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“To the Greater Glory of God and the Salvation of Souls.”

Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - November 20th 2016

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Parish Office
Hours
MONDAY, TUESDAY,
THURSDAY
9:00am–5:00pm
WEDNESDAYS
9:00am–6:00pm
FRIDAY
CLOSED
SATURDAY
CLOSED
SUNDAY
9:00am–12:00pm
CLOSED HOLIDAYS

Sacrament: Anointing
of the Sick
Available in danger of
death or whenever there is a
personal need, call the
rectory for an appointment.

Sacrament of
Penance/Confession
SATURDAYS
4-4:45 pm
WEDNESDAYS
2:00–2:45pm
Also by appointment
Sacrament of
Marriage
Couples wishing to be
married should contact the
rectory at least one year in
advance to meet with one of
the priests to make wedding
arrangements.

Pre-Cana is required for all
couples.
Sacrament of
Baptism
Celebrated most 1st and
3rd Sundays throughout
the year. Please contact the
rectory to set up an appoint-
ment with a member of the
staff to arrange for the
Baptismal preparation and
then to arrange for a
Baptism date.

Parish Outreach
MON.–THURS.
9:00AM–1:00PM
CLOSED FRI., SAT., SUN.,
AND HOLIDAYS

Important Parish Information

All parish offices are closed on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, November 24th, Friday, November 25th & Saturday, November 26th. The rectory will be open on Sunday, November 27th from 9a.m. to noon.

There is ONE MASS ON THANKSGIVING DAY AT 10:00a.m. You may bring your bread, wine, or other food for your Thanksgiving table to be blessed at Mass. The collection on Thanksgiving Day goes to the St. Vincent de Paul Society' Conference at St. Jude to help with extra needs of the poor in our community.

Capital Campaign News Update

We have exceeded our 'Challenge Goal' of \$1,500,000!!

Thank you to all who supported our Shrine Chapel Building Campaign. All payments received are being held in a segregated account specifically for the Shrine Capital Campaign only.

St. Jude Church “Remember - Rebuild - Renew”

Challenge Goal	\$1,500,000
Total Pledged:	\$1,597,600
Paid to Date:	\$973,301
Pledges Outstanding	\$624,299

60% of Cash received 395 Gifts, 100% of Goal
Thank you for your continued prompt payments.

St. Jude Christmas Fair Raffle Prizes:

1st- \$400.00 cash

2nd – Power Air Fryer XL 3.4 Qt. Fryer, 21 piece set food storage system plus 2 - ½ hour massages from Three Peaks Physical Therapy (Estimated value \$240.00)

3rd – Indulge Yourself Basket-Includes 3 lbs. Starbucks Coffee, 3 Tins Gourmet Hot Cocoa, Assorted Gourmet teas and 6 oversize mugs plus 2 - ½ hour massages from Three Peaks Physical Therapy and \$10.00 gift certificate from New Shirley Nails (Estimated value \$170.00)

4th – Girl's Basket-Includes 5 Franklin Mint Collectable Teddy Bear Plates, Stuffed Teddy Bear Collection and Teddy Bear themed toys (Estimated value \$100.00)

5th – Boy's Basket Includes Sports Themed Coat Rack with shelf, Baseball Glove, bat and ball and assorted toys (Estimated value \$90.00)

Volunteers will be selling raffle tickets after Masses this weekend November 19th & 20th. The donation is 3 for \$10. Please consider purchasing a raffle ticket to support our parish fundraiser. All prizes will be drawn at the Christmas Fair on Saturday, December 3rd. Winners do not have to be present to win.

