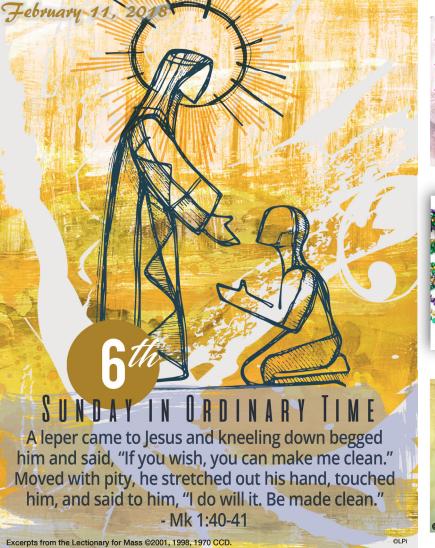
Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church

Jesus: Encountered, Loved, Served.



Pro-Life Mass February 12 at 7pm Page 8 PRO-Life Mass





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OFFICE & GIFT SHOP

Monday-Thursday 9-5pm Friday 9-4pm (Lunch from 12:30-1:30pm) Sunday 7:30am-noon

OFFICE CLOSURE

February 19 President's Day

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil 5pm Sunday Masses

8am, 10am, Noon, 5pm

Weekday Masses Monday-Friday 12:05pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:45pm-4:30pm

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- "If the man is leprous and unclean, the priest shall declare him unclean by reason of the sore on his head." (Lv 13:44)

Psalm: I turn to you, Lord, in times of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation (Ps 32)

Second Reading: Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God. (1 Cor 10:31)

Gospel: A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." (Mk 1:40-41)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 [7]/1

Cor 10:31--11:1/Mk 1:40-45 Monday: Jas 1:1-11/Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76 [77a]/

Mk 8:11-13 Two day: Jas 1:1-17/Ps 119:07, 00, 71, 72, 73, 70 [77a]/

Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/ Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: JI 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20--6:2/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17 [cf. 3a]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/ Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19[19b]/Mt 9:14-15 Saturday: Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6[11ab]/Lk 5:27-32 Next Sunday: Gn 9:8-15/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 10]/1 Pt 3:18-22/Mk 1:12-15



Cecil Hensley

PRAY FOR HEALING

Remedios Agrawal Eugene Bascou Janice Bascou Marie Berkovich Diana Beygijanian Edythe Chiaro Jim Cinney Nestor Cocjin Esther Covarubias Frank Fontana Erdie Garcia Monica Giliberti Alid Gomez Jessica Grant Alyssa Grodotzke Federico "Ed" Guba Margo Idol Ernest LaRocca Matthew Machuca Caridad Mangubat Irene O'Brien Brianna Ortiz Rick Ricketts Sue Ricketts Jill Roper Mark Sinotte Diane Stevens Raymond Vazquez Bob Yeck

Names will be removed after a period of one month. Call the parish office (818) 889-1279 to add a name of a loved one who is in need of prayer.

MASS INTENTIONS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday	February 11 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Day of the Sick; World Marriage Day		
8:00 a.m.	John Joyce	RIP	
10:00 a.m.	Eva Wormus	RIP	
12:00 p.m.	Sara Maldonado de Acosta	RIP	
12.00 p	Bob Nassraway	RIP	
5:00 p.m.	John Cygan	RIP	
Monday	February 12		
12:05 p.m.	Anna DaoNguyen	SI	
12.00 p.i.i.	Robert Carroll	RIP	
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Tuesday	February 13 Mardi Gras		
12:05 p.m.	Phyllis Vessa	RIP	
	John Francis McCann	RIP	
Wednesday	February 14 Ash Wednesday; Day of fasting & abstinence; Valentine's Day		
12:05 p.m.	Alberto & Grace Parisi	RIP	
	Michael Fortunato	RIP	
Thursday	February 15		
12:05 p.m.	George Golden	RIP	
	Jim Ryan	RIP	
Friday	February 16 Day of abstinence		
12:05 p.m.	Patricia Morra	RIP	
	Ruth & Jim Memmott	RIP	
Saturday	February 17 The Seven Holy Fo the Servite Order	ounders of	
5:00 p.m.	Stephen Beck	SI	
	Sadhb Tierney	SI	
	Jessie Acosita	RIP	



PRAY FOR LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY

Private Louie Alfaro, US Army Major Nicholas Amenta, USAF SSGT Anthony Amersfoort US Army Private Christian Basto US Army LCpl Andrew Brown USMC-MARSOC LCpl Michael Carroll Jr., USMC LCpl Kenneth A. Cloutier, USMC Major John F. D'Astoli, USMC SGT Alexander Duke Daley, USMC Captain Brendan Djernes, USAF Major Scott DiGioia, USAF A1C Kiani Ebuen, USAF Spc. Aaron Espinoza, US Army Christian Garibay, USAF PFC Kevin Hansen, US Army Andrew Henggler, USAF Erynn Hernandez, USMC Private Justin Huser, US Army Lt. John R. Kimmel, US Navy PFC Kevin Malouf USMC Lt. Colonel Brian McAvoy, USMC Major Patrick McBride, USAF Sgt. Graham Mullins, US Army Captain Justin Nikodem, USAF LCpl Bryce Pattillo USMC Sergeant Ryan Paris, USAF Spc. Simon Pompa, US Army Sean Sweeney, Navy Private Christopher Withlow, US Army

Lenten Disciplines of Fasting & Abstinence

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.

