

SAINT JUDE

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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JOHN 6:63. 68

Welcome to Saint Jude

We are a Roman Catholic Parish, which gathers believers in Jesus Christ in Hopatcong and surrounding areas. Our Pastor is **Fr. Peter Wierzbicki.** We belong to the Diocese of Paterson, New Jersey. Our Bishop is **Bishop Kevin Sweeney**.

If you are moving to the Hopatcong area, we cordially invite you to make Saint Jude your parish.



· 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 25, 2024 十

MASS INTENTIONS

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| 8:00 AM 4:00 PM 5:00 PM | AUGUST 24 Clifford Lundin, Sr. Confession (until 4:45PM) Zenobia & Zenon Anc & Marian Sobczak AUGUST 25 |
| 9:00 AM 11:00 AM | Jack Quirk Thomas Gigante |
| MONDAY 8:00 AM | AUGUST 26 People of St. Jude |
| TUESDAY 8:00 AM | AUGUST 27 Rosemary Gentile |
| WEDNESDAY 8:00 AM | AUGUST 28 Mary Theresa & Bridget O'Shea |
| THURSDAY 8:00 AM | AUGUST 29 People of St. Jude |
| FRIDAY 8:00 AM | AUGUST 30 Frank Nutley |
| 8:00 AM 4:00 PM 5:00 PM | AUGUST 31 Kathy Barger Confession (until 4:45PM) Caroline Passerini |
| SUNDAY 9:00 AM 11:00 AM | SEPTEMBER 1 Maureen Schmidt Msgr. James Doyle |



Register for Family Faith Formation

at www.stjudehopatcong.org. Submit the form and fee by the following dates:

Faith Formation By August 12: \$140
By September 1: \$150
After September 1: \$17



After September 1: \$175

Forms must be accompanie

Forms must be accompanied by a check to secure your registration.

MASSES ONLINE

We stream our morning masses online.

Weekdays: 8:00AM Sunday: 9:00AM

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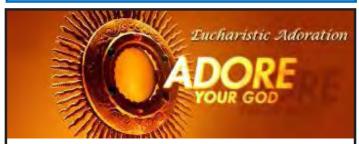


For those who, for any reason, cannot participate in the mass in person, join us online! You can find us on Facebook, YouTube and our website:

WWW.STJUDEHOPATCONG.ORG



YouTube and Facebook can be accessed from any computer, Smart TV, cell phone (iPhones and Androids), tablet (iPads and Android devices). Find a YouTube or Facebook app on your device and search for "Saint Jude Hopatcong"



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Wednesday, after the morning mass, we have an opportunity to participate in an Adoration. We are going to pray with the Morning Prayer, taken from the Liturgy of the Hours, and a special devotional prayer to Saint Jude.

All people are invited and welcome!

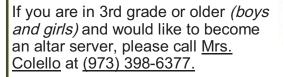
The church is open for visitors during office hours: *Monday—Friday, 9AM-3PM.*

FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

"Jesus knew from the beginning the ones who would not believe and the one who would betray him. And he said, 'For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted him by my Father.' As a result, many of his disciples returned to their former life and no longer accompanied him. Jesus then said to the Twelve, 'Do you also want to leave?' Simon Peter answered him, 'Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life."

We conclude the reflection on the Eucharist from the gospel of John. We can picture those who stayed, as they took very seriously the teaching of Jesus, the 'Bread of Life.' We believe in His real presence in the Eucharist, every mass is a miracle as simple bread and wine is transformed in the Body and Blood of Christ. He stays with us, as we turn to Him. How sad many do not recognize His Real Presence in the sacramental gift. May we with faith, reverence and devotion seek the Lord and the gift of Himself. May our 'Amen' become stronger during this year of the Eucharistic Revival.

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED





CHILDREN'S CHOIR

We are looking for more kids to join our children's choir.

Please consider signing up your child. The more kids, the better the



ADULTS CHOIR

We would like to invite volunteers to join our choir. If interested, talk to <u>Edie</u> or <u>Marcin</u> before or after Mass.



