

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 12, 2023



# SAINT JUDE

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### 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

Pastor:

Rev. Jason Thuerlauf

Deacons:

Deacon Mike Bunch

Deacon Joe Hensley

Deacon John Volk

Deacon Alan Spears (retired)

The Church is Open Weekdays

8:30 am-4:00 pm

Community Center & Office is Open

Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:00 pm

### Staff

**Business Manager:** Nikkole Cubbage

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**Do not think that I have come  
to abolish the  
law or the prophets.  
I have come not to abolish  
but to fulfill.**

**~ Matthew 5:17**

### 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.

## Ash Wednesday is a week from Wednesday! Services on February 22nd:



6:30 am Mass with distribution of Ashes  
8:00 am Mass with distribution of Ashes  
12:10 pm Liturgy of the Word with Ashes  
6:30 pm Mass with distribution of Ashes

### Parish Lenten Mission

#### Save the Date!



**Tuesday, February 28**  
"The Three Ingredients of  
Discipleship"

Michaelann Martin

**Wednesday, March 1**  
"Spiritual Urgency"

Curtis Martin

Curtis Martin is the founder and CEO of FOCUS – The Fellowship of Catholic University Students. Michaelann currently serves FOCUS as the Director of Women's formation, mentoring missionaries, wives of missionaries, and benefactors to learn about how to thrive in the New Evangelization. Curtis and his wife, Michaelann, were awarded the Benemerenti Medal by Pope Saint John Paul II for their outstanding service to the Church. They live in Colorado and have been blessed with nine children and eight grandchildren...so far.

### Stewardship

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

Weekly Offertory Contributions

February 4/5 Collection      \$24,877.00

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A Message from  
Our Pastor

#### Be Reconciled

This week's Gospel reading continues with the Sermon on the Mount from Matthew's Gospel, and in it we hear Jesus urging us to live out the

commandments—not half-heartedly, but completely. While preaching, He mentions that, if we have done something against our brother, we should immediately go and be reconciled with him. We are only a week and a half out from the start of the Lenten season; now is the time that we should all reflect on this idea of being reconciled in our own lives.

Jesus tells us that before we come to worship and offer our gifts and selves to the Lord, we must first make sure we are reconciled with our neighbor. This idea of reconciling and being forgiven is so important that Jesus even returns to it in the Our Father—and it is the only petition in the Our Father that is developed in the Sermon on the Mount (CCC 2841).

In our world, there is a lot of pain and suffering everywhere we turn. Sometimes we are at fault for that pain and suffering through our words and actions towards others. Whether the things we have done to others are big or small, we need to reach out and ask for their forgiveness to begin healing the wounds that we have caused. These wounds are not just within them; when we cause pain and suffering to others, we are also creating a wound within ourselves that we might ignore unless we seek forgiveness.

I encourage you starting this week to begin the healing work that God wants to do within you and seek out forgiveness for any wrongs you may have caused someone. Begin the process of being reconciled so that as we enter into the Lenten season in just over a week, you might be ready to bring your gifts before the Lord and grow closer to Him.

Fr. Thuerauf



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Podcast at  
[saintjudelakewood.org](http://saintjudelakewood.org)

# EVENTS/REMINDERS



## Attention all High School Students (& current 8th graders)!

We hope you will join us for this year's Steubenville of the Rockies conference on June 23-25 at the Gaylord of the Rockies Resort.

Cost is \$275 (\$75 deposit with signup), & registration is now open. Spots are limited and will go fast so sign up as soon as possible. If you want to register or have any questions, please call Tyler at 303-988-6435 or [teberle@saintjudelakewood.org](mailto:teberle@saintjudelakewood.org)

Feb-Mar Offertory Envelope Update  
As we announced last week, the offertory envelopes were not coming due to paper shortage. We have switched companies and they will be mailing out a starter set this week to take us through March. Then starting in April, we should be back on scheduled and with a little different look. If you have any questions, please contact the office at 303-988-6435.

## Christian Service Committee

We meet on the first Monday of every month from Sept-May at 8:45 am in the Church Basement. We are responsible for the Holiday Assistance Program at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter. The committee also coordinates our 911 Assistance Program. Finally, it directs the grant associated with our parish tithing program. **New members are welcome!** Any questions, call Tim and Amber Sandhoff at 1-702-241-2380.

