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Pastor:

Rev. Jason Thuerauf

Deacons:

Deacon Mike Bunch Deacon Joe Hensley Deacon John Volk Deacon Alan Spears (retired)

Mass & Reconciliation Schedule

Daily Mass Monday-Friday 8:00 am

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** 

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 pm

Saturday Mass (anticipatory) 5:00 pm Sunday Mass 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am National Holiday Mass Time: M-F 9:00 am

The Church is Open Weekdays 8:30 am-4:00 pm

Community Center & Office is Open Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:00 pm (Closed for lunch 12:00-1:00 pm)

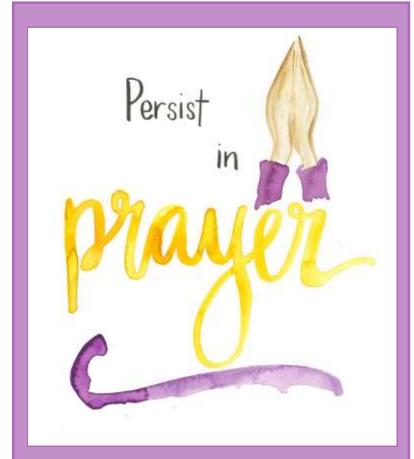
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## Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Mission Statement

The Catholic Community of St. Jude is formed in faith in Jesus Christ. We seek to grow in our faith through the proclamation of God's Word and the celebration of the Sacraments. We are dedicated to love and care for all God's people in their physical and spiritual needs. The stewardship of our time, talent, and treasure is conducted in a way that shows our gratitude to God for His blessings.

#### Stewardship

As a Stewardship Parish, we budget 10% tithe of our offertory gifts toward charitable & worthy causes.

Weekly Offertory Contributions

October 8/9 Collection \$17,368.50
Online Contributions \$13,370.95

Your continued support of our parish is appreciated, **THANK YOU!!** 

Electronic Offertory Giving If you have not had the chance to enroll with Faith Direct, check it out today. It's easy to signup & secured, just visit faith.direct/CO846 or text 'Enroll' to 720-713-3363.

**Or to give a one-time donation** for our weekly offertory text "\$ with the dollar amount" to 720-713-3363.

#### **Baptisms**

Welcome to the Church!
Sofia Maria Martinez
Sawyer Paul Jeffries
October 9, 2022 by Deacon Joe Hensley

### Christian Service Committee Holiday Basket Drive

The Christian Service Committee is collecting non-perishable food items and turkeys for the annual Holiday Basket Drive. Non-perishable food items can be placed in the barrels located in the gathering space. Turkeys and money donations will be accepted

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in the parish office Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4 pm. You may also drop your money donations in the collection basket with a memo stating "Holiday Basket".



## A Message from Our Pastor

#### God is waiting for us

How many of us have experiences some sort of crisis in our lives? Of

course we have, it is inevitable that we might experience crisis. And in those moments God is waiting for us, wanting us to respond to Him who created us. We hear that in today's gospel in the parable about the judge and the widow. "Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night?" God wants to answer us in all things, both in crisis and in joy. But it is us who must reach out to Him who is waiting.

When we are presented with a crisis in our lives we can react with anger and distrust in God and His plan. Or we can fall on our knees asking God to help and guide us. In this week's parish podcast I talked with Gene Corley one of our parishioners, and in our conversation, he shared with us an experience in his own life of crisis that led him to his knees asking God for his love and mercy. And praise God for the love and mercy he showed to Gene and his family. It led Gene and his wife on a path to greater faith and service to God.

This experience of crisis led Gene to experience God's plan of loving goodness, where we hear in the catechism, he was able to experience "God's wish to make [him] capable of responding to Him, and of knowing Him, and of loving Him far beyond [his] own natural capacity." (CCC 52) When we respond to God in time of crisis or in times of joy, we are participating in His plan of coming to know God more, and ultimately loving God more. In Gene's life this ended up leading to his own service to God and his Church through the Stephen Ministry where he is able to help care for others who are experiencing difficulties in their lives. What a great way to give back the love that was shown him in his life.

God is there waiting for you this week, whether you are in crisis or not. How will you respond to Him? I pray that you might come to Him, even in the stress and frustration of it all, do that He can pick you up and "make you share in His own blessed life" (CCC 1) and plan of sheer goodness.