Westside Food Pantry

is in desperate need of rice and fruit.
Pantry Please bring them to the vestibule of the Church. They will be delivered to Westside by our Knights

of Columbus.

A BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF THE SUNDAY READINGS

.First Reading: Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel and told them if it did not please them to serve God, then they must decide who they would serve. The people claimed that God had brought them out of slavery and protected them on their journey. Therefore, they would serve, the Lord their God, and no one else.

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32

Husbands and wives should love one another as Christ loved the Church. They should nourish and care for each other as Christ cared for the church. Through the union between the two, they become one.

Gospel: John 6:60-69

Many of Jesus' followers were still disturbed by his teaching of the living bread, which they could not yet fully understand. Jesus explained that the Spirit gives life, and flesh is unimportant. Some of the disciples decided to leave. Jesus asked if the Twelve also wanted to leave. Although they do not completely understand yet, they have enough faith in Jesus to stay because they believe he is God's holy one.



SUNDAY COLLECTION

Total August 18
First Collection:
\$3627.550
Second Collection:
\$857.00
Grand Total:
\$4484.50



We mourn the loss of Lola Scala, one of our beloved parishioners, who passed away this week. Please remember her and her family in your prayers. May God have mercy on her soul.

Fundraising Committee

The Fundraising Committee is a standing committee with goals of raising funds for different needs of the parish through organizing events. The chairperson of the committee is <u>Jimmy O'Brien</u>. If you would like to become a member, have questions about any event, or you would like to enrich the committee with your own ideas, call: <u>973-398-6377 ext.7</u>.

PROCEEDS GO TO ST. JUDE'S FOR FUTURE PROJECTS!



Assumption College for Sisters, Denville, NJ, is seeking instructors: ESL 103 Introductory Reading (3 credits) and Anatomy and Physiology (4 credits) for the Fall of 2024. Contact Sister Teresa Bruno, academic dean at:

academicdean@acs350.org. WWW.ACS350.ORG

WOMEN'S SHARING GROUP.



The meetings are held on the third Thursday, of the month from 7:00PM

to 8:00PM in the Meeting Room of the Church.

If you are interested please call **Kathy Friel** at: 973-398-8728

Security Ministry

Serving as a Security Specialist helps ensure the church provides the safest possible environment for children and adults attending our church. If you have skills in document writing, product procurement, project management, general contracting, or physical/cyber security then we could use your support. If you have no such experience but are still interesting in helping, then please give us a shout. To learn more or to volunteer contact us at:

safety@stjudehopatcong.org

PROTECT YOUR PARISH FAMILY If you see something say something!

REPORT SUSPICOUS ACTIVITY



973-398-6377, option 8 or scan QR code (right) & submit a brief report:
Dial 911

in case of Emergencies



We express our heartfelt gratitude to all those who generously responded to our plea for assistance. Your overwhelming gener-

osity has touched our hearts deeply.

However, we find ourselves still in need of your continued support. Please consider that the church receives a <u>5% contribution</u> when ShopRite certificates are purchased. Your support through this avenue makes a significant difference.

Additionally, you have the option to purchase these certificates for your personal use as well. Your continued support is invaluable, and we are truly thankful for your consideration.

Rosary & Altar Society

The Rosary & Altar Society is ladies confraternity. It's main mission is working to spread devotion to the Blessed Mother while assisting the parish and community through spiritual, social, and service activities and events, the corporal & spiritual works of mercy in action. If you would like to join the group, join them during their monthly meetings *(more information below)*.

MEETINGS

The Rosary Altar Society meetings are on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to join us in saying the rosary! You may also stay for the meeting if you wish.

The Rosary and Altar Society cordially invites you to join them every first Saturday of the month for mass at 8:00AM followed by the recitation of the Rosary.

As Mary revealed to the children of Fatima that "all those who on the First Saturday of 5 consecutive months shall confess, receive Holy Communion, recite 5 decades of the rosary, and keep me company for 15 minutes while meditating on the 15 mysteries of the Rosary, with the intention of making reparation to me, I promise to assist them at the hour of their death with the graces necessary for salvation.

