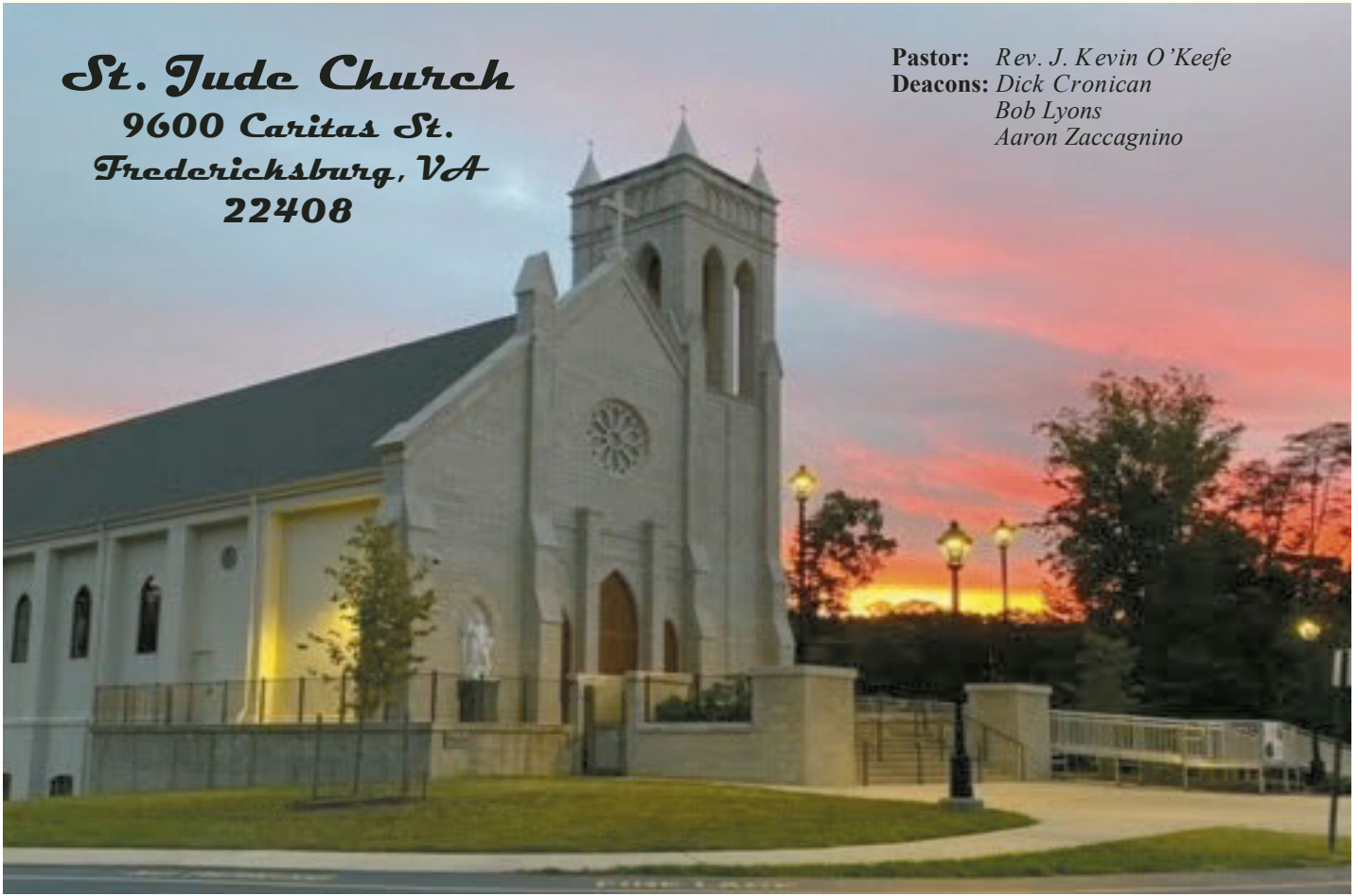


St. Jude Church
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Fredericksburg, VA
22408

Pastor: *Rev. J. Kevin O'Keefe*
Deacons: *Dick Cronican*
Bob Lyons
Aaron Zaccagnino



November 5, 2023

31st 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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David Brandao

Administrative Assistant:

Cheryl Bornschein

Facilities Manager:

