



# St. Jude Thaddeus & St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Two Churches-One Parish

*Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.*

December 29, 2024

The Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



*Parish Office Hours*  
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday:  
9:00 am - 1:00 pm  
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### PARISH STAFF

Rev. George Thekku, Pastor: 850-291-1891  
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Secretary Mrs. Ellie Fitzgerald

### PROGRAMS & PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Religious Education	Rachel Bradley	850-968-6189
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Ladies Altar Society	Lynn Sonderman	614-314-0416
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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.**

### 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.)

### Masses for January 1, 2025

The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God  
(Holy Day of Obligation)

8:30 AM at St. Elizabeth  
10:30 AM at St. Jude

### 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).

**FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH**

Ps 84: 2-3, 5-6, 9-10

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**"DECEMBER: CHILDREN'S APPRECIATION MONTH"**



**Mass Intentions**

**St Jude Saturday:** For the intentions of Andrea Fernandez requested by Agustin & Diana Garcia. As we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family, we pray for all of the families in our Parish, especially those who are separated or going through a difficult time.

**St Elizabeth Sunday:** In Memory of Jeanne Tremmer requested by Alicia Poston. As we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family, we pray for all of the families in our Parish, especially those who are separated or going through a difficult time.

**St Jude Sunday:** In Memory of Tyronne Smith requested by Deacon Mac & Gwen Smith. As we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family, we pray for all of the families in our Parish, especially those who are separated or going through a difficult time.

**\*REMINDERS\***

\*As we approach the new year, we invite you to place your mass intentions by calling or emailing the parish office.

\*Don't forget to pick up your 2025 offertory envelopes, located at the back of the church. If you would like to start receiving envelopes please call or email the parish office.

**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

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- \*December 31@ 6:00 AM: Men of St. Joseph
- \*January 1@ 8:30 AM Mass at St. Elizabeth: Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God (*Holy Day of Obligation*)
- \*January 1@ 10:30 AM Mass at St. Jude: Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God (*Holy Day of Obligation*)
- \*January 5@ 8:45 AM: CCD Classes will resume
- \*January 8@ 6:00 PM: RCIA resumes



**MASS SCHEDULE**

- ⇒ Tuesday, December 31, 8:30 AM Mass \*also online
  - ⇒ Wednesday, January 1, 8:30 AM at St. Elizabeth
  - ⇒ Wednesday, January 1, 10:30 AM at St. Jude\* also online
  - ⇒ Friday, January 3, 5:30 PM Mass\* also online
  - No Morning Mass**
  - ⇒ Saturday, January 4, 4:00 PM Mass \* also online
  - ⇒ Sunday, January 5, 8:30 AM Mass
  - ⇒ Sunday, January 5, 10:30 AM Mass\* also online
- Online Masses will be held on ZOOM.  
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**Capital Campaign Update**

Total Amount Pledged: \$527,087.50  
 Total Remaining: \$67,499.59  
 End Date of Capital Campaign: March 31, 2025  
 Thank you for your continued support of our Capital Campaign!

**CSA UPDATE**

	GOAL	TOTAL PLEDGE	RECEIVED	COUNT
St Jude	\$13,500.00	\$13,816.76	\$13,816.76	44
St Elizabeth	\$3,000.00	\$4,557.75	\$4,557.75	19

**Offertory Report 12-22-24**

\*The Offertory Report now includes the Vanco totals\*

	Offertory	Contingency	Other
St Jude	\$2609.41	\$121.65	\$133.03
St Elizabeth	\$1055.00	\$10.00	\$50.00

St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Capital Campaign: \$3593.30  
 St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Building Fund: \$0

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# \*PARISH NEWS\* MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

## DECEMBER: CHILDREN'S APPRECIATION MONTH

It is fitting to close out this Children's Appreciation Month with the Feast of the Holy Family. The Feast of the Holy Family was established by Pope Leo XXIII in 1893 in response to an increasingly secularized world. In 1921, Pope Benedict XV added it to the Universal Church calendar to be celebrated on the Sunday following Christmas. For us today it is a reminder of the sanctity of marriage, the importance of life, and that the Universal Church begins at home with the domestic church otherwise known as the family.



*Thank you to all who helped decorate St. Jude's church for Christmas! It is beautiful!*



## **Light on top of the Hill** – Updates & Tidbits St. Jude & St. Elizabeth New Community Center Project

### Concession Stand Volunteer Meeting!

If you've been thinking about volunteering for the Concession Stand Fundraiser, now is your opportunity! There will be a meeting on Sunday, January 5th after the 10:30 am Mass at St. Jude. All who have participated in the past, please plan to attend. New information will be shared.



*Fr. George & Fr. Tom would like to thank everyone for the Christmas gifts and goodies. Thank you to all parishioners for your dedication to our parish. We wish you a blessed New Year in 2025.*

*Happy Birthday to Bishop Holley! Thank you for all that you do for our parish. We hope your birthday is filled with joy and many blessings!*

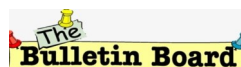


## ST JUDE'S LADIES SOCIETY

The St. Jude Ladies Society would like to thank everyone who donated for flowers and helped the needy this Christmas season. We truly appreciate your generosity. The poinsettias will remain on the altar through Epiphany, January 5th. A drawing from the donors will be held and those whose names are drawn will be eligible to take home one plant after masses Epiphany weekend. The list of winners will be in the bulletin that weekend.

The Ladies Society will be meeting Tuesday, January 7th at 5:30 PM. The next planned fundraiser will be to sell homemade soup on Superbowl weekend. More information to follow.

Please join us this Friday, January 3rd for our First Friday Mass at 5:30 PM, followed by the First Friday Rosary at St. Jude. There will be no 8:30 AM Mass this Friday.



1. Christmas Altar Flowers.
2. Contribution statements for 2024 will be ready beginning January 6th. These statements include your Capital Campaign pledge donation for the year. If you would like to receive your statement, please call or email the parish office. A separate letter for those who have made a Capital Campaign pledge will be mailed out in January which will show your donations from 2022 until now.
3. The Second Collection next weekend will be for the Contingency Fund.

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