

Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles



ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH

10526 166th Avenue NE, Redmond 98052

www.stjude-redmond.org

June 29, 2025

THE SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES JUNE 29, 2025

NEW TO REDMOND OR ST. JUDE?

WELCOME!

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 — Friday 9:00 AM (except Tuesday)

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

Calvary 206-522-0996

Holyrood 206-363-8404

ASSISTANCE TO THOSE IN NEED

ST. VINCENT de PAUL

- SVdP Helpline number for assistance: 206-767-6449
- To learn more or to join the ministry contact: Diane Murphy at svdp@stjude-redmond.org
- To donate furniture or household items email: svdpfurniture@stjude-redmond.org

SAFE PARKING

Contact: safeparking@stjude-redmond.org

Safe Parking Helpline: 425-658-4982

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES

Marriage, adolescent, family and individual counseling and referral. Call 1-800-872-3204

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

knightsofcolumbus@stjude-redmond.org

On June 29, we celebrate the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul Apostles. This feast reminds us that our faith rests upon the testimony of ordinary people, a fisherman and a tent maker who had a real encounter with Jesus, saw Him crucified and risen. They testify that He is Lord of heaven and earth and invite us to acknowledge Him as Lord of our own lives. A few years ago, Pope Francis gave a great homily last on this feast which reminds us of important things we need to ponder:

The Apostles Peter and Paul stand before us as witnesses. They never tired of preaching and journeying as missionaries from the land of Jesus to Rome itself. Here they gave their ultimate witness, offering their lives as martyrs.... Jesus called them by name and changed their lives. After all that happened, he put his trust in them, in one who denied him and one who persecuted his followers, in two repentant sinners. We may wonder why the Lord chose not to give us two witnesses of utter integrity, with clean records and impeccable lives? Why Peter, when there was John? Why Paul, and not Barnabas?

There is a great teaching here: the starting point of the Christian life is not our worthiness; in fact, the Lord was able to accomplish little with those who thought they were good and decent. Whenever we consider ourselves smarter or better than others, that is the beginning of the end. The Lord does not work miracles with those who consider themselves righteous, but with those who know themselves needy. He is not attracted by our goodness; that is not why he loves us. He loves us just as we are; he is looking for people who are not self-sufficient, but ready to open their hearts to him. People who, like Peter and Paul, are transparent before God. Peter immediately told Jesus: "I am a *sinful man*" (Lk 5:8). Paul wrote that he was "least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle" (1 Cor 15:9). Throughout life, they preserved this humility, to the very end. Peter died crucified upside down, since he did not consider himself worthy to imitate his Lord. Paul was always fond of his name, which means "little", and left behind his birth name, Saul, the name of the first king of his people. Both understood that holiness does not consist in exalting but rather in humbling oneself. Holiness is not a contest, but a question of entrusting our own poverty each day to the Lord, who does great things for those who are lowly.

What was the secret that made them persevere amid weakness? It was the Lord's forgiveness... The witness, then, is not (just) someone who knows the story of Jesus, but someone who has experienced a love story with Jesus. The witness, in the end, proclaims only this: that Jesus is alive and that he is the secret of life.

POPE FRANCIS

Transitions: Thank you Fr. David!

This weekend is Fr. David's last with us in our parish family. His preaching and pastoral presence has been a great gift to us all. It has been a wonderful blessing have a priest with his richness of experience serve in our parishes. I am so grateful his support and ministry this year. As he returns to India, we wish him every blessing. I am sure he will be a great blessing to his new parish there. Please join me in thanking Fr. David. There will be a reception after all the Masses at St. Jude this weekend to express our thanks. Please see his beautiful farewell letter in bulletin.

Next Sunday, Fr. Raphael will join our family as our parochial vicar. We look forward to welcoming him. I am sure he will bring great gifts to our parishes. Please pray for him this week as he makes the transition. We are blessed to have him.

Let us pray for one another and ask the Lord to help us build us up together in faith, hope and love. Let us be true witness to Jesus as were St Peter and St. Paul

Blessings on your week!

Fr. Johnson

PARISH NEWS



STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

"I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." - Mt 16:19

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Triennial National Collection for the
ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES, USA

Special Collection next weekend:

Archdiocese for the Military Services

This special collection only takes place every three years, and will be happening here at St. Jude next weekend. The Archdiocese for the Military Services' worldwide mission is to provide for the pastoral care of the 1.8 million Catholics serving in the United States Armed Forces, their family members, students at the Military Academies, patients in VA medical centers and US governmental personnel serving abroad. It is the only agency responsible for endorsing and granting faculties to Catholic chaplains and deacons in service to those populations. Please give generously!



