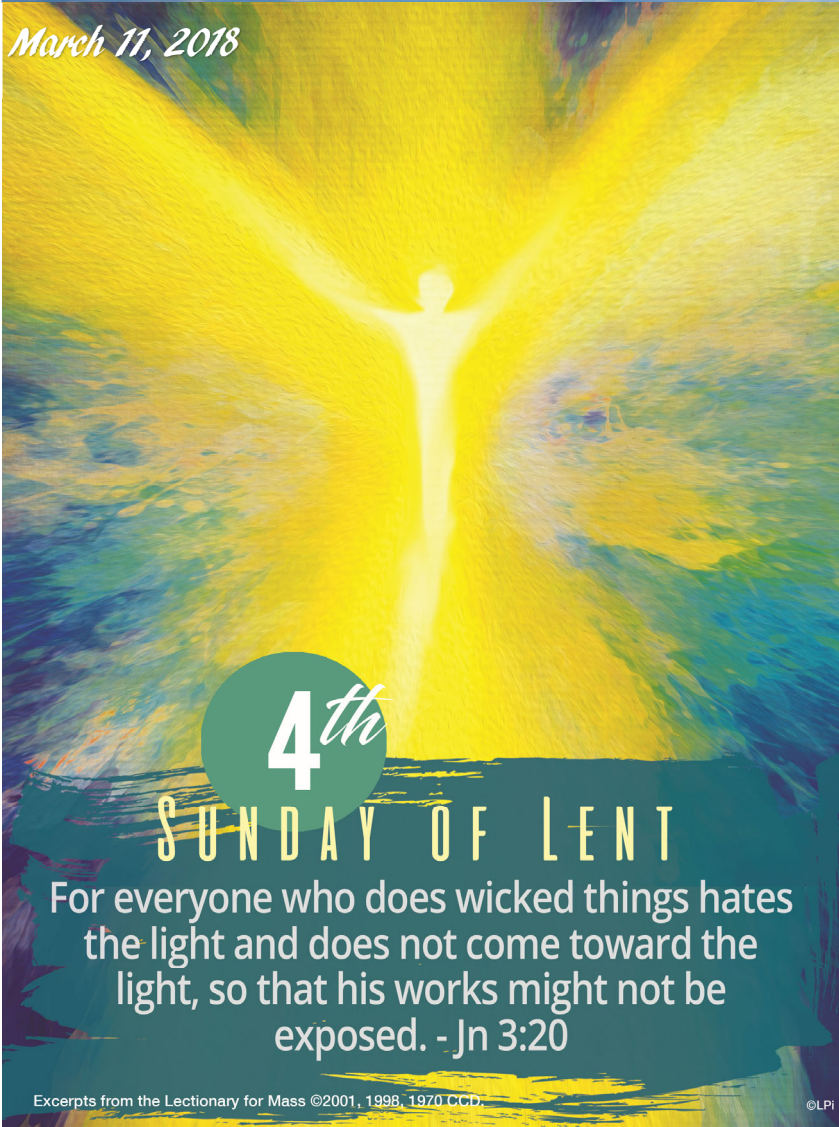




Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church

Jesus: Encountered, Loved, Served.

March 11, 2018



4th

SUNDAY OF LENT

For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. - Jn 3:20

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**ADOPT A FAMILY
EASTER**

**COLLECTION
WEEKEND**

MARCH 17 & 18



HOLY WEEK

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March 19th

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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

March 16-Staff attending EDU

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 -- Early and often did the LORD, the God of their fathers, send his messengers to them, for he had compassion on his people and his dwelling place. (2 Chr 36:15)

Psalms: Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you! (Ps 137)

Second Reading: God, who is rich in mercy, because of the great love he had for us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, brought us to life with Christ - by grace you have been saved. (Eph 2:4-5)

Gospel: For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God. (Jn 3:20-21)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6ab]/ Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/ Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or Jn 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b [2a]/Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [8]/Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18 [8a]/Jn 5:17-30

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23 [19a]/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12 [2a]/Jn 7:40-53

