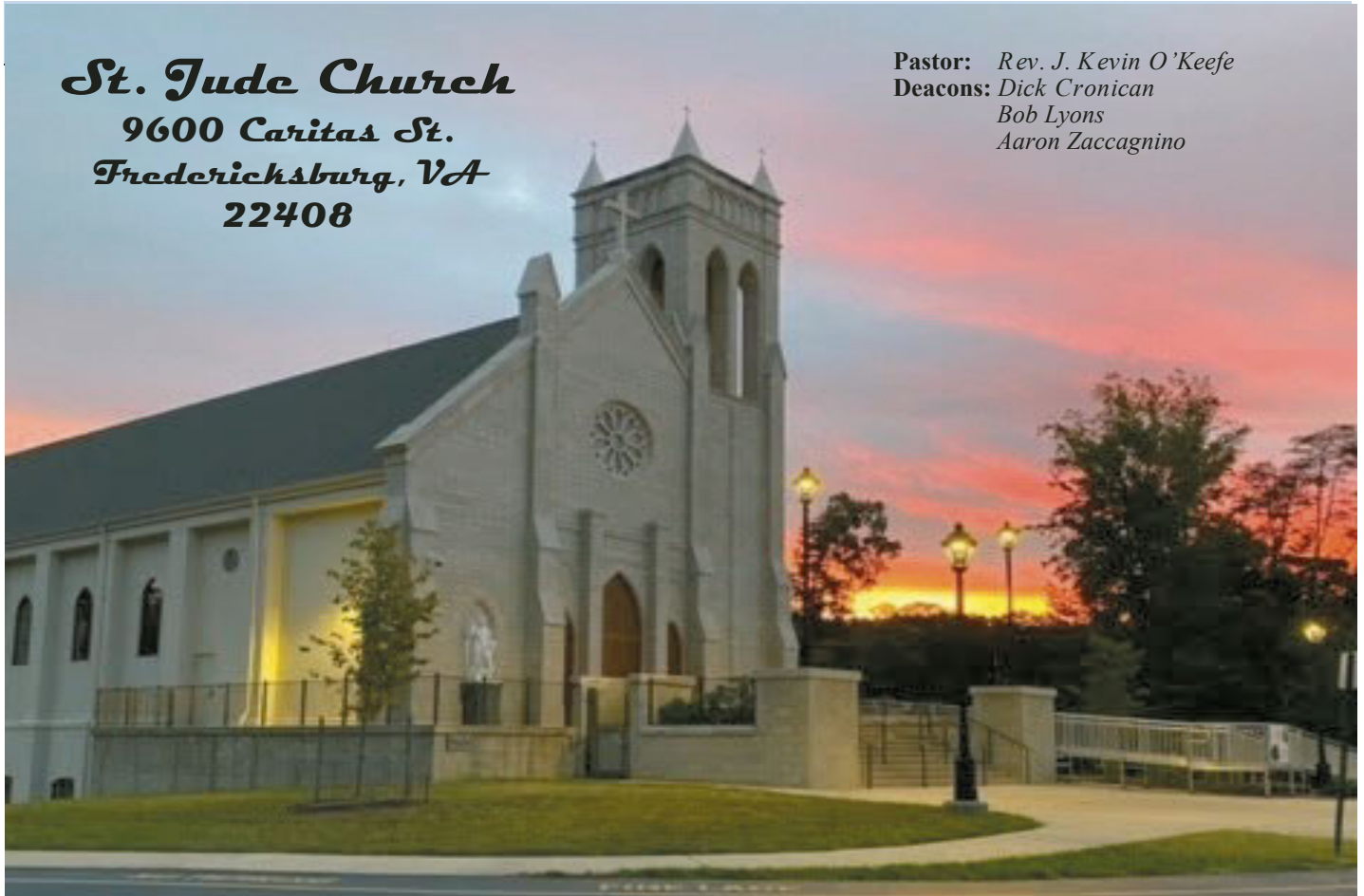


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Deacons: *Dick Cronican*
Bob Lyons
Aaron Zaccagnino



