

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time July 28, 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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Then Jesus took the loaves,
and when he had given thanks,
he distributed them to those
who were seated; so also the fish,
as much as they wanted.



John 6:11, 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.



ST. JOHN VIANNEY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY LAY DIVISION

2-YR Catechetical School

Only six more weeks until Catechetical School begins on Monday evenings at 6:30pm! How long has it been since you've studied the beauty and depth of the Catechism? Since Confirmation? It's time to go deeper!

Join us for any one of three free information sessions on 8/5, 8/12, or 8/26 at 6:30pm in the Community Center LL to hear a sample lecture. **Classes begin on Monday, September 9th.** Visit sjvlaydivision.org or call 303.715.3195 to learn more and to register.



JULY 28

2 KINGS 4: 42-44 | EPH 4: 1-6 | JN 6: 1-15

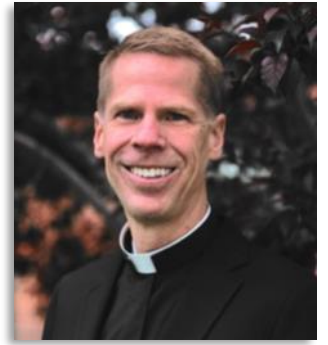
Are you giving everything?

In his plan, God chose to "need" our five loaves. Have we given everything? Sometimes we have been generous and have given three or four loaves. But the real miracle comes when we keep nothing and give everything.

JOHN 6 | PREACHING SERIES

Pastor's Blog

John 6



If anyone asks you why you believe that the Eucharist is really the body and blood of Jesus you can simply respond, "Because I believe in the bible." In chapter six of John's gospel Jesus says, "For my flesh is food indeed, and my blood is drink indeed. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him." (55-56 RSV)

I have the gift of leading the preaching series on John 6 today. For the next six weeks, each Sunday homily will focus upon this important chapter of John's gospel. This series has been promulgated by Archbishop Aquila and you will hear similar homilies at every parish in the Archdiocese of Denver until the series ends on August 25th. We need to continue to convert our souls, our parishes and our world to Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist. As Pope Francis said to the National Eucharistic Congress Committee on June 19, 2023, "Sadly, nowadays, there are those among the Catholic faithful who believe that the Eucharist is more a symbol than the reality of the Lord's presence and love." Flannery O'Connor once famously said of the Eucharist, "Well, if it's just a symbol, to hell with it!" What we receive at Sunday Mass is more than a symbol. We are assured by the words of our Lord Jesus Christ Himself that the Eucharist is really and truly His body and blood. May the Lord soften our souls to receive Jesus with love and devotion!

- Fr. Thuerlauf

Pray the Rosary!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADORE

Mondays
4pm-7pm

First Fridays
8:30am-4pm



St Jude Special Education Program

Religious Special Education is designed to help the developmentally disabled learn about Jesus. We work with the

students to celebrate their Sacraments and learn about Christian living in today's world. The class is designed to meet the needs of each student individually. We try to keep a 1:1 or 1:2 teacher/student ratio. Material for each student is based on what the student will be learning and their level of understanding. Our students that have already received all their sacraments, go over the Sunday Gospels (they read the gospel for the upcoming Sunday), while others choose to study the saints, the Rosary, Mary, and other topics of our faith.

Each Tuesday, we start with large group prayer where we each share prayer intentions, then we pray the Our Father, Hail Mary and the Glory Be. After prayer, we break up into individual classes or small groups to go over the lesson for the day. We celebrate Mass monthly with Fr. Roland Freeman during our class time. **Classes meet on Tuesday nights from 6:30pm to 7:30pm starting August 27th**, in the lower level of the Community Center. For more information, please contact Diane Schreiber at 303-980-5504.

Stewardship

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

Weekly Offertory Contributions

July 20/21 Collection \$11,885.78

Online Contributions \$13,909.67

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EVENTS/REMINDERS



Come Journey With Us!

Interested in joining the church? Join RCIA!

Whether you were born into the Catholic faith and are looking to deepen your faith, or inquiring about becoming Catholic, please join us as we explore, rediscover, connect, and share our Catholic faith. Each week a new topic is offered to enrich your faith journey. Separate classes are available for both adults and children.

Contact Sharon Hensley at 303-988-6435 or shensley@saintjudelakewood.org to register.



Today is the last day to order your peaches from the Knights of Columbus!

Use the QR code to order online!



