

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

FIRST SUNDAY

OF
Advent

Watch therefore: you do not know
when the lord of the house is coming,
whether in the evening, or at midnight,
or at cockcrow, or in the morning.

Mark 13:35



DECEMBER 3, 2017



Mass Intentions

First Saturday, December 2

4:00 PM † Eugene Margiotta

Sunday, December 3

First Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM † Francisco Vega

10:00 AM People of the Parish

12:30 PM † Ana Mercedes Parada

† Salvador Padua

San Alejo

Monday, December 4

St. John Damascene

8:00 AM Eucharistic Prayer Service

Tuesday, December 5

8:00 AM Eucharistic Prayer Service or Mass

6:00 PM Blanca Serrano - Health

Wednesday, December 6

St. Nicholas

8:00 AM † Gayle Hyder

† Luis Hernandez

Thursday, December 7

St. Ambrose

8:00 AM Carroll Kurdila - Health

Friday, December 8

The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM † Emile Richard

7:00 PM † Susan Antram

Saturday, December 9

St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

4:00 PM † Bill Stetner

† Susan Antram

† Ed Flanigan

Sunday, December 10

Second Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM People of the Parish

10:00 AM † Agnes Allen

12:30 PM † Salvador Padua

† Juana Ruiz

5:00 PM † Eugene Margiotta

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12;
Lk 1:26-38

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 - 10:1,
5a, 6-8

Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 85:9-14; 2Pt 3:8-14; Mk 1:1-8

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

Roy Anderson
Eladia Andujal
Frank Brandao
Midge Brandao
Patrick Clancy
Claribel Corona
Annmarie Del Fino
Anne Eloizin
Winklet Ferguson
Susan Fishman
Louis Hafeman
S. Hubert Jack
Carroll Kurdila

Linda Jones
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 at Ocala Rehabilitation
Sylvia Fagundo
Room 306



WEEKLY OFFERING



November 19, 2017

STEWARDSHIP	\$3,781.67
CHRISTMAS	5.00
SOLEMNITY OF MARY	5.00
SUNSHINE FUND / FUNDED DEPRECIATION	561.00
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	251.00
ALL SAINTS	17.00
ALL SOULS	10.00
THANKSGIVING	121.00
CHILDREN OFFERING	20.75
HAITIAN EDUCATION FUND	43.00
DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS	
PRIEST RETIREMENT	32.00
CATHOLIC CHARITIES	7.00
TOTAL	\$4,854.42

*In Loving
Memory*

Rest of the soul of

Susan Antram

St. Jude Catholic Community Schedule of Events

Tuesday, December 5	6:45 PM	Pastoral Council Meeting
Friday, December 8	Masses 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM	Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary
Saturday, December 9	9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Spanish Advent Retreat - Dcn Antonio Torres
Sunday, December 10	8:45 AM - 9:45 AM 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM	Rel Ed Classes / K-4 Rel Ed Classes / 5-12
Sunday, December 10	2:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Christmas Party - Children
Thursday, December 14	7:00 PM	Penance Service
Friday, December 15	6:30 PM	Posada Begins/ Mass
Saturday, December 16	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	K of C Meeting
Saturday, December 16	10:00 AM	K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Saturday, December 16	10:30 AM	Anointing of the Sick Mass
Sunday, December 17	8:45 AM - 9:45 AM 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM	Rel Ed Classes / K-4 Rel Ed Classes / 5-12

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR OUR CHILDREN



We are planning our annual Christmas party for the children of the parish. In the past, our parishioners have been very generous in donating toys, games, and gift cards for our students and their siblings. We are again asking for your support for this event. Please donate new unwrapped toys, games, and gift cards, etc. for our party which will be held on Sunday, December 10th from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM in the parish hall. We try to give the older students the gift cards. Please bring items to the Religious Education office or contact Linda Jones for further information.

KIDS

Do you like to sing?
Join our Children's Christmas
Choir.
Call the office to sign up.



ST JUDE FOOD PANTRY

Dear Parishioners:

It is time again to start collecting donations for Holiday Baskets for the needy in our community. We welcome monetary donations, gift cards from Winn Dixie, Publix, etc. or food items for the holidays (turkeys, hams, canned items, stuffing, etc.) Bring food items and other donations to the Parish office.



Thanks, and God Bless you.



You shop, Amazon gives.
Amazon Smile is a program that helps non-profits, such as St. Jude Catholic Community.
Buy merchandise at smile.amazon.com and Amazon will donate 0.5% of your purchases. The process is simple. Go to smile.amazon.com to register. Select St. Jude Catholic Community, Ocala FL in the "Pick your own charitable organization" box. Place your order.

