



Saint Jude the Apostle Catholic Church

Jesus: Encountered, Loved, Served.

September 17, 2017



24th Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME

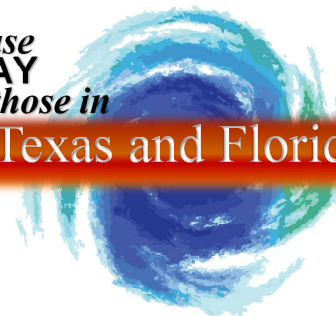
“So will my heavenly Father do to you, unless each of you forgives your brother from your heart.” - Mt 18:35

ST. JUDE'S COUNTRY TIME FAIRE
 September 30th 12pm-10pm
 October 1st 1pm-8pm
 Volunteer Opportunities
 Youth Talent Show
 Grand Raffle
 Presale Ride Tickets
 Sponsorships and Donations
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Please
PRAY
for those in

Texas and Florida



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CLERGY

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frjim@saintjudetheapostle.org
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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

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Remember the commandments and hate not your neighbor (Sirach 27:30 -- 28:9).

Psalm -- The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion (Psalm 103).

Second Reading -- Whether we live, or whether we die, we do so for the Lord (Romans 14:7-9).

Gospel -- Forgive one another from your heart (Matthew 18:21-35).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6;

Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18;

Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

MASS INTENTIONS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday **September 17 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday**

8:00 a.m.	Eileen Doorly	RIP
10:00 a.m.	Fred D'Astoli	RIP
12:00 p.m.	Michael Angel Salazar	RIP
	Klaus Conrad	RIP
5:00 p.m.	Aurora and Ramon Gabinete Sr.	RIP

Monday **September 18**

12:05 p.m.	Steve and Janelle Beck	SI
	Betty Broschious	RIP

Tuesday **September 19 St. Januarius**

12:05 p.m.	Dorothy Schneider	RIP
	Betty Broschious	RIP

Wednesday **September 20 Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions; Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year 5778) begins at sunset**

12:05 p.m.	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Carolyn Provenzano	RIP

Thursday **September 21 St. Matthew**

12:05 p.m.	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Dominica Reimer	RIP

Friday **September 22 Autumn begins**

12:05 p.m.	Betty Broschious	RIP
	Bibi O'Neill	RIP

Saturday **September 23 St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)**

5:00 p.m.	Ted Klein	RIP
	Rose Flynn	RIP

Next Sunday: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



In Loving Memory

Ed Cass

PRAY FOR HEALING

Eugene Bascou	Jim Lawson
Janice Bascou	Matthew Machuca
Diana Beygijanian	Eddie Montas
Claudio Barbuzza	Vicki O'Brien
Laurie Berg	Gerrie O'Meara
Melisa Berrafato	Kim O'Meara
Edythe Chiaro	John Petti
Bill Corrigan	Ann Marie Pisapia
Jean Drummond	Sue Ricketts
Manuel Fernandez	Jill Roper
Erdie Garcia	Diane Stevens
Isabel Garcia	Ron Wayman
Alid Gomez	Pam Yantzer
Jessica Grant	Bob Yeck
Diana Green	
Federico "Ed" Guba	

PRAY FOR LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY

Private Louie Alfaro, US Army	PFC Kevin Hansen, US Army
Major Nicholas Amenta, USAF	Andrew Henggler, USAF
Private Christian Basto US Army	Private Justin Huser, US Army
LCpl Andrew Brown USMC-MARSOC	Lt. John R. Kimmel, US Navy
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
1st Lt. 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

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.



TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In many of our relationships with others--friends, spouse, neighbors, or co-workers--often the most difficult times come when someone damages the relationship. There are moments when only apology and forgiveness can lead to healing. In this week's readings, we are reminded how our connection with God is woven into our relationships with others. God is the source of all mercy, and all of us stand in need of forgiveness. As we are able to accept the mercy of God deep within our hearts, we become empowered to show mercy to others. When things go badly in our relationships, we can remember that God is present at the center of these difficult moments. God is offering grace to ask forgiveness, to receive apology, and to accept the forgiveness extended to us.

FORGIVEN AND FORGIVING

In today's Gospel, Jesus calls his followers to forgive "seventy-seven" times. In other words, stop keeping track when forgiving others. But when we are hurt, this is really hard to do. In fact, to protect ourselves from further hurt, we might be inclined to do the opposite, and lash out. Jesus teaches the futility of this approach.

