

St. Jude Thaddeus & St. Elizabeth of Hungary

~Two Churches-One Parish~

October 29, 2023 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Office Hours
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
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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 8:30 am Mass Friday 8:30 am Mass

St. Elizabeth

Sunday 8:30 am Mass (Confession heard one half hour before Mass or by appt.)

PROGRAMS & PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Religious Education Rachel Bradley 850-968-6189
Knights of Columbus Joe Zolciak 850-346-3000
Ladies Altar Society Lynn Sonderman 614-314-0416
Gwen Smith 240-463-8106
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.



"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.
This is the greatest and the first commandment.
The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments." —Matthew 22:37-40

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.

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THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

I love you, Lord, my strength.

Psalm 18:2-3, 3-4. 47, 51 October 29, 2023

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"OCTOBER: PRO-LIFE MONTH"



Mass Intentions

St Jude Saturday: In Memory of Rolia Terrance requested by Deacon

Mac & Gwen Smith

<u>St Elizabeth Sunday</u>: In Memory of Angelita Young requested by John &

Rose Veverka

<u>St Jude Sunday:</u> For the intentions of the Council of Catholic Women <u>St. Jude Tuesday:</u> In Memory of Angelita Young requested by John &

Rose Veverka

For successful procedures for Flo Maxwell

 $\underline{\textbf{St. Jude Friday:}} \ \, \textbf{In Memory of Angelita Young requested by John \&} \\$

Rose Veverka



Today's readings are all about love — the radical love of God for His people and the radical love we are called to live out in response. The stewardship way of life is nothing more and noth-

ing less than the practical application of loving God and neighbor in our daily lives.

Jesus sums up the message of all the prophets, as well as the purpose of all God's laws in today's Gospel passage, from Matthew. It is a message we have likely grown up hearing — but it is so beautiful and so challenging, it bears repeating again and again. It is Christ's response to a question about which commandment is greatest. His answer reveals both the greatest and the second greatest commandments.

He says, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind... The second is like it: you shall love your neighbor as yourself."

How is the second like the first? What do the two commands have in common? Love.

Love God first and love neighbor as self. This is the heart of the stewardship way of life — simple enough for a child to understand, challenging enough to be the life's work of every "grown-up."

CSA UPDATE

| | GOAL | TOTAL PLEDGE | RECEIVED |
|--------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|
| St Jude | \$8,956.76 | \$15,488.96 | \$15,383.96 |
| St Elizabeth | \$1,056.44 | \$5,244.75 | \$4,744.75 |

Offertory Report 10-22-2023

The Offertory Report now includes the Vanco totals

| | Offertory | Contin. | Capital Campaign | Bldg Fund | Other | |
|-----------|--------------|---------|---------------------|--------------|----------|--|
| St Jude | \$2714.19 | \$90.00 | \$557.38 | \$160.00 | \$313.00 | |
| St Elizab | eth \$925.00 | \$0 | \$150.00 | \$0 | \$212.00 | |

Upcoming Events

*October 28: St. Jude's Feast Day

*October 31@ 6:00 AM: Men of St. Joseph Group

*November 1: RCIA following the 6:00 PM Mass.

*November 1: All Saints Day. See Mass Schedule below.

*November 3@ 7:00 PM: First Friday Rosary at St. Elizabeth—all are welcome!

**November 17: St. Elizabeth's Feast Day. The 8:30 AM Daily Mass will be said at St. Elizabeth's.

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=d3hSUnlXY1JlTzlZTm4TjJNYWp3QT09

Meeting ID: 294 218 1244 Password: 063391

MASS SCHEDULE

- ⇒ Tuesday, October 31, 8:30 AM* also online
- ⇒ Wednesday, November 1, 8:30 AM Mass @ St. Elizabeth, 6:00 PM Mass @ St. Jude (also online)
 - ⇒ Friday, November 3, 8:30 AM* also online
 - ⇒ Saturday, November 4, 4:00 PM* also online
 - ⇒ Sunday, November 5, 8:30 AM
 - ⇒ Sunday, November 5, 10:30 AM* also online Online Masses will be held on ZOOM.

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All Saints Day, November 1st

All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation.
The Church celebrates all the saints:
canonized or beatified, and the multitude of
those who are in heaven. Mass times are as
follows:

8:30 AM: St. Elizabeth

6:00 PM: St. Jude (also online)

PARISH NEWS MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

ST JUPE'S LAPIES SOCIETY Council of Catholic Women

We would like to recognize and thank our Ladies Altar Society who are part of the Council of Catholic Women. These ladies give of their time in countless ways. They prepare and serve meals at our funeral receptions, for our Grab-n-Go's, for our Dictionary Project and they volunteer of their time in several other projects that help those in need. We are so grateful for all that they do for our parish. Thank you to all of the ladies who serve in this ministry.

Announcement:

Our next meeting is Tuesday Nov. 7th. We've enjoyed many new members and will work on activity committees. There are many options to get together with us or begin a new project. We start at 5:30 for conversation and begin the meeting at 6:00. Hope to see you after voting

Help Fill the Bag: Food Drive

Religious Education Ministry is having a food drive for Thanksgiving to give to families in need. The students will be handing out brown bags. Grab a bag & return it filled with non-perishable food items. Bags need to be returned no later than **Sunday, Nov 15th** to St. Jude's Parish Hall. Any questions please contact Rachel Bradley 850-777-7244.

Anyone that has a family in need that would appreciate a Thanksgiving dinner from the Food Drive, please contact Rachel Bradley 850-777-7244.