## Altar Server Training

February 18th at 10am in the Church

Boys & Girls who have made their First Communion are eligible to attend.



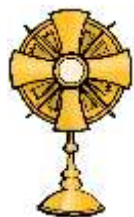
# HIGHLIGHTED MINISTRIES



Militia Immaculata meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month from 10:00-11:00 am in the lower level of the Community Center. MI is a worldwide evangelization movement founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe in 1917. It encourages consecration to Mary Immaculate for spiritual renewal of individuals and society. **The next meeting is February 13th.**



Prime Timers is a social group of fun-loving people age 50-105. Our purpose is: **To PRAY, To SERVE, & To ENJOY.** We meet on each 1st & 3rd Friday of the month between Sept and May. Questions? Please call Marg Utz at 303-988-7868. **The next meeting will be February 17th and features lunch from Bono's restaurant and live Big Band Era music!**



## Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays, 4:00-7:00 pm  
& First Fridays, 8:30am-4:00pm.  
**The next First Friday Adoration is March 3rd at 8:30 am.**

## Our Lady of Perpetual Help Rosary Makers



Our next meeting is **Monday, February 13th** from 9 to 10:00 am in the Community Center LL. We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. of every month. You can also pick up supplies and make rosaries at home! Call Maria 303-986-2017 for more info.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Parish Ford Van to Be Sold

The Pastoral and Finance Council has decided to sell the parish van. It was purchased in 1999 to transport parishioners, but the insurance rules have changed since then and we cannot use it to transport persons. While it has been used for maintenance purposes for some years, it has been underutilized. (It only has 45,000 miles on it!) We will attempt to get \$9,000 from it to benefit our parish's operations. If you want more information, please contact Nikkole in the Parish Office.

## Easter Food Drive



St. Jude Church & The Christian Service Committee will be gathering food for Easter food baskets for those in need of them. Please bring non-perishable, **unexpired** food items to Barrels in the Gathering Space for this purpose. We will be collecting food until Sunday, March 26. Thank You!

## Knight of the Month, December 2022

### Alejandro (Alex) DeHerrera



A member of the Knights of Columbus since July 1999, Brother Alex DeHerrera has been active in the St. Jude Council 16052 since it was formed. Alex has been a

reliable volunteer at the Family Breakfasts, coordinating and directing the cooking of the ham and sausage. He is also involved in the annual peach sales, helping out with the sales and Saturday morning truck unloading. One of Brother Alex's longtime volunteer efforts has been assisting the elderly and less fortunate with their annual income tax preparation. We are thankful to have Alex help out in these, as well as many other Parish and Council activities. Congratulations to Brother Alex DeHerrera for being selected as the Knight of the Month for December 2022.

## Family of the Month, December 2022

### Eric & Sharon Gardner-Knopinski

Eric and Sharon have long been active members of St. Jude Parish. They can be found at the weekly 7:00 AM Mass



where they both serve as ushers and Eucharistic Ministers. When members of the St. Jude parish Christian Service Committee sponsor their food baskets drive, the Gardner-Knopinski family is there to help. Sharon coordinates this program with the Emory School. She is also involved in the Parish 911-assistance program, and still finds time to serve as a member on a St. Jude Parish funeral reception committee. In addition, this family participates in the Stephen Ministry program and the Parish picnic planning committee. St. Jude parish is blessed to have Eric and Sharon as members of the community and we congratulate them on being selected by the Knights of Columbus, Council 16052, as Family of the Month for December 2022.

# Stay Connected

## 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](mailto:mail@saintjudelakewood.org)

**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.

## 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](mailto:bulletin@saintjudelakewood.org)

**Pulpit Announcements** are to be short, up to 110 characters (two sentences). Please submit one week prior to Mass to Rhonda at [rmcintyre@saintjudelakewood.org](mailto:rmcintyre@saintjudelakewood.org)

**Flocknote Announcements** may be sent to Tyler Eberle at [teberle@saintjudelakewood.org](mailto:teberle@saintjudelakewood.org)

## 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 March 25th from 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.

## 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. 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. The next regular meeting is **March 4th**.



## 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 **April 23rd** prior to the 11:00 am Mass. Please bring sandwiches plain. You can include small packs of condiments. Please put pickles or tomatoes in a separate baggie.