**In observance of
the holiday:**
No Daily Mass
Parish Office Closed
Holy Hour Cancelled

To you and yours,
have a safe &
blessed
Independence Day!

FAREWELL

Thank You, Fr. David

Join us after all Masses

This weekend, after all Masses, please join us for cake, desserts and coffee as we bid a fond farewell to Fr. Arulanandu David, our parochial vicar.



Fr. David, thank you for your priestly ministry this past year to us as well as to our sister parishes of Holy Innocents and St. Anthony. You have been a blessing to us and we celebrate the gift you have been to our parish family. We pray for God's abundant graces over you as you return home to



Family Faith Formation

St. Jude Catholic Church

Registration Opens soon!

The vision for Family Faith Formation is to help families build a strong Catholic foundation, where children learn the joys of following Jesus Christ and the truths of the Catholic faith through the witness of their parents.

Classes begin Sep 16, 2025 and
Registrations will be online starting July.
Check the parish website for details or send an
email to joan@stjude-redmond.org

MINISTRY NEWS

Safe Parking Ministry – Assistance in Serving Our Guests

Hot Meal on Sunday: We have a number of slots open for the rest of June as well as July, August and September. If you'd like to prepare a hot meal for our safe parking residents you can sign up online for one or for multiple slots at <https://tinyurl.com/49387yym>

Non-Perishable Food Items: Food donations are always welcome. The best place to buy them is at Costco. You can drop off your purchases in the Narthex in the Safe Parking box.

Some suggested food items are:

Beef Chili (8 cans to a pack)
Snapdragon Vietnamese Pho noodles
Kraft Mac and Cheese Instant (12 pack)
Nissan Chicken Ramen Noodle Soup (24 pack)
Nature Valley Granola bars (48 to 64 per pack)
Kirkland Trail Mix (28 per pack)
Welch's Fruit Snacks (90 per box)
Quaker Instant Oatmeal (52 per box)
Folgers Instant Coffee

Gift Cards: \$25 or \$50 gift cards for Fred Myer, Costco, and Safeway are always needed to for gas and food items. Gift cards can be dropped off in the Parish office.

We appreciate your support in helping us serve this vulnerable population. If you'd like to join us and volunteer contact Vinod Nazareth v29nazareth@gmail.com



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

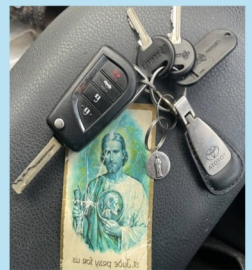
- Prepare a warm meal to serve 10-12 guests
- A meal includes a main dish, salad/vegetable and dessert (optional). Meal suggestions are listed on the sign up portal
- Deliver the meal on Sunday before 5:00PM

How to Volunteer

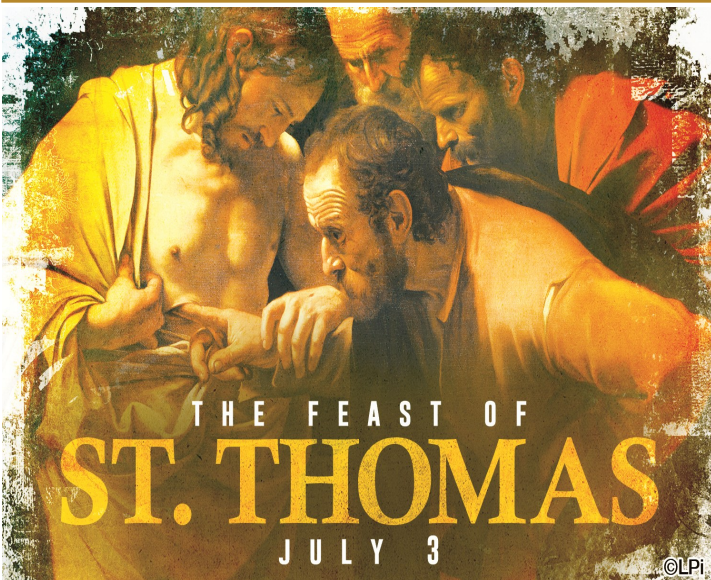
1. Review the meal calendar on the online portal and pick a week that is open
2. Indicate the type of dish you're preparing
3. Prepare one course or all three for that week
4. Deliver the meal to the shed on the lower parking lot of the church (do not deliver to the parish hall kitchen or the office). The combination lock code is 4982.
5. Some guests have dietary 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



For more information contact Vinod Nazareth at (425) 420-0560 or by email: V29nazareth@gmail.com



July 19!

Save the date!



