ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH

10526 166th Avenue NE, Redmond 98052

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The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 10, 2025
Parish Bulletin

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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We would be glad to have you as a member of our parish! Please fill out a registration on our website or by scanning the QR code, so we can get to know and serve you better.



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CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

DAILY MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 AM Please see Weekly Calendar on insert for any updated week-to-week schedule changes.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays after 9:00 AM Mass until 9:00 PM.

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays, 8:30 — 8:50 AM Saturdays 3:30 — 4:30 PM or by appointment

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Please contact the office to schedule a visit.

BAPTISM OF INFANTS

Infants and children under 7 are baptized monthly at Mass. A preparation session is required for parents and Godparents. Please contact Betty Reyes.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

If you are an adult who has not been baptized or were baptized in another Christian community and would like to become Catholic, or have children age 7 and up who would like to be baptized or become Catholic, contact Deacon Reuben.

MARRIAGE

A preparation program over a period of several months is required. Contact Fr. Johnson to begin the process.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In case of serious illness, impending surgery or advanced age, please contact the parish office or Fr. Johnson. The sacrament should not be delayed until the person is unconscious or in imminent danger of death.

FUNERALS

Contact Fr. Johnson through the office at 425-883-7685.

CATHOLIC CEMETARIES SERVING ST. JUDE

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 Diane Murphy at svdp@stjude-redmond.org
- To donate furniture or household items email: svdpfurniture@stjude-redmond.org

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CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

knightsofcolumbus@stjude-redmond.org

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

Dear friends in Christ.

This week we continue this series of homilies given by Pope Leo XIV. Today, I want to share with you excerpts of a homily given last Sunday to an enormous crowd of youth gathered in Rome for the jubilee of young people:

...We too, dear friends, are made this way, we are made for this. We are not made for a life where everything is taken for granted and static, but for an existence that is constantly renewed through gift of self in love. This is why we continually aspire to something "more" that no created reality can give us; we feel a deep and burning thirst that no drink in this world can satisfy. Knowing this. let us not deceive our hearts by trying to satisfy them with cheap imitations! Let us rather listen to them! Let us turn this thirst into a step stool, like children who stand on tiptoe, in order to peer through the window of encounter with God. We will then find ourselves before him, who is waiting for us, knocking gently on the window of our soul (cf. Rev 3:20). It is truly beautiful, especially at a young age, to open wide your hearts, to allow him to enter, and to set out on this adventure with him towards eternity.

Saint Augustine, reflecting on his intense search for God, asked himself: "What, then, is the object of our hope [...]? Is it the earth? No. Is it something that comes from the earth, such as gold, silver, trees, crops, or water [...]? These things are pleasing, these things are beautiful, these things are good" (Sermo 313/F, 3). And the conclusion he reached was: "Seek the one who made them, he is your hope" (ibid.). Thinking of his own journey, he prayed, saying: "You [Lord] were within me, but I was outside, and it was there that I searched for you [...] You called, you shouted, and you broke through my deafness. You flashed, you shone and you dispelled my blindness. You breathed your fragrance on me; I drew in breath and now I pant for you. I have tasted you (cf. Ps 34:8; 1 Pt 2:3) now I hunger and thirst for more (cf. Mt 5:6; 1 Cor 4:11); you touched me, and I burned for your peace" (Confessions, 10, 27)....

...There is a burning question in our hearts, a need for truth that we cannot ignore, which leads us to ask ourselves: what is true happiness? What is the true meaning of life? What can free us from being trapped in meaninglessness, boredom and mediocrity?

In recent days, you have had many beautiful experiences. You have met other young people from different parts of the world and from diverse cultures. You have exchanged knowledge, shared expectations and entered into dialogue with the city through art, music, technology and sport. At the Circus Maximus, you also approached the Sacrament of Penance and received God's forgiveness, asking for his help to live a good life.

Through all this, you can grasp an important point: the fullness of our existence does not depend on what we store up or, as we heard in the Gospel, on what we possess (cf. Lk 12:13-21). Rather, fullness has to do with what we joyfully welcome and share (cf. Mt 10:8-10; Jn 6:1-13). Buying, hoarding and consuming are not enough. We need to lift our eyes, to look upwards, to the "things that are above" (Col 3:2), to realize that everything in the world has meaning only insofar as it serves to unite us to God and to our brothers and sisters in charity, helping us to grow in "compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience" (Col 3:12), forgiveness (cf. ibid., v. 13) and peace (cf. Jn 14:27), all in imitation of Christ (cf. Phil 2:5). And in this way we will grow in an ever deeper understanding of what it means that hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us (cf. Rom 5.5).