Jesus' parable of the unforgiving servant reminds us that in the course of our lives we have harmed others, and so distanced ourselves from God. We have also been harmed by others. Like the servant, we sometimes owe a debt, and sometimes others owe a debt to us. Here we are invited to stop the cycle of pain with the grace of mercy. We are called to imitate our God, who forgives wholeheartedly.

PROTECTING THE VULNERABLE

It is also tempting to view this teaching on forgiveness in isolation. This would suggest that the burden is placed entirely upon the offended person to go on forgiving, without mentioning any accountability on the part of the offending person. This interpretation can often be dangerous. The call to forgive should never be used as a cover for bullying or for oppressive relationships of any kind.

It is helpful to consider all of chapter 18 in Matthew's Gospel, which teaches about forgiveness and reconciliation, and the exercise of authority in the Christian community. Last week's Gospel (Matthew 18:15-18) provides guidance on how Christians can call to accountability someone who has hurt others, to protect the weak, and to seek reconciliation as a community. The parable we hear today reminds us that, like the master who protected the second servant from the cruelty of the unforgiving servant, God seeks to guard the most vulnerable from harm.

The Gospel of Matthew presented an alternative to the violence-based order of his day. Matthew described Jesus' vision of community, in which power is used at the service of all and the vulnerable are protected and cherished.

Today's Readings: Sir 27:30 -- 28:7; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

FAITH FORMATION HELP

Faith Formation Help

Are you hospitable? Love greeting people? Or do you like making coffee, setting up food, and making people feel welcome? We could use your help in the fall for a variety of programs on Sunday mornings and various meetings held during the year.

Contact cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org if you are interested in being a part of the hospitality ministry for our Faith Formation programs. Virtus training and Fingerprinting required.



REGISTRATION

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION

Registration is open for Family Faith Formation, Confirmation, Junior High, and Special Needs. Forms are available in the parish office or online. **All students need to register each year, even returning students.** Our parish website has the details for each program www.saintjudetheapostle.org or email cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org Programs begin soon, so don't delay!

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 cindy@saintjudetheapostle.org with questions.



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 jkeely@gmail.com.

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 October 19th at 7:00pm in room 5 in the hall. We will study 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: Sept 17, Oct 8, 15, 22. 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. The children 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

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 11, 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 9th grade. Teens that are going into 10th or 11th grade are welcome to begin Confirmation as well.

Confirmation Nights Year 1: Sept 17, Oct 15, Nov 5, Dec 3.
Confirmation Nights Year 2: Sept 24, 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 lucia@saintjudetheapostle.org **Sessions** are Wednesdays in the hall from 7-8:30pm: Oct 4, Oct 18, 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. Permission slips due Oct 1st. Download forms at [visitwww.saintjudetheapostle.org/Yo](http://www.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.



Inquiry Nights Every Tuesday

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 of the month from 7pm - 8pm 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."

INQUIRY NIGHTS EVERY TUESDAY FROM 7PM-8PM

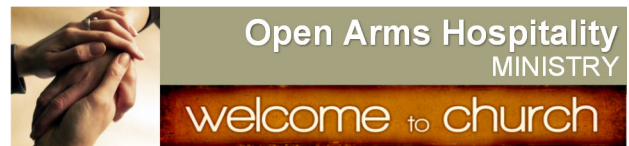
Music Ministry News

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



St. Jude's Children's Choir! Rehearsals will begin on Thursday, October 5th 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.



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

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:
Sept 17 Filipino-American Ministry
Sept 24 Ladies of The Knights of Columbus

Talk to kids about location sharing dangers

- Many popular social media sites offer users the ability to tag or share their locations whenever they post. Depending on the site, this information can be shared with friends, followers, and other people who use the site, regardless of whether they are friends with the user or not. Location sharing is a tool that can be used by predators searching for potential victims. Parents and children need to have open discussions about providing information online, highlighting what is safe to share and when it is safe to do so. As a general rule, widespread location-sharing should be discouraged. For more information about how to help your children understand who can see what they post and share, request a copy of the VIRTUS® online article "Technology Safety," by emailing vienna@la-archdiocese.org or calling (213) 637-7227. 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

Fatima Rosary Group: Leaders are Wayne and Shu-Hwei Zimmerman 805.373.1099. Meets every Tuesday at 7:30 pm. Sept host is Bert & Lydia Infante 818-991-0086

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 saintjudetheapostle.weshareonline.org and select your donation amount and frequency. Thank you.

