

**Third Sunday in Lent**

**March 3, 2024**



# SAINT JUDE

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Pastor:**

Rev. Jason Thuerauf

**Deacons:**

Deacon Mike Bunch, Deacon Joe Hensley,  
Deacon John Volk

**Mass & Reconciliation Schedule**

Daily Mass Monday-Friday 8:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 pm

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am

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For God's  
foolishness  
is wiser  
than  
human  
wisdom,  
and God's  
weakness  
is stronger  
than  
human  
strength.

1 CORINTHIANS 1:25, NRSV



## Our Staff

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### 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.



## Penance Services for Lent

Lent is a time to reflect and repent for our sins. St. Jude will again offer a penance service during Lent, but there are lots of opportunities in surrounding parishes to find a time

to go. Find one that works for you!

**Christ on the Mountain** - Sat., Mar 9th @ 10:00am  
13922 W Utah Ave, Lakewood, CO 80228

**Christ the King Parish** - Tue., Mar 12th @ 6:30pm  
4291 Evergreen Pkwy, Evergreen, CO 80439

**St. Jude Parish - Wed., Mar 13th @ 7:00pm**



## Baptisms

*Welcome to the Church!*

*Kyle Eliu Gomez II  
Baptized February 24th by  
Deacon Joe Hensley*



*Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper*

**Thursday, March 28th (no morning Mass)**  
**Mass at 7:00 pm (with incense) followed by**  
**Adoration until midnight in the CCLL Atrium**

*Good Friday*

**Friday, March 29th (no morning Mass or Adoration)**  
**Passion Service at 3:00 pm**  
**Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm**

*Easter Vigil*

**Saturday, March 30th**  
**(no Reconciliation, no 5pm Mass)**  
**Mass at 8:00 pm (with incense)**

*Easter Sunday*

**Sunday, March 31st @ 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am**



## Pastor's Blog

### Why Latin?

We use Latin responses at Mass during Lent. This time-honored custom is practiced in parishes to reflect the change in the liturgical season from Ordinary Time to Lent. We sing the Sanctus, the Memorial Acclamation and the Lamb of God in the ancient language during Lent at Saint Jude Parish. In this blog, I will attempt to show the spiritual and temporal advantages to using Latin on occasion.

I point to three characteristics of Latin which will endear you to the Lenten responses we use: constancy; meaning transmission; and international recognition. The constancy of the Latin language comes from the fact that no country uses Latin as its primary spoken language. As a result, the language is constant throughout the ages. For example, if you said to someone in Boston in 1750, "What's the scoop, bro?" he would not understand the expression. Likewise, in 100 years we might be asking people, "Please, citizen, transmit the local posting to me" and they would understand that we were asking for the news. English changes but Latin does not change. This characteristic leads to the second benefit of Latin which is the transmission of meaning. The words mean the same to us today as they did to Saint Thomas Aquinas 700 years ago! Finally, Latin is recognized internationally. Scholars throughout the world have studied Latin and it supports the universality of the Roman Catholic Church. Every official document which the Church issues first appears in a Latin form.

-Fr. Thuerlauf





# EVENTS/REMINDERS

## Knights of Columbus Burrito Sales! This Weekend March 2nd & 3rd after all Masses



Take home some delicious burritos after all the Masses for only \$5 each. You have a choice of mild, half & half, or hot depending on how spicy you like them.

*All proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus 16052 Charities.*

*Daylight Savings Time Returns  
Next Sunday, March 10th*

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ONE HOUR SO YOU AREN'T LATE FOR MASS!**



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# HIGHLIGHTED MINISTRIES



## Militia Immaculata

This group 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. Maximillian Kolbe in 1917. It encourages consecration to Mary Immaculate for spiritual renewal of individuals and society. **The next meeting is March 11th.**

## Light of God Prayer Community

We meet every Thursday at 10:00 am in the St. Benedict Room focusing on Jesus Christ through prayer, song, & scripture through 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.



## Respect Life Rosary

Respect Life rosary to end abortion, meets the second Saturday, 7:30 am, in the Church. **The next rosary is March 9th at**

**7:30 am in the Church.** Questions, contact Jerry Hageman at 303-936-0993.

## Christian Service Committee

The CSC coordinates the Holiday Assistance Program at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter. **New members are always welcome!** We meet on the first Monday of every month from Sept-May at 8:45 am in the St. Benedict Room. **Our next meeting is March 4th.** Any questions, call Tim and Amber Sandhoff at 702-241-2380.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ADORE

Every Friday in Lent beginning February 16th  
St. Jude Catholic Church  
Adoration 8:30 am—7:00 pm

This will be a silent Adoration except for the  
Rosary at 8:30 am and Divine Mercy at 3:00 pm.

