

Welcome to **St. Jude Catholic Community** Bienvenidos a

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Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM Monday - Friday

St. Jude Mission: **"To know God, to love Him, to serve Him"**. St. Jude Catholic Community is a place where God's presence is made visible through spiritual formation, community life, service and stewardship.

**Mass Schedule**

*Mondays*

Eucharistic Prayer Service

8:00 AM

*Tuesdays*

E. P. S. or 8:00 AM

and 6:00 PM Mass

*Wednesdays thru Fridays*

8:00 AM

*Saturdays*

4:00 PM (English)

*Sundays*

8:00 AM and 10:00 AM (English)

12:30 PM (Spanish)

*Saturday Confessions*

3:00 PM to 3:30 PM or by appt.

*Creole Mass*

5:00 PM 2nd & 4th Sundays

*Holy Days*

8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

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Blessed Sacrament Adoration

Every Wednesday

9:00 AM until 2:00 PM

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

After Mass /Tu, Th, Fr

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Children Religious Education

*Sunday*

**K - 4th Grades**

8:45 am to 9:45 am

**5th - 12th Grades**

11:15 am to 12:15 pm

*Wednesday*

**Sacramental Classes**

5:30 pm to 7:00 pm

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Pastor / Parochial Administrator

Rev. Barthelemy Garçon, S.M.M.

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*Deacons*

Dcn. Edward Mazuchowski

Dcn. Santos Santiago

Dcn. Jose Serrano

Dcn. Edward Wilson

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*Faith Formation*

Linda Jones

Olga Miyar

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Parish Secretary/Office Manager

Linda Andrews

**THIRD SUNDAY**

OF  
**Advent**

As the earth brings forth its plants,  
and a garden makes its growth spring up,  
so will the Lord God make justice and praise  
spring up before all the nations.

Isaiah 61:11



**DECEMBER 17, 2017**



## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, December 16

10:30 AM The sick of the Parish  
4:00 PM † Bob Vozzella  
† Dennis D. Barra  
† Ada Lopez

### Sunday, December 17

Third Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM People of the Parish  
10:00 AM † Maybelle Brunson  
12:30 PM † Ana Mejia  
† Carlos Bonilla  
† Salvador Padua

### Monday, December 18

8:00 AM Eucharistic Prayer Service

### Tuesday, December 19

8:00 AM Eucharistic Prayer Service or Mass  
6:00 PM † Theresa Lewis

### Wednesday, December 20

8:00 AM † Helen & Vernon Harvey

### Thursday, December 21

St. Peter Canisius

8:00 AM † Nick Lauer

### Friday, December 22

8:00 AM † Raymond Griswold

### Saturday, December 23

St. John of Kanty

4:00 PM † Rose Moore

### Sunday, December 24

Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM † Mary & George Cairo  
† Joanne Sulzer  
10:00 AM People of the Parish  
12:30 PM † Salvador Padua  
† Angel Matos

Christmas Eve

5:00 PM † Addie Jones  
† Marshall Pitt  
† Anne Ponton

10:00 PM † O'Connor & DeJuneas Family

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25

**Tuesday:** Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17;  
Lk 1:5-25

**Wednesday:** Is 7:10-14; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 1:26-38

**Thursday:** Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a; Ps 33:2-3, 11-12,  
20-21; Lk 1:39-45

**Friday:** 1 Sm 1:24-28; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 1:46-56

**Saturday:** Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;  
Lk 1:57-66

**Sunday:** 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29;  
Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38

Pray for our sick parishioners or visit them.  
Please call to add or delete a name.