Find a Need ... and Fill It



Women's Handbags

There are more homeless women today than ever. They could use a little boost along with some essential items. Loaves and Fishes in partnership with the Women's Interfaith Network will be packing medium to large size handbags

with ten items to put a smile on a woman's face. Please bring your gently used handbags (no small clutch bags) to the pastoral office by **September 25** or call Jackie at 805-495-4630. If you wish to donate any items, women's socks, chap stick, or hairbrushes, would be helpful.

St. Jude's Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry at St. Jude's was started a year ago as part of the Open Arms Ministry to serve the members of our Parish. 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. Our St. Jude Prayer Shawl Ministry has presented over 130 prayer shawls in its first year.

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 are Sept 29 and Oct 13.**

Please contact us if you have any questions: 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>

Prayer Shawl Ministry



Walk to Fight Poverty

Lutheran Social Services of California

The annual Walk-A-Thon will be held on Sunday, October 8 with check-in at 12:30 PM and the walk starting at 1:00 PM. The walk will be held at California Lutheran University in Thousand Oaks. Come for lunch, carnival games for families and all participants receive a t-shirt. There will also be a raffle!

Lutheran Social Services of Southern California's "Walk to Fight Poverty" proceeds will go to those living below the poverty line in our community. Those who are hungry, homeless, unemployed, the elderly, single mothers and children will all benefit from this event. Register to walk or volunteer at www.lssc.org/walkathon/. CLU's Kingsmen Park, 60 W. Olsen Rd. Thousand Oaks.

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 by visiting:

<http://www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Food-Collections>

Next Collection

October 21st Area 1- Westlake Village
 Contacts: Michael Prendergast 310-850-8898
 Kathy Dirks 805-373-6566

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

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: Sept 18 and Oct 23**

For more information, please contact:

Judy Hutchison (818)402-8403

judysusanhutchison@gmail.com

www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Sandwich-Ministry

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 Country Time Faire

Saturday, September 30th Noon - 10pm

Sunday, October 1st 1pm - 8pm

Food, Expanded Beer Garden, Sports Bar with TV, Sweet Shoppe, Used Book Sale, Silent Auction, Kids' Korner, Games, Photo Booth, Carnival Rides for all ages, and Grand Raffle!



Live Entertainment Line-Up

Saturday 3pm-5pm *Youth Talent Show*
Saturday 6pm-10pm *"Heller Highwater"*
Sunday 5pm-8pm *"Rhythm Method"*

Grand Raffle

\$20 per ticket or 6 tickets for \$100

- ◆ **1st Prize** Four Seasons Hotel Westlake Village-Holiday Package and Overnight
- ◆ **2nd prize** 75" TV or \$2000 Cash
- ◆ **3rd Prize** McClave Jewelry - Pair of Certified Diamond Stud Earrings (Value \$1000)
- ◆ **4th Prize** Island Packers Cruises-2 Adult Passes: One Day Excursion to Anacapa Island or Santa Cruz Island

Purchase Raffle Tickets after weekend Masses or in the School and Pastoral Offices. Drawing Sunday, Oct 1st at 7pm.



Pre-sale Ride Tickets Available Now!

Sheet of 24 tickets for \$15.00

Smaller rides take (3) tickets

Larger rides take (4) tickets

Purchase ride tickets in the school or parish offices. Presale tickets earn 25% profit for the Faire. Tickets purchased during the Faire earn 20% profit. Increase the profit for the Faire and buy Presale Tickets.

Faire Volunteer Sign Ups

We are actively recruiting volunteers for The Country Time Faire. Please sign up to share your time & talents with our community, there are many opportunities to choose from. We thank you in advance for your participation and look forward to working with you! Access the Sign up Genius Link from the Parish Website homepage www.saintjudetheapostle.org or visit www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f49adaf28aafa7-country



upon request. Volunteers are needed to help sort books prior to the sale and to work during the Faire. Please signup on Sign up Genius or Contact Cathy Elmore cathymore285@gmail.com or 919-323-6830

Sweet Shop Bakers Wanted!

The St. Jude Country Time Faire and Carnival is looking for baked goods to sell at our Sweet Shop! We are looking for a variety of sweet goodies non-refrigerated items. Brownies, Cookies, Pies, Cakes, Breads, Candies or any other sweet ideas you might have! Please sign up on Sign Up Genius or call Tina York. Please bring your sweets to Room 7 in the hall Friday, September 29 or Saturday, September 30. THANK YOU!!! Any questions call Tina York (805)551-2265.