ALTAR FLOWERS

To purchase flowers, order forms are in the vestibule of the church. Fill it out with your check and bring it to the rectory or you may put it in the basket at Mass





LiNE DANCING WITH
STOMPIN' SUE
The regular line dancing is held
on Tuesday, from 7:00PM to
10:00PM in the Parish Center.
Everyone is welcome!



"HOPE" BEREAVEMENT GROUP

The <u>next meeting</u> will be on September 29. **All are welcome!**

"Journey through your grief and learn to live again."



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Become our member and support Saint Jude





Reminder for participating parishes:

Next English meeting

Virtual, 10am-noon Sept. 25th Additional dates to follow

Next Spanish meetings

All virtual, 10am Sept. 14th Oct. 5th Nov. 16th The Diocese of Paterson was selected to participate in an initiative with NCCL, the National Community of Catechetical Leaders. Their mission, funded by a 5-year Lilly Endowment grant, is to engage over 30,000 in Catholic parents and their families by exploring how to strengthen faith transmission at home in the first two decades of life.

Keep our participating parishes and families in your prayers as they work toward developing new strategies and approaches to support parents as primary catechists.

Training for New DREs/CREs

Wed, Sept. 18th 7:30pm at St. Paul Inside the Walls

We will share best practices, challenges, expectations, and answer your questions. Experienced DREs are welcome to attend. Please confirm attendance by contacting the catechetical office.

Family Event Idea: September Invite families to a BACKPACK BLESSING Bring your backpack to Mass so your priest can bless them and

Saith Pamily

September 15, 2024: Catechetical Sunday.

This is an opportunity to recognize the many people who work in silence, building up the kingdom of God. For more information on Catechetical Sunday, click on the following link: https://www.usccb.org/committees/evangelization-catechesis/lord-when-did-we-see-you-hungry

Knights of Columbus





KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All Catholic men 18 and above are invited to join our Knights of Columbus Parish Council. Help us to help our Church and our community.

For any questions email Manny at:

MANNYFERNANDES

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SELF DEFENSE CLASS

Every Wednesday night in the Parish Center from 6:30 to 8:00 PM.

Call Mike at 973-229-9881 for more information.

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September 17: Jacred Music

Presenter: Kristen Hoyt is a multifaceted educator, vocalist, accompanist, arranger, music director, and lifelong liturgical musician in the NYC/NJ area. Currently, Kristen is the Choral Director at Morris Catholic High School, Denville and the Director of Music at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Paterson.

In St. Paul's Letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor.14: 15), he says that we should not only pray with spirit but pray with the mind and sing praise with the spirit and sing praise with the mind.

Join Kristen Hoyt, as she takes a closer look at her life's journey through sacred sounds, sharing the hymns and songs that allow her to give God praise, glory, and honor.

October 15: Jacred Art

Presenter: Sister Geralyn Schmidt, SCC is an artist who strives to reflect God's love and mercy in her art, working with a plethora of media. Sister is the Assistant to the President at ACS and Director of Formation for the Wives of the Diaconate of the diocese of Harrisburg, PA, and a contributor to The Cotholic Witness newspaper.

Sr. Geralyn will lead a discussion on the purpose of Sacred Art to deepen our love for God and how God touches the soul through art. Sister will include samples of her artwork.

November 12: Jacred People

Presenter: Rev. Sigmund Peplowski, pastor of St. Cecilia's Parish, Rockaway, NJ enjoys sharing about the lives of the holy women and men of the Church.

Fr. Peplowski will consider the importance and the legacy of some of the holy women and men of the 21st century who are recognized by the Church as guiding lights for our own spiritual journeys.

December 10: Jacred Story

Presenter: Rev. Jared Brogan is the director of the Office of Divine Worship and Master of Ceremonies for the Diocese of Paterson taught Theology at ACS

The Christmas Story (Infancy Narratives) is part of our sacred story. This presentation will reflect upon the events of that narrative from a sacramental perspective. Like any sacrament, our reflection upon and celebration of the Christmas story can dispose us to holiness!

All are Welcome!



