

Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul

June 29, 2025



Pastor:

Rev. Jason Thuerlauf

Deacons:

Deacon Mike Bunch

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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SAINT JUDE

CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Their **VOICE**
goes out through
all the earth,
and their **WORDS** to the
end of the world.*



Psalm 19:4

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.

**To all the appreciated parishioners of St. Jude Catholic Church and my brothers and sisters in Christ from
Deacon Mike Bunch**

For the past 21 years it has been my privilege and honor to serve the Archbishop, St. Jude Catholic Church, and most importantly, you the parishioners of St. Jude.

Most of you are probably not aware but I have been dealing with a cancer diagnosis since 2007. Until March of 2024 I was able to fulfill all my duties as a Deacon and as an employee of Saint Jude. Unfortunately, in 2024 my treatments and the disease started to take a toll on my life. From 2024 until April of 2025, it was my desire and my prayer that I would be able to return and fulfill my duties here at St. Jude, but it finally became apparent that my mind was making appointments that my body could not keep.

So, through lots of prayer and discernment I decided to let Jesus the Divine Physician and my doctors take care of me and realized I needed to retire from my duties at St. Jude. Even though I am retiring, I am still a Deacon. God willing and the creek doesn't rise, I am not going to ride off into the sunset and disappear. I hope to meet with you at Masses on Sunday, at parish activities, and if possible, continue working with my brother deacons.

If any of you wish to talk to me or visit, please contact the office and they can get me in contact with you. I also want to remind you as parishioners you are the body of the parish and without you St. Jude would cease to exist.

As a deacon, I have always remembered the words attributed to St Francis of Assisi (although there is no evidence he said it), "Preach the Gospel always and if necessary, use words". So, my challenge to our blessed Pastor who acts in *Persona Christi*, the person of Christ the Head, my brother deacons who serve the people of God, and you my brothers and sisters, is to "Preach the Gospel always and when necessary, use words", because you may be the only Gospel that person ever hears.

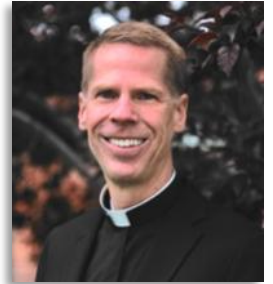
God bless you,
Deacon Mike



**Office will be closed
Friday, July 4th
in observance of
Independence Day**

**Daily Mass on July 4th will
be at 8:00 am.**

Pastor's Blog



The Shepherd and the Missionary

Mary's Fiat was the most important "yes" ever spoken in human history. But for the Messiah to establish the Kingdom of God on earth, other "Fiats" were needed. God's plan required the cooperation of key saints like John the Baptist, Joseph, and the Evangelists to name a few. This weekend we celebrate two such figures - Saints Peter and Paul.

To Peter, Jesus entrusted the keys to the Kingdom. He said, "You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church." Peter's mission was to be the shepherd of Jesus' flock. Following Jesus' command to "Feed my sheep," Peter would lead the church in its infancy.

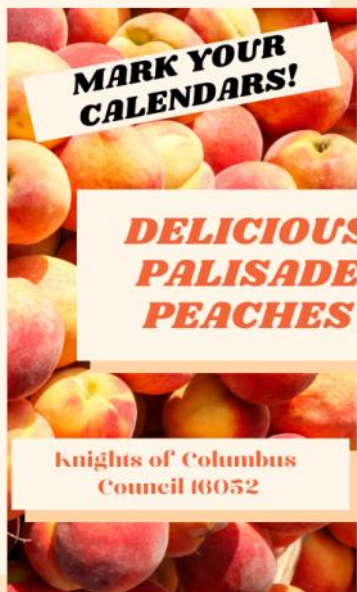
Paul's mission was to expand the church by spreading the Gospel to distant lands. He described his mandate with these words: "God set me apart and called me through his grace. He revealed his Son to me, so that I might proclaim him to the Gentiles." (Gal 1:15-16)

Both men were unlikely candidates for the job. Peter was a head-strong fisherman; Paul was a zealous Pharisee. But God's grace supplied each with what they needed to accomplish His purpose. Ultimately, they gave their lives for the Kingdom.

Like Saints Peter and Paul, you and I each have a unique mission to accomplish for the Kingdom. Each of us has certain God-given gifts. God offers each of us sufficient grace to hear his call and carry out his will. All he wants is our "yes."

- Fr. Thuerauf

EVENTS/REMINDERS



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Online ordering for
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weekend!

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Pickup at Youth Center
August 9th 1pm-6:30pm
& August 10th 7am-1pm

**Knights of Columbus
Council 16052**

**Family Breakfast
Today, June 29th,
after all the Masses**



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

*No cost to you in appreciation
of the support you give us.*



**We will be celebrating Deacon
Mike's retirement after the 11
am Mass at breakfast.**

**JULY 14 - 18
9AM - NOON
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SCHOOL!**

**REGISTRATION CONTINUES
THROUGH JUNE**

**Adult & Teen Volunteers Needed
Call Mary at the Parish Office**



School Supply
DRIVE

The Catholic Daughters Court Madonna of
the Mountains will be hosting their annual
school supply drive **July 5th and 6th** after
all the Masses for the Jeffco Action Center.
Please refer to the signs in the gathering
space for a list of items needed.