Fr. Jason Thuerauf



Check out our Website & Podcast at

saintjudelakewood.org

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



#### **Interested in Becoming Catholic?**

### It is now time to register for St. Jude's RCIA

**Program.** Our model of formation provides a form of learning, centered on the relationship of the individual with the person of Jesus Christ and with his body, the Church. It centers catechesis in the primary place where that relationship is fostered and celebrated, in the community of faith that gathers Sunday by Sunday throughout the year. "Within the cycle of the year the Church unfolds the whole mystery of Christ, from his incarnation and birth until his ascension, the day of Pentecost and the expectation of blessed hope and of the Lord's return." This model also respects the journey of each person. It assumes that those who come seeking initiation will be welcomed whenever they arrive, no matter what time of the year that happens to be.

In this model of sacramental catechesis, the Church uses the language of journey, conversion, discipleship and relationship. Rather than a program of specific instruction, the RCIA suggests a fluid, gradual process of formation, the heart of which is the paschal mystery of Jesus Christ.

Contact Deacon Mike Bunch 303-988-6435 or mbunch@saintjudelakewood.org to register.



Next weekend St. Jude will continue our tithe as a Stewardship Parish and recognized <u>World Mission Sunday on October 22 & 23</u>. Our donation will help provide for building up churches in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe. Through the work of these churches, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace.

#### **Annual Disability Awareness Mass**

Saint Jude's Special Education Class is having an Awareness Mass on Sunday October 23, 2022 at the 9:00am Mass. Father Roland Freeman will be the celebrant.

## Knights of Columbus Family of the Month, July 2022 Mark D. & Stacey Zumtobel

Recently when volunteers were needed to help Fr. Bob move, Brother Mark volunteered his SUV to help in the move as well as provided a Continental breakfast and lunch to the rest of the volunteers. Mark became a



Knight in 2009 and has been enthusiastically active in Council 16052 when his schedule allows. He especially helps with the Family Breakfasts and Parish picnic. He and Stacey raised their sons in the faith. They all served as Altar Servers and two of them have also joined the Knights of Columbus. Both Mark and Stacey are active in the practice of their faith. Stacey has a kind heart and works hard as a Physical Therapist at several local nursing homes. Congratulations on their well-deserved recognition.

#### Knight of the Month, July 2022 Benedieto A. "Ben" Maes

Benedieto "Ben" Maes has been a member of the Knights of Columbus since October 1991. Recently when volunteers were needed to help Fr. Bob move from the St. Jude rectory to his family home in Littleton Brother Ben was there to help. When it is time for the Family Breakfasts, Brother Ben has been willing to help get the food and groceries from COSTCO, usually loading his SUV to capacity. When Sunday comes, Ben is there to help with the



Chili Brunch Eggs recipe from start up to clean up. He also serves at the funeral reception committees. A regular attendee at the daily 8:00 AM Mass at St. Jude, we congratulate him for being selected as Knight of the Month for July 2022.

## EVENTS/REMINDERS



Adult Faith Formation Fall Mini-series "The Beauty of Catholic Spirituality"

Tuesday mornings at 9 am after Mass for 4 weeks in the St. Benedict Room, led by Deacon John Volk.

October 18: The Rhythm of Catholic Prayer throughout the Day, Week, & Year

October 25: Falling Deeper in Love with the Mass – Part I
Scriptural background of the Mass

There will be no RE classes or Youth Groups this week, Wednesday, October 19th or Sunday, October 23rd.



# Tickets go on sale this week for the Annual Feast of St. Jude Pasta Dinner!

Tickets will be \$12 per adult, \$6 children 12 & under, with a family cap at \$40.

We only have 100 tickets to sell and once they're gone, they're gone! Please plan to join us for this delicious pasta & meatball dinner, including sides, desserts, and beverages.

No tickets will be sold at the door!



## HIGHLIGHTED MINISTRIES

Prime Timers is a social group of fun-loving people age 50 plus. **Our purpose is: To PRAY, To SERVE, To ENJOY.** We meet each first and third Friday of the month between September to May. The meeting on each First Friday starts at 8:45 am, after morning Mass. The Third Friday meeting starts at noon, with lunch and entertainment. Questions? Call Marg Utz @ 303-988-7968 or 303-589-7570.

