

# Saint Jude 21st ANNUAL GALA

September, 2025

Dear Saint Jude Family:

Planning for our 21<sup>st</sup> annual Saint Jude Gala is currently underway, and preparations are in full swing to make this another truly memorable occasion. We are pleased to announce that we will be celebrating our "*Rooted in Tradition - Gathered in Grace*" 21<sup>st</sup> Gala on Friday, November 14, at the Pfister Hotel.

We are humbled and grateful that we are led in this effort by our Gala Ambassadors, **Jane and Terry Rice**, and their son and daughter-in-law, **Mike and Katie Rice**. The Rice family's rich history and commitment to Saint Jude beautifully embodies the spirit of elegance, community and celebration that defines our evening. We are honored to have them set the tone for what promises to be a fantastic night of friendship and fundraising.

The Saint Jude Gala is our parish's largest fundraiser and through the efforts of hundreds of volunteers and benefactors over the last 20 years, we have raised well over \$1million to support the vital ministries of Saint Jude. We are grateful to each and every one of you who have continued to support us with your commitment of time, talent and treasure.

We ask that if you are in a position to give – whether it's financially through underwriting and sponsorship, through a donation of auction item(s), or giving the valuable gift of your time and talent – you please consider giving. All gifts are gratefully appreciated!

In the coming weeks, we ask that you please watch for further updates in parish and school communications, the Saint Jude website (<a href="www.stjudewauwatosaparish.org">www.stjudewauwatosaparish.org</a>), Facebook and Instagram. In the interim, if you have any questions, or are able to assist us with a financial contribution or auction item(s), please do not hesitate to contact the Gala Coordinators at: <a href="maintipsaintipsaint-saintipsaintipsaint-saint-saintipsaint-sai

We hope that you will join us for our "*Rooted in Tradition - Gathered in Grace*" 21<sup>st</sup> Gala on Friday, November 14, at the Pfister Hotel. Thank you for prayerfully considering supporting our mission.

Peace,

Father Justin Weber, Pastor Saint Jude the Apostle Parish EVENT COORDINATORS: Terri Alioto & Lisa Blair

Catherine LaDien, President/Principal Saint Jude the Apostle School

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### 2025 Gala Acquisitions Donor Form

Yes, I/We are honored to support Saint Jude Parish by donating an auction item.

Description of item(s)	Approximate Value
Donor Information	
Donor/Contact:	
Address:	
Email:	Phone:
Please retain a copy of this form	m for tax purposes.
To ensure proper recognition is	

please return this form with your donation no later tha

Please send to: Saint Jude the Apostle Parish/Attn: Gala 800 Glenview Avenue, Wauwatosa, WI 53213

If you have questions or need assistance with delivery of your auction item(s), feel free to contact our Gala Acquisition Chairs (acquisitions\_stjude@yahoo.com):

Shannon Foley Sabelhaus (414-403-3162) OR Annie Tower (815-979-3068)

Thank you for your support!

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### 2025 Gala Underwriting Donor Form

We have a number of underwriting and sponsorship opportunities available for organizations and/or individuals who are able to support our 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary "*Rooted in Tradition – Gathered in Grace*" Saint Jude Gala.

#### <u>"Let Your Light Shine"</u> \$5,000 and Above

Premium Table for eight to the Gala with Priority Seating
Full-page ad in the Gala program
Logo on Saint Jude Gala website
Two complimentary bottles of champagne at your table
Recognition in the Gala program

#### <u>Gold</u> \$2,500 - \$4,999

Four tickets to the Gala with Priority Seating Complimentary bottle of champagne at your table Recognition in the Gala program

#### <u>Green</u> \$1,000 - \$2,499

Two tickets to the Gala Complimentary bottle of champagne at your table Recognition in the Gala program

#### <u>Bobcat</u> \$1 - \$999

Recognition in the Gala program

#### Your support is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

Yes, I/we are honored to sponsor the Saint Jude Gala with our donation: \$		
Name:		
Address:		
Email:	Phone:	

To ensure proper recognition in the event program,
please return this form with your donation no later than <u>October 31</u>
Send to: Saint Jude the Apostle Parish/Attn: Gala – 800 Glenview Avenue, Wauwatosa, WI 53213