Dear young people, Jesus is our hope. It is he, as Saint John Paul II said, "who stirs in you the desire to do something great with your lives [...] to commit... to improving yourselves and society, making the world more human and more fraternal." (XV World Youth Day, Prayer Vigil, 19 August 2000). Let us remain united to him, let us remain in his friendship, always, cultivating it through prayer, adoration, Eucharistic Communion, frequent Confession, and generous charity, following the examples of Blessed Piergiorgio Frassati and Blessed Carlo Acutis who will soon be declared saints. Aspire to great things, to holiness, wherever you are. Do not settle for less. You will then see the light of the Gospel growing every day, in you and around you. **POPE LEO** XIV

THANK YOU FR WILLIAMS, SJ!

This coming week we say farewell to Fr. Michael Williams, SJ who has been such a great help these past few weeks.

We have been so blessed by his presence, his ministry and his preaching. Please join me in thanking him for his ministry among us this summer. We are so grateful for priesthood. This year he celebrates 50 years of service as a priest. Congratulations and ad multos annos! May the Lord continue to bless his service to the Church as a Jesuit and in particular his teaching at Springhill College in Alabama.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY IS FRIDAY

This coming Friday we celebrate the solemnity of the Assumption of Mary body and soul into heaven. Please join us for this important Holy Day celebrating the special grace she was given by the Lord.

Blessings on your week! Fr. Johnson

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, August 11

9:00 AM Daily Mass 10:00 AM Women of Faith

7:00 PM Baptism Preparation Class

Tuesday, August 12

No Daily Mass

Wednesday, August 13

8:30 AM Confessions 9:00 AM Daily Mass

11:00 AM Funeral Mass for Jean Schindler

7:00 PM House of Prayer

Thursday, August 14

9:00 AM Daily Mass

12:15 PM Steps to Freedom 1:00 PM Rosary Cenacle

Friday, August 15 SOLEMNITY OF THE

ASSUMPTION OF MARY

A Holy Day of Obligation

9:00 AM Assumption of Mary Mass

Benediction, then Adoration,

ending early at 6PM

7:00 PM Assumption of Mary Mass

8:00 PM Ice Cream Social in Parish Hall

Saturday, August 16

3:30 PM Confessions

5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass

Sunday, August 17

9:00 AM Sunday Mass 11:00 AM Sunday Mass

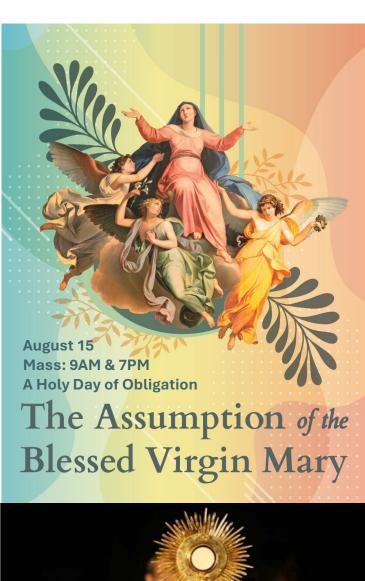
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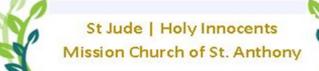


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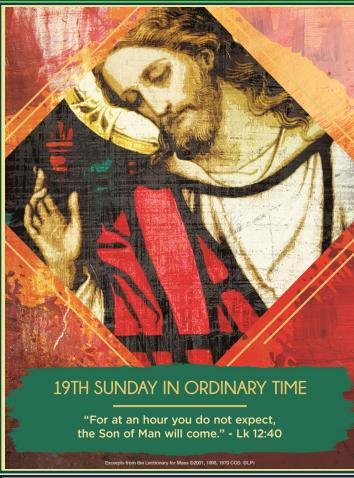
Adoration on August 15, 2025 will end early at 6PM. Join us for Mass for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary at 7PM.



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH FAMILY!