Remember: Religious education classes begin at 9am. Students attending Religious Education need to arrive before 9am. Parents Please help get these scholars to class on time.



Light on top of the Hill – Updates & Tidbits

St. Jude & St. Elizabeth New Community

Center Project

Watch this space for updates about our building project

.Together, Sharing our Faith, Building our Vision

St. Jude, Pray for us

St. Jude, known as Thaddeus, was a brother of St. James the Less, and a relative of Our Saviour. He was one of the 12 Apostles of Jesus. Images of St. Jude often include a flame around his head, which represent his presence at Pentecost, when he accepted the Holy Spirit alongside the other apostles. Another attribute is St. Jude holding an image of Christ, in the Image of Edessa. Sometimes he can also be seen holding a carpenter's ruler or is depicted with a scroll or book, the Epistle of Jude. Saint Jude is not the same person as Judas Iscariot, who betrayed Our Lord and despaired because of his great sin and lack of trust in God's mercy. He is an author of an epistle (letter) to the Churches of the East, particularly the Jewish converts and the Apostles Jude and Bartholomew are believed to have brought Christianity to Armenia, where Jude was rumored to have later been martyred. Roman Catholics invoke St. Jude when in desperate situations because his New Testament letter stresses that the faithful should persevere in the environment of harsh, difficult circumstances -just as their forefathers had done before them; therefore, he is the patron saint of desperate cases.

St. Jude's Feast Day is October 28th



Join us this Friday, November 3rd at 7:00 PM for our First Friday Rosary at St. Elizabeth's.

Bulletin Board

- 1. St. Jude Altar Flowers are provided by Jack and Linda Navelski in Memory of Amber Blubaugh.
- 2. St. Elizabeth Altar Flowers are provided by Janice Steele in Memory of Richard Hinsch.
- 3. If you are visiting our parish, or if you are a registered parishioner, and you would like to donate to the building fund for our new Family Life Center, please feel free to use the Building Fund envelopes in the pews. If you have made a Capital Campaign Pledge, please use the envelope in your box or a blank envelope at the back of the church. Thank you!
- 4. Please remember to take a Baby Bottle and place your donation to the Alpha Center inside. All bottles or donated baby items should be returned by **November 12**. Checks may be made out to Alpha Center. Thank you!
- 5. Thank you to all who donated jars to the Religious Education Department. We have more than enough to do our craft!
- 6. A reminder that the Caring Coach will be at St, Jude's the first Tuesday of the month from now on. They will be here **Nov 7th** at 12:30 pm.
- 7. The second collection next weekend is for the Contingency Fund.

November 2023

Month of Thanksgiving

| November 2023 | | | December 2023 | | | | | | | | | | |
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| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| Oct 29 | 30 | 31 | Nov 1 8.50am All Saints Day Mass (St. Elizabeth) 6.00pm All Saints Day Mass (St. Jude) 7:00pm RCIA after Mass (St. 7:00pm Rosary on Zoom | 2 | 3 8:30am Weekday Mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) 7:00pm First Friday Rosary (St. Elizabeth) | 4:00pm Mass (St. JudeCatholic Church) |
| 5 8.50am Mass (St. Elizabeth) 9.00am CCD (St. Jude Parish Hall) 10.50am Mass (St. Jude) 11.50am Coffee & Doughnuts (St Jude Hall) | 6 | 7 6:00am Men of St. Joseph Meeting (St. Jude Parish 8:30am Communion Service 9:15am Centering Prayer 12:30pm Catholic Charities 5:30pm St. Jude Ladies | 8 8.50am Communion Service (St. Jude Catholic Church) 6.00pm RCIA (St. Jude) 7.00pm Rosary on Zoom | 9 5:30pm Knights of Columbus Meeting | 8:30am Weekday Mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) | 11 Veterans Day 4:00pm Mass (St. JudeCatholic Church) |
| 12 Baby Bottles Due 8:30am Mass (St. Elizabeth) 9:00am CCD (St. Jude Parish Hall) 10:50am Mass (St. Jude) | 13 | 14 6:00am Men of St. Joseph Meeting (St. Jude Parish Hall) 8:30am Weekday mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) | 15 Food Drive Bags Due 8.30am Weekday Mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) 6.00pm RCIA (St. Jude) 7.00pm Rosary on Zoom | 16 | 17 St. Elizabeth Feast Day 8.50am Weekday Mass (St. Elizabeth) | 18 4:00pm Mass (St. JudeCatholic Church) |
| 19 8:30am Mass (St. Elizabeth) 9:00am CCD (St. Jude Parish Hall) 10:30am Children's Mass (St. Jude) | 20 | 21 6:00am Men of St. Joseph Meeting (St. Jude Parish 8:30am Weekday mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) 9:15am Centering Prayer Group (St. Jude Parish | 8.30am Thanksgiving Mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) 6.00pm NO RCIA 7.00pm Rosary on Zoom | 23 Happy Thanksgiving! | 24 8:50am No Mass today | 25 4:00pm Mass (St. JudeCatholic Church) |
| 26 NO CCD 8.30am Mass (St. Elizabeth) 10.30am Mass (St. Jude) | 27 | 28 6:00am Men of St. Joseph Meeting (St. Jude Parish Hall) 8:30am Weekday mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) | 29 8.50am Weekday Mass (St. Jude Catholic Church) 6.00pm RCIA (St. Jude) 7.00pm Rosary on Zoom | 30 | Dec 1 | 2 |



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