No Wrinkles

Do not let the heart wrinkle, have hope, be kind, cheerful, reverent: that is the way to overcome old age.--Thomas Bailey Aldrich

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First Sunday of Advent

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First Sunday of Advent

As we enter into a new Advent season, our readings urge us to watch eagerly for our redeemer. Isaiah cries out to the Lord with feeling, "Oh, that you would rend the heavens and come down"! Thanks be to God, we know the Lord has come down to us. God is, in fact, still present among us in the Eucharist and in every created thing. Yet, like Saint Paul, we know Jesus promises to come again; we await that mysterious, final revelation in fellowship with Jesus and one another. Even in the best of Christian communities, however, waiting can be dreary and difficult. Mark's Gospel gets our adrenaline flowing: "Be watchful! Be alert!" Although we have the enormous consolation of knowing Jesus already saved the world by his death and resurrection, we must ask the Spirit to rouse us to prayer and service as together we watch for Jesus.

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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

ANNOUNCEMENT 

Holy Day of Obligation

December 8th

The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary

Masses will be celebrated at 8 am & 7 pm.

**PENANCE SERVICE
ST. JUDE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**



Please join us for our Advent Penance Service on Thursday, December 14 beginning at 7:00 pm. Several priests will be available to hear Confessions. All Catholics are encouraged to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation as part of your spiritual preparation for Christmas.

ANOINTING OF SICK MASS

On Saturday, December 16 at 10:30 am, we will have Mass and the celebration of the Anointing of the Sick for all who are suffering from infirmities of mind, body or spirit or addictions.

All are invited. Fellowship and a light lunch to follow.

**"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"**

DIOS TIENE OTRO PLAN

Comenzamos el tiempo de Adviento con un llamado sincero al arrepentimiento. Recordamos el amor fiel que Dios siente por nosotros y le pedimos que nos ayude a emprender el camino de regreso: "estabas airado porque nosotros pecábamos" (Isaías 64:4). En la primera lectura y en el salmo, recordamos las promesas de Dios y lamentamos nuestra rebeldía y nuestra culpa. Invocamos el poder de Dios para salvarnos. Con Isaías, le decimos a Dios: "Ojalá rasgaras los cielos y bajaras, estremeciendo las montañas con tu presencia" (Isaías 63:19).

Sí, Dios nos es fiel, porque somos hechura de las manos de Dios. Dios es el alfarero, nosotros el barro. Y sin embargo, nuestro concepto de cómo Dios vendrá a salvarnos se origina en nuestra expectativa de un Dios guerrero que estremece las montañas y llega a nuestra vida con ruido y gloria. Pero Dios tiene otro plan: la Encarnación.

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SERVICIO DE PENITENCIA

Participe en nuestro Servicio Penitencial de Adviento el jueves, 14 de diciembre, comenzando a las 7:00 pm.. Varios sacerdotes estarán disponibles para escuchar confesiones. Animamos a todos los católicos a celebrar el sacramento de la Reconciliación como parte de su preparación espiritual para la Navidad.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

El sábado, 16 de diciembre a las 10:30, tendremos la Misa y la celebración de la Unción de los Enfermos. Todos los que sufren enfermedades de mente, cuerpo espíritu o adicciones. Todos están invitados. Compañerismo y un almuerzo ligero a seguir.



Queridos feligreses:

Es la hora de comenzar a recoger donaciones para los necesitados en nuestra comunidad. Damos la bienvenida a donaciones monetarias, tarjetas de regalo de Winn Dixie, Publix, o artículos alimenticios para las fiestas (pavos, jamones, conservas, embutidos) Traigan artículos de comida y otras donaciones a la oficina parroquial.

Gracias, y que Dios los bendiga.

RETIRO DE ADVIENTO

El retiro de Adviento en español está programado para el sábado 9 de diciembre de 9:00 am -1:00 pm Diacono Antonio Torres es el líder del retiro. Te invitamos para la oración, reflexión, renovación y mucho más.

Fiesta anual de Navidad para nuestros niños



Estamos planeando nuestra fiesta anual de Navidad para los niños de la parroquia. En el pasado, nuestros feligreses han sido muy generosos en la donación de juguetes, juegos y tarjetas de regalo para nuestros estudiantes y sus hermanos. Estamos nuevamente pidiendo su apoyo para este evento. Por favor, done nuevos juguetes desenvueltos, juegos y tarjetas de regalo. Esta fiesta que se celebrará el domingo 10 de diciembre de 2:00 pm a 5:00 pm, en el salón parroquial. Tratamos de dar a los estudiantes mayores las tarjetas de regalo. Por favor traiga artículos a la oficina de educación religiosa o comuníquese con Linda Jones para más información.

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