Church Faire Used Book Sale

Donate your used books to the annual Country Time Faire Used Book Sale. Please bring your books and DVDs (no magazines, encyclopedias, textbooks, VHS tapes or cassette tapes) to the Hall Stage. Your donations are tax deductible! Receipts are available

Sponsorship Opportunities and Donations for Silent Auction & Raffle

Sponsorship Opportunities: Country Time Faire & Carnival is an annual school and parish fundraiser that promotes community spirit through outreach and provides support to our students and their ongoing programs. Both cash and product donations are needed to make this fundraiser a success. In exchange for sponsorship, St. Jude will provide advertisement on sponsor banners. (Please submit by Sept 20th to be included in print materials). Please see the enclosed flyer for more details. For additional information, please contact Claudia Negrete 213-820-3319 or claudiacnegrete@gmail.com.

Silent Auction and Raffle Items: We have compiled a wish list in an effort to offer unique items and experiences to inspire interest, create excitement and generate generous bidding. With your help in securing these, and other items, this year's event is sure to be a success!

Food, Wine, Cooking and Dining Experiences; Tickets to Sports, Arts and Other Entertainment Events; Travel (vacation homes, cruises, private car, etc.); Luxury Items (jewelry, clothing, spa, limousine, etc.); Children/Baby Items (toys, tutoring/private lessons); Pet Items (grooming, boarding, toys, training, etc.); Home Entertainment (TVs, iPads, game consoles). For additional information, please contact Claudia 213-820-3319 or claudiacnegrete@gmail.com.



Knights of Columbus

The Knight's will be assisting at the Budweiser Pavilion near the food court during the Country Time Fair 9/30 - 10/1. In addition, we will be assisting with parking along with the Men's Club.

SAVE THE DATE! 10/15 - The annual Tootsie Roll Drive and UBS Blood Drive have been confirmed! Details to follow.

Chuck Harley - Grand Knight

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They Are Among Us

No, we're not talking about angels or aliens. We're talking about individuals who care about others. The Scriptures describe their service well: "Remember those in prison as if you were their fellow prisoners, and those who are mistreated as if you yourselves were suffering" (Hebrews 13:3). If you or someone you know wants to do more as a Christian caregiver, consider Stephen Ministry. This is our congregation's one-to-one caregiving ministry. A training class will start in a few months. Please contact *Mariann* (805) 495-1732 for more information.



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Blue Army Virgin Visitation

St. Peter Claver in Simi Valley

Sept. 20-24 (Welcome Mass 9/20, 7:30 am)

The Blue Army Pilgrim Statue of our Lady of Fatima will visit the parish and be on public display for private devotions. Blessed by Archbishop Jose Gomez, the statue presently travels throughout the archdiocese to help the faithful learn, live, and spread the message of Fatima.



Library Book Group

The St. Jude Book Group will have its next meeting **September 21, 2017** at 7pm. The book "The Marriage of Opposites", by Alice Hoffman will be discussed. It is a story based on the life of the renowned Impressionist painter Camille Pissarro and his parents' unlikely romance and marriage. And for our **October 19th meeting we will cover "News of the World" by Paulette Jiles**. A brilliant work of historical fiction that explores the boundaries of family, responsibility, honor, and trust. A limited number of copies of these books are available for purchase in the Parish Gift Shop. All are welcome. For information, contact Alice Johnson 805-490-3737.

www.saintjudetheapostle.org/Library-Book-Group

The Letter of James

St. Bernardine Bible Study groups are pleased to welcome Dr. Jeffrey Siker, *New Testament Professor, Department of Theological Studies, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles*. Dr. Siker will give us an introduction to "The Letter of James": Everyone is welcome. Please bring your Bible! **Monday, Oct 2 at 7:30 pm St. Bernardine of Siena Parish Hall 24410 Calvert Street, Woodland Hills (818) 888-8200**



The Joy of Discipleship

Kindred Hearts is offering two sessions (can either stand alone or be seen as a two-part-er) based on the compilation by James P. Campbell, "THE JOY OF DISCIPLESHIP," in which Pope Francis shares the meaning of JOY in our lives as Catholic Christians called to discipleship! **The first session, which will cover Chapters 1 through 6, will take place on Thursday, Sept 28 from 9:30-11:00am; Chapters 7-12 on Thursday, Oct 26 from 9:30-11am.** Books can be purchased through Loyola Press or Amazon. Facilitator: Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND. Place: Notre Dame Center 1776 Hendrix Ave., Thousand Oaks, 91360. Please RSVP to Sister Marie Paul Grech, SND at mgrech@sndca.org if you plan to attend.

