



ST. JUDE *the* APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

2403 MCARTHUR DRIVE · JACKSONVILLE AR 72076

Mass Times

Tuesday/Wednesday 6:30pm

Thursday/Friday 8:00am

Funeral Masses will take the
place of daily Masses.

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 11:00am
2:00pm Spanish Mass

Holy Days: Vigil 7:00pm
Holy Day: 8:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00pm—4:30pm
Or by appointment

Baptism

To schedule a baptism and to
make arrangements for a
baptism preparation session
(required for all) please contact
the parish office at 982.4891.
Please check our website
(www.stjudejax.com) under
“Sacraments” for some very
important information!

Marriage

In addition to some critically
important steps noted on our
parish website
(www.stjudejax.com) under
“Sacraments,” our Diocese has
set a required period of at least
six months of preparation
between setting a wedding
date and the wedding
ceremony itself. Please check
our website and call the office
(982.4891) before setting any
dates or making any plans.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 25, 2015



Jesus said to him in reply,
“What do you want me to do
for you?” The blind man
replied to him, “Master, I
want to see.” Jesus told him,
“Go your way; your faith has
saved you.” Immediately he
received his sight and
followed him on the way.

- Mk 10:51-52

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Office Hours

8:30am-4:30pm Monday
through Friday

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Welcome! If you are a visitor to St. Jude's, we want you to know you are welcome!!

Readings for the Week of October 25, 2015

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52
 Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Lk 13:10-17
 Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Lk 13:18-21
 Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16
 Thursday: Rom 8:31b-39/Lk 13:31-35
 Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Lk 14:1-6
 Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Lk 14:1, 7-11
 Next Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

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ORGANIZATIONS

Altar & Rosary	Rita Strickland	835.9785
CYM	Paula Price	551.1873
JRCYM	Stephanie Farinelli	628.1930
Knights of Columbus	Dale Olivo	590.4629
Ladies of the Knights	Theresa Truscillo	835.5557
Senior Citizen	Donna Aldrich	772.2098

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Wednesday: October 28th— Sts. Simon and Jude
Saturday: October 31st— Blessed Virgin Mary



Please pray for our Seminarians, Alex Smith, Vince Kozlowski and Jerry Wilkerson, and all Diocesan Seminarians. Please also keep Judith Timmerman, who has taken her first temporary vows at St. Scholastica, in your prayers.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Monday, October 26

7:00pm Small Faith Community

Tuesday, October 27

5-6:00pm Youth Choir 3rd Grade and up
 6:30pm Boy Scouts
 7:00pm Choir practice
 7:00pm Scripture Study, Mark

Wednesday, October 28

10:00am Scripture Study
 7:00 pm Choir Practice
 7:00pm RCIA —Mary—Ann Gallegos

Thursday, October 29

9:00am Discernment of Spirits
 7:00pm Faith Chats

Friday, October 30

7:00pm Benediction and Adoration



MASSSES FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, October 24	5:00pm Mass	Duane Meyer+
Sunday, October 25	8:00am Mass	Parishioners
	11:00am Mass	John Davitt+
	2:00pm Mass	Priest's Intention
Tuesday, October 27	6:30pm Mass	Special Intention Bird Family
Wednesday, October 28	6:30pm Mass	Elida Brolo+
Thursday, October 29	8:00am Mass	John Davitt+
Friday, October 30	8:00am Mass	John Davitt+
Saturday, October 31	5:00pm Mass	Carlton King
Sunday November 1	8:00am Mass	Parishioners
	11:00am Mass	John Davitt+
	2:00pm Mass	Priest's Intention



You Did It for Me

Creation is a gift. What we do with this gift has major impacts for future generations. Our Holy Father reminded us during his visit to the U.S., "When it comes to the care of our common home, we are living at a critical moment in history." How will you care for this gift and protect it for future generations? Catholics across the country are taking steps to care for our common home and making sure that God's gift of creation is not spoiled for our children. Start now by heeding Pope Francis' call to take action

Tú lo Hiciste por mí

La creación es un don. Lo que hacemos con este don tiene importantes repercusiones para las generaciones futuras. Nuestro Santo Padre nos recordó durante su visita a los Estados Unidos. "Cuando se trata del cuidado de nuestro hogar común, estamos viviendo un momento crítico en la historia." ¿Cómo va usted a cuidar de este don y protegerlo para las generaciones futuras? Los católicos de todo el país están tomando medidas para cuidar de nuestro hogar común y asegurar que el don de la creación de Dios no está arruinado para nuestros hijos. Comience ahora atendiendo el llamado del Papa Francisco de tomar medidas.

