

# Easter Sunday

# April 20, 2025



# SAINT JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH

## **Pastor:**

Rev. Jason Thuerauf

## **Deacons:**

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Deacon Joe Hensley  
Deacon John Volk

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## **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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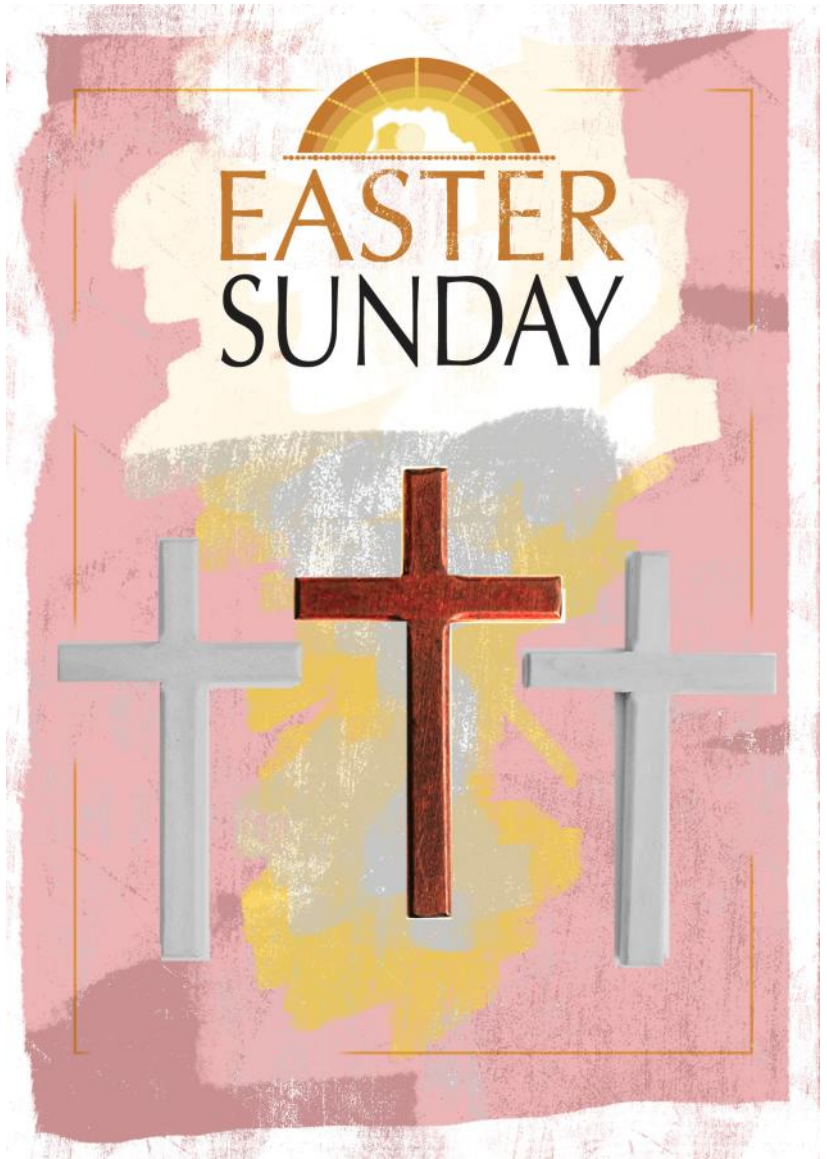
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## **Mission Statement**

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.

## Welcome to St. Jude Catholic Church

Thank you for joining us this weekend for Easter Services. If you are a visitor, we want to thank you for joining us on the most Holy Day of the year. If you are searching for a church to call your own—Welcome Home! If you would like to know more about joining the Catholic Church, give us a call at the parish office & share a cup of coffee with a staff member, 303-988-6435.



## Welcome New Members

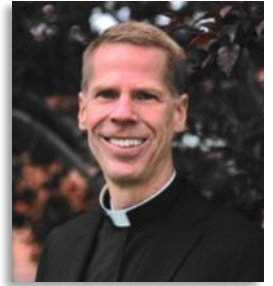
We welcomed our newly baptized catechumens and candidates into the church at the Easter Vigil. We welcome them to the Catholic faith!