Mark Williams

November 5, 2023

Thirty-first Sunday of Ordinary Time

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 4	5:00 PM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Sunday, November 5	7:30 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
	9:30 AM	Mass	All Parishioners
	11:30 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Monday, November 6	9:00 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Tuesday, November 7	9:00 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Wednesday, November 8	9:00 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Thursday, November 9	NO	MASS	
Friday, November 10	9:00 AM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Saturday, November 11	5:00 PM	Mass	ALL SOULS NOVENA
Sunday, November 12	7:30 AM	Mass	All Parishioners
	9:30 AM	Mass	Legion of Mary+
	11:30 AM	Mass	Kevin F. Murphy+

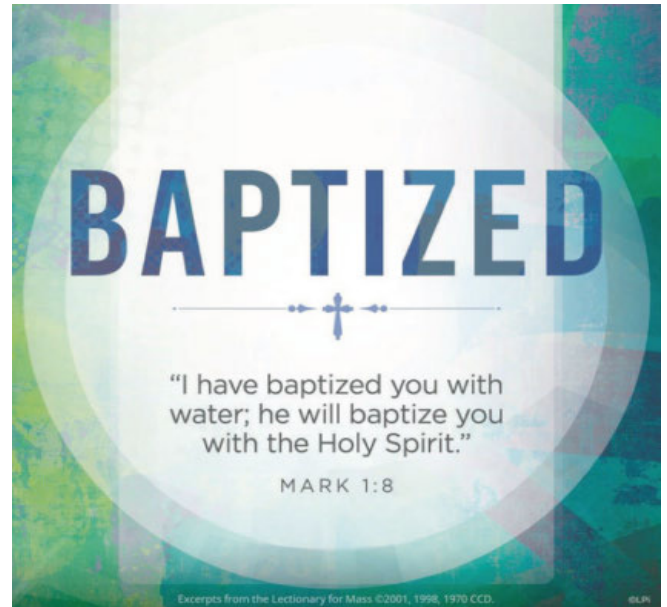
If you would like to dedicate the Altar Flowers or Perpetual Candle for a living or deceased loved one, please call the Parish Office for more information.

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MOBILE PANTRY AT

St. Jude Catholic Church
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Thursday, 9 Nov 2023 4 - 5 PM



St. Jude Church welcomed
Theresa Joy Maitlen
Into the church in October!

Prayer REQUESTS

Allison Peterson, JDM, Mary Ellen Sabo, Eva Maria Kress, Neal Weierbach, Tom Yench, NSF, Pam Cleveland, JoAnn Hay, Jimmy Colangelo, Rene Robert, Larry Grondin, PEG, JF, Melissa Werning, Wendy Latella, Benjamin Desmet, Henry Hynolski, Sharon Walsh, BH, Tim Carney, Nora Nicholson, JDC, Ida Mardi, John and Betty Power, Willie Mahoney, Mary Jane Costa, Jacob Shornagel, Colleen Warner, JS, Stan Whisant, L.E., Madden and Baby McGraw, Jean Mahoney, Jacob Toulouse, Brenda Chemelewski, Renee St. Dennis, Louis Dionne, Samantha Power, John and Peggy Colangelo, Dan Loehr, Fr. Lee Gross Fr. Stephen Schultz, Mary Stewart, Lisa Sutton, Mary Roberts, Melinda & baby son, Elijah, and John and Mary Anne Buccigrossi.

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.

November 5, 2023

Thirty-first Sunday of Ordinary Time

Parish Calendar

Monday, November 6; 6:00 pm

The **Legion of Mary** meeting is in the Conference Room.