PALM BURNING Tuesday, February 13

At 7 p.m. Bring your Palms from Palm Sunday 2017 to burn on



Shrove Tuesday. We will pray, light a fire and then celebrate the last day before Lent begins by enjoying dessert! If you have a favorite dessert, bring it to share! Questions? email <u>cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org</u>



Ash Wednesday Schedule February 14th, 2018

10am Distribution of Ashes (School & Parish)

12pm Mass with Distribution of Ashes

4pm Distribution of Ashes

6pm Mass with Distribution of Ashes

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Lenten Reconciliation Service Monday, February 26 at 7pm

An Examination of Conscience

"Brothers and sister, fill your minds with everything that is true, everything that is honorable, everything that is just and pure, everything that is lovely and gracious, and everything that can be thought virtuous and worthy of praise."



St. Paul's Letter to the Philippians, chapter 4, verse 8

"...everything that is true..."

Are there ways that I've been dishonest with those closest to me?

Are there any areas where I'm not being honest with myself and the Lord?

Am I trying to hide some sin from the Lord?

Am I avoiding my need to deal with an area in my life that is out of order?

"...everything that is honorable ... "

Am I using my gifts and talents for God's glory? Do my goals in life reflect gospel values, or are they based more on self-centered worldly ambition? Do I speak TO other people--and ABOUT them--in a way that is respectful and straightforward?

"...everything that is just ... "

Am I trying my best to care for the poor and the unfortunate?

Do I treat other people fairly?

Have I engaged in improper deals, whether at work or among friends?

Have I focused more on the flaws of those around me than on my own flaws?

"...everything that is pure..."

Have I guarded my mind and my eyes against lust? Have I acted impurely, either with someone else or with myself?

Am I treating my spouse with honor and respect?

"...everything that is lovely and gracious..." Are there ways in which my witness to Jesus is tarnished, whether by my speech or my actions?

Am I modest in my dress and my appearance? Am I overly concerned about how I look before others? Do I entertain grudges or resentments against someone else?

Is there someone I need to forgive?

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

FAITH FORMATION Director, Cindy Kozal (818)889-0612 cindy@saintjudetheapóstle.org

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EVENTS

THE UNIVERSITY SERIES 2018

During the season of Lent, The University Series offers a multitude of seminars connecting faith with real life in areas such as current events, contemporary moral issues, faith and science, marriage



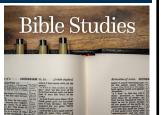
and family, church history, scripture, prayer, and other priorities set by the Los Angeles Archdiocesan Synod. Sessions include multi-media presentations and always allow time for your questions. This year, 94 presentations will be held at 13 surrounding participating parishes. At St. Judes this year: Fr. Slawomir, Scripture professor at St. John's Seminary, will lead 5 week class on the gospel of Mark. We will also have John Allen speaking. He is the editor of Crux, specializing in coverage of the Vatican and the Catholic Church. February 15-March 23 The University Series is in session. Visit www.theuniversityseries.org

RISE UP! LOS ANGELES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONGRESS March 16 -18 | March 15 (Youth Day)

Fr. Christopher Bazyouros, Director from the Office of Religious Education, invites you to "Come and hear the voice of Jesus calling you to a more abundant life through the many conferences, liturgies, entertainment and resources that are offered throughout the weekend ... " Registration booklets are available in the Faith Formation office, the main office or online www.recongress.org St. Jude has a block of rooms at the Marriott which you can reserve for yourself. Contact cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org for more information.

BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAY TO SUNDAY Get more out of Mass by reading and reflecting on the Sunday readings in advance. Join one of our Sunday to Sunday groups and see the difference a little preparation can make! Tuesday mornings (9:15 -11, library) and Wednesday evening (6:30 - 7:30, faith formation office)



THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY Beginning March 8 at 9:30 a.m. the Thursday morning Bible study will use the Ascension Press new program **Fulfilled: Uncovering the** Biblical Foundations of Catholicism. This study is an apologetic approach to sharing the Catholic Faith. While it is designed as a faith-sharing Scripture study, you will also gain an understanding of some of the most questioned Catholic

teachings. Fulfilled will reignite your love of Scripture and help you share and defend the Catholic Faith with the Word of God. Contact margaretharder@hotmail.com with questions.