Roy Anderson	Scott Marsh	<b>Avante</b>
Eladia Andujal	Julio Mejia	Sylvia Fagunado
Midge Brandao	Bill Notbusch	Room 306
Patrick Clancy	Patricia Owens	
Claribel Corona	Felix Padilla	<b>West Marion</b>
Annemarie del Fino	Ernesto Ramos	Agustin Martinez
Anne Eloizin	Virginia Ramos	Room 3202
Susan Fishman	Minnie Rios	
Louis Hafeman	Catherine Rodriguez	
S. Hubert Jack	Blanca Serrano	
Linda Jones	Priscilla Suarez	
Carroll Kurdila	Dcn Edward Wilson	



## WEEKLY OFFERING



**December 3, 2017**

STEWARDSHIP	\$4,976.11
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION	62.00
CHRISTMAS	232.00
CHRISTMAS FLOWERS	262.00
SUNSHINE FUND / FUNDED DEPRECIATION	1,095.50
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	12.00
THANKSGIVING	41.00
ALL SOULS	10.00
ALL SAINTS	10.00
CHILDREN OFFERING	32.00
SANCTUARY LAMP	20.00
HAITIAN EDUCATION FUND	326.00
DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS RETIRED RELIGIOUS	1,053.25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$8,131.86</b>

### **MASSES - SANCTUARY CANDLE**

Please visit or call the office to reserve a Mass or the sanctuary candle for a living or deceased friend, a family member or for a special intention.

## St. Jude Catholic Community Schedule of Events

Thursday, December 21	7:00 PM	Timon Meeting
Saturday, December 23	6:30 PM	Posada Ends / No Mass
Sunday, December 24		No Sunday classes - Christmas Break
Sunday, December 24	5:00 PM	Children's Mass
Sunday, December 24	9:30 PM	Christmas Carols
Sunday, December 24	10:00 PM	Christmas Vigil Mass (Bilingual)
Monday, December 25		Office Closed - Christmas Day
Monday, December 25	9:00 AM	Christmas Mass (English)
Monday, December 25	11:00 AM	Christmas Mass (Spanish)
Tuesday, December 26		Office Closed - Christmas Holiday
Wednesday, December 27		No Wednesday classes - Christmas Break
Sunday, December 31	6:00 PM	Holy Hour
Sunday, December 31	7:00 PM	New Year's Vigil Mass - Bilingual

### FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY

There will not be a fellowship gathering for December. We will see you the third Saturday and Sunday in January.

January 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup>, 2018.

### St. Jude Thrift Store Hours

**Monday** 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Tuesday** 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Wednesday** Closed  
**Thursday** 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Friday** 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

### BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION



Everybody is invited to visit the Lord on Wednesdays after the 8:00 am Mass until 2:00 pm. We need more adorers. Come and experience His mercy and love. Do not leave Him alone.

### Remember our Homebound Parishioners

Our homebound parishioners are an integral part of our parish and are in communion with us, even though they are not physically present.

We need your help to tell us about any members of our community who are shut in or sick. Please give the parish office a call to let us know if there is someone who is sick who would like a call or visit from Fr. Bart, a Deacon, or the Ministers to the Sick.

Thanks



*Rejoice always.  
Pray without ceasing.*

“Remember to turn OFF your cell phone prior to entering the church”  
 “Recuerde APAGAR su teléfono celular antes de entrar a la casa del Señor”

**PROPER UNDERTAKING**

Never undertake anything for which you wouldn't have the courage to ask the blessings of heaven.

-Georg C. Lichtenberg

December 17, 2017  
Third Sunday of Advent

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**SPIRITUAL POVERTY**

On this "Rejoice!" Sunday in Advent, we can pray in a particular way for an end to material poverty. Today's readings assure us that the kind of poverty God desires for us is spiritual poverty, a radical knowledge that all things come from God. Where material poverty can wound the human spirit, spiritual poverty cultivates boundless joy. John the Baptist provides a startling model for us. In all sincerity, he admits that he is not worthy to touch Jesus' sandals. John says this not to charm the crowds by being coy and self-deprecating. No, John embraces the truth that God is the source of all goodness. We are utterly dependent on God for all good things. We cannot do anything to earn God's favor; God simply provides for us because we need God. This is massively good news! No one could possibly care for us like God does. At our very best, we merely reflect God's brightness into the world. God's brilliant joy is exactly what we are called to. As Saint Paul says, "The one who calls you is faithful, and he will also accomplish it."

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**Sacraments**

**Baptisms:** Parents should call the office to get information regarding the baptismal program of parents and godparents.