CARE CHANNEL REQUESTS



It is that time of year again. We need to collect 500 cakes and frosting by Friday, December 11th!!

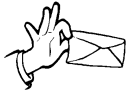


Sick or Homebound

If you have a family member who is ill, in the hospital, or homebound who would like to receive communion, **please have a family member** call the office at 982.4891 and we will arrange for one of our many wonderful people to come and visit and bring communion.

New to our Parish?

If you are new to our parish, we would like to welcome you into our community. Please pick up a registration form on the table by the bulletin board, call the office, or register online at stjudejax.com.



If you are not getting the EMAIL BLAST on Friday please email us at office@stjudejax.com with your name and email.

ATTENDANCE

October 17/18

5:00pm	202
8:00am	432
11:00am	245
2:00pm	118

STEWARDSHIP

October 117/118

Stewardship: \$ 10,678.09

Second Collection: \$ 2,565.71

The regular parish budget for 2015/2016 anticipates a weekly offering of approximately \$12,936.00 for the regular operation of the ministry of St. Jude's. May God continue to bless you for your faithful stewardship.

PRE

"Children's Church" is held during the 11:00 Mass

Still looking for more Youth to join our Youth Choir. Practice is on Tues. From 5-6pm. For more info or can't make rehearsals contact the church office. 982.4891

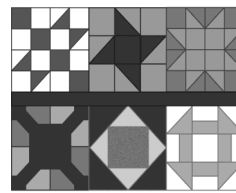
Prayer Requests

Spencer Aydeot, William Alberson, Marianne Allard, Kathy Bajorek, Robert Barrett, Andrea Bistrain, Shirley Blanchard, Rayeigh Butrand, Natalio Carrillo, Michael Carter, Christina Carver, Joann Chidester, John Claude, Elisabeth Cory, Emily Downs, Sherry Duncan, Danny Epley, Karen Fletcher, Bill Garner, Misty Gay, Betty Gibson, Michael Gilbert, Susan Hall, Mike Hargrove, Hazel Hayes, Helmut Herm, Charles Henning, Hibbard Family, Harold Higgins, Edna Hill, Bobby Hough, Louise Hubbard, James Hunt, Dylan Jeffrey, Barbara Johnson, Mickey Kamer, Joceyln Kennedy, Melinda King, Rudy Kurz, Norma Laberde, Ariel Leech, Carla Lewis, Joan Lowry, Jean Luman, Joshua Luker, Al Manning, Steve Menke, Tim Menke, Cathryn Meyer, Greyson Moore, Sandra Morris, Carol Miller, Bob Nawrocki, Jeffery Nordmeyer, Bridget Vickers-Norton, Tom Pack, J. W. Palmer, Helen Piazza, Mary Pickels, Benjamin Ramirez, Sue Riley, Randy Rhodd, Mark Rivard, Jerry Robbins, Dawn Robnett, Mary Robnett, Louise Ross, Beverly Saltz, Mary Anne Schulke, Ethel Seaward, Linda Seidl, Jeremy Sheeran, Tina Simone, Leroy Sobba, Maria Stewart, Patsy Strode, Patrick Testa, Verna Thompson, JoAnn Thornburg, Maureen Wilmoth, Otis Wilson, Sandy Yoerger.



Prayer for Missionaries in America

Dear Lord, We pray for those who work among poor and isolated communities across America, bearing witness to the life of Christ in a thousand different ways. Give them wisdom, courage and joy in their generous ministry. AMEN



ATTENTION QUILTERS AND WANTOBE QUILTERS: All members of the parish are invited to an informational meeting to see if any of you are interested in a quilting group here at St. Jude's. The group

would be open to beginners as well as experts. The meeting will take place on Friday, October 30th at 9am in the large classroom off the parish hall. If you are a beginner or would like to learn to quilt there will be advanced quilters to show you the ropes and/or help you finish a project you have started. Hope to see you there.

