



March 15th, 2020 Third Sunday of Lent



St. Jude Parish Welcomes You

Website: www.stjudeoakgrove.org

Email: contact@stjudeoakgrove.com

Important Dates

March 18th

Finance Committee — Wednesday at 7:00 pm

March 19th

Lunch Bunch — Cancelled

March 21st

Texas Hold 'Em — Saturday, doors open at 6pm

March 24th

Parish Council — Postponed

March 26th

Altar Society — Thursday, Social at 6:30, meeting at 7pm.

March 28th

Lenten Retreat — Cancelled

More information for all events are on the parish website—
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Dear St. Jude and St. George,

This week in our Lenten encounter with Mercy we continue to meditate on the beautiful sacrament of confession. Confession is available as always before every Mass as well during adoration. You are also welcome to grab me before daily Mass or any other time. If you've been holding off out of fear or have a marriage situation or whatever the time to speak with me or to another priest is now. My sole purpose is to communicate God's love to you and help you get to Heaven. As a matter of fact the way I get to Heaven is helping you.

Also I will be on a last minute vacation from Mar. 22 after Masses until the 27th. Weekday Masses will be cancelled. Check the calendar for the updated devotional schedule including stations.

Stay Holy St. Jude and St. George,

3rd Sunday of Lent

"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again." JOHN 4:13 Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions we always want more. True Joy and Peace only comes when we follow Jesus; when we become more

Knights of Columbus Clothes Closet

The Knights have opened their free closet downstairs. It is for you, your loved ones or anyone else. Christ said "Clothe my people". I am sure most of us know someone that is in need. No questions asked! Last time there was a lot of men's, boys and a few girls clothes. This time, lots of girls, few boys and men. It will run through Lent. Thank you, John Boyd, Knights of Columbus.

GARAGE SALE WEDNESDAY, 4/22-SATURDAY 4/25

START CLEANING THOSE BASEMENTS, GARAGES, ATTICS AND CLOSETS. OUR BAG SALES BENEFIT OUR COMMUNITY. WE TURN NO ONE AWAY. COLLECTION STARTS 4/18-19 BEFORE AND AFTER MASS



Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds for the collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Please give generously to the CRSC and help Jesus in disguise. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic/relief

Readings for the week of March 15th

Sunday Ex 17: 3-7, Ps 95, Rom 5:1-2, 5-8, Jn 4: 5-42
Monday 2 Kgs 5: 1-15ab, Pgs 42 & 43, Lk 4: 24-30
Tuesday Dn 3: 25, 34-42, Ps 25, Mt 18: 21-35
Wednesday Dr 4: 1, 5-9, Ps 147, Mt 5: 17-192
Thursday Sm 7: 4-5a, 12-14am 16,Ps 89, Rom 4:13, 16-18,22, Mt 1: 16, 18-21, 24a
Friday Hos 14: 2-10, Ps 81, Mk 12: 28-34
Saturday Hos 6: 1-6, Ps 51, Lk 18: 9-14

Rachel's Vineyard-Kansas City Healing hearts in the heart of the nation

In Jesus' ministry, He was often an outcast to His own people. For women and men who have experienced an abortion, they, too, often feel like outcasts, isolated and alone. If you or someone you know is suffering from an abortion decision, Jesus understands your pain. Allow Jesus to work a miracle in your heart. Rachel's Vineyard retreats are all about healing the pain of abortion one weekend at a time. The first of three 2020 Kansas City retreats will be on April 24-26. Please call (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com for confidential information and to start the healing.

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 (816)-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 @ fbryana@gmail.com

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

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Director of Music: Calvin Snow @ 230-5245, Email: 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, Wednesday from 5 to 6pm during Adoration, & Saturday 2:45 – 3:15

Baptism : Contact Fr. Bryan Amthor @ 230-4127, Email @ fbryana@gmail.com

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, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org, 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 the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information

Prayers for the Sick

Remember the following in your prayers: Sheryl Turley, Jim & Myrtle Wilson, Nancy & Wayne Totton, Truman Smith, Bonnie Jones, David Evans, Ryan Jones, Louis Lux, Gary Trigg, Maria Crawford, Jackie Durdala, Mandy Boone, Dustin Khan, Judy Calia, Louis Boehm, Jasmin Boothe, Freda Stanger, Jesse Daniel, John Bowman, Jane Johnson, Kathy Kane, Joyce Peterson, Jerry Booker

Date	Eucharistic Ministers	Lector	Altar Servers	Money Counters	Nursing Home
3/14	NO E.M.	Diane Christianson	Adelle & Gage Haskins Chase Totta	Josh Neuweg Madonna Forthefer	CLOSED
3/15	UNTIL	Katie Wright	Cora Rohs Allie Schley		UNTIL
3/21	FURTHER	Diane Christianson	Adelle & Gage Haskins Chase Totta		FURTHER
3/22	NOTICE	Jovanna Rohs	James Rohs Cora Rohs	Mary Ann White Joyce Moriarty	NOTICE

Weekly Gifts for March 7th and March 8th

Envelopes.....\$ 2333.03

Plate\$950.00

Parish Improvement.... \$503.00

Parish Improvement....\$150.00

Attendance

Saturday— March 7th—101

Sunday — March 8th—105

In the end, everything has been entrusted to our protections, and all us are responsible for it. Be protectors of God's gifts.
—Pope Francis

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday 3/14 +John Davis (Candy Davis)
Sunday 3/15 *St. Jude Church Family
Tuesday 3/17 Priest Intention
Wednesday 3/18 Priest Intention
Friday 3/20 +Rose Bleyenber (Friends & Family)
Saturday 3/21 +Jack Schnieders (Margaret & Mary Boehm)
**Sunday 3/22 *St. Jude Church Family
*Sunday Mass for Parish + Deceased**

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.

Date	Monday NO Mass	Tuesday St. Jude St. George	Wednesday St. George St. Jude	Thursday St. George	Friday St. Jude
3/1 -3/7	3/2 No Mass	3/3 St J—9am St G—6pm	3/4 St G—9am St J—6pm	3/5 St G— 9am	3/6 St J 9am
3/8 - 3/14	3/9 No Mass	3/10 St J—9am St G-6pm	3/11 St G-9am St J— 6pm	3/12 St G-9am	3/13 St J-9am
3/15 - 3/21	3/16 No Mass	3/17 St J—9am St G-6pm	3/18 St G-9am St J— 6pm	3/19 St G— 9am	3/20 St J— 9am
3/22 - 3/28	3/23 No Mass	3/24 No Mass	3/25 No Mass	3/26 NoMass	3/27 No Mass
3-29- 4/4	3/30 No Mass	3/31 St J— 9am St G—6pm	4/1 St G—9am St J—6pm	4/2 St. G— 9am	4/3 St J 9am

You are invited to spend time with Jesus every Wednesday for Reconciliation/Adoration/Benediction from 5pm to 6pm. **There will be Mass at 6pm.** Christ's great love for us was shown when he was crucified on the cross to pay the penalty for our sins and give us eternal life. He loves us without limit, and offers Himself to us in the Holy sacrament of the Eucharist. Can we not give Jesus a few minutes of love and adoration in return?