THURSDAY EVENINGS DURING LENT, BEGINNING

FEBRUARY 22ND - Fr. Slawomir Szkredka, a popular Scripture professor from St. John's Seminary, will lead a 5 week study: Possible Impossibility? Following Jesus in the Gospel of Mark Beginning on February 22 from 7:30 – 9 p.m. in our parish hall. If you have never taken a Scripture study, this is a perfect time to start! Take a look at the University Series Course guide for more details or contact cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org

CHILDREN

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

During the 10AM Mass: Feb 11, 18, 25. An age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word offered for ages 5 through 5th graders. No pre-registration is necessary. Just before the Liturgy of the Word begins for the assembly, the children are invited to go



with the weekly leaders from the church to the Parish Hall and learn about the same Scripture readings as the rest of the assembly.

SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY

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The Special Needs Faith Formation Program offers children the ability to learn about the love and care of Jesus in their own way and at their own pace. For additional information please visit our webpage www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Special-Needs-Ministry If you would like your child to be part of this program please contact our Ministry Coordinator, Lucia Bartlett lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org or (818)889-2541. Sessions are from 11am-1pm: Group 1 Feb 18th and Group 2 Feb 11th

JUNIOR HIGH

JUNIOR HIGH MINISTRY

SJ 7/8 YM - Fun, Friends, Faith (and food) Through faith building activities, lessons and service projects, the junior high ministry will make connections between Catholic faith and everyday life. We meet Wednesdays from 7pm-8pm in the Youth Room.



Sessions: Feb 13 Shrove Tuesday/Palm Burning Event Ministry contact Cindy Kozal cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org Visit http:// www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Junior-High-Ministry

TEENS

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Confirmation at St. Jude celebrates the Holy Spirit working in the hearts of our teens. The Confirmation process is a time of discernment for our teens to explore, challenge, grow and eventually take ownership of the Catholic Faith. The process involves not only the teens, but the whole family and the entire parish



community. Confirmation is a two year process for teens, which typically begins in 9th grade. Teens that are going into 10th or 11th grade are welcome to begin Confirmation as well.

We meet in the hall at 6:30pm.

Confirmation Nights Year 1: Feb TBA

Confirmation Nights Year 2: February 11 Sponsors attend 5pm Mass & Confirmation Night

www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Confirmation-Program

YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAM Bringing our teens closer to God and each other. Ministry Coordinator Lucia Bartlett lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org Sessions are Wednesdays in the hall from 7pm-8:30pm. Next Session: February 21 **Religious Education Congress - YOUTH DAY 3/15**

Permission slips and additional info can be found on the Youth Ministry Page

http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Youth-Ministry-Program-



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Welcome to all who have come to St. Jude Catholic Community. We hope that our Father's house will be a place of solace and grace for you. If you are not registered or would like to update your

information, please visit our website www.saintjudetheapostle.org or email barbara@saintjudetheapostle.org

Coffee & Donuts Sunday Mornings on the patio following the 8am & 10am Masses



Help keep this St. Jude tradition going and volunteer. Donuts are

provided by the church all you do is brew coffee and set the table with coffee & donuts. It's easy! There are several ways to signup:

•From our homepage www.saintjudetheapostle.org

•Signup Genius search St. Jude's Coffee & Donuts

•Contact natalie@saintjudetheapostle.org / 818.889.3551

Thank you for volunteering: February 11 Filipino American Ministry February 18 K. Dirks & C. Chowanec

BECOMING CATHOLIC Inquiry Nights Every Tuesday

The Rite of Christian

(RCIA) is the process

by which people can

Initiation of Adults

7 pm - 8 pm

Recently a series of the serie

question, search , and inquire into the Catholic faith. At. St. Jude, members of our parish join with those who are journeying to becoming fully initiated Catholics (Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation). We recognize that people are in all different places in their journey and we are here to help you in any way we can. Contact Fr. Jim Stehly <u>frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org</u> or drop-in on any Tuesday night from 7 p.m.- 8 p.m. in the Faith Formation office to find out a little more about the Catholic faith. There is more information on the parish website

www.saintjudetheapostle.org under "Becoming Catholic."

"It is not enough to say we are Christians. We must live the faith not only with our words but with our actions" -Pope Francis





Today, Archbishop Gomez invites every Catholic to make their annual commitment to **Together in Mission.** Last year, **272 OF 2017 PARISH DONORS** helped us raise **\$129,228.00** and helped us to become one of the most generous parishes in the Archdiocese.