MASS INTENTIONS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday	March 11 Fourth Sunday of Lent; Daylight Saving Time begins	
8:00 a.m.	Patrick Anderson	SI
10:00 a.m.	Ryan O'Meora	RIP
12:00 p.m.	James Bobrowski	RIP
5:00 p.m.	Erika Eisleben	RIP
Monday	March 12	
12:05 p.m.	Deacon Dick & Franca Dornan	SI
	Clair Ades	RIP
	Jim (James) Ruddy	SI
Tuesday	March 13	
12:05 p.m.	Krystyna Milobedzka	RIP
	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Carlos Cronenbold	SI
Wednesday	March 14	
12:05 p.m.	Gabriella Chabot	RIP
	Annette Marrone	RIP
	Jim Moon	RIP
Thursday	March 15	
12:05 p.m.	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Noreen Courselle McCord	RIP
Friday	March 16 Day of abstinence	
12:05 p.m.	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Ronald Abidog	RIP
Saturday	March 17 St. Patrick, Bishop; St. Patrick's Day	
5:00 p.m.	Des Nelson	RIP
	Elsa Fairall	
	Felipe Lumantas	RIP



Amparo Montoya Zuluoko Millard

Loretta Paciello

PRAY FOR HEALING

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| Remedios Agrawal | James McGrath |
| Aurora Alcebar | Matthew Machuca |
| Eugene Bascou | Caridad Mangubat |
| Janice Bascou | Panfilo Moreno |
| Melisa Berafato | Pia Mae Moreno |
| Diana Beygijanian | Irene O'Brien |
| MJ Bray | Brianna Ortiz |
| Edythe Chiaro | Peter Pagliaro |
| Jim Cinney | John Petti |
| Nestor Cocjin | Bob Pisapia |
| Valerie Corrigan | Dolores Ramos |
| Esther Covarubias | Rick Ricketts |
| Erdie Garcia | Sue Ricketts |
| Alid Gomez | Jill Roper |
| Jessica Grant | Aurelia Sangalang |
| Alyssa Grodotzke | Santoru Family |
| Federico "Ed" Guba | Yolanda Sherman |
| Guerra Family | Mark Sinotte |
| Lynn Hinrichs | Diane Stevens |
| Margo Idol | Ron Wayman |
| Richard Koch | 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.



**The Pastoral Office will be Closed
Friday, March 16
The staff will be attending the
Religious Education Conference**

PRAY FOR LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY

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

LENT

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.

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Today is the fourth Sunday of our Lenten preparation. The first reading is a bleak reminder of our sinfulness, our deafness to those who warn us, and the consequences of our continuing arrogance and destructiveness. The psalm tells us what it is like to be separated from the love of God. We weep and we remember. Ephesians offers us hope. God is merciful even though our sins have destroyed our lives. God saves us, not because of who we are but because of who God is. God's love raises us up from our sinful despair. John reminds us that although we deserve condemnation because of our repeated sinfulness, God so loved the world that God did what Abraham was asked to do. God sacrificed Jesus, the beloved Son, that we might be saved.

Give instead of Giving up



this Lent Season

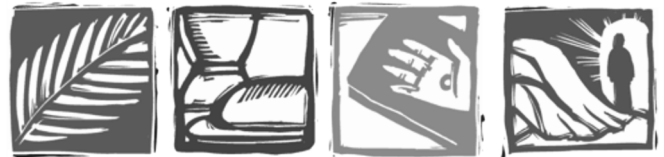
Loaves and Fishes will keep a grocery cart in the vestibule all during Lent to help us remember the 1 in 6 hungry people in Ventura County who can use our help. Please consider placing a can or package of food in the cart at random times during this Lenten season remembering "When I was hungry, you gave me something to eat. Mathew 25:35" This Lent DON'T JUST GIVE UP SOMETHING, GIVE to hungry families in our area.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAYS OF LENT
7 PM

NOW THROUGH MARCH 23

HOLY WEEK



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday, March 29th

Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:30 pm

Good Friday, March 30th

Friday of the Passion of the Lord

12 pm & 7 pm

Easter Vigil, March 31st

Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

7:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 1st

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8 am, 10 am, & 12 pm

(no evening Mass)

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. Jude's 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. **Now - 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 Bazouros, 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 Contact cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org for more information.