Tuesday, November 7; after 9am Mass

Cenacle Prayer Group meets in Church

Tuesday, November 7; 6:30-7:45 pm

Women's Bible Study meets in Activity Center

Tuesday, November 7; 7:00 pm

Confession available until the line is complete

Wednesday, November 8; 5pm & 6:30 pm

Adult/Parent Class meets in church during children's RE session

Thursday, November 9; 4pm

Fredericksburg Mobile Food Bank
In front parking lot

Friday, November 10

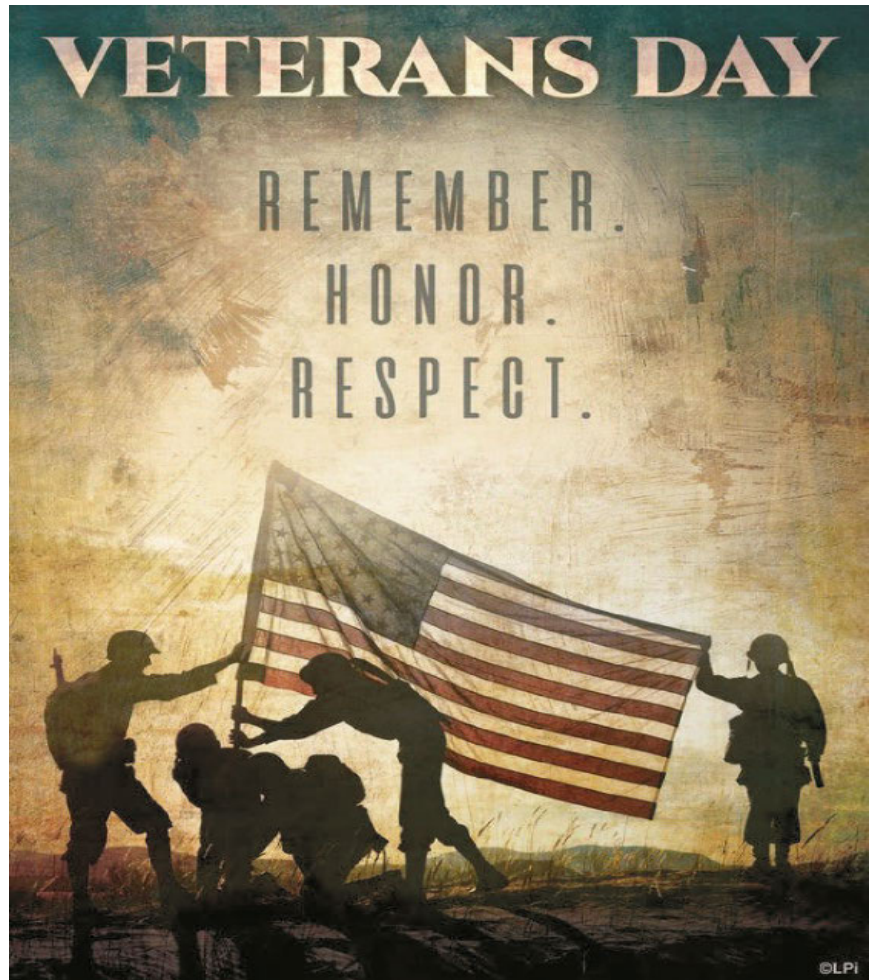
Parish Office is closed for Veteran's Day. Thank you to those who served!

Friday, November 10; after 9:00 Mass

Adoration and Holy Hour

Saturday, November 11; 3:30-4:30 pm

Confessions in the church



THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

for Parents and Busy Grown ups!

Women: 1st and 3rd Tuesday

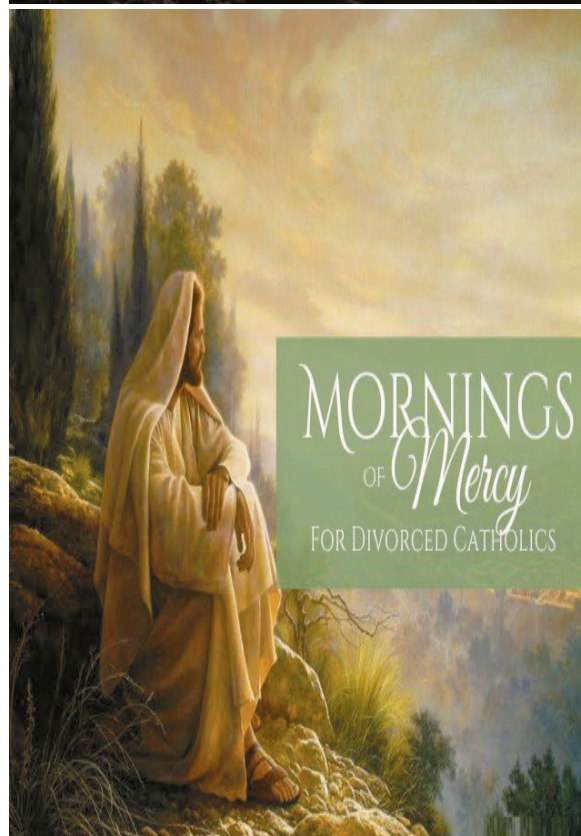
Men: 2nd and 4th Tuesday

6:30—8:00 pm

In

Activity Center

It's NEVER too late to join our study. We discuss one chapter each meeting—come when you can!