This year's theme of *Let Us Love* reminds us that our gifts to **Together in Mission** are an active demonstration of our faith and love for those in our Archdiocese who need our support. We invite all families, those who have given in the past, and those who have never made a gift to prayerfully consider to make a commitment to this year's campaign. Your gifts will go a long way to helping our parish reach our **2018**

PARISH GOAL \$ 111,352.00

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

For more information please visit ourmissionla.org/give

Tax Statement Request 2017

To request a printout of your 2017 donations, please complete one of the following:

- •Visit <u>http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/</u> From the home page complete and submit the Tax Statement Request Form.
- •or email your request to Barbara Farmer <u>barbara@saintjudetheapostle.org</u>. Please include your name, address, phone and envelope number.

For more information, please contact Barbara Farmer, Parish Manager (818) 889-1279.



Cyber bullying prevention

Thousands of children play games online with their friends and other gamers, but these forums are ripe with bullying, which can have serious

negative effects on bullying victims. Cyber bullying can often be particularly cruel, since the bully targets victims from behind a keyboard, and his or her identity may remain hidden. Always be aware of what games your children are playing, and whom they are connecting with online. Talk to them about cyber bullying and what to do if someone is targeting them. For a copy of the complete VIRTUS® article "Preventing Cyber Bullying in Online Gaming, Part 2" visit www.archla.org/protecting. For St. Jude's Protecting God's Children Program contact Dot Kelly dotandpuff@gmail.com.

LITURGICAL LIFE

Anointing of the Sick: In the event of serious illness or a medical emergency, please contact the Parish Center immediately for a priest so that the Sacraments may be celebrated 818.889.1279

Baptism: Infant Baptisms are celebrated on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month at 1:30 p.m. following catechesis for the parents and arrangements with the Parish Center. Contact Cindy Kozal 818.889.0612 or email baptism@saintjudetheapostle.org

Christian Initiation: Inquiries about Initiation and Communion with the Catholic Christian Church, please contact the Parish Office 818.889.1279

Marriage: Please contact the Parish Center for an appointment with a priest at least six (6) months prior to any wedding 818.889.1279

Funerals: At the death of a loved one, kindly notify the Parish Center at your earliest convenience to schedule the funeral rites 818.889.1279

Holy Communion to Homebound or Sick: Please call the Parish Center to request a visit from a Eucharistic Minister to the Homebound or Sick 818.889.1279.

Reconciliation: Saturday Evenings 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.

PRAYER LIFE

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady's Chapel , the first Wednesday of the month, we pray for Vocations 12:30 -7:30 pm. *Please sign up for an hour with the Lord by calling* Beatrice Restifo 805.230.2919

Circulo de Oracion Carmen Koros 805.494.9008, Mirtha Vespe 818.706.8248

Daily Rosary Prayer Group Weekdays before the 12:05pm Mass, at 11:15 am. Call Vinda 818.991.8683 **Lectio Divina:** La lectura Dominical del Santo Evangelio. Todo los Jueves de 10am a 11:30 en la Biblioteca de la Iglesia. Para mas informacion: Mirtha 818 261-6457 o Carmen 805 494-9008

Fatima Rosary Group: Leaders are Wayne and Shu-Hwei Zimmerman 805.373.1099. Meets every Tuesday at 7:30 pm. February is Benny and Zennie Yuzon 818-337-8055

First Friday Devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus: At 10am Contact Vinda at 818.991.8683

Liturgy of Hours Weekdays 11:50 am-prior to the 12:05pm Mass

Meditation Prayer Group meets every Tuesday night from 7:30-8:30 pm in the church. Contact Ben Levine at 818.437.0560 or email ben@saintjudetheapostle.org

Monthly Family Rosary First Sunday of the month at 3pm at the Borawski Residence, 3316 S. Medicine Bow Ct., Westlake Village Contact Franca Dornan 805.601.5350

Our Lady of Guadalupe "Healing Love" Rosary Group 7:00 pm Every Thursday in the Chapel. Janelle Beck 805.497.1877

Rosary Cenacle Wednesdays at 10am Vinda 818.991.8683

St. Jude Novena Wednesday Evenings at 7:30 p.m. **Tuesday Prayer Group** 7:50am-9 am, in the library. Lisa Maxey at 818.706-1954 or Maxey7@sbcglobal.net.

GET INVOLVED

Join A Ministry Today

Connect with one of our many ministries by visiting http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Ministries

> Adopt-A-Family Christmas John & Jackie Treuting 805.495.4630

> > Adopt-A-Family Easter Jane McDade 805.498.4043

Altar Server Ministry Michelle Dryden michelle@shehan.com http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Altar-Server-Ministry

Arts & Environment Ministry Terry Groel 805.495-7419 | tagroel@verizon.net

> Bereavement Ministry Jean-Marie Cull.805.497-6473 Pastoral Center 818.889.1279

Bikes 4 Kids: Art Estrada 818.571.7079

Breakfast for Homeless Marilou O'Halloran 805.551.9727 Eucharistic Ministry to the Sick Fr. Jim Stehly 818.889-1279