Everyone is invited to participate to  
make this your best Lent ever!



## ¡MEXICO CITY!

Join us on a Mexico Pilgrimage to celebrate Fr. Thuerauf's 25th Anniversary of ordination! Trip dates are May 27 through June 6, 2024. If you signed up for the original Holy Land trip, all deposits and trip insurance will transfer to Mexico City. We will be visiting shrines in and around Mexico City, including Our Lady of Guadalupe, as well as the shrines in Cuernavaca, Cholula, Puebla, and Guadalajara. Call the parish office and ask for Sharon if you have any questions.



¡Que Viva  
Cristo Rey!



## Stewardship

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

### Weekly Offertory Contributions

February 24/25 Collection \$19,342.10

**THANK YOU** for all your generous contributions!

**Electronic Offertory Giving** Checkout eGiving through *Faith Direct*, it is the most convenient & secure way for you to make your weekly offering to St. Jude.



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To sign up for recurring donations scan our QR Code, visit [faith.direct/CO846](https://faith.direct/CO846), or text 'Enroll' to 720-713-3363. To give a one-time donation for our weekly offertory text "\$ with the dollar amount" to 720-713-3363

**Special Collection** -St. Jude will continue our tithe as a Stewardship Parish and recognize the **Catholic Relief Services** and reveal **Christ's Love** on March 9 & 10. This helps provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad.

*St. Jude will tithe 10% of our weekend offertory toward this collection.*



If you wish to make an additional contribution please write "CRS Donation" on the memo of your check.

## St. Francis Sewing Circle

St. Francis Circle will meet on **Saturday, March 9th from 9am–3pm in the CCLL**. This is a great way to get out of your winter slump! Join us as we stitch baby quilts for those in need. Come for all or part of the day. Potluck lunch will be served around noon. New members are always welcome and there are many jobs to accomplish where sewing experience is not necessary. We appreciate all the support we receive from St. Jude staff, Christian Service Committee, our parishioners, and our members. Questions, call Gloria @ 303-986-4311 or Doris @ 303-763-7699.





# 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, & Flocknote 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 & Flocknote Announcements** are to be short, up to 110 characters (two sentences). Please submit one week prior to Mass to Sharon [shensley@saintjudelakewood.org](mailto:shensley@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 16th 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 WITHIN 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 **April 6th**.



## Serra Club of Southwest Denver

The Serra Club 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.

## Knights of Columbus Saint Jude Council #16052

The council meets on the 1st Tuesday for an Officer's Business meeting & the Membership Meeting is the 2nd Tuesday in the St. Benedict Room starting with a rosary at 7:00 pm. Questions, call Judd Hopkins at 303-931-2807.



## Volunteers of America Sack Lunch Sunday

Help feed the poor. Bring your lunches with 2 sandwiches per sack along with other typical lunch items—such as water or juice; fruit, vegetables and cookies or chips. **Our next lunch date will be April 21st.**



# ST. JUDE PARISH LIFE

## 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! *Don't forget to sign up on Flocknote!!*



## Scripture Readings

### March 4th through March 10th

**Monday:** 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Lk 4:24-30  
**Tuesday:** Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35  
**Wednesday:** Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19  
**Thursday:** Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23  
**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34  
**Saturday:** Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14  
**Sunday:** 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21

## Pray for the sick parishioners of our parish

(Names will remain for one month)

Ray & Bebe Lawlor, Joe Krupar, Jim & Mur Hiltenbrand, Alanna Smith, Toni Mineo, Midge Sluzalis, Cathy Mueller Sipple, Joanie Losacco, Kathy Prolika, Stephen Roberge, Sherry Drobnitch, Alice Roberge, Vickie Jacobson, Dennis Kotecki, Andrew Roberge, Mary Bunce, Nancy Montgomery, Jim & Joyce Cillessen, Steve Wathen Deacon Mike Bunch, Rita Jo Van Driel, Bobby Edrozo, Gene & Lucille Beaudrie, Katie Liedtke, Shirley Langfield, Dave Dalman, Jeanine Dalman Kennedy, Dana Mullins, Dymphna Mullins, Carol Heinley, Douglas Sawyer, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Mary Goebel

## Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish

+ Geraldine Sasse, +Norma Padrigone, +Pietr "Stoney" Steenkamp

*Please contact the office if a parishioner needs to be added to our Prayer List for sick or deceased.*

## This Week at Saint Jude

JH-Joyful Heart; CH-Cheneniah; MC-Men's Choir; YC-Youth Choir

If no choir is listed, a cantor will lead the congregation.