#### **Upcoming entertainment for the 3rd Fridays:**

October 21 - 1776 Presentation, Gary Crow-Willard

**November 4** - First Friday Breakfast **November 13** - Thanksgiving Potluck

#### Prayer Changes Everything

Raphael Book Club is currently reading "Seven Saints for Seven Virtues" by Jean M. Heiman through mid-November. Come join us for a good book, discussion and friendship. We meet every Thursday afternoon from 1:00-2:30 pm in the St. Benedict room (formerly, the church basement). Contact Margie at 303-358-2752

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Mondays 4:00-7:00 pm & First Fridays 8:30 am-4:00 pm



Light of God Prayer Community meets Thursdays at 10:00 am in the Church basement focusing on Jesus Christ through prayer, song, & scripture all with the guidance of the Holy Spirit and His gifts. The meeting concludes at 11:30 am. Come join us. For more information please call Marion Budz @ 303-973-2613.

## Stay Connected

#### Sacraments

**Baptisms:** A pre-baptismal session is required for parents and godparents. Please call the office at 303-988-6435 before or after the child's birth, before you choose godparents, to register. The **next class is November 26, 9am-12pm** in the Community Center lower level.

**Marriage:** Those who wish to be married at St. Jude Church must be registered in the parish for at least one year. Sons and daughters of registered parishioners may also be married here. A 12-month preparation period is required. Please call the office at 303-988-6435 and talk to Deacon Mike.

**Anointing of the Sick:** In the case of serious illness in the family, please call the office immediately at 303-988-6435. Do not wait until death is imminent. During hours when the office is closed, you will be directed to the emergency line.

Funeral Arrangements: Call the office 303-988-6435.

#### **Bulletin & Pulpit Announcements**

**Bulletin Announcements** are due Monday one week prior to Sunday publication. Announcements are to be short due to limited space and are to be run one or two weeks prior to the event.

Announcements for the bulletin are to be sent to bulletin@ saintjudelakewood.org

Pulpit announcements are to be short, up to 110 characters (two sentences). Please submit one week prior to Mass to Rhonda rmcintyre@saintjudelakewood.org

#### Family Status

Do you have a change in your family status, or have you moved, have a new phone number or a new email address? If you have any updates, please notify us at: mail@saintjudelakewood.org



#### Stay connected with St Jude!

Join Flocknote today to receive texts or emails about what is currently happening at our parish. Go to www.flocknote.com/stjudelakewood or text stjude to 84576.

#### Organizations Involved with St. Jude

Catholic Daughters of the Americas #2035 Court Madonna of the Mountains meets the first Saturday of every month in the Lower Level Community Center from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. The next meeting is **November 5th**. It's an organization that helps parishes and communities through the Religious and Charitable Apostolates of the Church. Join us this year to serve those in need. For more information call Juanita Halverson 303-986-2452.

Sack Lunch Sunday



Please support Volunteers of America to help feed the poor. Bring your lunches with 2 sandwiches per sack along with other typical lunch items: water or juice; fruit, vegetables and cookies or chips on December 4 prior to the 11:00 am Mass.

Knights of Columbus Saint Jude Council #16052

The council meets on the 1st Tuesday for an Officer's Business meeting and the Membership Meeting is the 2nd Tuesday in the church basement with a rosary at 7:00

pm. For questions, contact John F. Oldani, Jr. at 303-564-7806

Serra Club of Southwest Denver promotes and affirms vocations to the ministerial priesthood and consecrated life in the church. We meet twice a month at Holy Name Parish on the 1st and 3rd Friday mornings. For more information about our Club, you may contact Maureen McGee-O'Shea 303-988-6983 or Dixie Schulte 303-356-9592.

#### Welcome New Parishioners!

If you are new to our parish and have not registered, please pick up a registration form at our welcome desk in the gathering space. The committee will also give a you a welcome bag!

You can also go to the office during business hours or go online to saintjudelakewood.org and register!

Don't forget to sign up on Flocknote!!

(911) Outreach Assistance for those facing temporary financial setbacks within our area: financial assistance is often available for rent assistance, utilities, food, etc. Please arrange for an appointment by calling 303-882-2253.

