



St. Jude Thaddeus & St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Two Churches-One Parish



Parish Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday: 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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| *St. Jude Thaddeus* |

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| *St. Elizabeth of Hungary* |

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PARISH STAFF

Rev. George Thekku, Pastor 850-291-1891

Rev. Mr. McBurnett J. Smith, Jr., Deacon

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PROGRAMS & PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Religious Education	Rachel Bradley	850-968-6189
Knights of Columbus	Shawn Engel	605-222-5976
Ladies Altar Society	Lynn Sonderman	614-314-0416
	Gwen Smith	240-463-2797
Parish Youth Group	Mary Holley-Lewis	850-346-2797
St. Vincent De Paul Aux.	Diana Odenbrett	850-525-3642

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.)
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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).



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

"LAETARE SUNDAY"

Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want

850-968-6189

March 15, 2026

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"STEWARDSHIP MONTH"

Mass Intentions

St Jude Saturday : In Memory of Stephen Presley requested by Jay & Karen Gallacher

St Elizabeth Sunday: In Memory of John Clark requested by Teresa Clark

St Jude Sunday: In Memory of Roberto Nunes requested by Joe Nunes

St. Jude Tuesday: In Memory of Anthony Holley requested by Mildred Hunter

St. Jude Wednesday: For the Intentions of the St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Parishioners

St. Jude Friday: In Memory of Vernon & Iris Ming requested by Sandra Bernard

UPCOMING EVENTS

***Monday, March 16th @ 7:00 PM:** Online Weekly Rosary: To pray with us, go to www.zoom.com . Click on the word JOIN in the top right corner. Enter our Meeting ID: 294 218 1244 Then click on Launch Meeting and then enter the passcode: 063391

***Tuesday, March 17th @ 6:00 AM:** Men of St. Joseph at St. Jude

***Wednesday, March 18th @ 6 PM:** OCIA

***Thursday, March 19th @ 5:30 PM:** Rosary followed by Mass at 6 PM in honor of St. Joseph. Dinner following mass in the parish hall

***Friday, March 20th @ 5:30 PM:** Mass, followed by the Stations of the Cross and the Bilingual Rosary

Sunday, March 22: NO CCD

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I sincerely thank each one of you who took the time to participate in providing feedback regarding the transparency of our parish. Your thoughtful responses, honest insights, and genuine concern for the life of our Church reflect your deep love for Christ and His Body.

Transparency builds trust, strengthens unity, and helps us grow together as a faith community. Your participation is not just feedback—it is an act of stewardship and shared responsibility in the mission of the Church.

May the Lord bless you for your openness, commitment, and desire to see our parish flourish in truth and charity. Let us continue to walk together in faith, guided by the Holy Spirit.

The highlight of the feedback was the financial policies and procedures. St Jude/St Elizabeth follows and abides by the financial policies and procedures as set forth by the diocese. Please go to the following link to review these procedures:

<https://ptdiocese.org/financialpoliciesandproceduresmanual>

With gratitude and prayers,
Fr George

MASS SCHEDULE

- ⇒ Tuesday, March 17, 8:30 AM Mass* also online
- ⇒ Wednesday, March 18, 8:30 AM Mass *also online
- ⇒ Friday, March 20, 5:30 PM Mass* also online
- ⇒ Saturday, March 21, 4:00 PM Mass *also online
- ⇒ Sunday, March 22, 8:30 AM Mass St Elizabeth
- ⇒ Sunday, March 22, 10:30 AM Mass *also online

Online Masses will be held on ZOOM.

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Meeting ID: 294 218 1244 Password: **063391**

Offertory Report 03-08-2026

The Offertory Report now includes the Vanco totals

	Offertory	Contingency	Other
St Jude	\$ 4453.31	\$1020.97	\$ 234.28
St Elizabeth	\$730.00	\$ 15.00	\$52.00
St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Capital Campaign:	\$ 0		
St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Building Fund:	\$ 80.65		



