## St. Jude the Apostle Parish

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ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE			ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL		
11/04/2023	4:00pm	Fr. Rice	11/04/2023	4:00pm	Fr. Yanas
11/05/2023	10:30am	Fr. Rice	11/05/2023	8:00am	Fr. Rice
ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE			ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL		
11/11/2023	4:00pm	Fr. Yanas	11/11/2023	4:00pm	Fr. Tito

### Saturday, October 28, 2023 4PM

Bill Tymeson, Bob & Bonnie Bazyck

**Joan Millington**, Mr. & Mrs DiMeo & Family **William Hope**, Jack & Susan Canty

### **Sunday, October 29, 2023 10:30AM**

Maria Denier, Sister

Louis Giordani, Tommy & Claudia Deis

### Monday, October 30, 2023

For All Living and Deceased Parishioners of St Jude John Felts, Joe & Marie Kruczlnicki the Apostle Catholic Community

### Wednesday, November 1, 2023 8AM

**All Saints Day** 

For All living and Deceased Parishioners of St. Jude the Apostle Catholic Community

### Friday, November 2, 2023 All Souls Day

For All Living and Deceased Parishioners of St. Jude the Apostle Catholic Community

### Friday, November 3, 2023 8AM

Mark Lapointe, Mom

### Saturday, November 4, 2023 4PM

Geroge Blaz, Theresa Lapointe Jerry Richards, Husband John Perkinson. Wife Frances John Felts, Joe & Marie Kruczlnicki

### **Sunday, November 5, 2023 10:30**

David Holmes, Family

## ST. JUDE the APOSTLE SCHOOL

Capital Region Wing Wars 18 is November 4<sup>th</sup>



Capital Region Wing Wars has been a fundraiser for St. Jude the Apostle School for 18 years and still going strong. It is a chicken wing competition between many Capital District restaurants. Tickets are \$40 which gives you the opportunity to taste 2 wings from each participating restaurant.

This year's competitors include:
B-rads Bistro & Catering
Babbling Brook
Twisted Fiddler (formerly Slidin' Dirty)
Illusive
Shooters Bar & Grill
And MANY more!

To purchase tickets, please visit: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/capital-region-wing-wars-18-tickets-725667379667">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/capital-region-wing-wars-18-tickets-725667379667</a>

We are also looking for business sponsors for the event. If your business would like to sponsor Wing Wars 18 (all sponsors receive tickets to the event in a private, VIP room where you are served and do not need to fight the crowds, as well as marketing prior to and at the event), please contact the school at (518) 283-0333.

## **FAITH FORMATION AND TEAM PATHWAYS**

### **UPDATED & REVISED**

## FAMILY LITURGIES FOR FAITH FORMATION – 10:30A.M. MASS UNTIL THE END OF NOVEMBER

\*\*BEGINNING SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3RD, SUNDAY MASS WILL BE AT 10:00A.M.!

Sunday, November 12th, Grades 9 & 10

Sunday, November 19TH, Grades 5 & 6

Sunday, December 3rd, Grades 7 & 8

Sunday, December 10th, Grades K-4

Sunday, December 17th, Grades 9 & 10

Sunday, February 11th, Grades 2, 3 & 4

Sunday, March 10th, Grades 7 & 8

Sunday, March 17th, Grades 9 & 10

Sunday, April 17th, Grades K-10

## ALL FAMILIES ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND ALL FAMILY LITERGIES.

At all Family Liturgies, the students will be lectors, money collector's read intercessions and be gift bearers <u>GRADES 7-10</u>

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Any questions- please contact Paul Moore, St. Jude Youth Minister Grades 7-10. <a href="moorep285@gmail.com">moorep285@gmail.com</a>

## GOSPEL REFLECTION, ADORATION and MINISTRIES

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Reflection 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time cycle A

All through the scriptures Jesus teaches us that our God is like a loving parent. This week we learn something about that kind of love. The love of God, like a parent's love cannot be returned, it can only be passed on. In the Gospel, the first commandment to love God gives meaning to the second commandment. We can only love others the way that we should when we have the love of God in us.

We can only return his love by keeping his commandments and serving him. That is why Jesus told us that anyone who saw a person hungry and fed him was doing it for him, or anyone who clothed a naked person or visited a prisoner was doing it for him.