Save the date for yet another lively Saturday Night Diner, hosted by the Knights of Columbus! Ready yourselves for some indulgent fair & festival food!

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

THANK YOU

for supporting the



Annual Catholic Appeal

Your gift helps our local Catholic community thrive together in faith



YOUR GIFT SUPPORTS OUTREACH EFFORTS

Your support of the Annual Catholic Appeal provides ministries that no one parish can manage alone. Together we bring more than 60 ministries to life across Western Washington. Your donation to the Annual Catholic Appeal directly supports outreach ministries such as the Agape Service Project which serves the farmworker community of Whatcom County while teaching participants about Catholic social justice, especially in response to issues affecting the migrant community.



"Agape Service Project has brought a lot of meaning, joy, and intentionality into my life.... [Farm workers] will forever inspire me to continue doing work for others and will always hold a huge piece of my heart."

- Lizveth Delgado-Olvera

(pictured with fellow Agape Service Project staff member, Anthony Thomas Meza Santos)

ARCHDIOCESE OF SEATTLE

Please donate today on our parish website or to archseattle.org/GiveACA. For those of you who have not yet contributed, there is still time! **Please donate today!**

OPERATION

NEW PARISH HALL FLOOR



DONATE

Annual Catholic Appeal

June 19, 2025 Progress Report:

\$170,221 in Pledges Received

74% of our **Combined Goal**

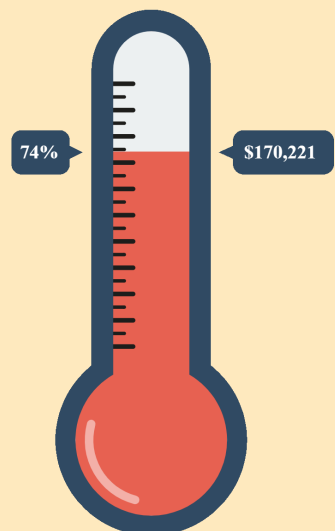
17% Registered Families Pledged

GOAL: \$230,000

This year, our Archdiocese goal is **\$128,000**. The money raised above this goal will come back to St Jude for our parish project, which is to replace the flooring in the parish hall. The new flooring will not need waxing and will be easier and cheaper to maintain. It will greatly improve our parish hall which sees so much use! **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 archseattle.org/GiveACA
- Turn in the envelope found in the pew



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Lay Ministers needed for Eastside Deanery Pastoral Care Team

To support the on-call Priests in the Eastside Deanery, we have a small group of Lay Ministers who take the initial calls from hospital nurses and Chaplains, adult care facilities, a patient's family member, or the patient themselves. The Lay Minister takes all of the necessary information for the on-call Priest, and then calls the Priest who is scheduled for that part of the Deanery. Each Lay Minister covers the same hours each week. The "shifts" are 9 AM to 4 PM, and 4 PM to 9 AM the following day, seven days a week. The Ministry is currently short one Lay Minister. We need someone to cover the Wednesday night and Thursday night shifts. If you think you might be interested in joining the team, please contact Deacon Abel Magaña (amsainz5@gmail.com) or Norm Bross (normbross@comcast.net, 425-283-8556) for more information.



Archdiocese of Seattle | Young Adult Ministry

Speaker:
Brendan McCauley

Theology of the Body Retreat for Young Adults July 11-13, 2025

Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center, Federal Way

Join Brendan McCauley from the Humanum Project, for a weekend of diving into JP II's teaching on the Theology of the Body. Who am I? Why am I here? Why are we male and female? How can I be happy? Pope St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body sheds light on the great questions we have in life. On this retreat, Brendan will share how the Theology of the Body has radically changed the course of his life and how it can change yours.

Register at: <https://archseattle.org/events/theology-of-the-body-retreat-for-young-adults/>

Under Mary's Mantle of Hope



*The Path to a Deeper
Friendship with Christ*



As seen on EWTN

Join Fr. Lawrence Lew, O.P.
— author, evangelist, EWTN
host, and Promoter General
of the Holy Rosary — for a
powerful Marian Talk!



**MONDAY
JULY 14 | 7 P.M.**



ST. MONICA CHURCH
88th Avenue
Southeast 4311
Mercer Island



Golf FORE Seminar

ARCHBISHOP'S
golf tournament
Archdiocese of Seattle – Crozier Society

Archbishop's Golf Tournament

**Join us for the 22nd annual
Archbishop's Golf Tournament**

July 29, 2025

11 am to 6:30 pm

The Golf Club at Redmond Ridge (new location)

The Archbishops' Golf Tournament is the Archdiocese of Seattle's premier fundraising event to benefit seminarian education, hosted by Archbishop Etienne and the Crozier Society.