Masses for the Week

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2016

5:00pm Giovanni Traina †
7:30pm Living & Deceased Members of
Koller & Gauggel Families

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2016

8:00am Linda R. Spieshandler †
9:30am Virginia LaSalle †
11:30am Philip & Jean Rubino †
5:00pm Parishioners of St. Jude

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2016

9:00am Peter Hawkins †

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2016

9:00am Margaret Edith Brown †

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2016

9:00am William Perrone †
12 Noon (Guild) Maria N. Scrivano †, Ana I.
Gonzalez †, Isabel Mastrocinque †,
Eugene Pitaro †,
Intentions of Sister Mildred Scrivano

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2016

10:00am Virginia LaSalle †

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2016

9:00am Living & Deceased Members of
Koller & Gauggel Families

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2016

8:30am Albert Reid †
5:00pm Carolyn & Harold Zioba †
7:30pm Angela Crudden †

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2016

8:00am Anthony F. Jeans †
"Anniversary in Heaven"
9:30am Deacon Tom Gross †
11:30am Parishioners of St. Jude
5:00pm Mary Tepedino †
† Denotes Mass is for deceased

For the Sick: Benjamin & Virginia Archer, Gusepina Baralla, Samantha Burns, Dayna Celestano, Mychal Caines, Brian Calo, Yvette Pauze Clay, Samantha Davis, Raymond Dhyne, Valerie Thomas DiGiovanni, Joann Dillman, Joann Espailat, Joan Fahey, Joseph & Stephanie Frigano, Josephine Gamberale, Deacon Ken Geoghan, Ann & Frank Giordano, Anthony J. Giunta, Catherine Hannon, Marybeth Hoffman, Marty Langen, Lawrence Katz, Walter Kellenberger, The Lewery Family, Maryanne Malone, Alice Manzione, Suzanne Marceau, Andrew Masino, Jack Monti, Jr., Ron Nappe, Timothy & Paul Novotny, Joan Palmer, Jessica & Joan Passaro, Emily Profeta, Justina Rodriguez, Eugene, Gina, Grace, Salvatore & Vincent Russo, Cathyann Russo, Colleene Ryzewski, Marie Saccente, Theresa Salvaggio, Christopher Santamaria, Theresa & Thomas R. Taylor, Marie Uss

For the Deceased: Rose Duerr, Luis J. Najdek

For the Military: Nicholas Acierno, Don Bull, Matt Corica, Michael Cuervo, Daniel Engo, Cody Farrell, Kyle Christopher Gray, Patrick Gross, Mike Hartman, Jeffrey Holmes, Chris Howell, Steven Kay, Richard Kruger, T.J. Kurlowicz, Thomas Mannix, John Maresca, Richard McLaughlin, George Naughton, Anthony Ochoa Jr., Katherine M. Onorato, Ramon Ortiz, Matthew Parenti, Rich Pinckney, Kerri-Anne Pliego, Gerard Posillico, John Redding, Jr., Eric Reilly, Vinnie Riveria, Steven Schloesser, Don Skelton, William E. Slack, Arlise A. & Michael Smith, Bobby Sosa, Catherine Timlin, Anthony Thompson, Timothy Weisner, Robert Weyer, Jonathan Yanes

New Year's Eve 2016

We are sorry to announce that St. Jude parish will not be hosting the New Year's Eve Party this year. The plan is to resume next year. Hopefully this still allows you enough time to make other plans.

St. Vincent de Paul

Devotion to Christ the King means loving those people whom, when He was a king on earth, Jesus liked to have close about Him—the poor. Devotion to Christ the King means loving and being servants of the poor in the way and in the spirit with which Jesus served them when He was on earth. Devotion to Christ the King means opposing and rejecting violence in all its forms. Devotion to Christ the King means working for peace and reconciliation in our society, for His kingdom is one of love and justice and peace. "Join the Society of St. Vincent de Paul!"

Mass Book for 2017

The 2017 Mass Book is open for Mass intentions for the second half of the calendar year July 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017.

There will be a limit of 5 Mass intentions per individual requesting on any given day, until Monday, November 21st. Mass offerings are \$20 for an individual intention and \$15 for Guild Masses (multiple intentions) on Wednesday.

Faith Formation Fundraiser 'Fashion Jewelry Sale'

Please support this worthwhile cause. All items only \$5.00 each! In the Parish Center October 17th – November 30th

Mondays, Wednesdays from 3:30–8:00 pm
& and Saturdays 9:00–12:00 noon



Youth Group

The St. Jude Youth Group meeting date in November after the 5PM Mass in the parish center: Nov. 20th- Advent activity.

