## Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church

Jesus: Encountered, Loved, Served.





# SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." - Mt 22:20-21



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#### CLERGY

Fr. Jim Stehly, Pastor frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org

October 22, 2017

Fr. Peter Foran, Pastor Emeritus Fr. Marc Reeves, S.J. Auxiliary

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Jerome Bettencourt, Deacon Richard Dornan, Deacon Joseph Manion, Deacon Jess Pasos, Deacon Bill Smith, Deacon

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#### **OFFICE & GIFT SHOP**

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

Sunday 7:30am-noon

#### **MASS TIMES**

Saturday Vigil 5pm Sunday Masses 8am, 10am, Noon, 5pm

Weekday Masses Monday-Friday 12:05pm

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:45pm-4:30pm

#### St. Jude the Apostle Church | 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading:** I am the LORD and there is no other, there is no God besides me.

It is I who arm you, though you know me not, so that toward the rising and the setting of the sun people may know that there is none besides me. I am the LORD, there is no other. (Is 45:5-6)

Psalm: Give the Lord glory and honor. (Ps 96)

**Second Reading:** We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love and endurance in hope of our Lord Jesus Christ, before our God and Father. (1 Thes 1:2-3)

**Gospel:** "Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." (Mt 22:19-21)

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#### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

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

**Monday:** Rom 4:20-25/Lk 1:69-75/Lk 12:13-21 **Tuesday:** Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-10, 17/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1b-8/Lk 12:39-48 Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 12:49-53 Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 6:12-16

## In Loving Memory

Rosalli Biskup

Nenita Pineda Gonzales

#### PRAY FOR HEALING

Melissa Berrafato Diana Beygijanian Mike Buck Edythe Chiaro Heidi Coeler Bill Corrigan Kathy Dunn Manuel Fernandez Berdie Garcia Isabel Garcia Alid Gomez Jessica Grant Federico "Ed" Guba Ronald Heck Gudrun Langford Anne Legate Ed Malouf Matthew Machuca Sid Moungey Noel Mauricio John Petti Diane Stevens Aurea Vitto Ron Wayman Pam Yantzer 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	October 22 29th Sunday in O World Mission Sunday	ordinary Time;	
8:00 a.m.	Pat Schreiber	RIP	
10:00 a.m.	Giuseppe lezza	RIP	
12:00 p.m.	Betty Broscious	RIP	
5:00 p.m.	Mary Sin Yuchingtat	RIP	
Monday	October 23 St. John of Capistrano, Priest		
12:05 p.m.	Betty Broscious	RIP	
	Carmen Fernandez	RIP	
Tuesday	October 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop		
12:05 p.m.	Betty Broscious	RIP	
	Donald Cobb	RIP	
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**Next Sunday:** 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday



#### PRAY FOR LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY

Private Louie Alfaro, US Army Major Nicholas Amenta, USAF 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 Ist Lt. 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 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

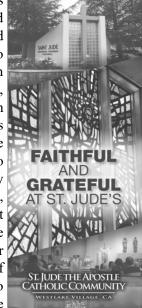
## **INCREASED OFFERTORY PROGRAM**

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted their Commitment Card to the church. For those parishioners who have not yet had the opportunity to submit their card, a letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. It is important that all parishioners complete a Commitment Card as we will be mailing out a Summary Report of the program and need all commitments accounted for in this report. If you have any questions, please contact the church office. We also encourage all parishioners to register and to consider our electronic giving method and to setup your reoccurring offertory gifts electronically.

### "Faithful and Grateful at St. Jude's"

My dear parish family,

Six years ago I had no idea that I was being sent to the most colossally generous parish in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. But St. Jude's has endlessly impressed me ever since becoming pastor here with an astonishing outreach to both local and global needs. Sunday after Sunday I come before our parish family to ask you to extend your generosity (to hurricane victims in Texas, to a mission church in Uganda, to all the variety of needs presented to us by our Loaves and Fishes crew, to the neediest and poorest parishes and schools in the archdiocese through participation in the Together In Mission Annual Appeal,...), and every appeal has been responded to with a faithful generosity, and warm compassion, and the question, "Is there anything else we can do?" I'm writing this letter to you today to make you aware of another need that I've never voiced here at St. Jude's. Today I'm asking that you consider your parish family as a focus for your regular, dependable generosity. I'm not asking because I need a raise. You pay me a most generous stipend which is more than I deserve. I'm not asking because of some particular needs of the church building or the parish plant. Our parishioners over the years have provided us with a beautiful church and wonderful campus of resource buildings. I'm asking you to consider what you might consider donating to your parish family for the simple day-to-day needs that our parish family has: the



practical necessity of keeping the lights on and the doors open and the air conditioning (ahem) on, the need for ongoing faith formation both for kids and for adults, the need to support our wonderful liturgical worship team,...