Taylor Brooke Belcher	Brendan M. Feagans
John King Gemberling	Melissa Belle Rosenlund
Lance King Gemberling	Isabella Proctor
Janet Sue Gemberling	Bozena Gonzalez
Kadiya Gonzalez	Maxamillion Martinez
Brody Soto	Bronson Soto
Pablo Soto	Ivan Prieto-Perez

## Confirmation Mass Next Sunday, April 27th!

Next Sunday we will celebrate with our students and adults who have been preparing all year to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion. **Mass begins at 3pm.**

## Pastor's Blog



### Easter Sunday

This Sunday, we relive the resurrection of Christ - the foundation of our faith, the cause of our hope, the source of our joy. All of Lent, we have been preparing for this day in quiet meditation, with almsgiving, and with acts of self-denial. During this past week, we have been hit with a tidal wave of emotion: Jubilation as we greeted Our Lord with cries of Hosanna; the extravagant love of Mary as she anointed Jesus' feet with perfumed oil and wiped them with her hair; the jealousy of the Jewish leaders; the treachery of Judas; the intimacy of the Last Supper; Christ's agony in the Garden of Gethsemane; the contempt of the soldiers; the cowardice of Peter; the rage of the crowd shouting "crucify him!"; the tender affection of Veronica as she wiped his face; the heartbreak of our Blessed Mother as she endured the suffering and death of her son.

Today, we experience a new emotion – joy. We listen incredulously with the women to the message of the angel, "Why do you seek the living among the dead?". We embrace Jesus with Mary Magdalene as he calls her (and us) by name. We race with Peter and John to see the empty tomb.

Today we pray with St. Paul, "I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection." The power of the resurrection – forgives our failings, heals our wounds, transforms our weakness into virtue, strengthens our love, turns sinners into saints.

- Fr. Thuerauf

## Pray The Rosary!

# 2025 ST. JUDE SURVEY

## 2025 St. Jude Parish Survey Is Now Active!

**We want to know how we're doing in  
our mission to God's people!**



### Prayer Life

Our Catholic community is formed in faith in Jesus Christ



### Sacraments

We grow in our faith through the celebration of the Sacraments



### Stewardship

Use of our resources shows our gratitude to God for His blessings



### Service to Others

We are dedicated to love and care for all of God's people in their needs

**Paper copies and online surveys are  
available for you to give us your thoughts.**

The survey will take under 10 minutes to complete. One survey per person please! We encourage everyone to participate so we can get a wide range of answers and opinions. Use the QR code or click on the Flocknote link you received over the weekend! You can also take the survey on your computer by typing in

<https://bit.ly/SaintJudeSurvey>



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# EVENTS/REMINDERS

## Knights of Columbus Council 16052



Family Breakfast this  
Sunday, April 27th after all  
the Masses

Please come and have breakfast with your fellow  
parishioners after all the Masses.

*The cost is \$8 per person  
& children under 18 eat free.*

Proceeds from the breakfast  
will benefit the Capuchin  
Community.



## Clothing Drive



## Spring Clothing Drive Returns!

The Christian Service Committee is holding a Spring  
Clothing Drive for The Action Center on **May 3rd and  
4th**. If you are ready to let go of gently used spring  
and summer weather clothing, bring them to the  
church to share with others in need. Place your items  
in the panel truck that will be parked in front of the  
church.



## Divine Mercy Chaplet

Come join us and pray the  
**Divine Mercy Chaplet** on  
Fridays at 3:00 pm in the  
Church.

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Fr. Thuerauf



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# HIGHLIGHTED MINISTRIES

## Light of God Prayer Community

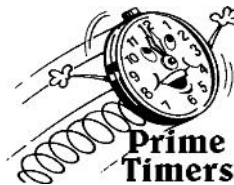
We meet every Thursday at 10:00 to 11:30 am in  
the Community Center Fireplace Room, focusing  
on Jesus Christ through prayer, song, & scripture  
through the Holy Spirit and His gifts. Come join  
us. For more information please call Marion @  
303-973-2613.



## Fellowship of Light

We meet September through May in the  
St Benedict room every Wednesday, from  
9:00 am -11:00 am. **Our next meeting is  
April 23rd. All are welcome.** Questions? Call Maria  
La Breche at 303-986-2017.

## Prime Timers



Our last meeting of the year will be  
on **Friday, May 16, 2025**. It will be  
a catered luncheon and you have  
to purchase a ticket for \$13.00 by

## Prayer Shawl and Lap Robe Makers Needed

What are prayer shawls and lap  
robes? They are wraps made with prayers  
and love. They are for anyone who is sick  
or experiencing a life changing  
event. These wraps often bring comfort  
and peace at a time when someone is feeling alone. They  
can be knitted, crocheted, or made with fabric. For more  
information on this caring ministry, please call Gloria at  
303/986-4311 or Doris at 303/763-7699.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Stewardship

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

### Weekly Offertory Contributions

April 12/13 Collection \$17,617.76

THANK YOU for all your generous contributions!

**Electronic Offertory Giving** If you have not had the chance to enroll with Faith Direct, check it out today with our QR Code. It's easy to sign up & secure!

You can also visit [faith.direct/CO846](http://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.



