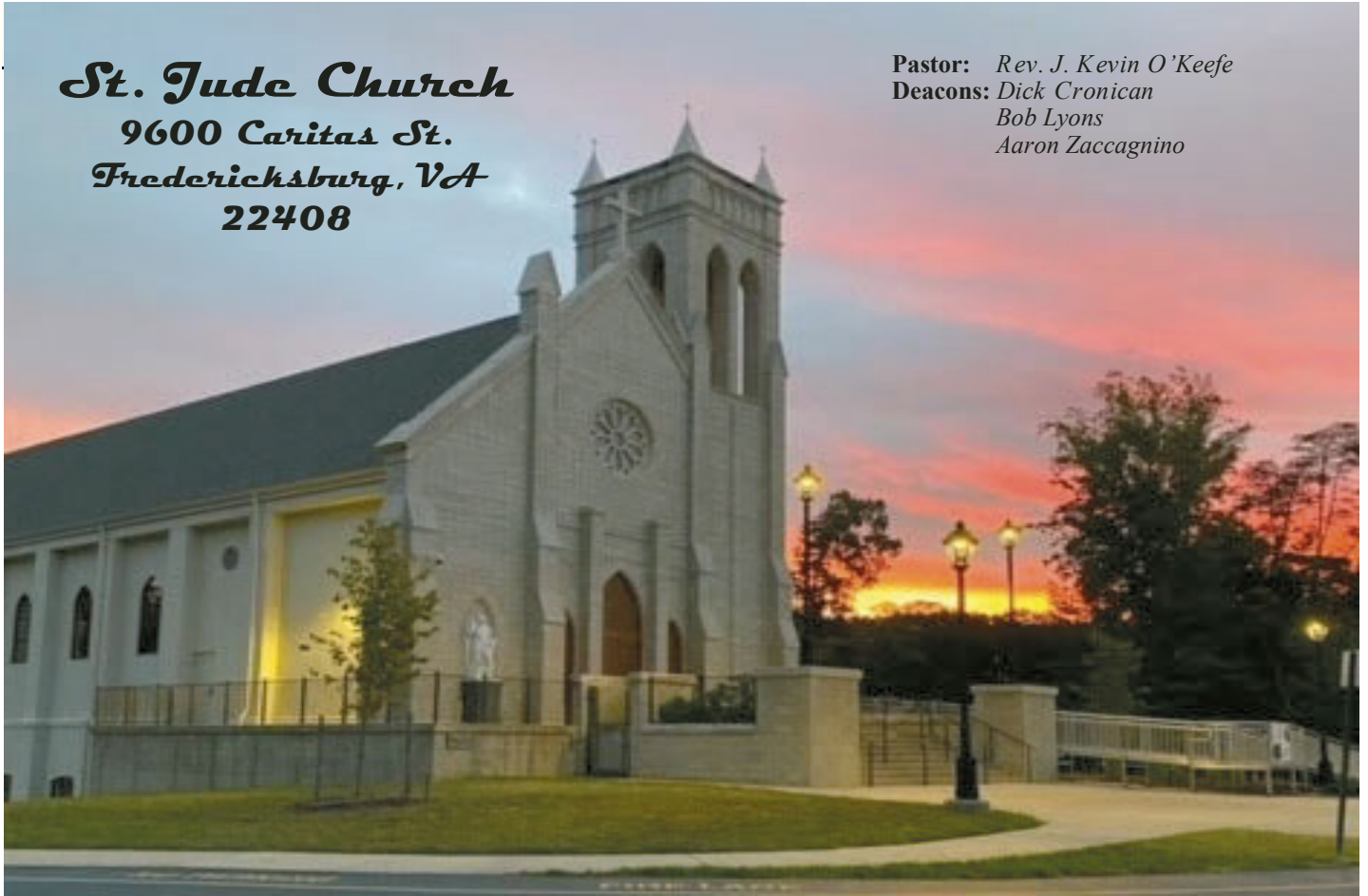


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July 30, 2023 Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

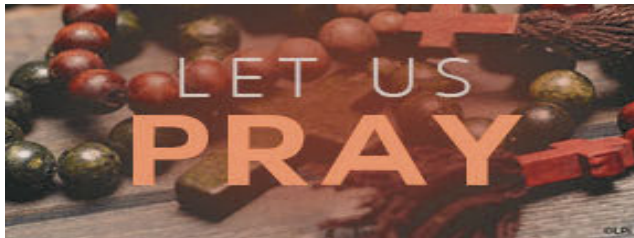
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Director of Sacred Music:	David Brandao
Administrative Assistant:	Cheryl Bornschein
Facilities Manager:	Mark Williams