Please take some time to review the contents of a special brochure available at Mass today, and prayerfully consider how you might contribute to the stability and growth of our terrific parish community. The goal of this effort is to substantially increase our regular offertory contributions. Other parishes that have conducted similar programs have seen their offertory increase between 20% and 40%. Please review the suggested guidelines for giving which are on your enclosed Commitment Card. Please bring the enclosed Commitment Card to Mass next weekend prepared to renew your weekly offertory gift to support life and ministry here at St. Jude's.

Feel free to contact me directly with any questions or concerns you might have regarding this initiative. I can be reached by calling 818-889-1279, or by e-mail at <u>frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org</u>. I do very much appreciate all your generosity to the parish and to the work of the parish! Thanks in advance for your continued support, understanding and generosity.

Peace in His service,

Fr. g.

#### 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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#### FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

#### Family Faith has begun!

This month we focus on God, Our Creator and Father. We shared the ways in which God reveals himself to us and how we respond to that invitation. With the help of Bartimaeus, families discussed how we "see" God in ways other than just with our eyes. While students were in their classrooms, parents heard Bishop Barron share about the conversion experience of Bartimaeus and how we are all asked to take off our old way of seeing things and follow Christ. This year, families will be learning more about Saints, who responded to God's invitation. Families will be choosing a Saint for their family as a model and prayer partner throughout the year. Families will be completing Unit 1 in their Finding God series from Loyola Press before their November meeting. Next Sessions: Group A Nov 5<sup>th</sup> and Group B Nov 19<sup>th</sup>

#### ADULT FAITH FORMATION

#### ADULT CONFIRMATION SESSIONS

The Adult Confirmation Preparation classes are for parishioners who are out of high school and who have been baptized and received First Communion, but who have yet to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. All sessions will be lead by Deacon Jerome Bettencourt. The calendar and registration forms are online under "sacraments/adult confirmation" or in the parish office. Contact <u>cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org</u> with questions. Oct 29, Nov 5, 12, 19, Dec 3, Jan 7, 21, Feb 4

#### **BIBLE STUDIES**

#### SUNDAY TO SUNDAY

MORNINGS Weekly discussion on upcoming Sunday readings. Tuesday 9:15am-10:30am in the parish library. Video and discussion led by Julie Feely jkfeely@gmail.com.

## STUDY GROUP

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**SUNDAY TO SUNDAY EVENINGS** Wednesday 6:30pm-7:30pm in the Faith Formation Office. Weekly discussion on upcoming Sunday Readings. Charlie and Kay North, along with Deacon Jerome, lead the discussion.

#### THURSDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Thursday Evening Bible Study begins at 7pm in room 5 in the hall. We are studing the Gospel according to Mark. This study is timely as our Catholic Liturgical cycle, cycle B, begins in November and focuses on Mark's Gospel. Also this is our earliest Gospel. Given Mark's careful choice of words and narrative, Mark brilliantly laid the framework for all the Gospels. Studying Mark will aid us in becoming more faithful followers of Jesus. You are welcome whether this is your first time to attend a Bible Study or you have participated in many studies. For information contact Tim or Mariann 805-495-1732.

#### THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

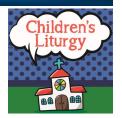
#### Thursday mornings at 9:30am in the hall

Current study: The book of Acts shows the Church, enlivened by the Holy Spirit, teaching, preaching, healing, and restoring outcasts in the same way that Jesus did on earth. The Acts of the Apostles provides an historic framework for understanding the rest of the New Testament. The study is 20 weeks long. Study guide \$30. Everyone is welcome, please join us! Questions please contact Judy Sullivan 805-495-1623

#### CHILDREN

#### CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

**During the 10AM Mass: Oct 22, Nov 12, 19, Dec 3, 10, 17.** 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 <u>www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Special-Needs-Ministry</u> If you would like your child to be part of this program please contact our Ministry Coordinator, Lucia Bartlett <u>lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org</u> or (818)889-2541. Sessions are

from 11am-1pm: Group 2 Oct 29th and Group 1 Nov 12th

#### 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:** Oct 25, Nov 8, Dec 13. 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 9<sup>th</sup> grade. Teens that are going into  $10^{th}$  or  $11^{th}$  grade are welcome to begin Confirmation as well. We meet in the hall at 6:30pm.

