

July 29th, 2018

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Important Dates

August 2nd

Parish Council - Thursday at 6:30

August 5th

Fellowship—Sunday after Mass

Arts & Environment - Sunday after fellowship

August 11 & 12

Garage Sale Drop off — Before and after Masses

—More information for all events is on the parish website—
www.stjudeoakgrove.org

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?”

(JOHN 6:9)

The miracle of the Loaves and Fishes is the only miracle which is recorded six times in the Gospel. It carries two important messages. First, no matter how little we have, we always have enough to share. Second, Christ can take our humble gifts and do great things with them if we are just willing to let Him. No gift is too small or insignificant!

GARAGE SALE — AUGUST 15th thru 18th
Start collecting all your items for our garage sale.

The drop off dates are August 11th & 12th before and after Mass. Call Dana Tucker (816-699-0587) if you need help with pick up!

Garage Sale

A long time member of our church family has moved. Shirley Baxter is at Sunrise of Lenexa, 15055 W. 87th St. Parkway, Room 116, Lenexa, KS 66215. I'm sure she would love to hear from her church family.

“Lord, when did we see you hungry, thirsty, a stranger...?” The Life & Justice Campaign parish collection will be **August 18 & 19, 2018**. Prayerfully consider sharing your gifts with our brothers and sisters in need. For more information, please visit www.lifeandjusticekcsj.org.



Thank you to all who helped make this year's Vacation Bible School a success. Through your efforts, 21 children were given the opportunity to experience faith formation in a fun way. Thank you to all who shared their time each day and those who gave generously to make the program possible.

Check out the St. Jude Memorial Garden on the south side of the church.

The garden was built to provide a place of rest and reflection to honor the memory of a deceased relative or member of St. Jude the Apostle Parish. Memorial Garden Markers can be obtained by completing the form available on the bulletin board or by contacting Julia Seck 816-697-2487 or jseck1@outlook.com.

MAX PRISON MINISTRY PEN PALS

Would you like to be a part of the diocesan prison ministry but you are not sure if it would be a good fit for you? Join us as a Prison Pen Pal. Pen Pals write one letter each month to an individual living in prison. Detailed instructions may be found on the MAX Ministry tab at www.humanrightskcsj.org.

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. Bryan at least 9 months in advance

Pastor: Fr. Bryan Amthor: contact Fr. Bryan @ 230-4127, Email @ frbryana@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

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.

Weekly Gifts for July 21 & 22

Envelopes.....\$1729.10

Plate\$644.00

Parish Improvement.....\$10.25

Attendance

Saturday— June 21— 140

Sunday — July 22— 95

Christian Stewardship

Who is a Christian steward?

The U.S. bishop's document titled "Stewardship: A Disciple's Response" defines a Christian steward as "one who receives God's gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsive manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to

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. Bryan and our outreach ministry for you.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday 7/28 +Genevieve Brumleve (Terry & Gail Sopher)

Sunday 7/29 +John Davis (John & Marsha Ebert)

Tuesday 7/31 +Ron Langevin (Jim & Betsy Stoll)

Friday 8/3 +Genivieve Brumleve (Carol Vanderpool)

Saturday 8/4 Darren & Ryan McPatrick (Terry & Gail Sopher)

Sunday 8/5 St. Jude & St. George Parishioners
+ Deceased

Date	Eucharistic Ministers	Lector	Money Counters	Nursing Home
7/28	Norm Seyfert, Julia Seck, Josh Neuweg	Christy Mouse		
7/29	Judi Vogan, Jovanna Rohs, Carol Vanderpool	Jim Boss	Patty Davis Joyce Moriarty	Peggy Mansur
8/4	Jim Boss, Norm Seyfert, Linda Boyd	Mary Holzbaur		
8/5	Josh Neuweg, Carolyn Huff, Melissa Mauer-Smith	Sue Lee	Josh Neuweg Bruce Fangmann	Peggy Mansur

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
7/1 - 7/7	7/2 Mo Mass	7/3	7/4	7/5 NO Mass	7/6
7/8 - 7/14	7/9 No Mass	7/10 No Mass	7/11 No Mass	7/12 No Mass	7/13
7/15 - 7/21	7/16 No Mass	7/17	7/18	7/19	7/20
7/22 - 7/28	7/23 No Mass	7/24	7/25	7/26	7/27
7/29 - 8/4	7/30 No Mass	7/31	8/1	8/2	8/3

The Church Library bookcase 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.

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, Gary Trigg, Maria Crawford, Jake Jacques, Jackie Durdala, Ebb Chambers

Reconciliation hours are changed

Starting immediately, there will be reconciliation every Saturday from 2:45 to 3:15 and every Sunday from 10:00 to 10:15.

Vacation Checklist:

- >1. Pack sunscreen.
- >2. Visit stjudeoakgrove.org to make your weekly contribution online. Click on OnlineGiving from the homepage or go directly to: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/stjude> to make a secure online donation.
- >Your church never takes a vacation so be sure to continue your financial support even while attending Mass elsewhere. Enjoy your vacation, and see you when you get back!

Readings for the week of July 29th

Sunday 2 kgs 4: 42-44, Ps 145, Eph 4: 1-6, Jn 6: 1-15

Monday Jer 13: 1-11, Dt 32, Mt 13: 31-35

Tuesday Jer 14: 17-22, Ps 79, Mt 13: 36-43

Wednesday Jer 15: 10, 16-21, Ps 59, Mt 13: 44-46

Thursday Jer 18: 1-6, Ps 146, Mt 13: 47-53

Friday Jer 26: 1-9, Ps 69, Mt 13: 54-58

Saturday Jer 25: 11-16, 24, Ps 69, Mt 14: 1-12