The Rosary & Altar Society along with the Knights of Columbus will be conducting a Food Drive on the first weekend starting in July. Any donation of non-perishable food will be greatly appreciated. Food can be dropped in the vestibule of the Church.

PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF AT THE RECTORY!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE SICK.

Matthew Bailey, Barbara Barra, Ann Bauer, Mikela Bennett, James Bonavota, Tom Brown, Kyle Bussey, Ethel Butler, Jordyn Cameron, Toni Castoro, William Cerra, Amanda Church, Matthew Clemente, Lenny Colello, Jr., Cathy Collins, Linda Corcoran, Richard Costa, Shannon & Reggie Crowley, Claudia Davis, Joseph D'Amelio, , Fred Denheardt, Liliana DiFillippi, Edward DiGangi, Frank Dupress, Vincent Esterly, Aine Ferguson, Richard Ferris, Nicholas Filtz, Deanna Foli, Charisse Forkey, Maria Ines Garcia, Will Garcia, Andy Gervasi, Stephen Gravatt, Alan & Denise Gilbert, Beverly Gilmore, Katie Gowey, Jodie Grillo, James Hand, Eleanor Henesay, Linda Hill, Max Howa, Stella Impagliazzo, Andrea Jones, Avery Jones, Danny Kavanaugh, Terri Kellerman, Walter Kester, Cheryl Knapp, Charlie La Capria, Cheryl Lotito, Theresa Leggio, Erin Loescher, Richard Macari, Joan Major, Tyler Mahler, Roger Manter, Carmella Marino, Joanna Mark, Tracy Martinez, Sean McCann, Pat McDonald, Nicole DeMott Mendia, Claire Miller, Anthony Monetti, Tray Mooney, Maryann Moore, Dan Murphy, Tom Neidbala, Jimmy O'Brien, Margery & Daniel O'Donnell, Kim Olenic, Joanne Orr, , Yvonne Paquing, Marion Parillo, Bob Pecarific, Jason Perez, Frank & Dawn Piccione, Edward Pinkerrman, Jeff Poyer, Lupita Pryor, Richard Ratti, Cathy Ricciuto, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, Denise Rogalski, Mary Rushka, Sammy Sanchez, Paul Sansevere, Lola Scala, Elena Shenesky, Michael Slattery, Catherine Sorace, William Stelmach, Nancy Tevis, Natalie Thompson, Kaylee Thornburg, Anne Marie Truncali, Grzegorz Wierzbicki, Joyce Williams, Barbara Wulff.

LOCAL ALCOHOLIC ANONYMOUS MEETINGS

Hopatcong has 4 Alcoholics Anonymous meetings per week

Saturday: 11:00 AM
Saturday Evening: 7:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM
Sunday Evening: 5:00 PM

Sunday Evening: 5:00 PM

All the meetings are on <u>Lakeside Blvd</u> in the lower level of the Senior Center.

What is so unique about this group? The Hopatcong's group is <u>42 years old</u> and was started at Saint Jude Church when Father Ryan was the Pastor.



FREE SPEECH MEN'S GROUP

The group meets every 4th Saturday of the month after the 8:00AM Mass in the Church meeting room. The next meeting for the group is Saturday, August 24th. All are welcome!



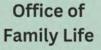






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We invite Pastors, Priests, teachers, DREs/CREs, and catechists, to attend the Catechetical Convocation 2024: Shaping the Future of Catechesis in Our Diocese, a presentation by Most Reverend Bishop Frank J. Caggiano. Chairman of the USCCB Subcommittee on the Catechism, on Wednesday, October 9, at St. Elizabeth University, Dolan Performance Hall. During this session, you will be able to discuss issues related to the state of catechesis. best practices, areas for growth, and the implementation of the Directory for Catechesis (2020) in parishes and schools. The goal of this year's convocation is to develop a clearer, common understanding of "evangelizing catechesis" and how to encourage it in your parishes. I hope to see you there! Bishop Caggiano's presentation will be offered at two times on October 9, at 1:30pm —3:30pm or 7pm—9pm. Each session will cover the same material, so choose the most convenient time for you to attend.