CSA 2026 Goals

CSA Pledges

Given to CSA

St Jude: \$18,740.00	27	\$ 11,125.05
St Elizabeth: 4,131.00	11	\$ 2,325.00

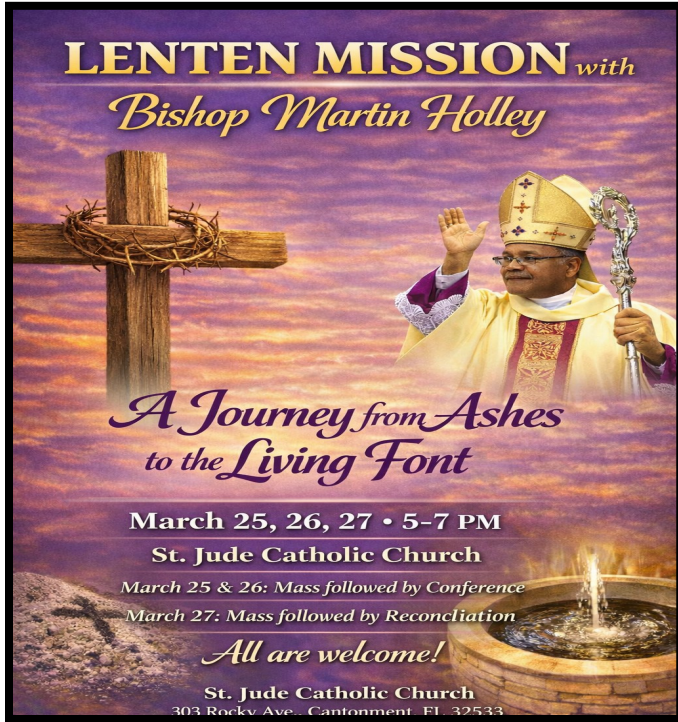


St. Jude & St. Elizabeth Prayer List

Healing for Johnnie Ransom, Mary Haas,
Melba Burroughs Barbara Carnley,
Claudia Shuttleworth, Vangie Waheed

PARISH NEWS MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

LENTEN MISSION *with*
Bishop Martin Holley



*A Journey from Ashes
to the Living Font*

March 25, 26, 27 • 5-7 PM
St. Jude Catholic Church

March 25 & 26: Mass followed by Conference
March 27: Mass followed by Reconciliation

All are welcome!

St. Jude Catholic Church
303 Rocky Ave., Cantonment, FL 32533

Kolbe Prison Ministry

Thank you to John Veverka, Andy Bonifay and all of those who came and helped prepare and deliver meals for the Kolbe Prison Retreat, as well as those who donated. Seventy-five men were served all meals each day of the retreat.



Due to scheduling problems, the Knights of Columbus Council 7402 regrets we have to Cancel our planned St Patrick's Day Dinner. We look forward to seeing everyone at our All You Can Eat Barbeque in April. Watch the bulletin for more information.



The St Jude Council of Catholic Women will be taking contributions now until March 29th for flowers to decorate the Altar for Easter. We will be decorating on Saturday, April 4th at 9:30 AM. Anyone willing to help can show up at that time. Envelopes for donations are available in the pews: checks should be made payable to the St Jude Ladies Society & the envelopes placed in the collection basket or given to Flo Maxwell. If there's any questions, please call Flo at 850 937-1090.



As we must abstain from meat on Fridays, the St Jude Council of Catholic Women will be holding their 2nd Lenten Fish Fry on Friday, March 20th from 4:00-6:00 PM. Make sure you sign up this weekend. Adult plates are \$12.00, Children 6-12 are \$6.00, Children 5 & under are Free. We look forward to seeing you at next weekend's Fish Fry!

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On March 19th at 5:30 pm we will have a rosary followed by mass at 6 pm at St. Jude in honor of St Joseph. This will be bilingual. There will be a dinner after mass in the Parish Hall. All are welcome!



1. This Lent, Fr. George would like to visit all of those who are sick and homebound or in nursing homes. If you would like him to visit you please call the Parish Office or Fr George's personal number at 850-291-1891. In addition, if you know someone who would like a visit, please let us know.
2. There will be no Altar Flowers during Lent.
3. There will be no 8:30 AM Mass on Fridays during Lent. Mass will be at 5:30 PM @ St Jude followed by the Stations of the Cross and a Bilingual Rosary.
4. The Second Collection this weekend is for Catholic Relief Services.

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