PARISH NEWS



MICROSOFT MASS

August 18 Monday 4 PM Confessions & Adoration 5 PM Mass

Followed by social hour Catholics at Microsoft have

organized a social email distribution group (CAMS or Catholics at Microsoft) with a membership that exceeds 200. It is a warm and welcoming faith community. If you are currently working at Microsoft or know a Catholic working at Microsoft, encourage them to join CAMS@microsoft.com. All techies welcome!

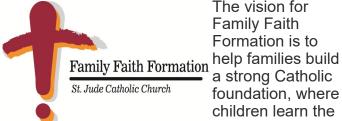
Preparation classes for parents & godparents.

Next class: August 11 7 PM Youth Room

Contact Betty at

bettyreyes@stjude-redmond.org

Faith Formation Registration Classes begin Sep 16, 2025 5:30—7:00PM every Tuesday



The vision for Family Faith Formation is to a strong Catholic foundation, where children learn the joys of following

Jesus Christ and the truths of the Catholic faith and through the witness of their parents.

Children learn quickly and model parents often. Parents have a great responsibility in shaping the faith of their child/children, shared through baptism. We, as a parish, are here to support your endeavor in shaping your child's life in the Catholic faith. We'll guide them by teaching important aspects of faith and church, and prepare them to receive their sacraments.

There are regular faith formation classes from K-6 as well as Sacramental preparation (First Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist) for children, from 2nd grade to 6th grade.

Teen Group Begins September 7 Meets every other Sunday 6:30-8:00 PM

Confirmation Classes

Orientation Meeting and 1st session September 25 7 PM Classes will be on Sundays or Mondays 1:30-3:00 PM For more information about Teen Group or Confirmation please see our website or email Rick at rick@stiude-redmond.org

Nothing can happen without parent volunteers. Parent volunteers are required during these

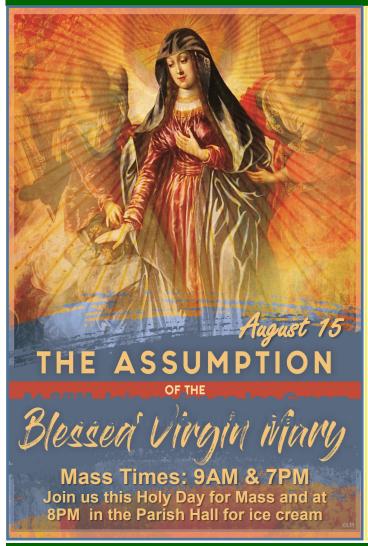
classes to help assist teachers and with set up of classes. We are also in need of teachers (teaching materials will be provided). Find more details on the parish website or send an email to

joan@stjude-redmond.org





PARISH NEWS



Save the Date: Sept. 7, 2025



Lady of Velankani Feast Day Celebration

Christianity has thrived in India since Saint Thomas the Apostle arrived in 52 A.D. In the 16th century, the Blessed Mother Mary appeared three times in Velankani, a coastal village in southern India, sparking hundreds of reported miracles.

Join us for a multi-cultural celebration on Sunday, September 7 starting at 10:30AM, to honor our Blessed Mother and celebrate the feast day with a Procession, Holy Rosary, Mass, and Lunch Reception.

Contact: The celebration is hosted by the Indian Community of St. Jude. For more information or to help organize the event contact: Deacon Reuben: reuben@stjude-redmond.org or Joan Chandran: joan@stjude-redmond.org Donations: we are accepting donations to offset the cost of hosting the event. You can donate directly to St. Jude Parish Events by

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL



OPERATION NEW PARISH HALL FLOOR

scanning the QR code.

July 31, 2025 Progress Report: \$200,128 in Pledges Received 87% of our Combined Goal 23% Registered Families Pledged

This year, our Archdiocese goal is \$128,000. The money raised <u>above this goal</u> will come back to St Jude for our parish project, which is to replace the flooring in the parish hall. **Our combined Archdiocesan and parish goal is \$230,000**.

