer supporters the opportunity to host their own dinner party at home with the Party in a Box package, which will bring dinner and special gifts to their home or party location. Or supporters may chose to attend dinner at Banchetti's by Rizzo. The latter will include hors d'oeuvres and an open bar. Hundreds of items will be auctioned off virtually with bidding continuing throughout the evening. Tickets are \$75 and may be purchased by calling Cardinal O'Hara Advancement Office at 695-2600 ext. 312, email rorr@cardinalohara.com or go online at www.cardinalohara.com

St. Gregory the Great - There will be a Great Garage Sale on October 16/17 in the Ministry Center from 9-1 pm (rain or shine). Many items on sale from school desks, holiday and house décor, household items, etc. Also there will be a Chicken BBQ on Oct. 17th from 3-7 pm in parking lot - all dinners take out. Tickets are \$11.00/pre-sale or \$12 the day of the event. You can go online with credit card, Venmo or PayPal on this site <https://givebutter.com/Chickendinner>. If you pay online, your tickets will be at will call the day of the event. Also a shredding event 10/17 from 9 - 12 \$15 bag/box 3 for \$35.00. It will be at Ministry Center.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, October 10	5:00 pm	N. Garcia, T. Sack, K. Adowski
Sunday, October 11	8:00 am	D. MacDonald, K. Lucin, B. Yager
	10:00 am	R. Dunning, F. Giancola, J. Peresie
	12 noon	J. Arnold, P. Ziatts N. Colvin
	7:00 pm	J. Maldonado, D. Peterson, R. O'Sullivan
Saturday, October 17	5:00 pm	B. Franusiak, E. & G. Moran
Sunday, October 18	8:00 am	M. Garcia, MJ Wolanyk, D. Scibilia
	10:00 am	F. & M. Barry, B. Wiech
	12 noon	R. O'Sullivan, D. Durnin, N. Kogo
	7:00 pm	K. Lucin, P. Mancuso, J. Renda



LECTORS

Saturday, October 10	5:00 pm -	J. Gioeli
Sunday, October 11	8:00 am -	C. Yager
	10:00 am -	J. Wiech
	12 noon -	C. Desiderio
	7:00 pm -	F. Giancola
Saturday, October 17	5:00 pm -	G. Smeragliuolo
Sunday, October 18	8:00 am -	M. Martin
	10:00 am -	L. & G. Pupo
	12 noon -	MA Demler
	7:00 pm -	J. Peresie



FAMILY FAITH FORMATION



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MARY'S MANTLE AT HOME RETREAT OCT 28-DEC 12, 2020

2 minute reading at home-Rosary-Simple fasting-weekly optional videos at home or here.

See www.MarysMantleConsecration.com for details on book & journal

Endorsed by: Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone and Bishop Myron J Coton

First Communion: Oct. 17th at 10:00 am. Please have children arrive at 9:30 in the Parish Center.

Confirmation rehearsal: October 18, 2020 following the noon Mass. Candidates, please arrive with your sponsor.

Confirmation: Thursday, October 22, 2020 at 7:00 PM. Candidates please arrive at 6:30 pm in the Parish Center.

PRO-LIFE

Supreme Court denies appeals for two recent federal executions

WASHINGTON (CNS) — The Supreme Court denied the appeals of two federal death-row inmates in late September.

The Catholic Mobilizing Network led virtual prayer vigils before both executions. At the Sept. 22 virtual prayer service, a statement written by Atlanta Archbishop Gregory J. Hartmayer was read aloud to the 215 online participants.

It said: “A convict who is killed never has an opportunity to repent or seek reconciliation with those he or she may have hurt. We must always leave open the door for redemption and rehabilitation.”

“Taking the life of another human being harms each one of us, defying the sanctity of human life and devaluing our worth as God’s own creation. The death penalty damages our culture and turns our government into a system of retribution, when it should be a system of support and service to its people,” he said.

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Let us pray to end the death penalty.

Diocesan Pro Life Office 716-847-2205

help during pregnancy

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