

November 19th, 2017 Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Important Dates

- November 19th**
Confirmation Class—Sunday from 6:30– to 8pm
- November 20th**
Knights of Columbus— Monday at 7pm
- November 23rd**
Thanksgiving Day Mass—Thursday at 10am, bring food to bless
- December 3rd**
Chili Cook Contest—Sunday after Mass
- December 5h**
RCIA Class—Tuesday from 7 to 8pm
- December 10th**
Knights Spaghetti Advent Dinner—Sunday after Mass
Christmas Caroling - at the Nursing Home after the Dinner

—More information for all events is on the parish website—

Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) offices and ministries also reach beyond the reach of any one parish. Many ACA supported offices provide services that are well beyond the scope of any single parish. In combining resources, they are able to minister to the diverse ethnic populations in the whole Diocese, provide much needed spiritual support on our college campuses, and assist with service for seniors, low income families and individuals. Please make a pledge if you have not already!

Knights Spaghetti Advent Dinner—Sunday, December 10th

We will be going to the Oak Grove Nursing Center for Christmas caroling at 12:45 after the Advent Dinner. Bring your voices and share the spirit of Christmas with the residents!



Calling all who can Sew: Joan Jaromin, who has made all of Fr. Matthew's vestments – is willing to work with someone in the parish to teach them how to make vestments. . . *what a generous offer!* If you, or someone you know, knows anything at all about sewing – Joan says she can teach you how to make vestments! Let Fr. Matthew know if you are interested. Thanks for considering using your gifts and talents for this project.

Readings for the week of November 19—25

- Sunday** Prv 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31, Ps 128,
1Thes 5: 1-6, Mt 25: 14-30
- Monday** 1 Mc 1: 10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63, Ps 119, Lk 13: 35-43
- Tuesday** 2 Mc 6: 18-31, Ps 3, Lk 19: 1-10
- Wednesday** 2 Mc 7: 1, 20-31, Ps 17, Lk 19: 11-28
- Thursday** Sir 50: 22-24, Ps 138, Lk 17: 11-19
- Friday** 1 Mc 4: 36-37, 52-59, 1 Chr 29, Lk 19: 45-48
1 Mc 6: 1-13, Ps 9, Lk 20: 27-40
- Saturday**

Question about the Reading for November 19th

What five talents (abilities, gifts, characteristics) has God given to you? Are you a good and faithful servant with them?

Please join us for the Rosary each weekend before Mass on Saturday at 3:00pm and Sunday at 10am

Something to Ponder
Be Silent, Be thoughtful,
Be Reverent, for this is the Lord's House
Before Mass, Let God speak to you



Mass will be held at St. Jude at 10am.
Please bring a food item for the altar to be blessed.

BE AN ANGEL AND HELP THOSE LESS FORTUNATE THIS CHRISTMAS

Angel Tree tags, purchase gifts and follow instructions on the back. Tags are color coordinated with each box. Supporting Community Service League Christmas Store, Catholic Charities Drive for warm winter items, and 2 Oak Grove School District Families.

Blessings to you!
Contact Dana Tucker at 816-228-1527 or 816-699-0587

Knights of Columbus Coat Drive

The Knights will start asking for donations for coats for kids or to bring in slightly used coats to donation to CSL. Check out K of C table in the gathering area for more information!

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St. Jude Chili Cook-off December 3rd after Mass



Bring your favorite to share! Everyone is welcome to try all the chilis and vote "the Best Chili". Toppings, hot dogs and drinks will be provided! A prize will be given for the "Best Chili".

All ladies are invited to attend the DCCW (Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) Quarterly Meeting to be held on **December 6, 2017 at St. Jude's Catholic Church, Oak Grove, MO.** Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. with coffee & goodies followed by business meeting, Mass, guest speaker, 50/50 drawing, and catered luncheon. Luncheon is \$11.00 and **reservations must be made no later than Friday, December 1st**, by calling Carolyn Huff @ 816-690-4278 or by email to lthouse4@centurylink.net. **We look forward to seeing you!!**

Please bring warm hats, scarfs, mittens, etc. to be donated to Catholic Charities for distribution in the inner-city. This also includes participating in the NCCW (National Council of Catholic Women) project entitled "Over the Toes and Under the Clothes" for all ages, sizes and gender. The needs are great and any new

Liturgical Ministers Needed; Anyone interested in being a Choir member, Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Usher, Greeter or Server. Contact Calvin at 230-5245, email calvin.snow@gmail.com

NO ROOM AT THE INN

An exhibit of nativity scenes collected from diverse and family treasures will be on display Saturday, Dec. 2 from 10 am to 8pm & Sunday, Dec. 3 from 9:30am to 3pm at St. George meeting hall.

All are welcome to view the many artistic endeavors to capture holiness of Christ's coming. A free will donation will assist the House of Hope Shelter.