Outreach News

Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on all of our blessings. At Outreach, we are thankful for all the people who so generously help their neighbors in need. Your generosity helped provide 300 Thanksgiving dinners for families in our community. A special thank you to the Girl Scouts of Service Unit 48 who hosted a three-day food drive and help sort and shelf all the food. It is important to note that the people of St. Jude's parish and our community give so much all year round. There are people who give 200% every Spare-a-Dime Sunday and people who send \$100 each month. So many groups both in the parish and in the community take up collections of cash and food – I won't list everyone because I am afraid of forgetting someone, but each of you is greatly appreciated. And a special thanks to the staff and volunteers at outreach who have the kindest hearts in the world.

Note: Our Christmas giving tree will be in the lobby next weekend, but for those of you who want to start shopping early, stars will be available in the outreach office this week.

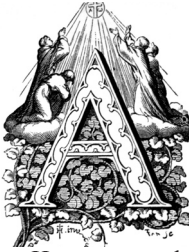
Outreach Thanksgiving Bake Sale "Harvest"

The Rosary Altar Society would like to announce that the total raised from sales & donations at last week's bake sale was \$785. Thank you to all who helped to make another successful year. Giving your support to feed our parish families is an important ingredient to a Blessed Thanksgiving for all of us.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

We have now reached our goal of \$61,900 of funds received. The parish will receive our 20% totaling \$12,380. The parish will also receive an additional 80% for any additional funds received over our goal amount.

Thank you to all for your generous support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal!



Letter from Fr. Ryan

Here we are, the last week of the calendar year of the Church and today we celebrate **Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**. The Church has 34 weeks of Ordinary Time juxtaposed with the Extraordinary seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. It is this final week, the 34th Week in Ordinary Time, that calls for all of us to rejoice and again reflect on God's constant action in our world seeking the salvation of each of us. Each person and every generation throughout the ages are involved in this drama of salvation and together the Church, the people of God, continue to sojourn in the midst of good and evil toward our true home, the heavenly Jerusalem, the Church of Christ and the Kingdom of God. Let us not be dismayed or filled with fear, but trust God's omnipotence and divine Providence leading us with his unfailing love. In St. Pope John XXIII's opening remarks to the Cardinals, bishops and religious leaders and representatives at the opening of Second Vatican Council on October 11th, 1962 at the tomb of St. Peter, he said:

The very serious matters and questions which need to be solved by the human race have not changed after almost twenty centuries. For Christ Jesus still stands at the center of history and life: people either embrace him and his Church and so enjoy the benefits of light, goodness, order, and peace or they live without him or act against him and deliberately remain outside the Church, so that confusion arises among them, their relationships are embittered, and the danger of bloody wars impends. ... Union with Christ and his Church spreads everywhere the light of truth, gives correct guidance to the lives of individuals, of families, and of societies, stir up and fortify spiritual energies, and continuously raise minds towards true and eternal goods.

Pope John XXIII continues: "... the Church, we trust, will grow in heavenly riches and, drawing from it the strength of new energies, we look to the future without fear. For by means of appropriate improvements and wise provisions for cooperation, the Church will bring individuals, families and nations to turn their minds to the things that are above. Therefore, because of the celebration of this Council, wholehearted thanksgiving should be given to the Supreme Giver of all good things, and the glory of Christ the Lord, unconquered and immortal King of ages and of peoples, should exultantly be proclaimed."

We are all called to live in the light of Christ Jesus and follow him, leading each of us to transcend and embrace the things of heaven. It is quite possible to reject his calling and refuse to be chosen as a child of light and truth due to the world's deceptions and those echoes of pessimism and hatred. Jesus Christ, our Lord and King, reaches out to all of us, especially in our trials and struggles. Let us not be overwhelmed by the tide of those who only see the gloom and misery of the day, for there can be no darkness to those who hear and listen to the voice of Christ Jesus, the Good Shepherd leading all of us to his Kingdom.

