

St. Jude Thaddeus & St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Two Churches-One Parish

February 19, 2023 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



| St. Jude Thaddeus |

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PROGRAMS & PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Religious Education Rachel Bradley 850-968-6189 Knights of Columbus Joey Boehm 484-554-6171 Ladies Altar Society Martha Gugino 850-503-2774 Parish Youth Group Mary Holley-Lewis 850-346-2797

New to the Parish?

New family registration forms are available in the back of the church or you may request one from the parish office.

Parish Office Hours
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Email: office@stjude.ptdiocese.org

MASS SCHEDULE

St. Jude

Saturday 4:00 pm Vigil Mass (Confession heard

one half hour before Mass or by appt.)

Sunday 10:30 am Mass (Confession heard one

half hour before Mass or by appt.)

Tuesday 8:30 am Mass

Wednesday, February 22nd: 6:00 pm Mass

Friday, February 24th: 5:30 pm Mass with Stations of the Cross

St. Elizabeth

Sunday 8:30 am Mass (Confession heard one

half hour before Mass or by appt.)

Wednesday, February 22nd: 8:30 am Mass

SACRAMENTS & SERVICES

Baptisms: Parents must be registered, active members of St. Jude Thaddeus or St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish. Pre-baptismal class attendance required. Contact the parish office to schedule.

Weddings: Call the parish office to schedule first meeting with the Pastor at least 6 months in advance.

Funerals: Contact the parish office for priest availability and funeral arrangements. Call the priests direct if the parish office is closed.

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse victims and has established Victim Assistance Coordinators, who are experienced and trained counselors, available to help anyone who has been sexually abused by a priest, deacon or other church personnel in Northwest Florida. Our coordinator for our area is Dr. Louis Makarowski (850-477-7181).



SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Lord is kind and merciful. Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 (8a)

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<u> "FEBRUARY: THE MONTH OF REMEMBERING THE SICK"</u>



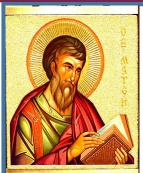
Mass Intentions

<u>St Jude Saturday</u>: In Memory of John and Evelyn Navelski requested by John and Linda Navelski

<u>St Elizabeth: Sunday</u>: In Memory of Paula and Herman Goetter requested by Linda Collie

St Jude: Sunday: In Memory of Gerri Silva requested by Joan Czarniak and Family

<u>St Jude: Tuesday: Feb. 21:</u> In Memory of Michael DeGraaf requested by Carol Larson-DeGraaf



"So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect." Talk about setting the bar high!

This verse at the end of today's Gospel passage from Matthew sets the tone for all of the readings this week.

The stewardship way of life, giving away the best of our time, talents and treasure to God for His glory and for the sake of others, is the path to holiness. Yet, it appears utterly foolish in the eyes of many.

Our Lord gives us several illustrations today of this "foolish" concept: "When someone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other one as well. If anyone wants to go to law with you over your tunic, hand over your cloak as well... love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you." This is the kind of action and attitude that will make us "children of our heavenly Father." This is the high bar of holiness to which our Lord is calling us.

If your lifestyle and your priorities look a little foolish to the world around you, know that you're probably doing it right in God's eyes. At the same time, you will be filled with a peace that the world around you desperately needs. And your stewardship way of life may just draw those around to the heavenly Father and a life of holiness, too.

So, with God's grace, we can confidently press on in the stewardship way of life, aiming to be perfect as our heavenly Father is perfect. Our all-holy God desires it and deserves nothing less.

2023 CSA COMMITMENT

Dear Parishioners,

Our CSA Goals for this year are:

St. Jude: \$8,956.76 St. Elizabeth: \$1,056.44

Thank you for your continued stewardship and generosity!

Offertory Report 02-12-2023

The Offertory Report now includes the Vanco totals

Offertory Contin. Capital Bldg Other Campaign Fund

St Jude \$1889.15 \$ 20.00 \$1560.00 \$3911.54

St Elizabeth \$1000.00 \$ 10.00 \$400.00

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday—St Jude: 8:30 AM Mass

Wednesday—St Elizabeth: 8:30 AM Ash Wed Mass
Wednesday—St Jude: 6:00 PM Ash Wednesday Mass
Friday—St Jude: 5:30 PM Mass followed by Stations of

the Cross

Saturday—St Jude: 4:00 PM Mass Sunday—St Elizabeth: 8:30 AM Mass Sunday—St Jude: 10:30 AM Mass