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 29	5:00 PM	Mass	All Parishioners
Sunday, July 30	7:30 AM	Mass	St Vincent de Paul Volunteers
	9:30 AM	Mass	Angelo Ignudo, Jr +
	11:30 AM	Mass	The Llufrío Family
Monday, July 31	9:00 AM	Mass	Kevin Ramos+
Tuesday, August 1	9:00 AM	Mass	Jack Phalen+
Wednesday, August 2	9:00 AM	Mass	Gabe Malcolm
Thursday, August 3	NO	MASS	
Friday, August 4	9:00 AM	Mass	Rev. James Hudgins
Saturday, August 5	5:00 PM	Mass	Rosemarie Greene+
Sunday, August 6	7:30 AM	Mass	All Parishioners
	9:30 AM	Mass	Joy Tullous +
	11:30 AM	Mass	Chandella Armstrong+

The Perpetual Candle is dedicated in memory of Michael Kane.



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, Patricia Harding, Bob and Barbara Carr, Don Engiles, Mike Kuhls, Michael Kulig, Rene Robert, Larry Grondin, PEG, JF, Melissa Werning, Marty Werning, Wendy Latella, Benjamin Desmet, Henry Hynolski, Sharon Walsh, BH, Tim Carney, Nora Nicholson, Elaine Huff, JDC, Ida Mardi, John Power, Willie Mahoney, Mary Jane Costa, Jacob Shornagel, John Colangelo, Linda Terabek, Colleen Warner, JS, Stan, Keith Zalazar, Lisa Sutton, L.E., Madden and Baby McGraw.

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.



REGISTRATION for the 2023—2024 Religious Education year begins on August 1. Classes start September 13.

CHANGE: RE classes are offered on Wednesdays only.

REMEMBER: Sacramental preparation is a two year process. In general, first graders register for Sacraments 1 and seventh graders register for Confirmation 1. If you have an older child or teen in need of sacramental preparation, contact Nancy Simms at religiously@stjudechurch.us

NEW THIS YEAR! We are offering an RE class for **parents** (and all adults!) during the 6:30 pm session. More details to come.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!

Are you willing to share your faith with our young parishioners? Please pray about teaching the Good News. I need the following:

- Grade 3 Catechist
- Grade 3 Co-Catechist
- Grade 6 Catechist
- Grade 6 Co-Catechist
- Substitute Catechists
- Office Helper (both sessions)

All adult volunteers must become compliant with the Office of Child Protection. Contact Nancy Simms for more information.

July 30, 2023

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Parish Calendar

Tuesday, August 1

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

Tuesday, August 1, 7:00 pm

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

Tuesday, August 1

Religious Education Registration Begins for the 2023-2024 year

Friday, August 4

Eucharistic Adoration after the 9:00 am Mass

Saturday, August 5; 3:30-4:30 pm

Confessions in the church

Tuesday, August 8, after Daily Mass

Come join us for coffee and tea in the Activity Center. Bring a snack to share.

Wednesday, August 9, 10 am to 3pm

Blood Drive in the Activity Center. Sign up at redcrossblood.org (preferred) but walk-ins welcome.

Tuesday, August 15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, MASSES at 9am, 12:15pm, and 7:30pm. **NO CONFESSION.**

Sunday, August 20, after all Masses

Join us for our **Parish Ministry Fair**, and find out what's going on at St Jude's and how you can join in.

Thank You. 

We wish to say a heartfelt

THANK YOU

To all the **Confirmation Candidates** and the members of the **Ancient Order of Hibernians** for digging out and preparing the sidewalk for our Memorial Walkway to the Rosary Garden. Your hard work is truly appreciated.

The dedication bricks are in production and will be installed once they are delivered.

And

THANK YOU

To the **Garden Club** for your skill and dedication. The flowers out front look amazing, especially in this heat!



RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

*Are you interested in
becoming a Catholic?*

*Were you Baptized in the Catholic
faith but never Confirmed?*

*Would you like to learn more
about Catholicism?*

**RCIA classes will begin
October 17, 2023.**

**Tuesdays at 6:30pm in the
Activity Center.**

Those who need to receive
Sacraments, please contact the office at
540.891.7350 or info@stjudechurch.us
to register.

BREAKFAST IS BACK!!

We invite everyone to the
Activity Center for food and
fellowship after DAILY MASS
on the **2nd and 4th
Tuesdays** of every month
beginning **August 8.**

We'll supply tea, coffee &
bagels but feel free to
bring a treat to share.

We'll have board games, puzzles
and cards for anyone interested, or
just come for the conversation.