Again, from Pope John XXIII: "It often happens, as we have learned in the daily exercise of the apostolic ministry, that, without offense to our ears, the voices of people are brought to us who, although burning with religious fervor, nevertheless do not think things through with enough discretion and prudence of judgement. These people see only ruin and calamity in the present conditions of human society. They keep repeating that our times, if compared to past centuries, have been getting worse. And they act as if they have nothing to learn from history, which is the teacher of life, and as if at the time of past Councils everything went favorably and correctly with respect to Christian doctrine, morality, and the Church's proper freedom. We believe we must quite disagree with these prophets of doom who are always forecasting disaster, as if the end of the world were at hand.

"In the present course of human events, by which human society seems to be entering a new order of things, we should see instead the mysterious plans of divine Providence which through the passage of time and the efforts of men, and often beyond their expectation, are achieving their purpose and wisely disposing of all things, even contrary human events, for the good of the Church."

Yes, let us all be healed from being blind to the mysterious actions of divine Providence in our own lives and forever rejoice and give glory to God. Next week the Church enters the Advent season, a time for us to allow our hearts and minds to be open to the mysteries of our faith, beginning with Jesus being born to Mary, most holy and full of grace, a virgin who is the handmaid of God. The Word of God entering into our broken and sinful world to heal us and reconcile each of us to our heavenly Father, calls us to forever be a people of Joy! To Jesus Christ, our most loving Redeemer, immortal King of peoples and ages, be love, power, and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

St. Jude, pray for us ~

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!
Fr. Ryan

Contact Father John Ryan

Fr. Ryan can be contacted via email at frryan@stjudemb.org.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!
May the love of God bless all of you, keep you safe and healthy!
Peace and Joy from all of us here at St. Jude,

-Fr. Greg, Fr. Ryan, Msgr. John, Fr. Leone
& Deacons Tom, Joe, Ken, John, Rene and Mark
and our Parish Staff



Magnificat, a Ministry to Catholic Women

We cordially invite you to attend our Christmas Breakfast on Saturday, December 10th, at The Hofstra Club in Uniondale at 9:45 a.m. Our speaker will be Lisa Mladinich - a Catholic Wife and Mom who is also the host of WOMAN: Strong Faith, True Beauty, on Shalom World TV. Lisa is a published author as well as a regular contributor to Relevant Radio. She has appeared on EWTN TV's Women of Grace. Lisa is the founder of AmazingCatechists.com and her desire is to help catechists teach the faith to children with love and enthusiasm. The Breakfast is \$35 per person. Make checks payable to Magnificat and mail to: Judy Murphy, 42 Pinehurst Street, Lido Beach, NY 11561. Pre-registration is required; checks must be received by December 5th. Payment will not be accepted at the door. For additional information please contact Angela at 516-763-1739 or Judy at (917) 453-5750. Come and bring a friend for a morning of fellowship, refreshment and worship!

Marian Symposium

Join the Friends of the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception for a Marian Symposium to be held at the Seminary on Sunday, December 4, 2016. Journey to the heart of Mary through Theology, Spirituality, and the Arts. Beginning with Mass at 10 AM and Keynote Speaker, Bishop James Massa, Auxiliary Bishop of Brooklyn, the day will include lunch, presentations on Marian art (Angela DeLessio-Morrison) and Marian spirituality (Fr. Hugh Gillespie, SMM), musical interlude with Marian selections by the Cathedral SeminarySchola. The day will close with Vespers at 4 PM. Advance registration required. \$40 per guest. For reservations & information, contact Seminary Development Office, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY 11743. 631.423.0483 x 102; bmalone@icseminary.edu



St. Jude Christmas Fair

Saturday, December 3, 2016
9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.
in the Parish Center



Shop the Vendors,
Taste the Food,
Try your luck with our
raffles
Digital Pictures with Santa
Something for everyone!