October 6, 2024

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm; 7:00 pm (Spanish)
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am
Daily Mass (Mon-Wed, Friday) 9:00 am

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
RE Email: religiously@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, in the office or on the website

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, October 5	5:00 PM	Mass	Donald Burns +
	7:00 PM	Mass (SP)	Irene Jenson
Sunday, October 6	7:30 AM	Mass	Michael Riley +
	9:30 AM	Mass	Jeff & Noelle Harmon
	11:30 AM	Mass	All Parishioners
Monday, October 7	NO	MASS	
Tuesday, October 8	NO	MASS	
Wednesday, October 9	NO	MASS	
Thursday, October 10	NO	MASS	
Friday, October 11	NO	MASS OR ADORATION	
Saturday, October 12	5:00 PM	Mass	All Parishioners
	7:00 PM	Mass (SP)	Christina Mammen
Sunday, October 13	7:30 AM	Mass	James Grossman +
	9:30 AM	Mass	Paul Leach +
	11:30 AM	Mass	Bernard Krenzler +

The Perpetual Candle in memory of Lee Kane. The Altar Flowers are in memory of Richard and Gerda Mickley.



Please pray for...

Allison Peterson, JDM, Eva Maria Kress, BN, Neal Weierbach, Tom Yench, NSF, Pam Cleveland, Jimmy Colangelo, Benjamin Desmet, Henry Hynolski, MTS, Jeannie Karlovitz, BH, Tim Carney, JDC, Ida Mardi, John Power, Mary Jane Costa, Jacob Shornagel, Colleen Warner, JS, John and Peggy Colangelo, Dan Loehr, Mary Roberts, Douglas Tabada, George Loy, Lisa LaCasse, George Johnson, Monica Loya, Lori Loya, Tim O'Reilly, Roxanne Parks, A.G., Fr. David Martin, Alyssa B and Eliyahna, Robert McDevitt, M.H., the Zaccagnino Family, BN, Doug Ray, Pridgen, Dan Loehr, Devon B. Beth Lauer, Nancy Kilduski, Sr. Helen Power, William Scheible, Makayla Hall, John Austin, Pat Carroll, Gail Pender, Cathy Watts, Fr. Mike Duesterhaus, John and Mary Ann Buccigrossi, Barbara McCoy, the KL Family, Bev & David Norris, Mary Merritt, Bruce B, Dcn. Alberto Bernaola, Michelle Smith, and Diane Vogel.

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.



September Baptisms

Emiliano Cruz Galvan
Callum Francis Mercer
Ghiselle Eleda Onedear Mercier
Sabrielle Odile Shibuya Mercier



THE BUSY ADULT BIBLE STUDY IS STUDYING THE GOSPEL OF LUKE THIS YEAR!

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WOMEN MEET THE 1ST AND 3RD TUESDAY

MEN MEET THE 2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY

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An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

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Parish Calendar

October 7-11 and 14—18
There is no daily Mass

Tuesday, October 8

Breakfast Club meets after 9am Mass

Tuesday, October 8

Cenacles of Life Prayer Group meets in the Church after 9:00 am Mass.

Tuesday, October 8; 6:30 –7:45 pm

MEN'S Bible Study

See ad for more details.

Tuesday, October 8

There are **NO CONFESSIONS** tonight.

Wednesday, October 9; 6:30 pm

ADULT RE CLASS! See ad for more details. All adults are welcome!

Friday, October 11

Holy Hour after 9:00 am Mass

Saturday, October 12; 3:30—4:30 pm

Confession is available in the Church.

Monday, October 14

Parish Office is closed for federal Holiday.

BOOK CLUB

The Women's Guild sponsors a Catholic Book of the Month Club. The Book Club meets following the Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club in the activity center.

