

SUNDAY JUNE 13, 2021

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings: Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

“Jesus teaches in parables about the kingdom of God”

MASS SCHEDULE				
Sat	June	12	5:30PM	Jim Faber (special intention) By Amy Faber
Sun	June	13	9:00AM	Tony Manasseri + By Karen / Michelle Manasseri
Tue	June	15	12:00PM	Intentions of the Regina ~ Latin ~ Victoriae Cenacle From The Cenacle
Thu	June	17	9:00AM	John & Shirley Jones (health) By Earl & Debbie Jones
Fri	June	18	12:00PM (Noon)	Margaret Kaminer + Funeral Mass
Sat	June	19	5:30PM	Cindy Mercure + By Michelle Sack
Sun	June	20	9:00AM	For All The Fathers Happy Father's Day

To Schedule a Mass Intention

Please contact the Church Office
828-743-5717

ST. JUDE - OFFERTORY

(Weekend of June 5 & 6, 2021)

Offertory: \$4705.00 Attendance: 246

DSA: \$1085.00

The Ladies of St. Jude

The Ladies of St. Jude meet from March-November on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall at 10:00am. They support the Parish in their spiritual growth & outreach programs, assist with funerals, care for the sick and organize social and fellowship programs. For more information, please contact the Church Office at 828-743-5717.

Prayer Blanket Ministry

The Prayer Blanket Ministry's - Summer Schedule (June - Oct.) meets on the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month. They gather at 10:00am for a meeting in the upstairs classroom. You don't have to know how to sew, crochet or knit. If you need a prayer blanket, please contact the Church Office at 828-743-5717.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Jim Barton, Patricia Blasi, Lane Bolmer, Marian Michel Boyd, Karen Cameron, Carpenter Family, Daniel Coffey, Dottie Collier, John Thomas Crouch, Kenneth Crowe, Margaret Daniel, Christopher Day, Gloria Delgardio, Katherine DeLage, Pat Delaney, John DeMange, Linda Denny, Mike Ezzell, Tom Faleskie, Sandra Fischel, Gretchen Giesey, Mikey Goodwin, Jerry Gordon, Laura Gregory, Walt Green, Bill Hatch, Donald Haug, Matthew Hite, Daniel Jacobs, Pennae Johnsen, Dakota Johnson, Derrick Johnson, Treba Johnson, Suzanne Keenan, Kristen Kitts, Joe Knauff, George Lee, Randy Luffman, Marinka, Camerron Martin, Jerry Miglino, Deanna Maust, Kathleen McBride, Janet McClory-Presley, Betsy McCloskey, Karie McClure, Ron Nelson, Lyla Ruby Newton & Coen Michael Newton & The Newton Family, Sheila Rinker, Michael Robinson, Belinda Rudzik, Sherman Runions, Russell Sands, Peter Sarrat, Brendan Scallon, Jr., Allie Schiele, Elaine Schmid, Noel J. Sickles, Bonnie Jean Small, Ava Snyder, Nan Stowell, Dr. Stefan Stoyanov, Leonardo Suarez, Beth Sumpter, Alex Sweet, Rosemarie Thompson, Charlene Varni, Kim Wagland, Cassie Watts, Meredith Worth.

Military Prayer List

Lt. Col. Fred Dufault (Afghanistan)
Captain Evan Shawler (Air Force Flight Surgeon)

St. Jude Prayer Group

The St. Jude Prayer Group meets on Mondays at 3:00pm in the Sanctuary. We pray the Rosary, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, spend some silent time in Adoration, and pray for the needs of our Church and world. Please contact Donna Quinlivan or the Church Office for information at 828-743-5717.

Emaus Prayer Group

Emaus Prayer is a spiritual movement of faith that is called to prayer, obedience and adoration of the Holy Sacrament. They meet at 6:00pm on Thursday evenings in the Sanctuary. For more information contact Yuliana Vargas, Efrain Morales, Alejandro (Alex) Valerio or the Church Office at 743-5717.

