

September 12, 2021
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ Fellowship....September 12th after mass (Knights of Columbus are having a pancake breakfast)
- ◆ Confirmation Class...September 15th
- ◆ Lunch Bunch....Friday, September 17th 11:30 am
- ◆ Pastoral Council Meeting... September 29nd 6:30 pm

Pre-register for the Knights of Columbus Inaugural Golf Tournament at the Blue Springs Country Club on September 25th, 2021 to benefit Special Olympics and Community Service League. Contact information is G. Balistreri at balistreriguy@gmail.com or phone number 816-699-0685.

Religious Education

Deadline for registration will be September 22. After that date there will be a \$20 late fee. Any questions please reach out to me. katherinebrownpsr@gmail.com

Confirmation Class 9/15. We will start at 6pm with Mass. Then a meeting followed. Parents need to be there.

FIRE, WIND WATER

The three principal symbols of the Holy Spirit in the Scriptures
 Saturday, September 18, 2021 - 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Guardian Angels Church (handicap accessible)
 1310 Westport, Kansas City, MO 64111

Teachings on the Holy Spirit and healing, praise and worship music, healing prayer ministry, confession, blessing of sacramentals and closing with Guardian Angels 4:00 parish Mass. Call 816-885-2322 for registration and optional meal information

Rekindle the Romance. Every relationship experiences periods of drought, times when you wonder what happened to the passionate, happy couple you see in your wedding pictures. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend allows you to rediscover the love you have for each other and reignite the flame in your marriage. The next weekend in the Kansas City area will be September 10-12, 2021. For more information, or to apply for a weekend, visit www.WWME.org, or call/email Deacon Tony & Barb Zimmerman at 816-741-4066, tonybarbz@prodigy.net

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 on the Home page. Check on Donate Now!

We now have TEXT to Give! Simply TEXT the word "Give" to our number 1-816-608-8004 and follow the prompts! This number is set up specifically for St. Jude for giving.

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." MARK 8:34

OFFERTORY PRAYER: Remembering that absolutely everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God.

NEVER FORGET

9.11.2001

We remember this day as we still struggle with many emotions. We also remember that people all over the world share these feelings and that of the suffering of many parts of the world. We ask that we have the strength to work for healing for all nations in our planet.



Please pray for those beginning the Intentional Discipleship Workshops these next few weeks and contact Fr. Bryan (frbryana@gmail.com) ASAP if you want to be involved and haven't signed up yet.

FYI— Please have the correct cash amount or a check for Mass Intentions (\$10), when requesting Masses for loved ones. The office does not have any cash to make change. Thank you for your cooperation!

The people of Haiti, the poorest nation in the Western Hemisphere, have most recently undergone terrible tribulations—political upheaval, a severe earthquake, and a tropical storm. Catholic Relief Services is actively assisting our suffering brothers and sisters in Haiti. To donate to their work, please go to their website at crs.org.

Have you been married 50 years? If you and your spouse would like to be honored by Bishop James Johnston, please notify the parish office by emailing bboss@stjudeoakgrove.com. The celebration includes those couples whose 50th Wedding Anniversary falls between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021. The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception on Sunday, September 26, 2021 at the 9am and 11am Cathedral Masses. Bishop James Johnston will preside at each Mass honoring the Golden Wedding couples. A light reception will be held following each Mass time at the Cathedral. Couples can attend either Mass. The event is for the couples and their immediate family.



St. Jude Parish Welcomes You

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 (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 @ frbryana@gmail.com

Staff:

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

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

Religious Education Coordinator/Youth Minister: Katherine Brown @816-633-2341, Email: katherinebrownpsr@gmail.com

Director of Music: Calvin Snow @ 230-5245, Email: calvin.snow@gmail.com

Office hours: Tuesday and Friday from 9:30am to 11:30pm

Hall Rental: Contact Brenda Boss 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

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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Prayers for the Sick

Remember the following in your prayers:

Sheryl Turley, Nancy & Wayne Totton, Bonnie Jones, David Evans, Ryan Jones, Louis Lux, Gary Trigg, Dustin Khan, Judy Calia, John Bowman, Robert Harman, Ed Schieber, Emma Hernandez, Dr. Tom Seck, Gary Reid, Elisa Sands

Weekly Gifts for Sept. 4th & 5th

Envelopes.....\$2511.00
 Plate....\$150.00
 OLG.....\$825.00
 Parish Improvement...\$35.00
 OLG Parish Improvement...\$1.00
 Latin America.....\$20.00

Attendance: Sept. 4th... 60
 Sept. 5th ...80

Weekly Mass Intentions

- Saturday** 9/11 +Mary Boehm (Joe & Lana Brocato)
- Sunday** 9/12 *St. Jude Parishioners
- Tuesday** 9/14 +J.D. Earnshaw (Betty Earnshaw)
- Wed.** 9/15 +Ike Martinez (Connie & Mike Orrison)
- Friday** 9/17 +Alma Huber (Terry & Gail Sopher)
- Saturday** 9/18 +Mary Boehm (Jim & Betsy Stoll)
- Sunday** 9/19 * St Jude Parishioners
 + Deceased

Date	Lector	Altar Servers	Money Counters	Nursing Home
9/11	Katie Wright	Volunteer		CLOSED
9/12	Carol Vanderpool	Volunteer	Mary Ann White Carol Balistreri	UNTIL
9/18	Jim Boss	Volunteer		FURTHER
9/19	Jovanna Rohs	Volunteer	Patty Davis Madonna Forthofer	NOTICE

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

Jesus' disciples and Christian stewards recognize God as the origin of life, giver of freedom, and source of all things. We are grateful for the gifts we have received and are eager to use them to show our love for God and for one another. We look to the life and teaching of Jesus for guidance in living as Christian stewards.