Catholic High School Information Night

Thursday, October 12 from 7pm-9pm

St. Paschal Baylon Parish Hall

All Parents and Students in 7th & 8th Grade. Saint Paschal Baylon School-Thousand Oaks, in conjunction with Saint Jude the Apostle School-Westlake Village, and Saint Rose of Lima School-Simi Valley, will host "Catholic High School Information Night".

Representatives and current students from seven local Catholic High Schools: Alemany, Chaminade, Crespi Carmelite, La Reina, Louisville, Saint Bonaventure and Villanova will be available for your questions. Applications and information packets from these high schools will be distributed at this event. If you are interested in having your child possibly attend a Catholic high school, this evening is the first step!

Note-Students need to be accompanied by an adult. Questions – Call (805) 495-9340, and ask for Ms. Desiree Rose Tedesco, Principal or email principal@stpascal.org

Rosary Rally

Planned Parenthood Office in Newbury Park

Saturday, October 14th, 2 PM

Honoring the 100th Anniversary of Marian apparitions at Fatima, Portugal, our rally will be one of approximately 20,000 similar events being conducted throughout the United States on October 14th. This is the 10th. year these rallies have been coordinated by the "America Needs Fatima" organization, and they've grown in number from 2,100 to about 20,000, in that time)

We will meet in the Ralph's parking lot, on Ventu Park Road, and process to the Planned Parenthood office on Hillcrest Ave, where Deacon Jess Pasos will lead us in the Rosary. Those who cannot process, for physical reasons, will be transported directly to the Planned Parenthood site.

All parishioners, their family members, and friends are invited and encouraged to participate.

This event is sponsored by Monsignor O'Connell Knights of Columbus Council #8072. For additional information, call Bob at 805-494-6901



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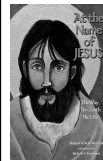
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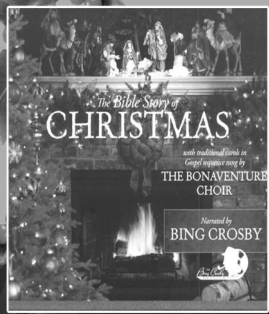
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Women's Catholic Bible Study - Join women from local parishes for a video/Bible Study "Pivotal Players" by Bishop Robert Barron to discover the figures who shaped the Church and changed the world. Semester II will cover "Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel Of John" by Edward Sri in which we will learn what it takes to follow Christ and discover the joy of divine friendship. St. Maximilian Kolbe Church Hall Thursdays 9:15-11:30am. 2017 Schedule 9/21, 10/5, 10/19, 11/2, 11/16, 12/7. Registration fee \$80- Checks payable to St Maximilian. Contact for more info or questions: Lisa Maxey at maxey7@sbcglobal.net or 818 618-3570 or Janet Fenerin at jfenerin@aol.com or 805 279-1598

3rd Regional Apostolic Congress on Mercy - St. Peter Claver in Simi Valley, Sept. 23, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Discover the spiritual treasures offered through Jesus' Divine Mercy of unconditional love and abundant grace. This full-day event will have powerful speaker-presentations, inspiring devotionals, opportunity for cleansing confessions, and ending with the vigil mass celebrated by Bishop Joseph Brennan of the San Fernando Pastoral Region. Register online <http://www.saintpeterclaver.org/divinemeracy>

Annual Hispanic Ministry and Theology Lecture with Dr. Maria Clara Bingemer on Thursday, Oct 12, 7p @ LMU Life Sciences Building: You are invited to this annual lecture, hosted this year with the Center for Migration Studies of New York (CMS) Tomasi Lecture as part of the 2017 Catholic Immigrant Integration Initiative Conference. extension.lmu.edu/theology

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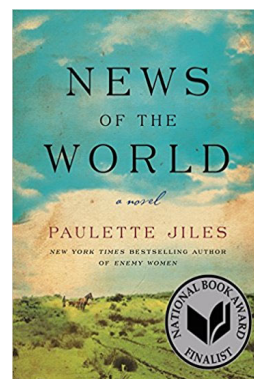
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