Monday 4	Tuesday 5	Wednesday 6	Thursday 7	Friday 8	Saturday 9	Sunday 10
<b>8 am Mass - Anedo</b> 8:30 am Rosary 8:45 am Christian Service Committee 4:00-7:00pm Eucharistic Adoration 6:30 pm Catholic Biblical School	<b>8 am Mass - Schaffer</b> 8:30 am Rosary 6:30 pm Special Education 6:30 Easter Triduum Choir Rehearsal	<b>8 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Fellowship of Light 6:15 pm RE classes 6:30 Middle School Youth Group 7:00 pm Men's Choir Rehearsal	<b>8 am Mass - Reyecraft</b> 8:30 am Rosary 10:00 am Light of God Prayer Grp 1:00 pm Friends of Faith Book Club 1:00 pm Raphael Book Club 5:45 pm RCIC 7:00 pm RCIA 7:00 pm Joyful Heart Choir Practice	<b>8 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am-7:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration 3:00 pm Divine Mercy 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross (Stations for Life)	7:30 am Respect Life Rosary 9:00 am St. Francis Sewing Circle 3:30 pm Reconciliation <b>5 pm Mass - Thuerauf</b>	Knights of Columbus Donut Sunday <b>7 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> <b>9 am Mass - Thuerauf</b> <b>11 am Mass - Thuerauf (CH)</b> with Children's Liturgy 12:30 pm High School Youth Ministry

## Mass Intentions

+ Dee Smith	For the intentions of Laura Zach	+ Mike Gaidelis	+ Warren Zimmerman	For the Intentions of Lucille & Gene Beaudrie	+ Louise Sawyer	For the parishioners of St. Jude + Maxine Marchese + Fred Clarke
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# OF INTEREST



**You Can Help Your Marriage** – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue...or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage.

For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on March 8-10, 2024, call (720) 257-9106 or email: [retrouvaille.co@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvaille.co@gmail.com) or visit the website at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com).



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Hospice is a comprehensive philosophy of care for someone facing a life-limiting illness with an estimated prognosis of six months or less. When a cure is no longer an option, the focus shifts to symptom management, comfort, and quality of life. Hospice is not about dying, but rather living well. Learn more at **[EmmausCatholicHospice.org](http://EmmausCatholicHospice.org)** or by calling 303.322.1413.



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- Instant Oatmeal
- Fruit Cups
- Men's winter coats
- Heavy gloves

### Tasks & Duties of Volunteers

- Make food to serve in our Café
- Help serve our clients, sit with them, listen to them and offer prayer
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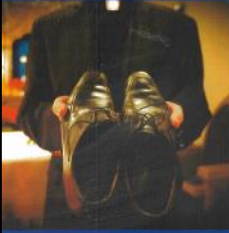
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**May you rest in peace.**



**who will fill my shoes?**



**Serra Prayer for Vocations**  
 O God, who wills not the death of a sinner, but rather that he be converted and live, grant we beseech You, through the intercession of Blessed Mary ever Virgin, St. Joseph, her spouse, St. Junipero Serra and all the saints, an increase in laborers for your Church, fellow laborers with Christ, to spend and consume themselves for souls through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Serra Club of Southwest Denver  
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**Focolare Word of Life March 2024**  
 "Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."  
 Ps. 51:10



**In memory of**  
**Paul Bonnstetter**  
**May Paul rest in peace.**

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**St. Jude Council 16052**

Our Youth groups are selling a 50% off coupon for 1 large pizza at Old Chicago Restaurants for **\$15 each**. This deal is for Monday – Thursday (dine in only) and these cards do not expire. To purchase Pizza Palz, please stop by the Parish office. The money goes towards expenses for youth retreats and missions for the teens and chaperones who attend these events.

