

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

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

Every Wednesday

9:00 AM until 2:00 PM

Chaplet of Divine Mercy

After Mass /Tu, Th, Fr

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

Pastor / Parochial Administrator

Rev. Barthelemy Garçon, S.M.M.

Deacons

Dcn. Edward Mazuchowski

Dcn. Santos Santiago

Dcn. Jose Serrano

Dcn. Edward Wilson

Faith Formation

Linda Jones

Olga Miyar

Parish Secretary/Office Manager

Linda Andrews

FOURTH SUNDAY

OF
Advent

Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord.
May it be done to me
according to your word.

Luke 1:38



DECEMBER 24, 2017



Mass Intentions

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

Monday, December 25

The Nativity of The Lord

Christmas Day

9:00 AM † Brian Carey

† Elizabeth Hernandez

† O'Connor Family

11:00 AM Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, December 26

St. Stephen

8:00 AM Eucharistic Prayer Service or Mass

6:00 PM † Saul & Fletcher Family

Wednesday, December 27

St. John

8:00 AM † Fr. Anthony Palmese

Thursday, December 28

The Holy Innocents

8:00 AM † Kenneth & Alice Glew

Friday, December 29

Fifth Day within The Octave of The Nativity of The Lord

8:00 AM † Rosaline Gunrag

Saturday, December 30

Sixth Day within The Octave of The Nativity of The Lord

4:00 PM Intentions for our Parish Family

Sunday, December 31

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

8:00 AM † Luis Daniel Miranda

10:00 AM People of the Parish

12:30 PM † Pedro & Ada Sepulveda

† Salvador Padua

Mary, Mother of God

7:00 PM Past & current volunteers of St. Jude

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

Roy Anderson

Eladia Andujal

Midge Brandao

Patrick Clancy

Claribel Corona

Annemarie del Fino

Anne Eloizin

Susan Fishman

Louis Hafeman

S. Hubert Jack

Linda Jones

Carroll Kurdila

Scott Marsh

Julio Mejia

Bill Notbusch

Patricia Owens

Felix Padilla

Ernesto Ramos

Virginia Ramos

Minnie Rios

Catherine Rodriguez

Blanca Serrano

Priscilla Suarez

Dcn Edward Wilson

Avante

Sylvia Fagunado

Room 306

West Marion

Agustin Martinez

Room 3202



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27-29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25]
During the Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14
Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20
Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]

Tuesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 8ab, 16bc, 17; Mt 10:17-22

Wednesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, 2-8

Thursday: 1 Jn 1:5 -- 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7cd-8; Mt 2:13-18

Friday: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35

Saturday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 105:1-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or Hb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2:22-40 [22, 39-40]

MONTHLY STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

ST. JUDE ACTUAL OPERATING REVENUE	ST. JUDE ACTUAL OPERATING EXPENSE	ST. JUDE ACTUAL
September 2017 \$ 18,033.84	\$20,365.40	\$-2,331.56
October 2017 \$35,644.63	\$22,142.51	\$13,502.12
November 2017 \$20,858.40	\$24,874.44	\$-4,016.04



Sanctuary Candle is lit for
Roseline Gunrag



In loving memory of

James Reilly



St. Jude Catholic Community Schedule of Events

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
Monday, January 1		Office Closed - New Year's Day
Monday, January 1	9:00 AM	New Year's Day Mass - Mary Mother of God
Tuesday, January 2	1:00 PM	Ladies Guild Meeting - Crazy Cucumber
Tuesday, January 2	6:45 PM	Pastoral Council Meeting

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Year End Contributions

St. Jude uses guidelines from the IRS for year-end contributions.

- Any donation given on January 1, 2018 or later, regardless of date on check, will be credited toward your 2018 contribution .
- If a check is mailed and postmarked 2017, it will be credited toward your 2017 contributions regardless of the date on the check.
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Please contact the parish if you would like a contribution statement for 2017 mailed to you. Any questions or concerns, please contact Mary at the parish office 352-347-0154.

Your generous support helps us to continue in our mission, *"to know God, to love Him and serve Him"*.

Blessed New Year.

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

FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY

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

January 20th/21st, 2018.

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. Beginning January 4th there will be Exposition every Thursday from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

"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"



2018 IS THE YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST

“ADVENT is a journey towards BETHLEHEM. May we LET ourselves be DRAWN by the LIGHT of GOD made MAN.”

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.

**THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
CHRISTMAS MASSES**

**MASS SCHEDULE
THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
CHRISTMAS EVE**

Sunday, December 24th

5:00 PM Children's Mass (English)
9:30 PM Christmas Carols
10:00 PM Christmas Vigil Mass (Bilingual)

CHRISTMAS DAY

Monday, December 25th

9:00 AM Christmas Mass (English)
11:00 AM Christmas Mass (Spanish)

GLORY BE!