Eucharistic Ministry: Ty Hutchison 818.402.8402 Faith Firsthand Gary Romanowski 818.991.4357 Filipino Ministry: Teresita Zaratan 805.807.0771

> Frank's Homeless Project Lee & Rob Martz 805.492.2139

Holidays for Homeless Steve Yantzer 818.706.0691

Homefront Ministry Claire & Patrick Young 805.532.9201

Knights of Columbus Grand Knight Chuck Harley (805)496-2138 http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Kn

Lector Ministry: Stephen Reid 818.661.8817 Loaves & Fishes Ministries

John & Jackie Treuting 805.495.4630 http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/About-Us

Marriage Encounter: Tim & Pat Crosby 818.889.5928

Open Arms Hospitality Ministry Gina Conti Gconti555@gmail.com Our Lady's Rosary Makers

Fatima Espirito-Santo 818.597.4840

Prayer Ministries Coordinator Ben Levine 818.437.0560 | ben@saintjudetheapostle.org Prayer Shawl Ministry: Gina Conti Gconti555@gmail.com Recycling for the Homeless: Art Estrada 818.571.7079 Respect Life: Mary Linn 818.889.7849 Sacristan Ministry: Diane Cigich, Kathleen Paul, Vicki Baltazar, and Bobbi Nelson Sandwich Ministry: Judy Hutchison 818.402.8403 Senior Group: Sharon Thomas 818.314.4158 Service Day: Julie Feeley 818.889.2449 Social Justice & Peace: Tom Cull 805.497.6473 Stephen Ministry: Jill Robertson 805.368.0753



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Visit the "Ministries" section of our website <u>www.saintjudetheapostle.org</u> for a comprehensive list of all of ministries throughout our parish. See page 6 of this bulletin for a list of ministries.

PACKING PARTY

Parishioners are invited to the patio after all Masses on the weekend of February 17-18 to pack 1,200 or more care bags with the supplies and donations collected at **Frank's Homeless Project** collection in January.





For more Information, please contact Jackie Treuting (805)495-4630

Adopt-a-Family Easter

Signup Weekend February 24 & 25 At the church following all Masses

Each Spring, St. Jude Parishioners donate Easter Baskets for the less fortunate children in our community.

Collection Weekend is

March 17 & 18. Easter Baskets can be dropped off in the parish hall.

Following all Masses. Parishioners attending Congress can drop off baskets ahead of time in the rectory.

The baskets can be made or bought for children from infants to 13 years. Cash donations are appreciatedchecks can be made out to Adopt a Family Easter Baskets. We make Easter baskets with donations. We can also accept NEW toys for baskets that we make.

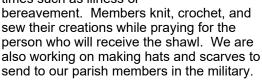
The Easter Baskets will be given to RAIN, Many Mansions and Catholic Charities of Moorpark, Ventura and Oxnard. Last year we collected 729 Easter Baskets.

For more information, please contact Pat & Jane McDade 805-498-4043 www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Adopt-A-Family-Easter

A Loaves and Fishes Ministry "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat. I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink." -Matthew 25:35

St. Jude's Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawl Ministry members make prayer shawls and blankets to bring God's love to those who are going through difficult times such as illness or



We welcome new members to the Prayer Shawl Ministry no matter your skill level. If you want instruction we will be happy to teach you and we have a supply of donated yarn, needles, and patterns to get you started. We meet on Fridays at 10am in the library: Feb 16

Contact Gina Conti gconti555@gmail.com or Martha Huggins (mhuggins23@yahoo.com)

FOOD COLLECTION

Loaves and Fishes Ministry holds a monthly food collection held on the third Saturday of every month from September to May. Each parish family is asked to donate a bag of groceries twice a year. You can also donate every month. The groceries are picked up at their home. You can also volunteer to be a caller, driver or to sort the groceries in the church parking lot on collection day. Our parish has been divided into four geographical areas, to find your area visit <u>http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/</u> <u>Food-Collections</u>. Next Collection: 2/17/18 Area 4 - Oak Park & Agoura Contact: Alina Silvestre 805-496-3780

Underwear Drive

A child can enter foster care at any time of the day or night. Imagine how alone and scared they feel! They typically have nothing with them except the clothes on their



back. James Storehouse in Newbury Park provides basic necessities to children in the critical first hours as they enter a foster or group home. James Storehouse is a 501 (c)(3) community based non-profit that partners with local public and private child welfare agencies.

James Storehouse is in great need of new underwear for boys and girls size 2T and up BOYS AND GIRLS.