October Book:

I Would Like To Travel The World
by Guy Gaucher

Questions?

Contact Mary Jane Flynn at
mjflynn2552@aol.com

or

Irene Theriault at
sewgirl1@verizon.net

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

(This is different than OCIA!)

Wednesdays from 6:30—8:00 pm in the CHURCH

Adult RE is open to ALL adult parishioners.

This year, the course topic is
THE SEVEN SACRAMENTS.

Join us and discover **how your faith can grow** by participating more fully in the sacramental life of the Church!

Email Nancy Simms at
religioused@stjudechurch.us for more information

Altar Servers Needed!

The next Altar Server Class will be held in October.

If your child is in fourth grade or above, and is interested in joining this ministry, please contact Cheryl at admin.assist@StJudeChurch.us.

Altar Servers typically serve once or twice a month.



(Formerly known as RCIA)

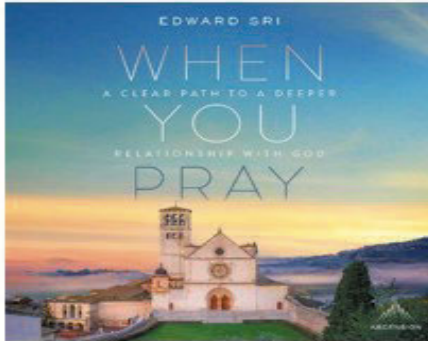
Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you a baptized Catholic adult in need of Confirmation? Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith? OCIA is for you!

OCIA/RCIA begins
Tuesday, October 15
6:30—7:45 pm

For more information, contact Nancy Simms at
religioused@stjudechurch.us

The Next Morning Bible Study Class

Dr. Edward Sri's newest Bible Study class will be the subject of our year-end Bible Study. Beginning on November 1st after the 9:00 AM morning Mass we will meet in the activity center each Friday from 10 AM till 11:30 AM. The link to the Ascension Press information about the class is provided below.



Dr Sri introduces his class with these inspiring words: *"You know prayer is important but still find it challenging. Perhaps it's hard to find time, or you're unsure what to do when you pray. Or maybe you feel discouraged by your weaknesses and your inability to overcome them. If you have any of these feelings, you are not alone. Many of the saints struggled in prayer. They were like us. But each time they fell, they got up again and learned to rely more on God's grace. What God did in the lives of countless saints, he wants to do in the lives of ordinary people like us. And that's what this study is about: the journey of prayer God wants to take us on"*

Class information link: <https://ascensionpress.com/collections/when-you-pray-a-clear-path-to-a-deeper-relationship-with-god>

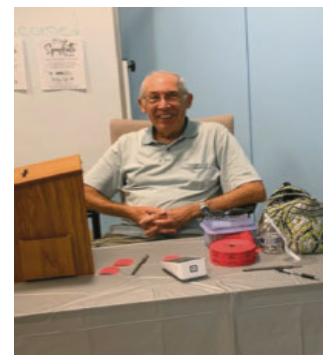
Class Schedule: 10AM-11:30AM on November 1, 8, 15, 22 and December 6, 13 and 20



Thanks to all who supported the Spaghetti Dinner!

We raised enough money to paint the Parish Offices!

Also, a big congrats to Beverly Jameson who won the raffle!



Divine Mercy Support Group for Separated and Divorced Catholics

The mission of the **Divine Mercy Support Group for Separated and Divorced Catholics** is to help individuals grow in their Catholic faith while experiencing the pain of separation and divorce. The goals of the group are to offer support, hope, comfort, prayer and authentic Catholic teaching to its members. Our motto is "Jesus Christ, I trust in you!"

Divine Mercy Support Group meets on the third Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm in the St. Jude Church Activity Center.

The group is using the *Recovering from Divorce* program from Divorced Catholic. It is a 13 session program. Each month a new topic will be discussed accompanied by a video showing divorced Catholics sharing their experiences, challenges and triumphs. Every session ends with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy in our beautiful church.

