

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Important Dates

October 7th

**Fellowship**— Sunday after Mass  
**Blessing of the Animals** — at 1:30 at St. George

October 11th

**Parish Council**— Thursday ay 6:30

October 13th

**Parish Clean up**—Saturday from 9 to noon

October 15th

**Knights of Columbus** — Monday at 7pm

October 18th

**Lunch Bunch** - Thursday at 11:30

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

[www.stjudeoakgrove.org](http://www.stjudeoakgrove.org)



You are invited to spend an hour with Jesus every Wednesday after Mass until 7:40. We will end adoration with benediction.

**FYI**—The daily Mass for Friday, October 12th will be a 8:00am.



**RECIPES PLEASE** - We are preparing a "special" cookbook of St. Jude family's favorite recipes. We need YOUR recipes. We would like a minimum of 3 recipes from each family in various categories (Appetizers/Drinks, Breads, Cakes, Cookies and Bars, Desserts, Main Dishes, Soups/Salads and Miscellaneous). Pick up the forms from the display in the entry way. Please write or type one recipe per sheet. When you have yours completed, return it to the completed box so we can start working on them. All recipes need to be turned in by September 30, 2018. If you need help or have questions call Ann Armdorfer (690-2296) or Linda Boyd (690-3433). Thank you for supporting our new cookbook. They will be available for sale in December.

**ONLINE GIVING** —Online Giving is available to all parishioners! It's an easy and convenient way to make contributions! Check it out on <https://giving.parishsoft.com/stjude> or go to St. Jude's website at [www.stjudeoakgrove.org](http://www.stjudeoakgrove.org) on the Home page.

**An Afternoon of Prayerful Remembrance & Intercession**, Sunday, October 7, 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.; Sacred Heart Parish, Warrensburg, MO. All are welcome. The afternoon will include brief testimonies and discussion, intercessory prayer and time for silent reflection. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered afterward, and we will pray the Rosary during this time as well, as a *Rosary Coast to Coast* is planned for this same day.

Readings for the week of September 30th

<b>Sunday</b>	Nm11: 25-29, Ps 19, Jas 5:1-6, Mk 9: 38-43, 45,47-48
<b>Monday</b>	Jb 1: 6-22, Ps 17, Lk 9: 46-50
<b>Tuesday</b>	Jb 3; 1-3, 11-17, 20-23, Ps 88, Mt 18: 1-5, 10
<b>Wednesday</b>	Jb 9: 1-12, 14-16, Ps 88, Lk 9: 57-62
<b>Thursday</b>	Jb 19: 21-27, Ps 27, Lk 10: 1-12
<b>Friday</b>	Jb 38:1, 12-21, 40: 3-5, Ps 139, Lk 10: 13-16
<b>Saturday</b>	Jb 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17, Ps 119, Lk 10: 17-24

26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward." (MARK 9:41)

Does your life reflect the life of Jesus? Remember, we were made in His image. We tend to forget this. When others see you, do they see the face of Jesus? When you look at others, do you see the face of Jesus in them?

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** classes are being offered starting in Oct. On **Tues., Oct. 9, 2018, at 7 PM**, there will be an **informational session** for those who want to learn about the journey of RCIA. Classes are offered to anyone who feels called to the Catholic faith, those who have never been baptized as Christians, those who have been baptized in another Christian faith who are now interested in the Catholic church, and those who have been baptized in the Catholic church but have not received the sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation.



If you are interested in attending the informational session, you may contact Connie Orrison at [corrison@stjudeoakgrove.com](mailto:corrison@stjudeoakgrove.com) or 816-690-2356.

Jackson Schnieders, son of Bob & Amy Schnieders, grandson of Bob & Shirley Schnieders was a 2011 graduate of OGHS, received BA degree in 2015 from the University of St. Francis in Joliet, IL, Juris Doctorate degree from UMKC Law School in May 2018. He took the Missouri Bar Exam in July, 2018. The results of the Bar were released on Sept. 12 and he passed. He was sworn into the Bar and granted his license to practice law in Missouri on September 21 at the Mo. Supreme Court. He is currently working as the law clerk for the Honorable Charles McKenzie in the Circuit Court of Jackson County at Kansas City. Congratulations to Jackson!

Deanery 8 meeting will be held at the Sisters of St. Francis Warehouse on Thursday, October 4th at 9am. Please contact Carol Vanderpool at 816-217-4485 if you are attending and if you need a ride.

**Odessa Life Chain Sunday, October 7, 2018**

2:00-3:00 PM

**STAND FOR LIFE**

Pick up official signs after 1:45 PM at the southwest corner of Second and Mason street (in front of the Bank of Odessa)

≈ For more information call Sandy at 263-7898 ≈ Please join us!