Diocese of Paterson

Save the Date

JULY

Natural Family Planning Week

21-27

SEPTEMBER 1 Certificate in Theology of the Body

SEPTEMBER 26

New Jersey March for Life 2024

SEPTEMBER 28 Walking with Moms in **Need training**

NOVEMBER 17 Gold and Silver **Anniversary Mass**

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We welcome all Catholics who are interested in recovery from addiction and deepening their relationship with Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church

MEETINGS

Our Lady of the Lake 294 Sparta Ave Saturdays 7:30am-8:30am Thursdays 6:30-7:30pm-pm

(starting June 6, 2024)

Branchville **Our Lady Queen of Peace** 209 Rt 206 South Mondays 6:30pm-7:30pm

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Catholic in Recovery is a nonprofit organization that seeks to serve those suffering from addictions and unhealthy attachments (including alcoholism, drug addiction, pornography addiction, sex and relationship addiction, compulsive overeating and food addictions, gambling addiction, codependency and the impact on family, and general fear, control, and anxiety).

It is the aim of Catholic in Recovery to share the Good News that God can bring about healing and recovery, even in the most hopeless of cases!

Questions? Email CIR@ollsparta.org

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resources in your area.



https://viewer.mapme.com/makingaccesspossible

M.A.P. is an interactive app that allows you to access local resources such as housing, addiction services, mental health, legal services, utilities, employment, transportation, senior services, and food pantries.



FamilyPromise





Using NFP Effectively

Session One of NFP 2.0 offers specific ways a married couple can achieve high efficacy using Natural Family Planning. It includes a discussion about important technical considerations when using a method as well as how our marital partnership impacts efficacy.



NFP Doesn't Work For My Body

Session Two focuses on the hormonal imbalances charting with Natural Family Planning can reveal. A description of several types of imbalances are discussed along with possible lifestyle and medical options to help. The session wraps up by considering ways to approach challenges as a mutually supportive, loving partnership.





Managing Different Desires

Natural Family Planning intensifies the challenge of differing levels of desire between a husband and wife. The convectation in this session is wide-ranging and includes basic physiological differences between the spouses, medical obstacles, disillusionment about sexual ideals when love demands sacrifice, and suggestions to consider to create more unity and joy.





Unplanned Pregnancies + Growing Attachment

Session Four lays out suggested groundwork for couples who want to develop the strength to weather any challenge well, including an unplanned pregnancy. Expanding on the Marriage Castle analogy from Session Three, listeners can reflect on attachment, the marital friendship, and rightly ordered sexual union. The challenge of an unplanned pregnancy is discussed, including both best practices and things to avoid.



insidethewalls.org/nfp-podcast

FATHER AND SON CATHOLIC CAMP AUGUST 9-11, 2024

- · Enjoy the beauty of God's creation
- · Spend time with your son(s) in the outdoors
- Camp, hike, swim and fish at Lake Wawayanda
- Grow in faith through Mass, prayer and priest talks
 Outdoor Mass celebrated by Bishop Kevin Sweeney

Open to young men ages 13 and older and their fathers. Minors must be accompanied by a male guardian. Campers provide their own tent and sleeping bags. Meals included. Deadline to register: July 31, 2024. Registration required.

Location: Wawayanda State Park
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For more info, contact Rev. Ed Rama, Vocation Director,
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News around the Diocese



GOLD AND SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples, were you married in

1999 or 1974? The Diocese of Paterson invites you to celebrate your 50th or 25th wedding anniversary during a special Mass to be offered at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, NJ. Bishop Sweeney will serve as main celebrant on this joyful occasion to be held: **Sunday, November 17, 2024 at 3:00pm.**

Arrangements can be made by contacting your parish office. The deadline to register is October 16, 2024. You will receive additional information from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. *Congratulations on this joyous occasion*



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- Fr. Kamil (Peter) Wierzbicki does!