Questions? 540.891.7350

Parish Pilgrimage

June 2024

Fatima, Portugal

and walking 100km of the

CAMINO DE SANTIAGO

Learn more at an
informational meeting on

Aug 10th, 7PM

Parish Activity Center

Parish organizer: Mary Miller

Two Upcoming Daytime Adult Bible Studies

Friday morning Bible Study: *What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith*

What is the Catholic Church all about? What does it mean to be Catholic? What do Catholics actually believe? Over 10 weeks you will discover the beauty and richness of the Catholic Church.



Each class consists of a 30-minute video that explains a church teaching and shows Catholic sites to illustrate it. The video is followed by class conversation and discussion to answer questions and share insights.

The schedule for Friday classes is from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM.

Sessions 1-3: July 14, 21 and 28

Sessions 4-7: August 4, 11, 18 and 25

Sessions 8-10: September 1, 8 and 15

Link to purchase the book: [What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith, Book – Ascension \(ascensionpress.com\)](https://ascensionpress.com/what-we-believe)

Wednesday morning Bible Study: *A Biblical Walk through the Mass*

The Mass is nothing short of amazing. The words, the gestures, and the rituals of the Mass are rich in meaning. Everything we say and do in the Liturgy is steeped in biblical language. A Biblical Walk Through the Mass explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why it all matters. This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.



Each class consists of a 30-minute video followed by class conversation and discussion to answer questions and share insights.

The schedule for Wednesday classes is from 9:45 AM to 11:15 AM.

Sessions 1-5: August 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30

Link to purchase the book: [A Biblical Walk Through the Mass Book – Ascension \(ascensionpress.com\)](https://ascensionpress.com/a-biblical-walk-through-the-mass)

To sign up email Deacon Bob (deaconbob@stjudechurch.us) or Tony Gibert (tonygibert61@gmail.com).



SAINT JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH



Gather your family and friends and join us for fun-filled Monday evenings. The Knights of Columbus Council #4034 is sponsoring a Bowling League. Teams are forming now.

There will be a league meeting on Monday, August 14, 2023, 7pm at the AMF Bowling Center, 12100 Killarney Drive.

Cost is \$21 per week-per player. It's a mixed league which the following can participate: men, women, and teens 16 years and older. The league starts August 21, 2023 at 7pm and continues until April 15, 2024. An awards party is held at season-end. Come and enjoy a fun time!!!

For more information contact Rick Reschick at (540) 850-5587 or Roman Marciniak at (540) 850-2737.



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9th
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Student testimonials

Peer connections

Small groups sessions

June 28: St. Mark's
July 5: St. Michael's
July 12: Holy Trinity (NEW location!)
July 19: Basilica of St. Mary
July 26: Holy Cross Academy

All rising college freshmen and transfer students may register for FREE at ASJB.org. All events begin at 7PM.

CURSILLO—What is it?

Cursillo (cur See yo) is a Lay Catholic movement. It's about friends helping friends grow in Christ and share Christian values in our challenging world. The Cursillo Movement consists of proclaiming the best news of the best reality: that God, in Christ, loves us. Communicated by the best means, which is friendship towards the best of each one, which is his being person and his capacity of Conviction, Decision, and Constancy.

ARLINGTON DIOCESE CURSILLO HAPPENINGS:

1. Small group faith sharing at St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, every Thursday, beginning with 12 noon Mass, followed by faith group sharing in the Fr Rooney Room behind the church.
2. Men's 141st Cursillo Retreat has openings for September 21-24, 2023. Please see the website: arlington-cursillo.org for an application
3. Women's 157 Cursillo Retreat has openings for November 9-12, 2023. Please see the website: arlingtoncursillo.org for an application.

ULTREYA will be held at Holy Family Church in Dale City on July 30th

Save the Date!

Golf Tournament: September 22
(See ad for details)

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For more tournament info:
Golfer4life66@gmail.com or 540-809-8926



SCAN ME

Kids Corner

Prayer

God, help me to love your kingdom more than the things I have.

Mission for the Week

Put God's kingdom first.
Read a Bible story every morning.

Sharing the Gospel

Your toys can break.
Your books can tear.
Your clothes can shrink and stain. Things don't last forever. The kingdom of heaven does last forever. It is like a treasure. Heaven is worth more than anything you own. In both stories, the person who found the treasure sold everything else just to be a part of God's kingdom.

Now color the picture!



Find and circle these words from today's Gospel:

KINGDOM
HEAVEN
TREASURE

HIDDEN
FIELD
FOUND

PEARLS
SOLD
BOUGHT

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G	M	D	A	T	O	U	H	N	L	E
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