Loaves and Fishes is partnering with the Women's Interfaith Network in this effort during the entire month of February. If you wish to participate, you may put your donation of children's underwear in the container we will leave by the inside door of Room 6 in the church hall. We will empty it every day for safekeeping. For more information contact Jackie Treuting (805)495-4630

Recycling for the Homeless

Recyclables are collected year round to provide funds for purchasing items for our local homeless. Recyclables can be placed in containers marked "Recyclables" around the church grounds any time. We accept recyclable bottles and cans (marked CRV), aluminum, glass bottles (except for wine - no redemption value). **Volunteers with trucks are especially needed for delivering recyclables for redemption.** To volunteer email Arthur Estrada <u>stjudelf@gmail.com</u> or call Jackie Treuting (805)495-4630 http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Recycling-for-the-Homeless *A Loaves and Fishes Ministry*

SANDWICH MINISTRY

Join us once a month to make sandwiches for children and homeless teens in Los Angeles and senior residents at Many Mansions in Thousand Oaks. It's fun and a great way to give back to the community.



We meet on a designated Monday each month at 10 am in the parish hall. **Schedule: Feb 12, Mar 12** For more information, please contact Judy Hutchison (818)402-8403 or judysusanhutchison@gmail.com

Loaves and Fishes Ministry www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Sandwich-Ministry



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40 Days for Life Pro-Life Mass St. Jude the Apostle Monday, February 12 at 7PM Fr. Jim Stehly celebrant



40 Days for Life's Spring campaign starts Wednesday, February 14, 2018 and ends Sunday, March 25, 2018. 40 Days for Life is an ecumenical, peaceful, prayerful vigil done outside of local abortion clinics. Our campaign is located at the public right-of-way outside of Planned Parenthood in Thousand Oaks: 1200 West Hillcrest Drive, Thousand Oaks, California.

Since 2007, the physical presence of prayerful, fasting, peaceful participants in 40 Days for Life has saved at least 13,998 babies, 170 abortion workers have quit their jobs and 90 abortion facilities have closed. Call Leonore Schuetz at 805-527-4444 for more information.

University Series Schedule Week of 2/15 - 2-16



All Classes 7:30-9:00 pm unless noted otherwise.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 New Testament Miracles: What Can We Learn? Holy Cross Parish

The Gospel of Mark: Faithful Followers of Jesus San Buenaventura Mission Parish

The Scroll of the Twelve Prophets: Words From the Old Testament for Today St. Jude The Apostle Parish

> **Can You Hear Me Now?** St. Paschal Baylon Parish

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16 Lunchtime Food For Thought: The Gospel of Mark: Faithful Followers of Jesus 12:15 - 1:45pm Padre Serra Parish For more information, visit www.theuniversityseries.org

MUSIC MINISTRY St. Jude's Children's Choir!

Rehearsals are Thursdays from 5:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. Each child will be auditioned to determine their singing abilities.



We are accepting children from grades 3rd - 7th. We are looking for kids who love music, can take direction and stay focused for the entire rehearsal. This choir will sing once a month at the 10:00 am Mass. It is important that they are able to conduct themselves appropriately during the Sunday Liturgy. For more information, please contact Vincent Adams or Michael Hemenway at (818) 889-2373 or Email: Vincent@saintjudetheapostle.org.

St. Jude's Adult Choir is beginning its new season. Rehearsals are on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. in the Music Ministry office. If you are interested in joining the choir, please contact Vincent Adams or Michael Hemenway at (818) 889-2373 or email Vincent@saintjudetheapostle.org

Scholarship Opportunities

Music Scholarships Mount Saint Mary's University Los Angeles-The Music Department at Mount Saint Mary's University Los Angeles Upcoming Music Scholarship Auditions on March 17 & 18 | 9-2pm, Chalon Campus. Full Tuition Scholarships available for incoming music majors. Application deadline, March 10, 2018. Application & Audition information found on our website <u>https://</u> www.msmu.edu/undergraduate-bachelor-programs/music/ admission-requirements/audition-information/musicscholarship-auditions/

Faith Football Scholarship - Ave Maria University is pleased to announce that through the generosity of a donor, a new Faith and Football scholarship is being offered for qualified football players who are committed Catholics. The Scholarship parameters include a minimum test score of 23 on the ACT or 1130 on the SAT. A limited number of scholarships (renewable for up to \$7,000 a year, which is added to the athletic and academic scholarships awarded by AMU) will be awarded on a rolling bases, with priority consideration given to early applications. Candidates must apply through this link: https://www.avemaria.edu/future-students/scholarships/. Please contact eric.vanheusen@avemaria.edu with any questions.

THE RESILIENT TEEN

Join us at La Reina High School & Middle School for a complimentary presentation on *The Resilient Teen -Preparing Your Teen for Life's Current and Future Challenges* on March 8th from 7:00 - 8:15 p.m.