For more information, text "Support" to 84576.



O Come Let Us Adore Him!

Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration

Sunday, October 13
3:00—4:00 pm

An Explanation of the FY Report to Parishioners

(The report can be found on the final page of this bulletin.)

Each year we publish the parish financial status in the bulletin. This year the report shows the parish ended Fiscal Year 2024 with a surplus of \$463,177. We paid down the mortgage by \$446,913 leaving the parish with surplus of \$16,264. We know that with the Federal and State mandated changes to payroll, the parish payroll will increase by roughly \$18,600. This figure does not include COLA increases for staff members not impacted by the mandates. It also does not include any increases mandated by the Diocese of Arlington. Without an increase in donations, the parish will end the Fiscal Year 2025 in the in the red.

The report shows we have \$137,249 in DIAL with \$30,935 in restricted funds. Restricted funds can only be used for the purpose the donor intended. These funds cannot be used to for general operating expenses.

Under expenditures, Fr. O'Keefe does not make \$75,928 annually. This dollar amount includes money paid to visiting priests as well as Diocesan assessments of \$12,000 per priest and \$600 per Deacon. The \$275,977 for staff wages covers salary and benefits for three full time employees, six part time employees and three occasional employees. The parish employs part time and occasional employees rather than full time to help keep costs low.

Ministry expenses include all supplies needed for Mass and sacraments including hosts, wine and candles. Building expenditures include all repairs and maintenance to our buildings and grounds as well as all utility bills.

Administrative expenses include \$92,715 in Diocesan Assessments including the Arlington Catholic Herald and Tuition Assistance Programs. Administrative costs also include technology expenses and office supplies.

Capital Expenditures include \$140,328 in loan interest in addition to the last payment for the repair of the main doors to the church

Parish Name
Report to Parishioners
FY24 Financial Report

Balance Sheet

	Church	School	Parish
ASSETS			
Operating Accounts	115,064	-	115,064
DIAL Savings	137,249	-	137,249
Fixed Assets	-	-	-
Endowment Investments	-	-	-
Other Assets	343	-	343
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 252,656	\$ -	\$ 252,656
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	1,713	-	1,713
Loans Payable	3,771,881	-	3,771,881
Deferred Revenue	-	-	-
Other Liabilities	23,724	-	23,724
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 3,797,318	\$ -	\$ 3,797,318
NET ASSETS			
Without donor restrictions			
Unrestricted	(3,575,598)	-	(3,575,598)
With donor restrictions			
Temporarily Restricted	30,935	-	30,935
Permanently Restricted	-	-	-
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$ (3,544,662)	\$ -	\$ (3,544,662)
TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	\$ 252,656	\$ -	\$ 252,656

Income Statement

	Church	School	Parish
REVENUE SOURCES			
Offertory/Tuition Related Income	875,793	-	875,793
Ministry	90,935	-	90,935
School	-	-	-
Other Sources	35,631	-	35,631
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME	\$ 1,002,359	\$ -	\$ 1,002,359
EXPENDITURES			
Clergy	75,928	-	75,928
Staffing	275,977	-	275,977
Ministry	89,033	-	89,033
School	-	-	-
Buildings	149,741	-	149,741
Admin	127,541	-	127,541
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE	\$ 718,219	\$ -	\$ 718,219
NET OPERATING SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$ 284,139	\$ -	\$ 284,139
OTHER INCOME AND EXPENSE			
Campaign/Extraordinary Income	322,328	-	322,328
Capital Expendures/Renovations	143,290	-	143,290
NET OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)	\$ 179,038	\$ -	\$ 179,038
NET SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$ 463,177	\$ -	\$ 463,177



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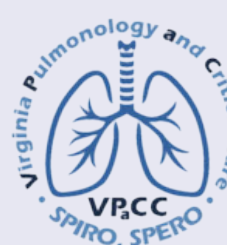
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