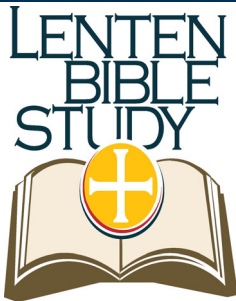
BIBLE STUDIES

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 - 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: Mar 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 818-889-2541. lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org. **Sessions are from 11am-1pm: Group 1 Mar 11, Apr 15 and Group 2 Mar 25, Apr 22**

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: March 14, April 11, 25, May 9

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: March 11, April 15

Confirmation Nights Year 2: April 22

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: **March 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->





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:
March 11 Filipino-American Ministry
March 18 Elena Lukasiewicz

BECOMING CATHOLIC Inquiry Nights Every Tuesday 7 pm - 8 pm The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process

by which people can 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 frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org 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."



Open Arms Hospitality MINISTRY

welcome to church

The goal of our ministry is to welcome and encourage all new visitors and current parishioners. Our desire is to help everyone get connected and feel part of the St. Jude faith family. You are important to us. If you haven't registered with St. Jude's yet, or you would like to be an ambassador for Christ with the gift of hospitality (baking, greeting, making baskets), we would love to hear from you! If anyone you know, loved one or friend, is homebound and not able to make it to mass please notify us directly so we can reach out to them.

Carol Livingston dangarmom@hotmail.com
 Gina Conti gconti555@gmail.com
www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Op



TOGETHER IN MISSION

ARCHDIOCESE OF LOS ANGELES

This year marks the 25th Anniversary of **Together in Mission**. It is the only time the Archdiocese of Los Angeles asks for contributions — and all the money we raise is given directly and exclusively to our poorest parishes and schools.

Your gifts to Together in Mission ensure that every Catholic living in the Archdiocese has a parish to celebrate their faith and access to a Catholic school education. You are living your faith through your actions when you support Together in Mission. Thank you in advance for your generosity. For more information visit ourmissionla.org/give

Parish Goal: \$111,352.00
Amount Pledged: \$ 62,841.83
Amount Paid: \$ 46,846.83
 Difference Over/(Under)
 Goal vs. Amount Paid: **(\$64,505.17)**

Donate Online with *WeShare* by visiting www.saintjudetheapostle.weshareonline.org

Tax Statement Request 2017

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

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

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

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. March host Robert and Kit Gamboa 818-434-4841

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: Sue Clinesmith 818.879.8534

Service Day: Julie Feeley 818.889.2449

Social Justice & Peace: Tom Cull 805.497.6473

Stephen Ministry: Jill Robertson 805.368.0753

Giving Opportunities

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

Adopt-a-Family Easter

Collection Weekend is

March 17 & 18

Each Spring, St. Jude Parishioners donate Easter Baskets for the less fortunate children in our community. If you missed signups you still can make a donation check out to AAF Easter or bring a basket in collection weekend.



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 appreciated- checks 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 bereavement. Members knit, crochet, and sew their creations while praying for the person who will receive the shawl. We are also working on making hats and scarves to send to our parish members in the military.



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: Mar 16

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

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: Mar 12, April 16, May 14**

For more information, please contact Judy Hutchison (818)402-8403 or judysusanhutchison@gmail.com



Loaves and Fishes Ministry

www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Sandwich-Ministry

First Communion Clothing Collection

There are children nearby in both Ventura and Los Angeles Counties who need help securing the special clothes needed for their First Holy Communion this spring. We are collecting a list now of children and their sizes. For boys, we need new or gently used boys' suits (or dark pants), white shirts, ties and belts. Payless Shoes gift cards are great for providing appropriate shoes. For more information, please call Madeleine Giberson at 805-495-4067.



Monthly 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 <http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Food-Collections>. **Next Collection: 3/17/18 Area 1 - Westlake Village** Contact: Michael Prendergast 310-850-8898



Food Collection

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

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).



** HELP WANTED **

Volunteers are scheduled for specific shifts for sorting and/or delivering recyclables for redemption. **Volunteers with trucks are especially needed for delivering recyclables for redemption.** To volunteer email Arthur Estrada stjudelf@gmail.com or call Jackie & John Treuting (805)495-4630

<http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Recycling-for-the-Homeless>

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

University Series Schedule Week of 3/11 - 3/17

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



Monday, March 12

Can We Prove the Existence of God?
St. Peter Claver Parish

¡Quiero Leer la Biblia pero no sé dónde empezar!
Holy Cross Parish

Excavating Jesus: Archaeology's Latest Discoveries
Sacred Heart Parish

Mythbusting the Catholic Church: Part 1
St. Rose of Lima Parish

The Outlaw David ben Jesse
St. Mel Parish

Tuesday, March 13

Christians 1 Romans 0
St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish

Muslims and Catholics - Friends or Foes?
St. Peter Claver Parish

Wednesday, March 14

Qué Tal Esto: Creciendo Juntos en Cristo:
Una Espiritualidad Práctica Para el Matrimonio
St. Paschal Baylon Parish