For more information call the rectory @ 631-281-5743

Mass Attendance

	Saturday		Sunday			
	5pm	7:30	8am	9:30	11:30	5pm Total
Oct. 23	274	130	224	237	340	180 1385
Oct. 30	259	200	230	276	435	185 1585
Nov. 6	267	160	240	291	330	190 1478
Nov. 13	270	160	226	289	375	185 1505

Weekly Collection

Nov. 13th \$9,164.97

Scripture Readings

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2016

Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary- Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2016

Memorial of Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr- Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 2016

Weekday- Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2016

Thanksgiving Day- Sir 50:22-24/1 Cor 1:3-9/ Lk 17:11-19

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2016

Weekday- Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Lk 21:29-33

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2016

Weekday- Rv 22:1-7/Lk 21:34-36

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2016

First Sunday of Advent: Is 2:1-5/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

Altar Bread and Wine

Have been donated for:
Intentions of Father Gregory Yacysynh

Available dates:
December 12th & 19th

Altar Flowers

Have been donated:
In loving memory of
Sigmund & Mary Czak

Available dates:
December 11th, January 15, 22 & 29th

Wedding Banns

II. Peter Frank Motovidlak /
Loren Marianne Carrai

Bulletin Reflection

Today we celebrate Christ the King and are reminded that all was created through Him and for Him. Does my stewardship of the blessings entrusted to me give evidence that Christ is Lord of my life?

Lighthouse Catholic Media

Book of the Week

The Faith for Beginners

— Stephen Ray and R. Dennis Walters



The Apostles' and Nicene Creeds are prayers most Catholics take for granted. We pray them by rote when we say the rosary or go to Mass—often without thinking about or fully understanding what we're saying. *The Faith for Beginners* takes you through the history of the Creeds, closely examining what we believe and why—with references to Scripture, the Church Fathers, and Church councils. You'll learn about heresies, persecutions, and theological disagreements that forced the Church to more carefully define our beliefs and add them to the Creeds.



Are You Being Called?

The Secular Franciscans are lay people (married and single) who choose to follow Christ by living from gospel to life and life to gospel in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi.

We meet the 2nd Sunday of the month at 12:00pm – 1:00 pm at St. Joseph the Worker Church in Patchogue.

For information, call Eileen @ (631) 281-7125

Living Stewardship

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who strive to responsibly connect their faith in day-to-day activities, such as participating in community or school organizations.

Sister Act: A Divine Musical Comedy

All Proceeds to Benefit the Life Center of Long Island
Friday, December 9, 2016 @ 8pm at Broad Hollow Theatre Company at Bayway Arts Center Main Stage, East Islip. Tickets \$35 Adults, \$30 Seniors (65 & over), \$15 Children (12 & under). For tickets and reservations contact Kathy Coletti @ 631-666-5679 (Please do not call Bayway Arts Center)

All Children Age 6 and Up

Would you like to participate in our Children's Choir? I bet you do!

Practice each Sunday at 9:00a.m., before the 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Church.

Any questions see me before Mass on Sunday!
Thank you, Michael LaSalle, Music Director

New! St. Jude Parish Family Ministry!

We are inviting all families of children in St. Jude Parish to participate in the new Family Ministry Program!

We are forming a team to plan special fun events and activities for the families with children to participate in! We are asking your help! Without you this wonderful new ministry will not take off the ground!. Team members are needed! Bring all your ideas!

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Ages of Children: _____

Please check one:

I would like to become a team member!

I would be willing to help at certain events

15th Annual Youth Respect Life Contest

The contest is designed to educate and provide a platform for youth to express and share their ideas and feelings on DRVC Respect Life Office issues that promote the dignity and respect for all persons from conception through natural death. All entries will be judged on originality and expression of thought in relation to our Catholic faith and the contest theme, Moved by Mercy.

All entries must be attached to the registration form, postmarked by December 16, 2016 to the DRVC Respect Life Office

Faith Formation

Monday, November 21st:
Catechist/Coordinator
Meeting @ 8:00p.m.

No classes

Wednesday, November 23rd & Saturday, November 26th. Happy Thanksgiving! Classes will resume on Monday, November 28th.

Faith Formation office hours while classes are in session:

Mon, & Weds 11:00 am – 8:00 pm

Tuesday 9:00 am – 5:30 p.m.
Saturday open for classes only, office closed

Also! The Faith Booster Fundraiser is ongoing and the student who brings in the most money will get a terrific prize! So let's start boosting the faith and get your completed coupons in! If you need more coupons, they can be picked up at the Faith Formation office when you hand in the completed boosters you have already received!