Holy Rosary on Zoom Every Wednesday evening at 7:00 all are invited to pray the Holy Rosary with parishioners, friends and family around the world. Just send them the address and invite them

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2942181244? pwd=d3hSUnlXY1JITzlZTm4TjJNYWp3QT09

Meeting ID: 294 218 1244 Password: <u>063391</u>

THIS WEEK'S ONLINE MASS FOR THOSE WITH SPECIFIC DISPENSATION

- ⇒ Tuesday, February 21, 8:30 AM MASS
- ⇒ Wednesday, Feb. 22, 6:00 PM ASH WED. MASS
 - ⇒ Friday, February 24, 5:30 PM MASS
 - ⇒ Saturday, February 25, 4:00 PM MASS
 - ⇒ Sunday, February 26, 10:30 AM MASS Online Masses will be held on ZOOM.

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It is with great sadness that we mourn the loss of Edward Moore, parishioner of St. Jude and husband of Lillian Moore. Ed passed away on February 14, 2023. Please pray for the repose of his

soul and keep Lillian and all his family in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

PARISH NEWS MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

Prayer for the Sick

Heavenly Father, we lift up all those who are facing various illnesses. Give them the hope and courage they need today and every day. Comfort their pain, calm their fears, and surround them with Your peace.

May the example of Christ guide us in showing compassion for the sick, the suffering and infirm. Help us to understand those we come to serve and reach out in love to them. Bless our Care Givers with patience, mercy and compassion. Inspire them with insight to minister to all people with loving kindness.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen



ST JUPE'S LAPIES SOCIETY

The St. Jude Ladies Society is now taking contributions for Easter Lilies for the Altar, and food baskets for the poor.

Envelopes are available in the pews; checks should be made payable to St. Jude Ladies Society. Envelopes can be placed in the collection basket or given to Flo Maxwell no later than April 2, 2023.

If you have any questions, contact Flo at 850 937-1090 or email Flomax@panhandle.rr.com.

FAITH

Our commitment to charitable service is just one of the many ways we express our Catholic faith. We're here to build a bridge back to what matters, for our members and fellow Catholics.

If you're interested in helping build that bridge, check us out at KofC.org. Knights of Columbus Santa Maria Council 7402

EVANGELIZATION PROGRAM

This years Evangelization Program came out of last year's Lenten Retreat. Each month we will honor a ministry in our parish. February is Caring for The Sick. Thanks to Cam & Shawn Engel for making this banner.

There will be a Blessing of Caregivers next weekend at Mass (Feb 25/26). This is for any caregiver whether at home or in the hospital.





include Ash Wednesday and Good Friday (one full meatless meal is permitted), and meatless Fridays during Lent (fish and shellfish are permitted).

The Three Pillars

of Lent are prayer, fasting and almsgiving. In addition to fasting, many also choose to abstain from other comforts during Lent.

Holy Week

begins with Palm Sunday, April 2, a celebration of Christ's triumphant return to Jerusalem.

Easter Triduum

begins with Holy Thursday, April 6, at Sunset, signaling the end of the Lenten season.

- St. Jude Altar Flowers this week are donated by The Charles Boes Family in Memory of Alvern, Sr., Donna Alvern, Jr., Sharon Boes, Wilda and Jeff Taylor
- St Elizabeth Flowers this week are donated by Linda Collie in Memory of Sandra Frost
- 3. Until our regular offertory envelopes arrive, please use the blank envelopes located at the back of the church. Please write your name and envelope number on the envelope.
- 4. The Caring Coach will be at St. Jude's on February 23rd at 1:00 pm.
- **5.** Please see the back of the bulletin for information about purchasing a yearly ad
- Next weekend 2nd collection is for the Black and Indian Missions.



Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday is February 22 and is a day of Fasting and Abstinence. While it

is not a holy day of obligation, it is a great way to start the Lenten Season. **Mass times will be:**

8:30 am St. Elizabeth 6:00 pm St. Jude

Every Friday during Lent, beginning on February 24th, Mass will be at 5:30 pm, followed by Stations of the Cross at St. Jude. There will be no morning Mass on the Friday's during Lent.

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We are selling a 22 karat gold belt buckle (that was donated to the Church) for \$100.00. Please call or email the Parish Office if interested.

THIS DONATION WILL GO TOWARD THE BUILDING FUND