Are you or a loved one suffering from abortion? Find hope and allow God to heal your heart by attending a Rachel's Vineyard retreat. The last of the three 2018 Kansas City retreats will be on the weekend of October 26-28. For more information or to register, please call Teresa O'Donnell at (816) 679-4973 or email [rvkcmo@gmail.com](mailto:rvkcmo@gmail.com) or visit [www.rachelsvineyardkc.org](http://www.rachelsvineyardkc.org).

**MAX PRISON MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS IN PRAYER**

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 Volunteer in Prayer (VIP). The VIP Program is a vital part of prison ministry in our diocese. We ask VIP's for a commitment to intentionally pray at least once each week -- on your own or with a group -- for those who are incarcerated and for our prison ministry. An email with the prayer intentions of all prisoners is sent to your inbox each week.

**St. Jude Parish Welcomes You**

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Website: [www.stjudeoakgrove.org](http://www.stjudeoakgrove.org)

Email: [contact@stjudeoakgrove.com](mailto: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.

**Pastor:** Fr. Bryan Amthor: contact Fr. Bryan @ 230-4127, Email @ [frbryana@gmail.com](mailto:frbryana@gmail.com)

**Staff:** Receptionist/Secretary: Chris Chambers @ 690-3165, Email: [cchambers@stjudeoakgrove.com](mailto:cchambers@stjudeoakgrove.com)

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Liturgist: Calvin Snow @ 230-5245, Email: [calvin.snow@gmail.com](mailto:calvin.snow@gmail.com)

**Office hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10am to 12pm

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

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Sunday before 10:30 Mass, & 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](mailto:connie.orrison@gmail.com)

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

**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](mailto:JeniferValenti@att.net), if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

**Weekly Gifts for September 22nd & 23rd**

Envelopes....\$1307.00  
Plate .....\$600.40  
Latin America ....\$5.00  
Kitchen Renovation....\$495.00  
Vegetable Garden.....\$135.00  
Religious Education....\$ 135.00

**Attendance**

Saturday— September 22nd — 79  
Sunday — September 23rd — 146

Date	Eucharistic Ministers	Lector	Money Counters	Nursing Home
9/29	Chris Chambers, Julia Seck, Norm Seyfert	Mary Holzbaur		
9/30	Judi Vogan, Jovanna Rohs, Carol Vanderpool	Jim Boss	Carol Vanderpool Patty Davis	Judi Vogan
10/6	Mary Holzbaur, Christy Mouse, Richard Vorbeck	Barbara Wood		
10/7	Carolyn Huff, Josh Neuweg, Melissa Mauer-Smith	Brenda Boss	Joyce Moriarty Bruce Fangmann	Marilyn Sapp

**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 the Lord."

**Communion for Homebound**

Please call the parish office at 690-3165 or send an email to [contact@stjudeoakgrove.com](mailto: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**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9/29</b>	<b>+Vera Schwartz (Gilbert Schwartz)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9/30</b>	<b>+Laney Leach (Aunt Jennie &amp; Family)</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>10/3</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>10/4</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>10/5</b>	<b>+John Davis (Candy Davis)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10/6</b>	<b>+Patty William (Jim &amp; Brenda Boss)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10/7</b>	<b>St. Jude &amp; St. George Parishioners</b>

**Thursday—Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion & Mass at 9:15**  
**Friday—Divine Chaplet & Mass at 8:45**

**When there is no Mass, Mother of Perpetual Help & Communion Service will be on Thursday, Divine Chaplet & Communion Service will be on Friday, both days will always start 15 minutes before service**

Date	Monday	Tuesday St. George	Wednesday St. George St. Jude	Thursday St. George St. Jude	Friday St. Jude
9/2-9/8	9/3 No Mass	9/4 St. G—5:30	9/5 St. G —9am St. J—6pm	9/6 St. G- 8:30 St. J—9:30	9/7 Mass-9:00
9/9-9/15	9/10 No Mass	9/11 St. G—5:30	9/12 St. G —9am St. J—6pm	9/13 St. G- 8:30 St. J—9:30	9/14 Mass-9:00
9/16-9/22	9/17 No Mass	9/18 St. G—5:30	9/19 St. G —9am St. J—6pm	9/20 St. G- 8:30 St. J—9:30	9/21 Mass-9:00
9/23-9/29	9/24 No Mass	9/25 St. G—5:30	9/26 St. G —9am St. J—6pm	9/27 St. G-8:30 St. J—9:30	9/28 Mass-9:00
9/3-10/6	10/1 No Mass	10/2 St. G—5:30	10/3 St. G—9am St. J 6pm	10/4 St. G- 8:30 St. J—9:30	10/5 Mass-9:00

**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, Louis Lux, Gary Trigg, Maria Crawford, Jake Jacques, Ebb Chambers, Jackie Durdala, Mandy Boone, Shirley Baxter