With your help, we can reach our goal to raise \$250,000 to support our seminarians.

Contact Emily Seats, Event Coordinator
emilina.seats@seattlearch.org or 206-382-2017

Sponsored by: Archdiocese of Seattle Crozier Society

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, June 30

9:00 AM Daily Mass

10:00 AM Women of Faith

Tuesday, July 1

No Daily Mass

Wednesday, July 2

8:30 AM Confessions

9:00 AM Daily Mass

7:00 PM House of Prayer

Thursday, July 3

9:00 AM No Daily Mass

1:00 PM Rosary Cenacle

Friday, July 4

9:00 AM No Daily Mass

9:30 AM No Adoration

7:00 PM No Holy Hour

Saturday, July 5

3:30 PM Confessions

5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass

Sunday, July 6

9:00 AM Sunday Mass

11:00 AM Sunday Mass

Help us keep our records clean and up to date!

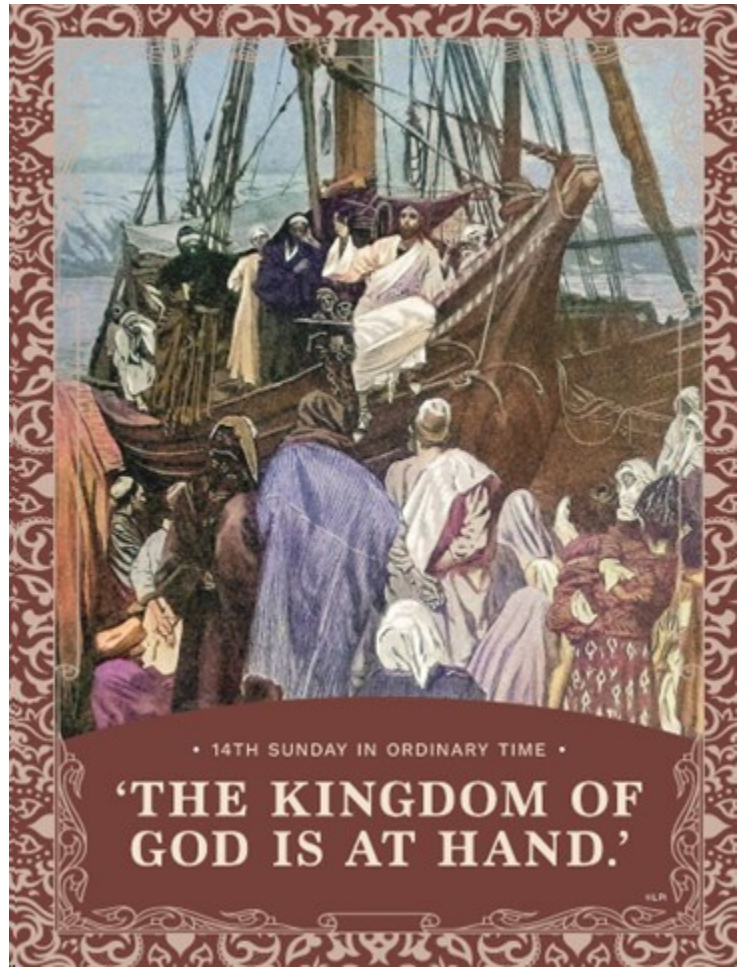
HAVE YOU ...

- Moved?
- Changed your phone or email?
- Had an addition to your family?

Help us to be good stewards to you, and let us know of these changes in your family!

Please inform us of any changes to your family by sending an email to:

dorota@stjude-redmond.org



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Available from home or on the go on any internet connected device, and FREE to all St. Jude Parishioners.

Go to www.formed.org/signup to get started.

Prayer for Evangelization

As You reach out to the world, Lord,
let us be Your hands!

As You answer those crying, send us.

Let us be Your people, answer to
prayers prayed, comfort to the af-
flicted.

May we be laborers in Your har-
vest.

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 May 25, 2025

Actual... \$1,005,679

Goal... \$1,034,000

Over (Under) Budget \$ (28,321)

Ways to Give

QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION

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

A charitable investment account for the sole purpose of supporting charitable organizations.

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 June 30— July 4

Monday, June 30 Mabel Munoz

Wednesday, July 2 In honor of St. Joseph

Thursday, July 3 Leoncia



“Y*ou are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.”* — Mt 16:18-19

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LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Peter testified to a dangerous and unpopular truth — that Christ was the Messiah. That courage, that trust in God, is the cornerstone of all we believe. Like Peter, we must always bear witness to the truth.



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