Evolution of Adam and Eve: What is really true
about this story?
St. Rose of Lima Parish

The Delights of Biblical Hebrew
Holy Cross Parish

Thursday, March 15

Middle East Politics: Christians, Crusades, and
Controversies
St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish

How Can Christians Live in a Secular World? Part III
Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

Possible Impossibility? Following Jesus in the Gospel of
Mark Part IV
St. Jude the Apostle Parish

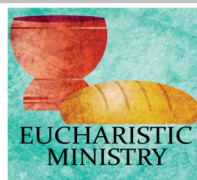
Friday, March 16

12:15 –1:45pm Lunchtime Food for Thought:
Catholic Morality 101: Don't Tell Me What to Do!
St. Julie Billiard Parish

12:15 –1:45pm Lunchtime Food for Thought:
A Woman in Love
St. Mary Magdalen Parish

EUCCHARISTIC 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, contact Ty Hutchison tbh12649@gmail.com or (818) 402-8402.



Live Scan Fingerprinting

Monday, March 19

St. Jude the Apostle

School will host an Archdiocesan Live Scan Fingerprinting for The Santa Barbara Region on Monday, March 19 from **Noon – 7pm in the school library.**

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles fingerprints individuals over 18 years of age, who volunteer for a ministry or who are hired for or hold a paid position. All clergy, paid parish/school personnel and volunteers who work regularly in a supervisory role with children or youth must be fingerprinted. The Volunteer and Paid Personnel Information Network (VPIN) database maintains records of fingerprinting, training and other requirements. VPIN shows that volunteers and paid personnel have completed fingerprinting, safeguard the children and other screening requirements.

Please contact the office to make a reservation (818) 889-9483. You will need to bring a valid ID (Driver's license, ID card, passport). Since it is a school day, parking is available by the parish hall and church. The parking lot in front of the school is the playground during school.

For more information, please visit the Archdiocese of Los Angeles website: <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/hr/Pages/fingerprinting.aspx>

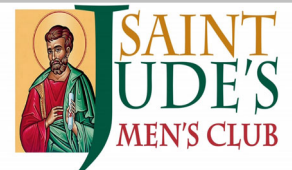


Men's Retreat

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: ctolcher@gmail.com, or by phone: 818-421-4893.

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



Knights of Columbus

Did You Know? - The Knights participate in the March For Life every year. This year, although you'd never know it due to lack of media coverage - The Annual Walk for Life West Coast attracted more than 50,000 participants! This year alone, 30,000 participants marched in the Los Angeles rally!! The Knights provided transportation, signs and volunteers to coordinate this huge turnout. Monsignor O'Connell Council meets at St. Jude's on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each Month. If you are interested, come visit us at 7PM for fellowship and snack food/ beverages! For more information contact Chuck Harley - Grand Knight: charley@cameoguild.com or kofc.org and californiaknights.org.





Contacts at St. Jude's Parish:
>Stephen Murray, 818-523-7367
email: stephenlukemurray@gmail.com
>Peter Fernando, 253-335-3960
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What is it? Give HOPE to others by volunteering time to build a **Habitat for Humanity (HFH)** home in our community. HFH is a non-profit that brings people together to build homes, communities and hope to create a world where everyone has a decent place to live
Who can help? Anyone over the age of 16
Experience needed? Love, Kindness, Hope, Faith & Joy
When? Saturday March 17th is the build day
Learn more: Chat with us after all masses the weekend of March 4, 10, 11 or send us an email.