Join the parishioners who use WeShare for their parish giving. Simply scan the QR code above, text "Give" to 973 -791-6637 or visit our website at stjudehopatcong.org/giving. If you have any questions or need any support, you can call 866-930-4774 or email donorsup-port@WeShare.com.



Parish Rental Committee

The St Jude Parish Center is available for rent! If you are searching for a place to host your *party* or a *special event*, our Rental Committee is there to

assist. If you have any questions, please, call (973)-398-6377 ext.5, or scan the QR code (left).

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- Ext. 2 Office Hours
- Ext. 3 Parish Office
- Ext. 4 Lillian & Religious Education
- Ext. 5 Parish Hall Rentals
- Ext. 6 **Deacon Tom** & Baptismal classes
- Ext. 7 **Jimmy** & Parish Events
- Ext. 8 Security Ministry
- Ext. 9 Fr. Peter & Emergencies



- 1. Anyone baptized in the Roman Catholic faith who wishes to become a Member of Saint Jude in Hopatcong is asked to come to the parish office for registration.
- 2. Certificate of Good Standing for Godparents or Confirmation Witnesses stating that a given person is a believer and practicing Catholic will be issued at the parish office after three months of belonging to the parish community and fulfilling the obligations towards the parish.
- 3. All Catholics in our parish are obliged to participate in Sunday and holiday Masses and support our parish by making donations to the church using the envelopes received by mail.
- 4. Any person 25 years old and older need to be registered under their own name to get the status of a parishioner of Saint Jude regardless of whether he lives with his parents or alone.
- 5. Families who have changed their address are asked to inform the parish office in order to update their address details.

| Our Staff: | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Rev. Peter Wierzbicki. | Pastor |
| Rev. Mr. Tom Friel | Deacon |
| Lillian Colello | Administrative Assistant |
| & Coordina | ator of Religious Education |
| ć | and Confirmation Program |
| Henry Schmidt | Parish Trustee |
| Chad Bennett | Bookkeeper |
| | Organist |
| Taya Shumerina | Organist |
| Edie Vieth | Cantor |
| | Cantor |
| Jimmie O'Brien | Parish Events |
| Frank Wimbush | RCIA |

How to register:

ously registered in the parish, please do so by calling the office at 973-398-6377 for a registra-

Rob Bond.....Security Ministry

Also, if you are not receiving collection envelopes, we can arrange to have them sent them day during the 11:00AM Mass., unless otherto you.

share fully in our spiritual and social life.

ber, please contact us. All parishioners are re- the Rectory no less than 6 months before the quested to use the regular Sunday envelopes or marriage date and prior to any social planning. our Online Giving. If you are not receiving them, To arrange for Pre-Cana, please call the please call the Rectory

Parish Center Rental

If you would like to rent a Parish Hall, please call office at 973-398-6377 ext. 5

For more information email our hall rental committee: rental@stjudehopatcong.org

Eucharistic Liturgies

Sunday Masses During Pandemic: 5:00PM VISITATION OF THE SICK AND ELDERLY -(Saturday Vigil Mass), 9:00AM and 11:00AM Weekday Masses (Mon - Sat) 8:00 a.m. Holy Days of Obligation To be announced Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or by appointment **Adoration:** every Wednesday after the moming gency extension to speak with the Pastor.

Remember to always check the bulletin and If you are new to the parish or have not previ- listen to the announcements for any changes and times for special liturgies.

Sacraments:

BAPTISMS is performed every 2nd & 4th Sunwise specified. Parents are asked to call the rectory to register. The Baptismal preparation Our Parish Family invites all of its members to meeting on the first Monday of the month at 7:30PM.

If you change your address or telephone num- MARRIAGE - Arrangements should be made at Rectory.

R.C.I.A. RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITATION OF

ADULTS - Persons interested in learning of the Catholic faith, and any adult person who needs to receive Baptism, Eucharist or Confirmation. If you need information regarding this, please contact the Rectory.

Please keep us informed so that we can be attentive to those who are ill at home or in the hospital. Communion is brought upon request to the home. For the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the Rectory and dial the emer-

Other contacts

Official Website:

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Questions and requests for livestreaming: live@stjudehopatcong.org



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