**Confirmation Nights Year 1:** Nov 5, Dec 3. **Confirmation Nights Year 2:** Oct 29, Nov 12, Dec 3 www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Confirmation-Program

**YOUTH MINISTRY PROGRAM**-Bringing our teens closer to God and each other. Ministry Coordinator Lucia Bartlett <u>lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org</u> **Sessions** are Wednesdays in the hall from 7-8:30pm: Nov 1, Nov 15, Dec 6 http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Youth-Ministry-Program-

#### **INSPIRATION LA**

#### Nov 4th at Six Flags Magic Mountain

Life has its ups & downs and so do roller coasters! Inspiration LA is the perfect backdrop for fun times and meaningful conversations as the summer winds down. After a long day of exciting rides, teens come to experience the thrill of a life in Christ through Mass, adoration worship and community. Download forms at visitwww.saintjudetheapostle.org/Yo



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

## **Becoming** Catholic

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.

You may be baptized in another faith or you may just be starting to ask questions. Wherever you are in your faith journey, we are here to pray with you, answer questions, share with you and be a part of your walk of faith. Contact Fr. Jim Stehly frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org or drop in the Faith Formation Office for ...

#### **RCIA INQUIRY NIGHT EVERY TUESDAY 7PM-8PM**

Find out a little more about the Catholic faith, ask questions you might have and discuss what it means to be Catholic. We will work through the questions you may have and get you started on your way. There is more information on the parish website under "Becoming Catholic" www.saintjudetheapostle.org

#### Thoughts in Solitude by Thomas Merton

"My Lord God, I have no idea where I am going. I do not see the road ahead of me. I cannot know for certain where it will end. Nor do I really know myself, and the fact that I think that I am following your will does not mean that I am actually doing so. But I believe that the desire to please you does in fact please you. And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing. I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire. And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road, though I may know nothing about it. Therefore will I trust you always, though I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death. I will not fear, for you are ever with me, and you will never leave me to face my perils alone."

## FEAST OF SAINT JUDE THE APOSTLE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

We will be celebrating The Feast of St. Jude the Apostle Our Patron Saint. at all Weekend Masses

Saturday, October 28th 5 pm

#### Sunday, October 29th 8 am, 10 am, Noon, and 5 pm

Roman Catholics invoke St. Jude when in desperate situations because his New Testament letter stresses that the faithful should persevere in the environment of harsh, difficult circumstances -just as their forefathers had done before them; therefore, he is the patron saint of desperate cases.



## **TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** -

World Mission Sunday a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith - leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in the Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even "chat" with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at ChatWithThePope.org. Chat - Pray - Give this World Mission Sunday.

#### 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: Oct 22 Tom Cull - Justice Corner Oct 29 Ladies of the Knights of Columbus

Volunteers Needed for November and December

#### 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

**Fatima Rosary Group:** Leaders are Wayne and Shu-Hwei Zimmerman 805.373.1099. Meets every Tuesday at 7:30 pm. October host is Nemecio and Purita Dagang 818-706-8712

**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

St. Jude Novena Wednesday Evenings at 7:30 p.m.

Rosary Cenacle Wednesdays at 10am Vinda 818.991.8683

**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 & Pam 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 Women's Prison Ministry: Nancy Fox 818.889.6265



## Giving **Opportunities**

Visit the "Ministries" section of our website www.saintjudetheapostle.org you will find a comprehensive list of all of the many opportunities available to you in ministry throughout our parish. See page 6 of this bulletin for a list of ministries.



## St. Jude's Online Giving System

Continue your gifts online while you're away with our Online Giving system, WeShare. It's safe, simple, and convenient. Donate today using your

debit, credit card, checking, or savings account. Visit saintiudetheapostle.weshareonline.org and select your donation amount and frequency. Thank you.



Hurricane Harvey left many families in Houston without even the barest necessities. After weeks of cleaning out homes, families are just assessing their enormous needs. We have been able to make direct contact with a parish and a Marriage Encounter community to learn how we can help specific families directly. St. Ignatius of Loyola Catholic Church has developed a newsletter which publishes an Amazon listing for various families and detailed needs of basic items. If you are interested in helping a family directly, please call Jackie or John Treuting at 805-495-4630 for a link to this site.

## PACKING PARTY October 22

packing gently used women's

Following all Masses in the Patio Join us after Mass in the patio.

Loaves and Fishes Ministry will be



handbags/purses with items specifically needed by homeless women. For details, please call Rosemarie or Carl (818)889-3242

## 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.

Our members work at home and/or at the meeting in the Parish Library every other Friday. Next Meetings Oct 27 and Nov 10.