Senior Ministry



St. Patrick's Day Party

Our own parishioner
Jerry Weisbecker
will sing traditional Irish songs.
Wednesday, March 21, 12:30pm
Traditional corned beef and cabbage luncheon.
Dessert and drinks included.
\$15 per person
Call for reservations: Sue Clinesmith 818 879-8534

Easter Lily Donations

All parishioners are once again invited to join in creating a beautiful and joyful environment in which to celebrate the blessed Easter liturgy by donating Easter lilies. This is a wonderful way to personally reflect our community within our worship space, especially by making dedications. Dedication labels can be created at home before bringing your plant to the church. **Please just be sure to confine it to a size that will fit on the pot cover.** As always, if you prefer to make your dedication at the donation site, labels will be available for your use. **You may bring your lily donations to the stage in the hall on Holy Thursday or Good Friday from 8 am to 4pm or you may bring them to the church vestibule on Holy Saturday from 8am to 12 noon.**



Easter Lilies

We thank you all for your past generosity in making the church reflect the glory of this holy season and we hope you will join in making it so again this year!

Bishop Brennan to Lead 40 Days for Life San Fernando Valley "Eucharistic Procession for Life"

Saturday, March 24 at 10 am - noon
Family Planning Associates
10200 Sepulveda Blvd., Mission Hills

Procession will begin in front of abortion provider, Family Planning Associates (FPA). And continue on 1-mile route around entire block,, possibly to be repeated 2-3 times. No streets will be closed, and procession will remain on the public sidewalks. If you cannot walk that distance, please still join us to participate in the opening and closing prayers, and remain in front of FPA to pray while others process. Bring your Pro-Life signs, rosaries and folding chair/snack/water if needed. Street parking is somewhat limited, so please carpool if possible... For more information, contact Patti Flores, 818-307-4332, PFlores4Life@aol.com

Beginning Experience L.A. 2018



Grief ministry for separated, divorced and widowed persons.

"Beginning Experience" is part of an international ministry for those men or women who have experienced the loss of a spouse through death, divorce or separation. A "Beginning Experience" weekend will be held on April 13-15, 2018, at Holy Spirit Retreat Center in Encino, CA. This weekend helps a person move from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning with renewed hope. "Beginning Experience" is recognized by the Office of Family Life for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

To register for this weekend or obtain more information, contact: Peg at (818) 767-1007 or Brenda at (818) 352-5265 or Maria (Spanish) at (310) 365-0186
beginningexp.losangeles@gmail.com

Life Centers of Ventura County 46th Annual Dinner, Dance, Silent and Live Auction Saturday, April 14th at 5pm

Please join us for Life Centers of Ventura County's 46th Annual Dinner, Dance, Silent and Live Auction.
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Please reserve early - ticket sales end April 6th!

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To purchase tickets, please contact the Life Centers (805) 486-2721 or www.vlifecyclecenters.com/events

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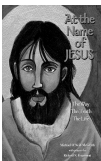
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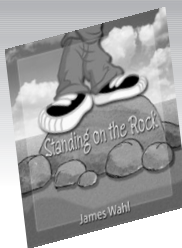
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CHURCH CALENDAR

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St. Joseph Day Italian Dinner. The Italian Catholic Federation (ICF) of Thousand Oaks is having their 32nd Annual St. Joseph Day festivities on Sunday, March 18th at St Paschal Baylon Church (155 E. Janss Rd in Thousand Oaks). The event will feature an Italian dinner with live music and blessing of the traditional St. Joseph’s Table. Visit www.icfbranch380.org or call 805-368-3384.

On Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8th, a special Mass will be concelebrated by Fr. O’Sullivan and Deacon Fernando at 1:30 pm. Blessing of sacramentals will follow the homily. A Class I relic of St. John Paul II will be available for veneration after the Mass. Refreshments will follow in Biedermann Hall. Hope that you can join us. Call Zaida at (805)415-6979 or Bob at (805)512-6996.

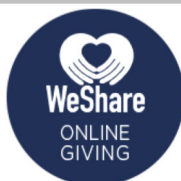
Soulful Living 7:00pm Friday, April 20 to 1:30pm Sunday, April 22. Discovering the beauty of your own soul gives voice to an inner often forgotten or neglected wisdom. This weekend provides opportunities to access your inner wisdom through prayer experiences, ritual, dreamwork and film. Come be renewed, nourished and energized by the unique beauty and wisdom of your own soul. Cost: per person/shared \$245 (\$230 if paid in full by March 30); single room \$340 (\$325 if paid in full by March 30)

Become a Sister - Come and See! The Daughters of Charity have an April Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat for women 18-40. Join us April 20-22, 2018 in Los Altos Hills. Contact Sr. Lisa Laguna 650-949-8890 or email srlaguna@doc1633.org or visit www.Daughters-Of-Charity.com/retreats/

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