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 @

ADORE

Mondays
4pm-7pm



First Fridays
8:30am-4pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stewardship

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

Weekly Offertory Contributions

June 21/22 Collection \$9,816.46

Online Contributions \$15,580.67

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.

To sign up for recurring donations scan our QR Code or visit faith.direct/CO846.

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



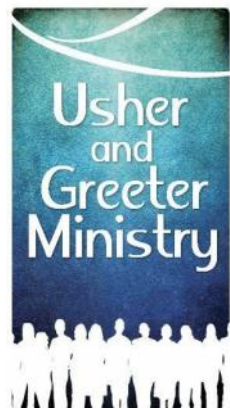
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PETER'S PENCE



Special Collection St. Jude will continue our tithe as a Stewardship Parish and donate 10% of our weekend offertory toward this collection.

Peter's Pence on June 28 & 29. This supports the charitable works of the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margin of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.



Are you interested in helping at Mass?

We are looking for Ushers and Greeters to help during the 9 AM & 11 AM Sunday Masses.

For more information please contact Debby at dreiling06@yahoo.com



ST. JUDE PICNIC

SUNDAY, SEPT 7TH
Starting at 12 noon

Save the Date!

Come Enjoy...
QUEEN CITY JAZZ BAND ice cream
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& MORE!



Knights of Columbus Burrito Sales!

Next Weekend
July 5th & 6th
after all Masses



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Pray the Rosary!

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St. Jude Safe Environment Class

An Archdiocese of Denver training for all who want to volunteer with and around minors.



**Monday, July 7
6:00pm - 9:00pm
St. Jude Youth Center**

Register at

[https://archden.org/protection/
safe-environment-classes/](https://archden.org/protection/safe-environment-classes/)

or

Call the Parish Office.



Catholic Daughters
Court Sts. Peter & Paul
Court Madonna of the Mountains

**ANNUAL
RETREAT**

Jubilee of Hope

23 AUG 2025 | 8:30A - 5:00P
KEYNOTE SPEAKER: FR. JASON THUERAUF
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST & LUNCH INCLUDED

St. Jude Church



9405 W Florida Ave,
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\$40 for CDA members
\$60 for non-members
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MORE

Information & Registration



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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 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 July 26th 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 **Sept 6th 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 mccrackenjm@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 August 31st.**



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 June 30th through July 6th

Monday: Gn 18:16-33/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Mt 8:28-34
Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29
Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Mt 9:14-17
Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

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


Deacon Mike Bunch, Gene & Lucille Beaudrie, Jerry & Sharon Hageman, Bridget Fitzpatrick, Dana Mullins, Douglas Sawyer, Katie Liedtke, Elizabeth Walker, Rosemary Jernigan, Tom & Dot Malone, Mary Perez, Margaret Casias, Juanita Augustine, Patricia Roberge, Stephen Roberge, Alice Roberge, Sherri Drobnich, Vicki Jacobson, Dennis Kotecki, Jean Kotecki, Cameron Cooper, Michael Klem, Catherine Cannon, Richard Godinez, Patricia O'Donnell, Agnes Visnyei, Logan Graybill, Sharon Willis

Pray for the deceased parishioners of our parish + Marty Godek

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 30	Tuesday 1	Wednesday 2	Thursday 3	Friday 4	Saturday 5	Sunday 6
8 am Mass - Anedo 8:30 am Rosary 4 pm Adoration	8 am Mass - Schaffer 8:30 am Rosary	8 am Mass - Nnamezie 8:30 am Rosary 6:45 pm 9 AM Mass Choir Practice	8 am Mass - Reycraft 8:30 am Rosary 10 am Light of God Prayer group 7pm Joyful Heart Choir Rehearsal	Parish Office Closed July 4th 8 am Mass - Nnamezie 8:30 am Rosary No Adoration No Divine Mercy 	3:30 pm Reconciliation 5 pm Mass - Thuerlauf Catholic Daughter School Supply Drive KC Burrito Sale	Catholic Daughter School Supply Dive KC Burrito Sale 7 am Mass - Thuerlauf 9 am Mass - Thuerlauf 11 am Mass - Thuerlauf (CH)

Mass Intentions

+ Deacon Michael Grafner	+ Alexander Brankin	+ Florence Bellagante	+ Roger Lascille	+ Norine Klimaszewski	+ Janice Westfall	+ Teresa Alcula, The Intentions of Ken & Linda McGregor For St. Jude Parishioners + Ed Kruppa
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In memory of
Rosalyn Angela Ciacco
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Focolare Word of Life
 June 2025
 "You give them something to eat."
 Luke 9:13




In Memory of
Alice Thompson



In memory of
Margaret Tallman
"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, Sheridan 80110

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