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

If you know of anyone who would appreciate receiving a prayer shawl, please let us know.

http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Prayer-Shawl-Ministry

#### COATS & JEANS FOR THE CAUSE **Collection October 22**

Share the Warmth by donating gently used and clean coats, jackets, sweaters and sweatshirts. These outerwear items are very useful for



those spending cold winter nights outdoors. Last year more than 1,000 items were donated to nine different shelters and service agencies serving the homeless.

We will have carts at the church doors for all donated items before and after every mass.

www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Coats-and-Jeans-for-the-Cause

"He who has two coats, let him share with him who has none." Luke 3:11

## 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: Oct 23, Nov 13, and Dec 11. Community Service Hours are available.

For more information, please contact: Judy Hutchison (818)402-8403 judysusanhutchison@gmail.com www.saintiudetheapostle.org/Sandwich-Ministry

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**RECYCLING REPORT** July August September



Plastic, aluminum and glass bottles (except for wine--no redemption value) can be dropped off anytime at all containers marked "recycling" around the church grounds. The main collection area is the Parish Patio between the music ministry office and confirmation office. For more information, contact Arthur (818)571-7079 or Julie (818)889-2449.

Thank you to everyone who brings recyclables to St. Jude's Recycling Ministry for the Homeless. Your donations make a difference in the lives of our local 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



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

"Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by doing so, some people have entertained angels without knowing it." Hebrews 13:2

### JOIN THE 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.saintjudetheapostle.org/Eucharistic-

Ministry



### September 27 - November 5 HELP SAVE LIVES IN THOUSAND OAKS

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization!

Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 750,000 volunteers!

#### HERE'S HOW TO TAKE PART

Vigil location Planned Parenthood Clinic, 1200 W. Hillcrest Dr., T.O.

> <u>Vigil hours</u> 7:00 am to 7:00 pm

Learn more Get involved by visiting our campaign at 40daysforlife.com/Thousand Oaks

#### 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 a.m. Mass



and Christmas Eve at 4:00 p.m. 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

## Knights of Columbus Council 8072

- \* **The Knights wish to thank everyone** who participated in the World Needs Fatima Rosary in front of Planned Parenthood on Saturday, October 14, 2017. Prayer is our BEST weapon to save the UNBORN!
- \* A Thank You to all who participated in the USB Blood Drive this Sunday, October 15! You helped to save lives!
- \* Save the Date: Veterans and their Families - On November 12th, The Knights are sponsoring a Thank You Brunch for all Vets and their families on the Patio from 11:30AM to 1:30PM.



For more information about the Knights, who we are and what we do: kofc.org and californiaknights.org Chuck Harley - Grand Knight: <u>charley@cameoguild.com</u>

#### Product recall notices

Children use a lot of gear – from toys and sports equipment to technology. For parents, this means keeping an eye on product recalls. Recalls alert consumers to an unsafe feature or



defect that could cause harm, and offer the opportunity to have that defect corrected, or a new product shipped out. Parents can use product recall search engines and online checklists to keep an eye on their children's toys and take action if any recalls are issued. For a copy of the VIRTUS© article "Stay Up-to-Date on Product Recalls," visit: <u>http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/</u> <u>VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx</u> or call (213) 637-7508. For St. Jude's Protecting God's Children Program contact Dot Kelly dotandpuff@gmail.com.

**MEN'S CLUB** 

### Men's Club

Men's Club meets on the second Tuesday night of the month in the parish hall. The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday November 14** from 7-9 PM. Meetings include

socializing, an update on club events and service opportunities, and a guest speaker on a subject of interest to men. Each meeting provides **"Basic Training for Catholic Men" –** a brief presentation on some aspect of Catholicism that we should know about to better understand and share our faith. We also invite one member to briefly speak about their personal answer to the question **"Why I Am Catholic"**.

November's guest speaker is **David Shaffer**, M.Div., a marriage and family therapist with Stillpoint Family Resources. He will speak on **The Importance of Creating Silence.** 

St. Jude Men's Club is the central gathering point for all men of the St. Jude Catholic Community. We promote men's fellowship while pursuing our common goal of being men of faith and service to our Church and community. All parish men are members, and welcome at our meetings.

For more information about Men's Club or to get your name added to the Men's Club email list, contact John Faucher either by phone (805/217-2967) or email jdf@johndfaucher.com

## **Stephen Ministry**

People often ask, **"What exactly is a Stephen Minister?"** One way to put it is that Stephen Ministers are the After People. Stephen Ministers are there:



- after the phone call you hoped you'd never get.
- after the funeral, when everyone has left and the emotions you've held at bay come crashing in on you
- after the relationship falls apart and the bottom falls out of your life
- after the doctor says, "I'm sorry, but there's nothing more we can do."
- after your family and friends have heard your story one too many times, but you still need to talk it out.