Is your teen ready for high school...college... moving away from home? Will they be able to handle the stress? Are you helping them develop the skills they need

to survive the next big challenge in their life? Come join two adolescent and college mental health experts as they provide parents with tips on how to best prepare teenagers how to better handle life now and prepare for college and beyond. Drawing on the research and the presenter's experiences, this presentation will focus on the common qualities among those adolescents who are able to fall down, pick themselves up and keep going. Parents will also gain information about what they can be doing now and in the future to help their teen not just survive, but thrive in college. For more details and to RSVP please visit: www.lareina.com/ResilientTeen

EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY

As an extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, commonly referred to as a Eucharistic minister or EM, lay people can serve the Catholic Church by distributing Holy Communion during Mass. An EM must be a fully initiated



member of the Church (having received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation). If you feel a tug at your heart to help in this way, please contact Ty Hutchison tbh12649@gmail.com or (818) 402-8402. Visit www.saintiudetheapostle.org/Eucharistic-Ministry

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Women's Interfaith Network

In this new year, the Women's Interfaith Network is looking for new faces to check out the activities of women from many different faiths in the Conejo Valley. The group's mission is to find strength in working to help others by working





together. If you are interested in attending a meeting to find out more and to meet some lovely women, please call Jackie at 805-495-4630. Loaves and Fishes has done projects with this group, and they are delightful.

Knights of Columbus

Interested in doing God's work at St Jude's/St Max? Come to a K of C meeting to find out what goes on behind the scenes. Due to Lent, Our Next Officers' meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, **March 7th** in rooms 5-6.



We start at 7PM for meet and greet! Snacks and beverages are available! Also, due to Lent (University Series) our next general business meeting is scheduled for <u>Wednesday, March 21</u>, in rooms 5-6. All are invited for the first half hour for meet and greet.

Did you know that the Knights participate in **Habitat for Humanity?** If you are interested, our next **HforH** activity takes place in Oxnard, on March 17th.

In March, due to Lent, our business meeting is the Second Wednesday, March 7th. We will continue our HforH planning at that meeting. Help us help others! Chuck Harley - Grand Knight: <u>charley@cameoguild.com</u>

Marriage Encounter February 11th is World Marriage

February 11th is World Marriage Day. World Marriage Day honors husband and wife as head of the family, the basic unit of society. It salutes the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice and joy in daily married life. Plan to enrich your marriage by attending the next



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend: **April 27-29 in Simi Valley**. For more information contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online at <u>www.twocanlove.org</u> We help make good marriages better.

The Bella vita Italian/ American Club Thursday, February 15

New Italian American Museum of Los Angeles

We will be visiting The New Italian American Museum of Los Angeles, built in 1908 as a meeting place for all Italians in the area. Event takes place on Thursday, February 15th, departing at 9:00 am. (From transportation Center) From our docent lead tour of the museum, we then go to San Antonio Winery where we will see the wine making process and have lunch in their restaurant, the Maddalena Restaurent (not included in price) We will return home by 4:00pm. Cost \$37.00/person. Please make check payable to Bella Vita, and mail to Norm Tardif, 100 Monte Vista, Newbury Park, 91320. Questions? 805-454-9059

Retrouvaille ... a Lifeline for Marriages

Marriage Help – Retrouvaille has tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about, or to register for the next program, beginning with a

weekend on February 23-25 2018 call: (661) 257-7980 or email: <u>carlosandcaroline@yahoo.com</u> or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

Senior Ministry 50's Plus Luncheon Wednesday, February 21 12:30 pm in the Parish Hall



Laugh and be enchanted by **Joe and**

Justine Medeiros, Writers, Directors, Producers of "*The Mona Lisa Is Missing*". The one-hour film will be shown! Joe was also a longtime comedy writer for Jay Leno!

Luncheon Menu: Chicken Alfredo, Vegetables & Chocolate Cake \$15 per person Please call for reservations Sue Clinesmith 818 879-8534

Men's Retreat

The Annual Men's Retreat will take place the weekend of April 27-29 at Serra Retreat Center in Malibu. The theme of the retreat is "Our Search for



Meaning". The retreat begins with dinner on Friday evening and ends with lunch on Sunday. It includes plenty of time for relaxation, prayer, Mass, talks by Fr. Michael Doherty and Sr. Carol Quinlivan to guide your reflecting, and getting to know other men from St. Jude and other parishes. Contact Chris Tolcher via email at: <u>ctolcher@gmail.com</u>, or by phone: 818-421-4893.

All men are welcome at our meetings. We meet the second Tuesday night of the month in the parish hall.