The spirit of God fills all of creation, but nowhere is God more present to us than in all of His children who are created in his image. And so, Jesus tells us today that to love our neighbor as ourselves is like the commandment to love God with our whole mind and heart. The two commandments are inseparably bound together.

God fills us with an abundance of his love, and that it spills over to those we come in contact with. We become a channel of his love which is to be given freely and unconditionally to others just as Christ showed us.

God's love is a like a parent's love because it involves the same kind of selflessness and sacrifice for the sake of another. It is love that expects nothing in return. Its only reward is the welfare of the beloved. God's love has no favorites, he made special laws to protect those who struggle in life. His foremost concern is the plight of the orphans and widows, the blind or the lame, the poor or the foreigner and all those who are vulnerable.

Jusus put the command to love of our neighbor right at the top of the list. He tells us that if we do not feed the hungry or care for the sick, cloth the naked or visit the prisoners, that he will say that he never knew us. Our first reading today puts it even more bluntly that God will punish anyone who takes advantage of vulnerable or ignores their plight.

So, as we live in a time in our country where people all around us seem to be struggling and many folks can barely meet their most basic needs. Let us take this opportunity pass on the love that God has shown to us. What can we do today to pass it on?

Deacon Warren

## ADORATION SCHEDULE FOR October 27th @ 5:30-6:30PM November 10, @ 5:30-6:30PM



## **STEWARDSHIP**

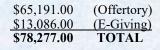
Thank you for your Sacrificial Giving to St. Jude the Apostle Parish Weekly Offertory 10/

> \$3,722.00 (Offertory) \$ 30.00 (E-Giving) \$ 3,752.00 TOTAL

To cover our expenses for the week, We need \$4,808.00 We are Under budget (\$1,056.00)

# STEWARDSHIP Talent & To

OUR YEAR-TO-DATE (7/1/23-6/30/24) is:



To cover our YTD we need \$81,736.00
We are UNDER budget (\$3,459.00)

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## **MINISTRIES**



### **Living with Loss**

The next Living with Loss Support Group will be held on **Thursday October 2023** at **3PM** in the Parish Center

Covid Vaccines are NOW available thru local pharmacies. If you are considered "high risk"-over the age of 65 or immunocompromised, please consider making an appointment. It is easy to see that Covid is still around, lots of folks wearing masks again-so be smart-wash your hands with soap and water or hand sanitizer. Send those small containers of hand sanitizer to school with the kids. AND MOST IMPORTANT-if you are sick, STAY HOME! Watch Mass on TV-don't go to work or school. Help stop the spread!

November is National Diabetes Month-a time to reflect and educate all on diabetes, According to the American Diabetes association, the number of cases of diabetes in the US has been on the rise for the past 10 years-over 23% of our population in this country suffers from Diabetes! Ways to prevent or delay diabetes can be managed by weight contorl exercise, and decreasing in take of sugar. Diabetes often runs in families, so knowing your family history is so important. Annual physical exams at your doctor's Office.

St. Jude the Apostle Church All Souls Day Memorial Mass November 2, 2023 at

6:30PM



### **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

An Invitation to Journey in Faith RCIA is a faith journey for adults desiring to become full members of the Catholic Church. Through a gradual process of prayer, faith sharing, study, and rituals, the RCIA process prepares people for full initiation within the Catholic Church to receive the sacraments of baptism, reconciliation, Eucharist, and confirmation. All are welcome to attend session, however the journey is specifically structured for: Adults never baptized who might desire to become Catholic. Adults baptized in another Christian Church who might desire to become Catholic.

Adults baptized Catholic who have not received the sacraments of Eucharist or confirmation.

If you are thinking about joining RCIA or have any questions, please contact Deacon Nick Ascioti at

nascioti@gmail.com



St. Jude the Apostle Parish will be hosting the greater community for the

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Veterans' Day Mass on Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.

## Mass Times-New Schedule for Sunday's

## Message from Father Pat,

First, thank you to all our St. Jude the Apostle and St. Michael the Archangel parishioners who participated in the polling this past weekend to help establish a standard Mass schedule to be offered at each parish location. The votes have been tabulated and these are the results:

St. Michael the Archangel - Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 am beginning on

December 3, 2023. Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass will remain the same.

**St. Jude the Apostle** - Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am beginning on December 3, 2023. Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass will remain the same.

This schedule will provide stability as we move forward as faith communities celebrating the sacraments and strengthening our relationship with God. Thank you for your commitment to your parish.



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