The next meeting
is
scheduled for
Saturday,
November 18, 2023

St. Elizabeth Ann
Seton Catholic
Church,
Lake Ridge, VA

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Please RSVP here:

[https://
www.arlingtondiocese.
org/morningsofmercy/](https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/morningsofmercy/)

November 5, 2023

Thirty-first Sunday of Ordinary Time



CONGRATULATIONS Chili Cook-Off Winners

Traditional: Noelle Harmon
Non-Traditional: Courtney Leon
Xtreme Heat: Brian Kickuth
Junior League: Dan Asper

THANK YOU to Roman Marciniak and the St. Jude Lectors for sponsoring a Silent Auction at the Chili Cook-off. You helped raise \$673 towards the church mortgage.

On Behalf of Father O'Keefe and Nancy Simms, we want to thank everyone that donated baked goods for the bake sale supporting the kids in the Religious Education program. A **Special Thanks** goes to the St. Jude Women's Guild for all the tasty treats. And **Thank You** to everyone that came and satisfied their sweet tooth for a good cause. We raised almost **\$1000** to offset the increased cost of our program.

Do you know what our parish needs more than money... YOU!

Get Involved with The Ministries of St. Jude.

We are always in need of Volunteers willing to give an hour or two or more.

There is a immediate need for USHERS and ALTAR SERVERS.

Please contact the office to learn more (info@stjudechurch.us).



Members of the St. Jude Women's Guild and the SHARE Food Program at the Parish Ministry Fair.



2023 Trunk or Treat

Trunk or Treat provides a fun and safe place for kids to dress up and score sweet treats. We had 120 kids and their families come to our annual Halloween party.

Many of these children came from our parish and local community.

Thank You to everyone that donated candy or volunteered to dress up to hand out treats. There were a lot of smiling goblins and ghouls, princesses and space robots, cheerleaders and ninjas, dinosaurs and future golfers everywhere.





*Thank you to the
Parishioners
who participated
in the
40 Hours of Adoration.*

"Look upon the hour of adoration assigned to you as an hour in paradise. Go to your adoration as one would to heaven, to the divine banquet. You will then long for that hour and hail it with joy. Take delight in fostering a longing for it in your heart. Tell yourself, 'In four hours, in two hours, in one hour, our Lord will give me an audience of grace and love. He has invited me; he is waiting for me; he is longing for me.'"

– St. Peter Julian Eymard

Finding Peace and Joy with Jesus & Mary in Advent

SILENT WOMEN'S RETREAT
DEC 1 - 3, 2023

"Come aside and rest awhile" to treasure and ponder the true meaning of the Advent Season.

"Calm—Quiet—Contemplative—Peaceful—Waiting in Joyful Anticipation" these words describe what the Holy Season of Advent ought to be (and rarely is.) Instead, the weeks before "the Holidays" tend to be manic, stressful, anxious, and distracted as women rush to meet the "great expectations" of their families and those around them.

For more information or to register, please contact
Deacon Maines: Mark.Maines@ArlingtonDiocese.org
or visit our website at ArlingtonDiocese.org/Retreat

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Visit St. Charles Borromeo Seminary

Friday, November 17, 2023

Spending a weekend at a seminary is a critical part of exploring your vocation. You live, pray, eat and recreate with seminarians and experience first-hand what seminary life is like.

Each year the Office of Vocations sponsors visits to Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg, MD, and St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in Philadelphia, PA. If you would like to participate, contact the Office of Vocations, vocations@arlingtondiocese.org.

For men 18-35 years old.

Kids Corner

Prayer

God, help me to follow you with a humble heart.

Mission for the Week

Look up the words “humble” and “proud” in the dictionary. When you remember that everything you have is a gift from God, it is easier to be humble.

Sharing the Gospel

Some people think that they know everything that there is to be known about God. They think they are better and smarter than other people, too. Watch out if you think you are acting that way! Tell God you're sorry. Ask God to help you change your attitude, and serve others.

Now color the picture!



Unscramble words from today's Gospel:

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Father

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