Truly, God creates us for glory. The burdens of daily life can shrink our hopes, but we must remember that we are made for nothing less than infinite glory. Who could have believed that the beleaguered Israelite nation could defeat all of its enemies? And yet our first reading today proclaims that God gave David "rest from his enemies on every side." Who could hope to unify the entire world in obedience to one Messiah? And yet Saint Paul insists that the "only wise God" has revealed salvation through Jesus to all people. Who could expect one young woman to decide the course of human history? And yet the angel tells Mary that her yes will establish a kingdom to endure forever.

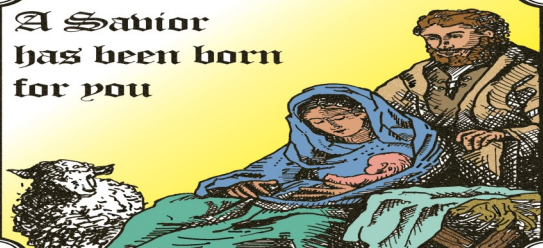
We know, of course, that Israel did not maintain its peace. Even today, that area of the world is far from stable. We also recognize the wide variety of world religions that do not acknowledge Jesus Christ as the true savior. Though God has set us on the path to fullness and glory, we are still broken. Our danger lies not in hoping for too much, but in trusting too little in God. God can resurrect any darkness--replacing terror with peace, healing ancient wounds, uniting families, bringing stability to chaos. This is the message of Christmas. God can, and will, do everything to cover the world in love.

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



**A Savior
has been born
for you**



CHRISTMAS TREE PRAYER

Holy Lord, We come with joy to celebrate the birth of your Son, who rescued us from the darkness of sin by making the cross a tree of life and light. May this tree, arrayed in splendor, remind us of the life-giving cross of Christ, in the new life that shines in our hearts. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

¡GLORIA SEA DADA!

Verdaderamente, Dios nos crea para la gloria. Las cargas de la vida diaria pueden hacer pequeñas nuestras esperanzas, pero debemos recordar que estamos hechos para nada menos que la gloria infinita. ¿Quién pudo haber creído que la asediada nación israelita podría derrotar a todos sus enemigos? Y todavía nuestra primera lectura de hoy proclama que Dios hizo a David "descansar de todos sus enemigos". ¿Quién podría esperar unir el mundo entero en obediencia al Mesías? Y sin embargo, san Pablo insiste que Dios "infinitamente sabio" ha revelado la salvación a todas las personas por medio de Jesús. ¿Quién podría suponer que una joven mujer decidiría el curso de la historia? Y todavía, el ángel le dice a María que su sí establecerá un reino que perdurará para siempre. Sabemos, desde luego, que Israel no mantuvo la paz. Aún hoy día, esa región del mundo está muy lejos de la paz. También reconocemos la amplia variedad del mundo de las religiones que no reconocen a Jesucristo como el Salvador. Aunque Dios nos ha puesto en el camino de la plenitud y la gloria, todavía no estamos unidos. Nuestro peligro radica no en esperar demasiado, sino en confiar muy poco en Dios. Dios puede resucitar cualquier oscuridad, remplazar el terror con la paz, sanar heridas antiguas, unir familias, traer la estabilidad del caos. Este es el mensaje de Navidad. Dios puede, y hará, lo que sea necesario para cubrir al mundo con amor.

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Señor, venimos con alegría para celebrar el nacimiento de tú hijo, que nos rescató de las tinieblas del pecado, haciendo la Cruz un árbol de vida y luz. Que árbol, vestido de esplendor, nos recuerde de la Cruz de Cristo, y en la nueva vida que brilla en nuestros corazones. Pedimos esto por medio de Cristo nuestro Señor. Amén

*Deseándote un a
Feliz Navidad y
Prospero
Año Nuevo.*



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.

Contribuciones de fin de año

San Judas usa las normas del IRS para las contribuciones de fin de año.

- Cualquier donación hecha el 1 de enero de 2018 o posterior, sin importar la fecha de el cheque, será acreditada hacia su contribución de 2018.
- Si un cheque es enviado por correo y el sobre esta timbrado 2017, el cheque será abonado a sus contribuciones del 2017 sin importar la fecha en el cheque.
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Por favor comuníquese con la parroquia si desea una declaración de contribución por 2017 por correo. Cualquier pregunta o inquietud, por favor comuníquese con Mary en la oficina parroquial 352-347-0154.

Su generoso apoyo nos ayuda a continuar en nuestra misión, "conocer a Dios, amarlo y servirle.

Bendecido y feliz año nuevo

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