The Sisters of Mercy and The Family Development Center invite you to participate in the fifth annual prayer breakfast to benefit Catherine's House. Sr. Ann Hardcastle, RSM will be honored for her efforts on behalf of teen parents and their children on Saturday, October 31, 2015 from 9:30am to 11:30am at Better Community Development Center, 400 West 12th Street, Little Rock. For ticket information contact Brenda Hill or Kizzie Redd at 661-4001.

CYCLE B OCTOBER 25, 2015

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he kept calling out all the more." The blind Bartimaeus was a courageous fellow. Not only was he bold enough to call out to Jesus who was passing by, but he also had the guts to keep on calling, even when people were telling him to be quiet. Clearly, this man knew that he needed Jesus--and he wasn't about to let popular opinion convince him otherwise. What were those people thinking who tried to silence the poor beggar? Perhaps they thought that Jesus was too busy for a stop along the way. Maybe they bought into the prevalent idea that Bartimaeus' blindness was a punishment for sin and that he was therefore a lost cause. Or it could be that they were just annoyed by his persistence. Whatever the case, these folks tried to pressure Bartimaeus into giving up. But he didn't. And the reward for his steadfastness was priceless: "Immediately he received his sight."

Immediately, that is, after he encountered Christ. But let's not forget that he had to invest all that time and energy earlier in order to arrive at that precious encounter. And we may have to do the same. Our persistence in prayer is often a necessary first step to the gift of God's intervention in our lives. We, like Bartimaeus, may have to call out time and time again, making our requests known to Jesus even when it may seem he isn't looking our way. We too may need to be faithful in the face of doubters and detractors who tell us that our prayers are pointless, that God doesn't really care, or that we deserve to be stuck in our own misery. Let us seek to be like this man who heard Jesus say, "Your faith has saved you."

DEPLOYED

Please help us keep our list of deployed up to date.
LT Kevin Irvin, CPT Michael Reber, SGT Jefferson Davis,
FSA Nicole Sanders, Spec. Daniel Kaup, LT Gary Spier, A1C
Amber Nutsel, NS Benjamin Thompson, SFC Brian Ellis,
Anthony Krause, firefighter, Major Steffanie Jebb,
AF Dylan French, Xavier J. Brown

The Patrick Henry Hayes Senior Center located at 401 West Pershing Blvd, North Little Rock will display during the month of October paintings and prints done by Sister Maria Liebeck. These will be for sale and all proceeds benefit The Helping Hand of Greater Little Rock. The Hayes Center is open Monday through Friday 8:00am to 8:00pm, Saturday 8:00am to 1:00pm and Sunday 12 Noon to 5:00pm.



Permanent Diaconate Formation Classes

November will be three years since our last Permanent Diaconate ordinations and the Diocese of Little Rock is in the process of planning our next formation class. Anyone interested in learning more about our plans and what you might need to do to be part of the next class is invited, along with your wife, to an informational meeting to be held at St. John's Center on the evenings of October 22nd and November 18th, 2015. The meeting will begin at 6:30pm in Fitzgerald Hall. Any questions prior to the meeting can be addressed to Dc. Chuck Ashburn at cashburn@dolr.org or 501.664.0340.

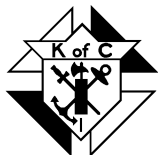
Clases de Formación para el Diaconado Permanente

En noviembre serán tres años desde nuestras últimas ordenaciones al diaconado permanente y la Diócesis de Little Rock se encuentra en el proceso de planificación de nuestra próxima clase de formación. Cualquier persona interesada en aprender más sobre nuestros planes y lo que tiene que hacer para ser invitado para formar parte de la siguiente clase, junto con su esposa, puede asistir a una reunión informativa que se llevará a cabo en la Centro de San Juan en Little Rock en las noches del 22 de octubre y 18 de noviembre, 2015. La reunión pueden comunicarse con Dc. Chuck Ashburn en cashburn@dolr.org o 501.664.0340.