It's easy to give to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal:

- Scan the QR code
- visit <u>archseattle.org/GiveACA</u>
- Turn in the envelope found in the pew



St. Jude Safe Parking Ministry Hot Meal on Sunday - Join Us

April 2025 - September 2025

Give back by preparing a hot meal one day a week for our safe parking guests

How to Participate

- Prepare a warm meal to serve 10-12 guests
- A meal includes a main dish, salad/vegetable and dessert (optional). Meal suggestions are listed on the sign up portal
- Deliver the meal on Sunday before 5:00PM

How to Volunteer

- 1. Review the meal calendar on the online portal and pick a week that is open
- 2. Indicate the type of dish you're preparing
- 3. Prepare one course or all three for that week
- 4. Deliver the meal to the shed on the lower parking lot of the church (do not deliver to the parish hall kitchen or the office). The combination lock code is 4982.
- 5. Some guests have dietery restrictions so please include a sign that lists the main ingredients and if the dish contains dairy, nuts or other ingredients that may trigger allergies
- 6. Plates, bowls, utensils, etc are not necessary
- 7. Retrieve your dish the next day

How to Sign Up

You can sign up online for one slot or for multiple slots/weeks at https://tinyurl.com/49387yym or by following the QR code









AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE



The Bukás-Loób Sa Diyós (BLD; "Open in the Spirit of God") Catholic Charismatic Faith Community enthusiastically invites all youth ages 13-19 to the upcoming

Youth Encounter #21
on August 15-17, 2025 at
Warm Beach Camp and Conference
Center in Stanwood, Washington.

The Youth Encounter is a fun and enriching weekend retreat for youth who believe in the Holy Trinity and are open to deepening their relationship with God and other youth. Find community, meet new people, and learn more about yourself and your identity.



Visit https://www.bldseattle.org/ye21 or scan the QR code and fill out the application today!

Please contact Girold and Janelle Martelino at BLDSeattleYouthMinistry@gmail.com for any questions.





A Retreat for High School Juniors, Seniors, & Recent Graduates

Would you like the opportunity to unplug and more easily hear the Lord's voice? High School juniors, seniors, and recent graduates are invited to attend this prayerful 3-day and 2-night retreat at the beautiful Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center! For more info, visit: https://archseattle.org/events/unplug-with-the-lord-a-youth-retreat/

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Retreat Dates: Oct 24-26, 2025 and

Feb 27-March 1, 2026

For more info, visit: https://archseattle.org/events/betrothed-marriage-preparation-retreat/



Curious About Cursillo of Christianity?

Are you — or someone you know — longing to deepen your faith, build strong Christian friendships, and live your Catholic calling with renewed joy?



The Cursillo of Christianity weekend retreat may be just what you're looking for.

Beyond a Catholic spiritual retreat, it is a personal experience with Christ. September: Women (11th - 14th); Men (18th-21st)

Learn more at https://bit.ly/CursilloRetreat and take the first step. Already know a Cursillista? Ask them about their experience!

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact martinclavijo44@gmail.com.

FINANCE COUNCIL REPORT

Your generosity supports a wide range of needs of our parish – supporting ministries, maintaining our buildings and parish grounds, ensuring our staff can serve you, maintaining a welcoming environment, and covering everyday necessities like heating and safety. Most importantly, our stewardship is a fulfillment of our innate desire to give and God's call for us to lead sacrificial lives.

Stewardship of Treasure

Parish Financial Giving/Sunday Offertory

July 1, 2024 through July 27, 2025 Actual... \$65,528 Goal \$63.400

Over (Under) Budget \$2,424

Ways to Give

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A qualified charitable distribution (QCD) is a direct transfer of funds from your IRA custodian, payable to a qualified charity. A QCD excludes the amount donated from taxable income, which is unlike regular withdrawals from an IRA. QCDs don't require that you itemize, which due to recent tax law changes, means you may decide to take advantage of the higher standard deduction but still use a QCD for charitable giving.

ONLINE GIVING: To donate, scan the QR Code or visit our website at www.stjude-redmond.org

IRA DISTRIBUTIONS (RMD)

By utilizing an IRA for charitable giving, you can satisfy your required minimum distribution (RMD) obligations starting at age 73, while also supporting a cause you care about. The donated amount is excluded from your taxable income, which can provide a tax advantage, especially if you do not itemize deductions.

DONOR ADVISED FUNDS

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STOCKS: Call 800-422-5417 for broker instructions

MATCHING EMPLOYER GIFTS

GIVING ENVELOPES: Mail, use collection baskets at Mass or drop off at office.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions Week of August 11— August 15

Monday, August 11 A priest in purgatory

Wednesday, August 13 Souls in purgatory

Thursday, August 14 Joe & Brittany Case



"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." _ Lk | 12:39-40

LIVE THE LITURGY

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

We are the servants and God is our master. He has told us His will, and given us all that we need to carry out His directions. Do we have the courage to act as our master desires? Do we have what it takes to be stewards of God's grace?



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