St. Jude Parish Welcomes You!

Box 590, 2001 S. Broadway, Oak Grove, MO 64075

Website: www.stjudeoakgrove.org

Email: contact@stjudeoakgrove.com

It is our hope that you feel at home and among friends here. If you are a visitor for a day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would be delighted to welcome you into our parish family. Contact us for registration at 690-3165 or pick up a registration form on the table in the gathering area.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 2nd Sunday after 10:30 Mass, & 4th Saturday 2:45 – 3:15

Baptism: Must be a registered member of the parish and attend pre-baptism class, contact Connie Orrison at 690-2356 or connie.orrison@gmail.com

Marriage: Arrangement must be made with Fr. Matthew at least 9 months in advance

Pastor: Fr. Matthew Brumleve, contact Fr. Matthew @ 230-4127, St. George Office @ 816-633-7475, Email @ frmatthewb@gmail.com

Staff: Receptionist/Secretary: Chris Chambers @ 690-3165, Email: cchambers@stjudeoakgrove.com

Operations/Business Manager: Brenda Boss @ 690-3165, Email: bboss@stjudeoakgrove.com

Religious Education Coordinator: Connie Orrison 816-690-2356, Email: corrison@stjudeoakgrove.com

Confirmation Coordinator: Sue Lee @ 625-0907 Email: slee7723@earthlink.net

Liturgist: Calvin Snow @ 230-5245, Email: calvin.snow@gmail.com

Office hours: Monday & Thursday 10 to 12, Tuesday and Friday varied hours after Mass

Hall Rental: Contact Chris Chambers at the office @ 690-3165

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and

2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and

3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected *sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult* to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate at 816.392.0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Weekly Gifts for November 11 & 12

Envelope.....\$1719.00

Plate\$752.00

All Saint's Day....\$25.00

Bulletin Advertising.....\$3040.00

Attendance

Saturday— November 11—62

Sunday — November 12— 98

	Server	Eucharistic Ministers	Lector	Money Counters	Nursing Home
11/18		Julia Seck, Christy Mouse, Norm Seyfert	Judi Vogan		
11/19		Jim Boss, Carol Vanderpool, Chris Chambers	Katie Wright	Jerry Arndorfer, Bruce Fangmann	Julia Seck
11/25		Marilyn Sapp, Linda Boyd, Richard Vorbeck	Diane Christianson		
11/26		Brenda Boss, Judi Vogan, Jovanna Rohs	Carol Vanderpool	Mary Ann White, Carol Vanderpool	Pat Morgan

Communion for Homebound

Please call the parish office at 690-3165 or send an email to contact@stjudeoakgrove.com when lifestyles keeps one from joining our weekend worship through age or illness. We will contact Fr. Matthew and our outreach ministry for you.

Prayers for the sick

Remember the following in your prayers: Sheryl Turley, Phillip Cramer, Jim & Myrtle Wilson, Richard Garnier, Eugene Morrison, Nancy & Wayne Totton, Truman Smith, Bonnie Jones, David Evans, Mark Schieber, Ryan Jones, Ron & Chris Katzer, Rick Sweaney, Terry Forsythe, Louis Lux, Beverly Kulik, Gary Trigg, Linda Huber

Weekly Mass Intentions

- Saturday 11/18** Linda Huber
- Sunday 11/19** +DeLaine Warburton
- Tuesday 11/21** +Vera Schwartz
- Thanksgiving 11/23** St. Jude & St. George Parishioners
- Friday 11/24** No Mass
- Saturday 11/25** +Faye Katzer
- Sunday 11/26** +Dalene Sommer

+denotes deceased

Tuesday—Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion & Mass at 8:45

Friday—Divine Chaplet & Mass at 8:45

When there is no Mass, Mother of Perpetual Help & Communion Service will be on Tuesday, Divine Chaplet & Communion Service will be on Friday, both days will always start at 8:45

Date	Monday	Tuesday St. Jude	Wednesday St. George	Thursday St. George	Friday St. Jude
10/29-11/04	10/30 No Mass	10/31	11/1 5pm & 7pm	11/2	11/3
11/5-11/11	11/6 No Mass	11/7	11/8	11/9	11/10
11/12-11/18	11/13 No Mass	11/14 No Mass	11/15 No Mass	11/16 No Mass	11/17 No Mass
11/19-11/25	11/20 No Mass	11/21	11/22	11/23 10am	11/24 No Mass
11/26-12/2	11/27 No Mass	11/28	11/29	11/30	12/1

The **Church Library** is located on the wall outside the office. You can donate books by placing them on the shelf. You are welcome to borrow these books, just remember to return them so that others can enjoy.

Please remember to keep your **Best Choice labels**. Drop them off in the blue box on the table in the gathering area. Altar Society receives cash for these and that lets us help with the many needs for our parish. We thank you and appreciate your support.