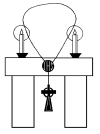
St. Joseph Center Harvest Festival: 6800 Camp Robinson Road, North Little Rock. Saturday, November 7 10am-3pm. \$5/person (\$20/family max.) Includes: Building Tours, Hayrides, Food Trucks, Music, Children's Activities, Face Painting, Games, NLR Animal Shelter, and Old Fashioned Pie Baking Contest. **SJ Farm Stand will be OPEN 10-3!** To register for the Pie Contest and for more information email stjoesphcenter@gmail.com or call (501) 607.3147. **All proceeds help save this historic property!**

 **Thank You** 

The Ladies of the Knights and Knights of Columbus thank all who generously donated, bought raffle tickets, and came to our 13th Annual Oktoberfest. It was a GREAT SUCCESS!! We are blessed to have such a wonderful parish! May God bless you all a hundredfold!!



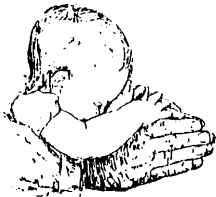
PARISH NEWS



ALTAR AND
ROSARY
SOCIETY

Come and support your Altar and Rosary Society's Religious Article Cabinet in the Parish Hall. They have wonderful gifts for your special someone.

Bingo is played the first and third Saturdays of each month at the Knights of Columbus Hall.



Please do not forget your donations to **St. Joseph's Helpers**. They are in need of bottles, baby ointment, towels and washcloths.

You are invited to come to an afternoon of reflection where you will be fed by excellent teaching, good discussion, and prayer. Clifford Yearly, author of *Welcome to the Feast* and associate director of Little Rock Scripture Study, will lead our reflections. **"The Bread of Life, A Feast of Biblical Reflections on the Eucharist"** will be held in two locations, both a lovely one hour drive from central Arkansas: Holy Rosary Church in Stuttgart, on Saturday, November 7 (call Sara at 870-673-4144 to register) or St. Mary Church in Hot Springs on Sunday, November 15 (call the church office at 501-623-3233 to register). Either location from 12:30-4:30 pm. Free admission. Sponsored by Little Rock Scripture Study.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING! Bring a Friend to the Senior Potluck November 2, 2015 at 11:30am in the Parish Hall. The Parish will provide the food. There will be two door prizes. All seniors are welcome.



Attention!



¿PORQUE SE QUEDAN CONFORMES CON UN MATRIMONIO MAGNIFICO CUANDO PUEDEN TENER UN MATRIMONIO IDEAL? El Encuentro Matrimonial es un programa de 44 horas en donde las parejas pueden alejarse del trabajo, los niños, las tareas de la casa y el teléfono para enfocarse solo uno al otro. Si están buscando que su relación crezca, sea más profunda, y más enriquecida. Entonces les gustará la diferencia que puede hacer en ustedes un Fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial. El próximo Fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial estará en Centro de San Juan, Little Rock, AR, octubre 23, 24, 25, 2015. Para más información o para registrarse, llama a Adrián y Reyna Álvarez (773) 213-9593 o Fermín y Noemí Andrade (479) 644-1152. Favor de registrarse antes de octubre 19, 2015.

Encuentro Matrimonial is Marriage Encounter in Spanish and is a program of 44 hours in which couples can leave work, children, housework, and telephone in order to focus only on each other. If you are looking to grow in your relationship, to make it more profound and to enrich it, then you will like the difference that a weekend of Worldwide Marriage Encounter can make in your lives. The next weekend will be at St. John Center, Little Rock, October 23,24,25, 2015. For more information or registration, call Adrian y Reyna Alvarez (773)213-9593 or Fermín y Noemi Andreade (479)644-1152. Registration deadline is Oct. 19, 2015.

Thank you for your generous response to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. Our parish raised **\$2,565.71**. Some people are called to go to serve in other countries to develop the Church and serve its people, but all of us can pray and support the Missions from right here in the parish.

Interfaith Arkansas Annual Assembly : Thursday, November 12, Christ Episcopal Church, 509 Scott Street, Little Rock. 10am-2pm. Speaker: Dr. Jessica Martinez. Registration begins at 9:30am. Cost is \$10 and includes lunch. To register, email interfaithark@aol.com or send check to Interfaith Arkansas, P.O. Box 2441, Little Rock, Ar 72203. **Because we are more alike than different.**