Knights of Columbus

The St. Jude Knights of Columbus Meet at 7:00pm on the 2nd Thursday of the month. Please contact **Luis Aparicio (Grand Knight)** or Church Office at 828-743-5717 for information.

Father's Column

The First Apparition of Fatima

On May 13, 1917, Lucia dos Santos, Francisco, and Jacinta Marto were, respectively, ten, nine, and seven years old. After three apparitions of the Angel of Portugal in 1916, the children began to receive visits of a luminous Lady who later identified herself as "The Lady of the Rosary." The three seers were playing at Cova da Iria when they saw two flashes like lightning, after which they saw the Mother of God above a holm oak. She was, according to the description of Lucia, "a Lady dressed in white, more brilliant than the sun..." Her face, indescribably beautiful, was "neither sad nor happy, but serious," with an air of mild reproach. Her hands, joined together as if she were praying, were resting at her breast and pointing upward. A rosary hung from her right hand.

The conversation developed in the following manner:

Our Lady: Do not be afraid; I will not harm you.

Lucia: Where is Your Grace from?

Our Lady: I am from heaven—pointing to the sky.

Lucia: And what does Your Grace wish of me?

Our Lady: I have come to ask you to come here for six months in succession on the thirteenth day of each month at this same hour. Later I will tell you who I am and what I want. Afterward, I will return here a seventh time.

Lucia: And will I go to heaven, too?

Our Lady: Yes, you will.

Lucia: And Jacinta?

Our Lady: Also.

Lucia: And Francisco?

Our Lady: Also, but he must say many rosaries.

Lucia: Is Maria das Neves already in heaven?

Our Lady: Yes, she is.

Lucia: And Amélia?

Our Lady: She will be in purgatory until the end of the world. Do you wish to offer yourselves to God to endure all the sufferings that He may be pleased to send you, as both an act of reparation for the sins with which He is offended and an act of supplication for the conversion of sinners?

Lucia: Yes, we do.

Our Lady: Well then, you will have much to suffer. But the grace of God will be your comfort.

"It was upon saying these last words, 'the grace of God...' that for the first time she opened her hands, which emitted a most intense light that penetrated our breasts, reaching the innermost part of our souls and making us see ourselves in God, Who was that light, more clearly than we can see ourselves in the best of mirrors.

Then, driven by a deep inspiration, we knelt down and repeated inwardly: 'O Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee! My God, my God, I love Thee in the Most Blessed Sacrament.'"

"A moment later, Our Lady added, 'Pray the rosary every day to obtain peace for the world and the end of the war.' She immediately began to rise serenely toward the east until she disappeared far into the distance."

Today's Readings

First Reading: I have lifted high the lowly tree (Ezekiel 17:22-24).

Second Reading: Whether we are at home or away, we aspire to please the Lord...(2 Corinthians 5:6-10).

Gospel: The mustard seed is the smallest of all seeds, and becomes the largest of plants (Mark 4:26-34).

May They Rest in Peace

Margaret Kaminer

August 7, 1936 — June 2, 2021

Funeral Mass at St. Jude — Friday, June 18 at 12 (noon)
All are Welcome to Attend

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Cynthia Mercure

March 12, 1965 — February 13, 2021

Celebration of Life — June 19, 2021 ... 1:00pm—5:00pm
Lake Toxaway Community Center
81 Slick Fisher Road

2021 DSA - Diocesan Support Appeal

(2nd Collection May 22 - Until Assessment Reached)

The 2021 DSA 2nd Collection has begun.

St. Jude's assessment is **\$25,709.**

The funding supports the following ministries in the **Diocese of Charlotte**. Thank you for your support!

- * Catholic Charities
- * Education Ministries
- * Vocations Funding
- * Multicultural Ministries

Church Calendar

Monday, June 14, **St. Jude Prayer Group**, 3:00pm

Tuesday, June 15, **Pastoral Council Mtg**, 2:00pm

Thurs., June 17, **Adult Catechesis**, 9:30am-10:30am

Thursday, June 17, **Emaus**, 6:00pm

Friday, June 18, **Adoration**, 1:00-3:00pm



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