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## ST. JUDE SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP

- Open to ALL seniors who are registered parishioners at St. Jude Catholic Church.
- Applications are due Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm in the main office.
- Pick-up applications in the gathering space or in the main office.
- Applicants may be planning to attend a college, university, or trade school.



**Special Collections** St. Jude will continue our tithing as a Stewardship Parish and recognize the Catholic Home Missions on April 26/27. We will tithe 10% of our weekend offertory toward this collection. This support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Find more information at [www.usccb.org/home-missions](http://www.usccb.org/home-missions).

## Vacation Bible School

July 14 - 18, 2025



## CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS BENEFIT DRIVE FOR MARISOL HOMES

Drop off items to St. Jude Church  
May 10th & 11th in the Gathering Space

Marisol Homes, located in Lakewood, is a Catholic Charities agency which provides pregnant women and women with children with safe shelter, healthy food and community support. Some of the items on their wish list are baby monitors, new crib and twin sheet sets, new hooded baby towels, personal care items for babies such as pacifiers, soap, lotion, wipes, diaper bags, play mats, soft story books, baby bibs, and Walmart gift cards for \$5 to \$25.

# STAY CONNECTED

**911 Outreach Assistance** for members of our parish 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.

## Update Family Parish Data

Do you have a change in your family, 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) 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](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 May 24th 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. Our next meeting is **May 3rd at 9:30 am** in the Community Center lower level. For information contact Sharon Hensley at 303-988-6435.



## 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, contact Jason McCracken, 970-290-3514 or [mccrackenj@comcast.net](mailto:mccrackenj@comcast.net)

## 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 June 29th.**



# 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 April 21st through April 27th

**Monday:** Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15  
**Tuesday:** Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18  
**Wednesday:** Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35  
**Thursday:** Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48  
**Friday:** Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14  
**Saturday:** Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15  
**Sunday:** Acts 5:12-16/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31

## Pray for the sick parishioners of our parish (Names will remain for one month)

Bernie Zeromski, Laura Archuleta, Daniel Keller, Deacon Mike Bunch, Gene & Lucille Beaudrie, Jerry & Sharon Hageman, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Dana Mullins, Douglas Sawyer, Katie Liedtke, Stephen Roberge, Alice Roberge, Sherri Droblich, Vicki Jacobson, Dennis Kotecki, Jean Kotecki, Cameron Cooper, Michael Klem, Catherine Cannon, Suanne Snyder, Sara Hein, Elizabeth Jean Boyd, Matt Schallmoser, Gary Landry, Patricia O'Donnell, Richard Landry, Clayton DeYapp, Erik Castro, Alarick Castro, Don Carlson, Frank Montano, Elizabeth Walker, Laura Heilbert, Chris Moffit, Pat Jurann, Sr. Maxmalina, Pete McKinney, Stephanie Colborg

## Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish

+ Jovanny Rivera

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

Monday 21	Tuesday 22	Wednesday 23	Thursday 24	Friday 25	Saturday 26	Sunday 27
<b>Parish Offices Closed</b>  8 am Mass - Anedo 8:30 am Rosary  No Adoration	8 am Mass - Schaffer 8:30 am Rosary  6:30 pm Special Ed class	8 am Mass - Nnamezie 8:30 am Rosary  9 am Fellowship of Light  6:15 pm RE classes  6:30 pm MS Youth Ministry	8 am Mass - Thuerauf 8:30 am Rosary  10 am Light of God Prayer group  1pm Raphael Book Club  7pm Joyful Heart Choir Rehearsal  7pm RCIA	8 am Mass - Nnamezie 8:30 am Rosary  3 pm Divine Mercy	3:30 pm Reconciliation  5 pm Mass - Thuerauf (JH)	7 am Mass - Thuerauf  9 am Mass - Thuerauf  11 am Mass - Thuerauf (CH)  12:15 pm HS Youth Ministry  3 pm Confirmation Mass  4 pm Confirmation Reception

## Mass Intentions

+ Edna Pakiser	+ Eleanor Zahn	+ Larry Mabrito	+ Michael & + Rita McDaniel	+ Florence Bellegante	+ Bennie & + Genoveva Maestas	For St. Jude Parishioners  + Felix Medina  The Intentions of Lauren Utz
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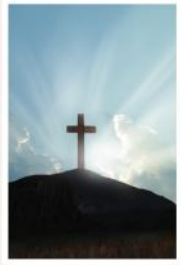
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 Margaret Tallman**  
*"May she rest in peace."*


**Focolare  
 Word of Life  
 April 2025**

"I am about to do a new thing;  
 now it springs forth, do you  
 not perceive it?" Is 43:19

**In memory of  
 Genevieve Pino-Heline**  
*"May she rest in peace."*



**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,  
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