For more information about Men's Club or to get your name added to the Men's Club email list, contact John Faucher via email at: jdf@johndfaucher.com



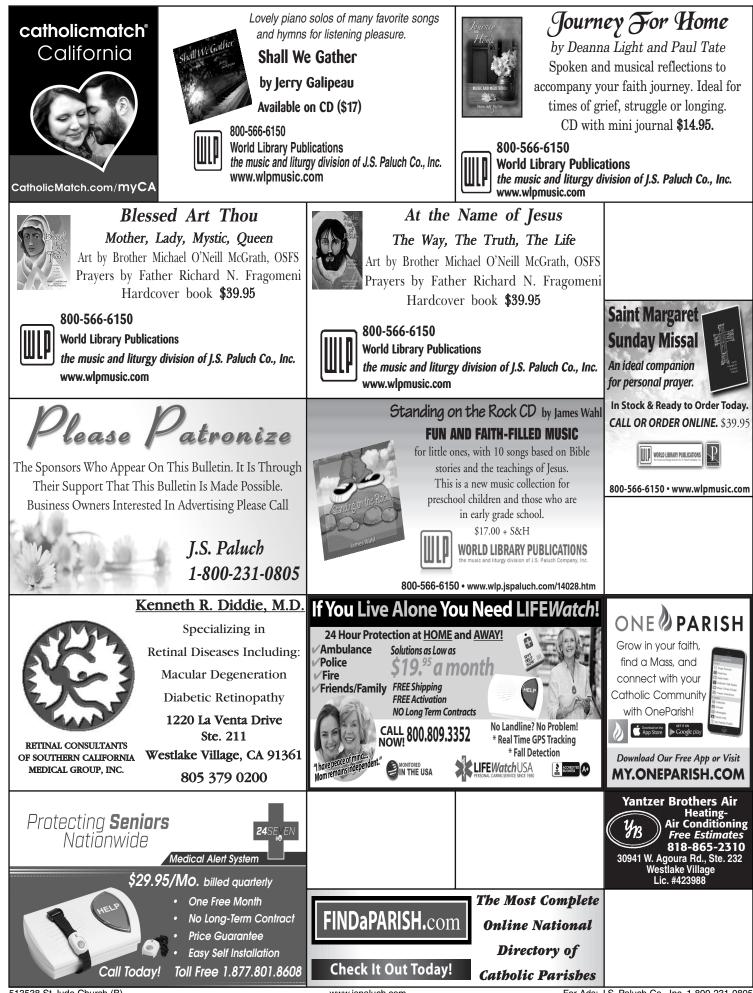
Archbishop José H. Gomez

Invites you to join him at the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe Mexico City ~ July 5-9, 2018

The highlight of this visit to the shrine will be a Procession and Mass on the Main Altar.

For information: Contact Judy Brooks or Mary Kay Delsohn (213) 637-7551





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CHURCH CALENDAR

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St. Jude's Online Giving System 'WeShare'



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Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels - Ash Wednesday, February 14: Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Season of Lent. It is a season of penance, reflection, and fasting which prepares us for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday, through which we attain redemption. There will be seven services on Ash Wednesday starting at 6:15am and continuing throughout the day: 7am, 8am, 12 noon, 3pm (liturgy of the Word), 5:15pm, and 7pm in Spanish.

A MARIAN SERIES continues on Friday, February 16, 2018 from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. with a presentation entitled "The Presentation and the Finding in the Temple." Place: Notre Dame Center 1776 Hendrix Ave., Thousand Oaks, 91360. Please RSVP to Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND at mgrech@sndca.org

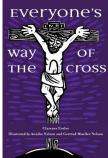
Retreat: "God is Your Center: A Contemplative Retreat" led by Rev. Martin Laird, O.S.A. Friday-Sunday, Mar 2-4 @LMU University Hall - Through times spent together in silent prayer, conferences, and discussion, we shall consider the subtle difficulties we meet in something so simple as stillness and consider why the sense of being separate from God is so convincing. This weekend, commuting retreat has been organized in partnership with The World Community for Christian Meditation. <u>crs@lmu.edu</u>

La Reina High School Spring Open House on Thursday, March 15th from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Experience firsthand how la Reina is leading the way with 100% college acceptance rate and SAT score 195 points above the national average. For more information, please visit <u>www.LaReina.com/Spring18</u>

Living Lent Daily - Come to know Jesus as a friend this Lent, and experience God's unbelievable love and generosity toward us. *Living Lent Daily* is a daily e-mail series designed to help you grow in friendship with God. It's based on the book *A Friendship Like No Other* by William A. Barry, SJ. Walk with us—and more importantly, with Jesus—through a most meaningful experience of Lent. Sign up to receive the daily messages from Loyola Press starting on Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2018. Visit www.loyolapress.com/lent.

St. Jude's Gift Shop

Featured Item: Everyone's Way to the Cross - For almost fifty years, the simple, intimate, and powerful words of Clarence Enzler's perennially bestselling Stations of the Cross booklet have invited readers to grow closer to Christ by embracing the mystery of suffering in the world. Beautiful, bold commissioned woodcuts by Annika Nelson and her mother Gertrud Mueller Nelson help us meditate on the passion and death of Christ and to see how Christ in among us



Christ and to see how Christ is among us—often in unexpected places. **Price \$ 1.50**

Monday - Thursday 9-5 pm Friday 9-4 pm Sunday 7:30 - Noon (Lunch 12:30-1:30pm)

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