Stephen Ministers are ready to come alongside you. If you know someone who is hurting or if you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister, please call one of our Stephen Leaders: Mariann (805) 495-1732 or Jean-Marie (805) 497-6473.

#### Annual Women's Silent Retreat

The Annual Women's Silent Retreat will be held at the Sacred Heart Retreat House in Alhambra. The Retreat begins Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM and lasts until 12:30 PM, Sunday,



January 28<sup>th</sup>. Rev. James Kubicki, S.J., will be our Retreat Master. The theme will be "Streams of Grace and Mercy" For reservations, call Shu-Hwei Zimmerman at (805) 373-1099. Car pools are available from St. Jude's Church.

#### Mary Health Annual Gala Sunday, November 5th 4:30pm-8:30pm Spanish Hills Country Club



We invite you to join us for an Assure was a select and live evening of entertainment and exciting silent and live auctions as we come together to support the mission of Care and Compassion at Mary Health of the Sick.



Special distinguished guest Vin Scully, Legendary Hall of Fame LA Dodgers Broadcaster

Performances by Giorgio Navarini and The Men's Choir of Thomas Aquinas College.

Our event will be held at the lovely Spanish Hills Country Club (999 Crenshaw Ave., Camarillo) on Sunday, November 5th from 4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Reserve your seats today! Seating is limited. www.maryhealth.com

## 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Conejo Valley Interfaith Thanksgiving Service November 22 at 7pm



Conejo Valley

The 41st Annual Conejo Valley Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

together with members of the different faith communities in the Conejo Valley. It is a time to celebrate together and give thanks for the richness of our lives and the friendships that we have.

The event is free and open to the public, no affiliation or reservation needed.

This year, the service will happen on the Campus of California Lutheran University. We'll gather in the Gilbert Sports and Fitness Center on the corner of Mountclef Blvd. and Olsen Road in Thousand Oaks. Gilbert Sports and Fitness Center, 130 Overton Court, Thousand Oaks. Visit <u>www.CalLutheran.edu</u> or contact Rabbi Belle Michael <u>bmichae@CalLutheran.edu</u> or Desta



A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES Hope for Troubled Marriages - Retrouvaille (REH-tro-veye) is a peer marriage ministry program that has helped thousands of married couples who are experiencing disillusion or misery in their marriage, even separated or divorced, rediscover a loving marriage relationship. The program begins with a weekend stay followed by a series of post-weekend sessions. For information, including cost, or to register for the next Los Angeles program beginning with a weekend on December 8-10, please call 909-900-5465 or e-mail <u>6006@retrouvaille.org</u>. For more information, visit HelpOurMarriage.com.



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#### **EVENTS AROUND THE CHURCH**

All Souls Day Mass– San Fernando Mission Catholic Cemetery & Mortuary invite all to our annual All Souls Day Mass on Thursday, November 2 at 10am. At the outside altar between the two mausoleums. Please join us to celebrate all of our loved ones in Heaven.

**Bible Study at St. Paschal Baylon** - A multi-parish Bible study Beginning Oct 30<sup>th</sup> at 10am. We will study Paul's letters to the Colossians. We will have a guest speaker on November 6<sup>th</sup>. The study will continue with Paul's prison letters and additional speakers. For more details or if you would like to join us, please call Rita DaCorsi at 805-484-2414.

Chaminade College Preparatory High School annual "CLUB NADE" Step-up day for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students on Nov 3rd from 1pm to 3pm. This is an opportunity for 8<sup>th</sup> graders to experience campus life as a Chaminade student. A permission slip is required and may be found on the Chaminade High School Admissions website at <u>https://www.chaminade.org/hs/</u> admissions. 818-247-8300 ext355

#### Chaminade College Preparatory High School OPEN HOUSE

on **November 19<sup>th</sup> from 1:00pm to 3:30pm**. Families are invited to tour the campus, meet the faculty and administrators, and experience all that Chaminade has to offer. For more information call the Chaminade Admissions office at (818) 347-8300 extension 355 or visit Chaminade on the Web at www.chaminade.org.

#### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Let your spouse see into your heart by working through a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on: Feb 9-11 in Canoga Park. Contact Ed and Jo Lara at 818-848-6729 or go online to www.twocanlove.org We help make good marriages better.

## St. Jude's Gift Shop

Gifts, Jewelry, Books, and Religious Statues

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