**Marriage:** Call the parish office six months in advance of the planned wedding date. Must be baptized and a practicing catholic.

**Funeral Arrangements - Anointing of the Sick - Hospital & Homebound Communion** Please call the office to make arrangements at 347-0154.

**EVENTS**

Are you interested in learning more about becoming a deacon? Come and hear Deacon Rick Chabot (Deanery Lead Deacon) speak and answer questions at **St. Mary Magdalen, Altamonte Springs** 861 Maitland Ave. Altamonte Springs FL 32701. For more information call Deacon Joe Gassman, 407-246-4897 or email jgassman@orlandodiocese.org.



Thank you once again to our donors and volunteers who made it possible for our Children's Christmas Party to be a success. Also a special thank you to Santa for his visit.

**AN ADVENT PRAYER**

May the God of peace make us completely holy.

May God keep us blameless in spirit, soul and body for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Forever faithful is the One who calls us—God our Father!  
Expectant, let us live in joyful hope for the revelation of the glory of our God and Savior, Christ Jesus!

To him be glory forever!  
Come, Lord Jesus! Your grace be with us all.

—From *Come, Lord Jesus* by Lucien Deiss, CSSp, copyright 1976, 1981, Lucien Deiss. Published by World Library Pub-



**2018 IS THE YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Remember the Children's Mass on Sunday, December 24, 2017 at 5:00 pm



## **POBREZA ESPIRITUAL**

En este Domingo de Adviento de "¡Regocijo!" Podemos rezar en una forma particular para terminar con la pobreza material. Las lecturas de hoy nos aseguran que el tipo de pobreza que Dios desea para nosotros es una pobreza espiritual, un conocimiento radical de que todas las cosas vienen de Dios. En donde la pobreza material pueda herir el espíritu humano, la pobreza espiritual cultiva alegría sin límites. Juan el Bautista nos proporciona un modelo atractivo. Con toda sinceridad, él admite que no es digno de desatar las sandalias de Jesús. Juan dice esto no para encantar a las multitudes siendo tímido y despreciándose a sí mismo. No, Juan abraza la verdad que Dios es el origen de toda la bondad. Dependemos absolutamente de Dios para todas las cosas. No hay algo que podamos hacer para ganar el favor de Dios; Dios simplemente nos provee porque necesitamos a Dios. ¡Esto es una noticia muy abundante! Nadie posiblemente podría cuidar de nosotros como Dios los hace. Lo mejor nuestro, simplemente es reflejar el brillo de Dios en el mundo. La brillante alegría de Dios es exactamente a lo que estamos llamados. Así como san Pablo dice: "el que los ha llamado es fiel y cumplirá su promesa".

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*¡Muchas  
Gracias!*

Muchas gracias a los donantes y voluntarios que nos ayudaron en nuestra fiesta de Navidad para los niños.

## **LAS POSADAS**

**COMIENZAN EL JUEVES  
15 DE DICIEMBRE  
HASTA EL SÁBADO  
23 DE DICIEMBRE**

## **PEQUEÑAS COMUNIDADES CRISTIANAS**

**Necesitamos miembros. Las reuniones enfocarán el Evangelio y la exploración de la fe personal a través de la oración, conversación y la comunión cristiana. Los miembros aprobarán los días y las horas. Si le interesa llame al 352-347-0154 para inscribirse.**

### **Sacramentos**

**Bautismos:** Los padres deben llamar a la oficina para recibir información sobre el programa bautismal de padres y padrinos.

**Matrimonios:** Llamar a la oficina 6 meses antes de la fecha de la boda. Debe ser un católico bautizado y practicante.

**Funerales, Unción para los enfermos:** a la oficina para hacer arreglos funerales, visitas o llevar la Sagrada Comunión llamar al 347-0154.

### **Misa de los Niños**

el 24 de diciembre 2017 a las 5:00 pm. No faltes.



A warm welcome to all of our visitors today. Please come again !  
Una cálida bienvenida a todos nuestros visitantes hoy. ¡Por favor vuelvan!