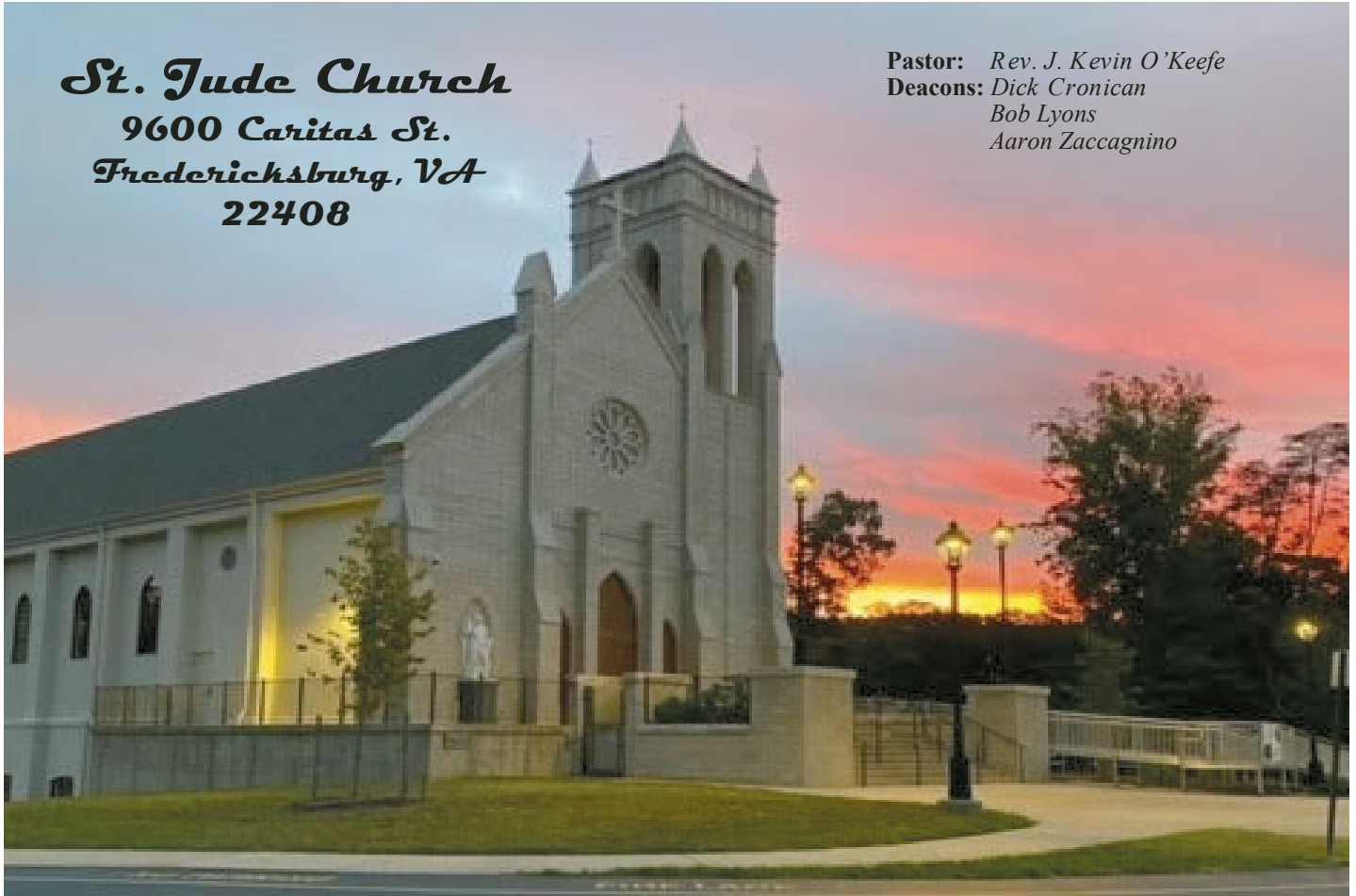


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am
Daily Mass (Mon-Wed, Friday) 9:00 am
**Daily Masses and the 9:30 am Sunday Mass are livestreamed at
www.bit.ly/StJudeYoutube.*

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Tuesday 7:00 pm
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm
By Appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/HOLY HOUR

Friday after 9:00 am Mass
Third Sunday of the month 3:00—4:00 pm

RECEPTION OF SACRAMENTS

Contact Parish Office

PARISH OFFICE

Telephone: 540-891-7350
Fax: 540-891-1810
St. Vincent de Paul: 540-898-8065
Parish Email: Info@StJudeChurch.us
Website: StJudeChurch.us

COMMUNION FOR HOMEBOUND

Contact Parish Office

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday, 8:30 am—4:30 pm
Closed on federal holidays

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please fill out a card, found in the church vestibule or in the office

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Contact: Nancy Simms at religiously@stjudechurch.us

CHOIR

Contact: David Brandao at davidb@stjudechurch.us

PARISH STAFF

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Office Manager:	Courtney Leon
Director of Religious Education:	Nancy Simms
Director of Sacred Music:	David Brandao
Facilities Manager:	Mark Williams