Pickup at Youth Center
August 10th 1pm-6:30pm
& August 11th 7am-1pm



Saturday, August 17th Annual Catholic Daughters Day Retreat

Catholic Daughters Court Sts. Peter & Paul #2669 invites all women of the parish to their annual retreat at St. Joseph Parish in Golden. This year's guest speaker is our own Fr. Jason Thuerauf and the topic is "The Prodigal Son and the three theological virtues Faith, Hope and Charity". This all-day retreat will include a continental breakfast, lunch, prayer, speakers, Adoration and small group discussions. The cost for is \$60. Please contact Mary Tappe at madmarytappe@yahoo.com or call 303-880-2794 to register.

Knights of Columbus
Burrito Sales!
Next Weekend
Aug 6th & 7th
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.

HIGHLIGHTED MINISTRIES



Raphael Book Club

Come join us for a good book, discussion, and friendship. We meet every Thursday afternoon from 1:00-2:30 pm in the Fireplace room (for the summer). Contact Margie at 303-358-2752 for more information.

Light of God Prayer Community

We meet every Thursday at 10:00 to 11:30 am in the Community Center fireplace room (during the summer), focusing on Jesus Christ through prayer, song, & scripture through the Holy Spirit and His gifts. Come join us. For more information please call Marion Budz @ 303-973-2613.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



STAY CONNECTED

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.

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 or call the Parish Office at 303-988-6435.

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

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

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 September 28th 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 10-month preparation period is required. Please call the office at 303-988-6435 and talk to Sharon Hensley.

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, call the emergency line at 303-336-0582.)

Funeral Arrangements: Call the office 303-988-6435 and ask for Sharon Hensley.



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 contact Heather Russ at 303-746-6624 or email haruss@aol.com



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 Sept. 22nd.**



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 and register! *Don't forget to sign up on Flocknote!!*



Scripture Readings July 29th through August 4th

Monday: Jer 13:1-11(401)/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday: Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12
Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Pray for the sick parishioners of our parish

(Names will remain for one month)

Gary Landry, Laura Landry, Paula Landry, Patricia O'Donnell, Richard Godinez, Emillio Alderate, Richard Mosier, Dennis Kotecki, Michael Klem, Cameron Cooper, Art Borden, Katie Liedtke, Dana Mullins, Douglas Sawyer, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Sharon Hageman, Judy Ress, Delores Feth, Alen Advic family, Pavlovic family, Carol Kack, Dave Dalman, Doug Dalman, Janice Westfall, Bernard Moore, Felix Medina, Shirley Langfield, Mur Hiltenbrand, Deacon Mike Bunch, Gene & Lucille Beaudrie, Clayton DeYapp, Ray & Bebe Lawlor, Carol Heinly, Ruth Pautz, Stephen Roberge, Alice Roberge, Sherry Droblich, Theresa Taylor, Toni Mineo, Vicki Jacobson

Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish

+ Janice Silva, +Jacob Brooks

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 29	Tuesday 30	Wednesday 31	Thursday 1	Friday 2	Saturday 3	Sunday 4
8 am Mass - Anedo 8:30 am Rosary 4 pm to 7 pm Adoration 6 pm KC Silver Rose Ceremony 7:30 pm HS Youth Ministry	8 am Mass - Schaffer 8:30 am Rosary	8 am Mass - Thuerlauf 8:30 am Rosary 6 pm MS Youth Ministry 6pm Choir Practice for 9AM Mass	8 am Mass - Reycraft 8:30 am Rosary 10 am Light of God Prayer group 1 pm Rafael Book Club 7 pm Joyful Heart Choir practice	8 am Mass - Thuerlauf 8:30 am Rosary 8:30 am First Friday Adoration 3 pm Divine Mercy	3:30 pm Reconciliation 5:00 pm Vigil Mass - Thuerlauf KC Burrito Sales after Mass	KC Burrito Sales after all Masses 7 am Mass - Thuerlauf 9 am Mass - Thuerlauf 11 am Mass - Thuerlauf (CH) 2:30 pm RE Family Activity

Mass Intentions

Living & deceased members of the Gillcrist family	+ Arlene Magee	+ Patty Hamer	+ Norma Padrigone	+ Paul Bonnstetter	+ Steven Quintana	+ Warren Zimmerman For the parishioners of St. Jude + Fred Clarke
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St. Anthony of Padua
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Pray for us!



Focolare Word of Life
July 2024
 "The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want." Psalm 23:1

 **In memory of**
Rita Jo Van Driel
May she rest in peace.

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.



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St. Jude Council 16052

who will fill my shoes?

Serran 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
 Join us for breakfast on the 1st & 3rd Friday, 7:30 am, St. Agnes Center, Holy Name Parish, 3290 W. Milan Ave, Sheridan 80110

 **In memory of**
Alice Thompson
May she rest in peace.



In memory of
Angie Sether
May you rest in peace.