## 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 or to have the Vocation Cross kit in your home for a month, 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 you a welcome bag!

You can also go to the office during business hours or go online to [saintjudelakewood.org](http://saintjudelakewood.org) and register!

Scripture Readings

- Monday:** Gn 4:1-15, 25/Mk 8:11-13
- Tuesday:** Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Mk 8:14-21
- Wednesday:** Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Mk 8:22-26
- Thursday:** Gn 9:1-13/Mk 8:27-33
- Friday:** Gn 11:1-9/Mk 8:34—9:1
- Saturday:** Heb 11:1-7/Mk 9:2-13
- Sunday:** Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

Pray for the sick parishioners of our parish

(Names will remain for one month)

Katie Liedtke, Stephanie Colborg, Dana Mullins, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Stephen Roberge, Fred Clarke, Tom Zupancich, Johnny Griffey, Mary Aymani, Suellen Reeves, Lucille Beaudrie, Eugene Beaudrie, Douglas Sawyer, Cheyenne Roberts, Crystal Daniele, Joseph Daniele, Margaret Haun, Jeremy Trujillo, Jeff Smith, Kelli Schultz, Rita Jo Van Driel, Karen Suavo, Jan Coursey, Jane Wickman, Jim Kennedy, Gary Landry, Laura Landry, Paula Landry, Emilio Alderate, Donna Gallenback, Mary Slater, Leslie Daniele, Berni Ward, Donna Baxter, Paul Bonnstetter, JR White, Anthony Steppe, Thea Roberts, Kathy Barela

Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish

+ Fred Clarke

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 13	Tuesday 14	Wednesday 15	Thursday 16	Friday 17	Saturday 18	Sunday 19
<b>8 am Mass - Anedo</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Rosary Makers 10:00 am Militia Immaculata 4:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Catholic Biblical School	<b>8 am Mass - Schaffer</b> 8:30 am Rosary 6:30 pm Special Ed Class 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus 7:00 pm Small Study Book Club	<b>8 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Fellowship of Light 6:30 pm Middle School Youth 6:30 pm RE Classes 7:00 pm Handbell Choir rehearsal	<b>8 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Spiritual Book Club 10:00 am Light of God Prayer Group 1:00 pm Raphael Book Club 1:30 pm Friends of Faith Book Club 5:45 pm RCIC 7:00 pm RCIA	<b>8 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Prime Timers 3:00 pm Divine Mercy	10:00 am Altar Server Training 3:30-4:30 pm Confessions <b>5 pm Mass - Reycraft</b>	<b>7 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> <b>9 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> <b>11 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> (with Children's Liturgy of the World)

Mass Intentions

+ Rachael Macklenburg	+ Deon Carlson	+ Midge & Ray Bougere	+ Josephine Montez	+ Walter Heline	For the Parishioners of St. Jude	+ Sylvester Visnyei + Leo Schneider + Kenneth Beaudrie
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# OF INTEREST

Join us for this joyful Valentine's Day Breakfast!



**HAVE A HEART BREAKFAST 2023**

**YOU'RE INVITED**

Tuesday  
February 14, 2023  
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## Presentation Rescheduled!



We invite you and every member of your family 16 years or older to a presentation on **March 25<sup>th</sup>, at 10 AM** at **Christ on the Mountain Church**,

**13922 W Utah Ave**, on one of the most important topics impacting our society and families today. The presentation is titled "The Hijacking of a Divine Gift - How the Porn Culture Impacts You, Your Family and Society." Dann Aungst, President and Founder of Road to Purity, a Catholic lay apostolate here in the Archdiocese of Denver will be giving the presentation.

Pornography use today is at epidemic, if not pandemic levels, and is quietly destroying our culture, our families, and our youth. Simply put, pornography destroys human dignity and God's gift of sexuality.

In the United States:

- a new porn video is created every 39 minutes (less than the time we just spent together celebrating Mass),
- nearly 50% of men and 20% of women are addicted to some type of pornography.
- The number of individuals affected by pornography is two to three times greater than the COMBINED total of those who are on drugs or alcohol!

Child care available: To arrange for adult provided childcare during the presentation, email Don Ferega at [don@christonthemountain.org](mailto:don@christonthemountain.org) and put the word Purity in the subject line.



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