#### Scripture Readings

Monday: Eph 2: 1-10/ Ps 100: 1b-2. 3. 4ab. 4c-5/ Lk 12: 13-21 Tuesday: 2 Tm 4: 10-17b/ Ps 145: 10-11. 12-13. 17-18/ Lk 10: 1-9 Wednesday: Eph 3: 2-12/ ls 12: 2-3. 4bcd. 5-6/ Lk 12: 39-48 Thursday: Eph 3: 14-21/ Ps 33: 1-2. 4-5. 11-12. 18-19/ Lk 12: 49-53

Friday: Eph 4: 1-6/ Ps 24: 1-2. 3-4ab. 5-6/ Lk 12: 54-59
Saturday: Eph 4: 7-16/ Ps 122: 1-2. 3-4ab. 4cd-5/ Lk 13: 1-9

Sunday: Sir 35: 12-14. 16-18/Ps 34: 2-3. 17-19. 23 2 Tm 4: 6-8. 16-18/

Lk 18: 9-14

#### Pray for the sick parishioners of our parish

(Names will remain for one month)

Dana Mullins, Bob Povinski, Katie Liedtke, Bob Barela, Lucille Beaudrie, Eugene Beaudrie, Ben Casias, Stephanie Colborg, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Matt Schallmoser, Warren Zimmerman, Tom Zupancich, Jaimie Poggensee, Johnny Griffey, Mary Aymani, Sylvia McKinney, Christine Valdez, Donald Sandner, Stephen Roberge, Rita Jo Van Driel

#### Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish

+ Kelli Gatschet, + Charles Fabio, + James Curran, + Leo Schneider Please contact the office if a parishioner needs to be added to our Prayer List for sick or deceased.

This Week at Saint Jude						
Monday 17	Tuesday 18	Wednesday 19	Thursday 20	Friday 21	Saturday 22	Sunday 23
4:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Catholic Biblical School	with Deacon John 6:30 pm Special Ed Class	8 am Mass - Thuerauf 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Fellow- ship of Light NO Middle School Youth NO RE Classes	Group  10:00 am Light of	Timers -Church basement 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet	3:30-4:30 pm Confessions 5 pm Mass - Thuerauf	7 am Mass - Reycraft 9 am Mass - Freeman Disability Awareness 11 am Mass - Thuerauf with Children's Liturgy of the Word NO High School Youth
Mass Intent + Jody Feely		+ Ron Vanous	+ Mike Klebba	+ Wayne & Jeanettte Simon- son	+ Don Cioeta, Sr	+ Val Colborg For St. Jude Parishioners + Mary Finch

## OF INTEREST



#### Rise Above: What's Holding You Back?

Join other young adults (23-35) for a week-long immersion retreat to explore what's holding you back from chasing the desires and dreams God has placed in your heart. During the retreat you will receive Catholic, virtue-based leadership training coupled with strengths coaching and 2 days with a vocational director who can teach you how to hear God's voice.



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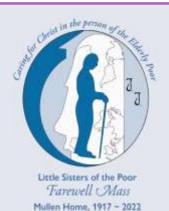
7240 West 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Lakewood, CO 80214

Free Thanksgiving Dinner, November 24<sup>th</sup> 11 am - 2:30 pm at St. Bernadette. People coming for Thanksgiving meal will also be provided with an additional box lunch and coat. Free transportation will be available - details to come on pickup and drop-off locations. For more information, please contact Cynthia Midino: <a href="mailto:hattie-pearls@gmail.com">hattie-pearls@gmail.com</a>

## Memorial Mass for Miscarriage, Stillbirth, & Infant Loss

October 28, 2022 at 7:00PM St. Thomas More 8035 S. Quebec St., Centennial, CO 80112

The loss of a child, no matter how briefly they were with us, leaves an ache in our hearts. This Mass will be offered for all families who have experienced the loss of an infant whether by miscarriage, stillbirth or early infant death. A reception will follow after the Mass.



The Little Sisters of the Poor invite you and your family to join them as they prepare to say goodbye.

Tuesday, October 25 Mass at 5:30 p.m.

Celebrant: Most Reverend Samuel J. Aquila, Archbishop of Denver

Cathedral Basilica of the Immaculate Conception 1530 N. Logan St., Denver, CO 80203

Mass will be livestreamed on our website www.littlesistersofthepoordenver.org





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