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 20	5:00 PM	Mass	Mother's Day Novena
Sunday, May 21	7:30 AM	Mass	Mother's Day Novena
	9:30 AM	Mass	Mother's Day Novena
	11:30 AM	Mass	All Parishioners
Monday, May 22	9:00 AM	Mass	Rev. James Hudgins
Tuesday, May 23	9:00 AM	Mass	The Simms Family
Wednesday, May 24	9:00 AM	Mass	Carol David +
Thursday, May 25	NO	MASS	
Friday, May 26	9:00 AM	Mass	Joseph Linnell +
Saturday, May 27	5:00 PM	Mass	All Parishioners
Sunday, May 28	7:30 AM	Mass	Gary A. Love +
	9:30 AM	Mass	Carlos Ota +
	11:30 AM	Mass	Freddy Rodriguez +

The Perpetual Candle is dedicated to Rev. James Hudgins (living).



PRAYER LIST

Allison Peterson, JDM, Mary Ellen Sabo, Eva Maria Kress, Neal Weierbach, Tom Yench, NSF, Pam Cleveland, JoAnn Hay, Jimmy Colangelo, Mary Ann Engiles, Brian Stup, Patricia Harding, Bob and Barbara Carr, Don Engiles, Michael Kulig, Rene Robert, Larry Grondin, PEG, JF, Mary Fischer, Melissa Werning, Marty Werning, Benjamin Desmet, Henry Hynolski, Sharon Walsh, Nick Pollnow Nora Nicholson and Elaine Huff.

If you have a name to be put on the Prayer List or on the Prayer Chain, please call the office at 891-7350. Names on the bulletin Prayer List are published for 4 to 6 weeks, unless otherwise instructed.

Let us pray: A book for your prayer intentions is at the back of the church near the St. Jude alcove.



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Security Personnel for Tuesday, June 20:

2 male, 2 female

Contractors:

3 more contractors

Commitment:

WorkCamp Contractor Meeting:

Date: Tuesday, May 30

Location: Nativity Catholic Church
in Burke. VA

Time: Evening...time TBD

Minimum Date Commitment:

June 19th – 22nd

Onsite working days

Maximum Date Commitment:

June 17th – 23rd

Includes Opening Night Team
Meeting (Sat evening), Team Build
ing Day (Sun), and Celebration Day
(Fri)

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR MORE INFO!

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Parish Calendar

Sunday, May 21

Ice Cream Social in the Activity Center following the 11:30 Mass

Sunday, May 21, 3:00—4:00 pm
Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday, May 23

Cenacle Prayer Group meets in the church after 9:00 am Mass

Tuesday, May 24, 7:00 pm

Confessions in the church. Confessions will end when there is no one in line.

Wednesday, May 24, 4:00—8:00 pm

Panera Spirit Night see insert for more details; **please support this fundraiser!**

Friday, May 26

Eucharistic Adoration after the 9:00 am Mass

Saturday, May 27; 3:30—4:30 pm

Confessions in the church

Monday, May 29

Parish Office is closed for Memorial Day



An old scam has returned! Fake texts and emails are being sent to parishioners asking for money and/or gift cards for Fr. O'Keefe. These are fake. Fr. O'Keefe will not ask for money for his benefit or someone he knows.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE —2023—

Saturday, June 10

Meet at St. Jude at 7:30 am; Bus Departs at 7:45 am

Cost is \$10/person; 40 person maximum; Families are welcome!

For more information email info@stjudechurch.us

First Stop: National Shrine www.nationalshrine.org

10:00 am Mass celebrated by Fr. O'Keefe in the Queens of Missions Chapel

11:00 am Guided tour of the Basilica

** After the tour, there is time for private prayer, shopping and lunch. Please bring your own lunch or purchase one in the cafeteria*

1:00 pm Departure Time

Second Stop - Franciscan Monastery Of the Holy Land in America

www.myfranciscan.org/

2:00 pm Franciscan Monastery guided tour

**Time for private prayer or wandering the grounds after tour*

3:45 pm Departure Time

This pilgrimage is part of the Diocese of Arlington's three year preparation for its Golden Anniversary in 2024.

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Please contact Nancy Simms with questions about the Reform Workshop. She can be reached at religioused@stjudechurch.us.

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FIRST Communion



Congratulations to our 2023 First Communicants!



MAY CROWNING

Religious Education students ended the year with a May Crowning. Every child brought a flower to honor the Blessed Mother!

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.



Vacation Bible School
June 26-30
9:30 am -12:30 pm

Registration opens
May 24

Contact Nancy Simms
religioused@stjudechurch.us

Kids Corner

Prayer

God, thank you for my friends. Help me to treat them like you would.

Mission for the Week

The next time you talk to God, pray for each of your friends. Ask your friends to pray for you, too.

Sharing the Gospel

Jesus prayed for his friends. He knew they were a special gift from God. Jesus was patient with them. He taught them about God. He cared about his friends and forgave them from his heart. Everything that Jesus did showed what God was like. Be a friend like Jesus. Care for your friends like God does.

**Now color
the picture!**



Find and circle these words from today's Gospel:

ETERNAL
CHRIST
FATHER

GLORY
GIVEN
FOLLOWERS

WORLD
SHOWN
PRAYING

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