

Dear Friends in Christ,

These past three days, we walked with the Lord Jesus as he went up to Jerusalem to suffer and die for us. With the women in St. Matthew's Gospel, we sat facing the tomb waiting and hoping in the Lord. This Easter morning, we went with Mary Magdalene and the other Mary and saw the angel roll away the stone and tell the good news:

"Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead.'"

Because of this event, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, along with the disciples, became urgent and insistent messengers of the resurrection and new life offered by the Lord Jesus. We are all called to be the same; courageous messengers, fools for Christ for what we have seen and believed. I want to ask you as you go forth today, to share your faith, to let it transform and reorder your priorities, to let it change your life. The resurrection of Christ changed the world. It has changed us. It is Good News too joyous to keep inside.

At the Easter Vigil we joyfully welcomed a great number of new members into the Church and conferred the Easter Sacraments. Please join me in congratulating them and praying for them. What a blessings they are to our Church!

At St. Jude

Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist

Wyatt Hunt
Vera Ying
Avery Sexton
Kevin Buterbaugh
Illia Valencia
Kevin Corder

Received into the Church and Confirmed

Daniel Murphy
Kyle North
Bianca Green
Michael Holt
Kristina Schwartz

Those receiving Confirmation

Tim Ojeda

Those receiving Eucharist

Azalia Sanchez (Gaby)

At Holy Innocents

Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist

Liam Del Carmen
Ashley Kollmorgen
Molly Kindregan
Kellen Walker

Received into the Church and Confirmed

Priyanka Robert
Imola Torok
Matthew Houswald

Those Confirmed

Michael Giliberto
Margaret Cross
Joseph Cross

On behalf of Fr. Raphael and all who share in the ministry with me here, I want to wish you and your families a very blessed and happy Easter!

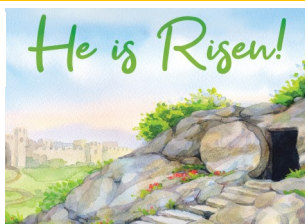
May the joy of the Risen Lord fill you today and throughout the Easter Season!

Fr. Johnson

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Happy Easter

From all of us at St. Jude



Monday, April 6

Parish Office Closed

No Daily Mass

10:00 AM Women of Faith

Tuesday, April 7

No Daily Mass

Wednesday, April 8

8:30 AM Confessions

9:00 AM Daily Mass

7:00 PM House of Prayer

7:00 PM Gospel Choir Rehearsal
(for 11AM Mass)

Thursday, April 9

9:00 AM Funeral Mass for Ellen Reisenauer

12:15 PM Steps to Freedom

1:00 PM Rosary Cenacle

6:30 PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
(for 9AM Mass)

7:30 PM Knights of Columbus -
General Meeting

Friday, April 10

9:00 AM Daily Mass

9:30 AM Adoration until 9PM

10:00 AM Guardians & Angels

Saturday, April 11

3:30 PM Confessions

5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass

Sunday, April 12

9:00 AM Sunday Mass

11:00 AM Sunday Mass

Coffee & Donuts after both Masses

12:00PM Baptism Preparation Class

6:30PM Teen Group

SAVE THE DATE! UPCOMING EVENTS

There's always something fun and faith-filled happening at St. Jude!

Please mark your calendars and join us.

April 18, 2026 Saturday 9:00AM

Life With the Holy Spirit Retreat, hosted by the St Jude House of Prayer. Register at wwccr.org

April 26, 2026 Sunday

Pancake Breakfast Food and fellowship after Sunday Masses, hosted by Knights of Columbus.

May 1, 2026 Friday 7PM

Holy Hour Join Deacon Reuben in a guided hour of Adoration, with a talk, music, and prayer. These happen every first Friday of the month.

May 3, 2026 Sunday 2PM

Spring Sing Concert Enjoy moving and beautiful music performed by our very own Sanctuary Choir.

May 15, 2026 Friday Evening

Special Adoration Night As part of the *ASCEND Eucharistic Revival* event, stay tuned for more info regarding a special night of Adoration.

May 17, 2026

First Communion Please pray for all those journeying to receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time.

May 19, 2026

May Crowning Join our First Communion youth in prayer as they lead the rosary, crown our Blessed Mother with flowers, and then enjoy ice cream.

May 30, 2026 Saturday 6PM

Saturday Night Diner Let's see what deliciousness the Knights of Columbus will cook up for us this time!

June 6, 2026 6PM

Volunteer Appreciation Party With sincere gratitude to our wonderful volunteers at St. Jude, we'd like to throw you a grand party!

July 13-17, 2026

Vacation Bible School With the theme of *Rainforest Falls*, kids will plunge into a lifelong adventure of discovering the nature of God. Ages 4-12 are welcome, register at stjude-redmond.org

