

WELCOME TO ST. JUDE

Office Hours

Monday – Friday
9:00am – 3:00pm

Masses

Monday – Saturday
8:00am

Saturday
Sunday Vigil Mass 5:00pm

Sunday
7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am,
1:00pm en Español

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick

Visits to the sick may be arranged by telephoning the parish office.

Baptism

Detailed information may be obtained by visiting our website stjudeboca.org or calling the church office.

*No baptism is considered booked until all paperwork is received.

Eucharist and Confirmation

Baptized persons wishing to receive these sacraments should contact the Religious Education office.

Marriage

Couples must call the Parish Office at least five months prior to the anticipated wedding date. For further information contact the Parish Office.

Do not book a reception hall until you have secured a date for church.

*No date is confirmed until all paperwork is received.

Priesthood/Religious Life

If you would like to serve God by preaching the Word of Salvation, by celebrating the Sacraments and by serving those in need, you may have a vocation to the priesthood. Why not speak to a priest or a sister today or contact the Church Office for more information?

Reconciliation

Confessions are heard on Saturdays
From 4pm to 4:30pm or by appointment.



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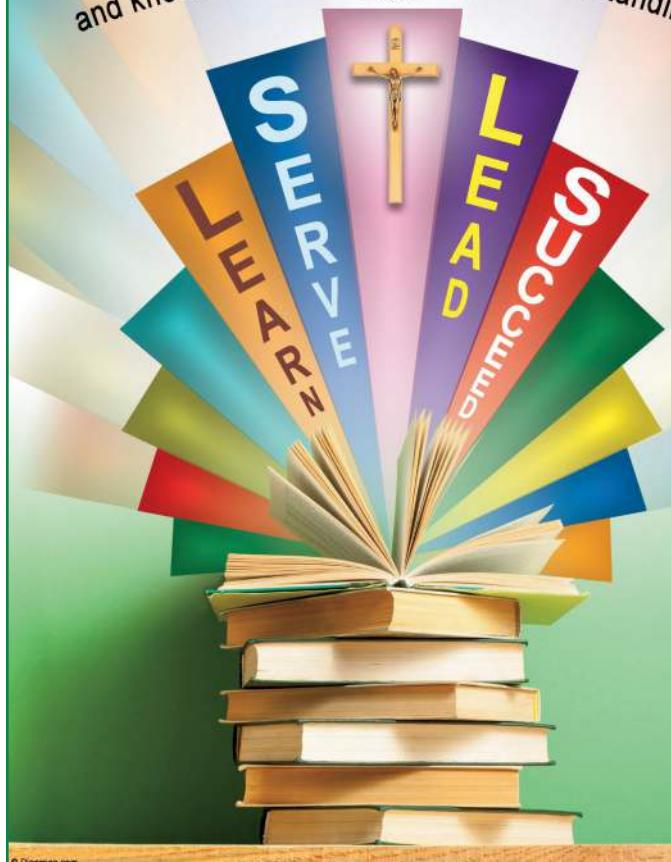
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Catholic Schools

The beginning of wisdom is fear of the Lord,
and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.
Proverbs 9:10



From the desk of Fr. John ...

This weekend we are happy to welcome Father Daniel and Sister Jadwiga to our Parish. This dynamic duo has a very special ministry in the Church in general and our Diocese in particular. Father Daniel and Sister Jadwiga are the face of the Office for Vocations and Seminarians of the Diocese of Palm Beach. What makes them so effective is their obvious love for the Lord, their zeal in their particular vocations and their desire to accompany those who are responding to their call to holiness especially as religious or ordained ministers. It really is a privilege to have them with us this weekend. Please pray for them, for those discerning their vocation and of course an increase of vocations to religious life and the ordained ministry.

This week we celebrate Catholic Schools Week. I wish to thank Miss Armstrong for her leadership as Principal here at Saint Jude. To her administrative team along with our faculty and staff I also extend my gratitude for their commitment to Catholic education. I know that we stand on holy ground here, that the Gospel is modeled and our beautiful Catholic culture and traditions are passed on to the next generation. Catholic Schools do make a difference!!! We are mission driven—and that mission is given to us by Jesus—go, make disciples. We exist to make lifelong disciples of Jesus.

The Parish Gala and Auction is on Saturday, February 7th. Did you get your ticket yet? This yearly event gives us an opportunity to gather socially and enjoy each other's company, to honor some parishioners for their service and to raise needed funds to continue the mission of the Parish. Since the venue is the Opal Resort in Delray our theme this year is Broadway on the Beach. Guests will enjoy some exceptional entertainment, great food, the opportunity to bid on a wide variety of auction items and have the satisfaction of knowing they are supporting a great cause. I hope to see you there!

Before you know it we will be in the season of Lent. Ash Wednesday begins on February 18. We are using Ash Wednesday as an opportunity to reach out to those who may not ordinarily worship with us but do come to Church on various occasions like Ash Wednesday. We will distribute Lenten Reflection booklets to those who are not registered or regular members of the Parish. I ask that you, our regular parishioners, do not take a booklet that evening in order that those we wish to evangelize and reach out to can get one. If any are left over you are certainly welcome to have one.

So many people have told me that the book 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory is giving them a new appreciation for the Eucharist. Stayed tuned to learn how we may mark the Consecration on February 2.

Thank you to each and every one of you for your commitment to the Parish. May God help us to be the people and the parish He desires us to be!



Reverend Daniel Daza-Jaller



Sr. Jadwiga Drapala, CAC

Mass Intentions**Saturday, January 24th**

5:00 pm
† Melina Bonini and Patricia Marano by Anthony Nucci

Sunday, January 25th

7:30 am
† Donald Burke by Kathleen Nicholoson
9:00 am
† Charlene Van Tassel by Mansoir family
11:00 am
Intentions of All St. Jude Parishioners
1:00 pm
† Gilma Guerrero by Estella Sanchez

Monday, January 26th

8:00 am
† Mark Schoenfred by Donna Colson

Tuesday, January 27th

8:00 am
Intentions of Jan Miller by Donna Colson

Wednesday, January 28th

8:00 am
† The Deceased Family Members of Charles & Maryellen Cassini by Charles and Maryellen Cassini

Thursday, January 29th

8:00 am
† Duncan Ferguson by Christine Ferguson

Friday, January 30th

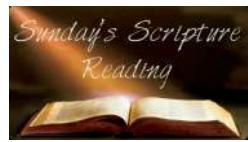
8:00 am
Intentions of Marvelle Dsouza by Monteiro D' Souza family

Saturday, January 31st

8:00 am
† Gerardo Losada by Oscar Losado, Maria & Jacob
5:00 pm
† Emma Sorenson by the family

Sunday, February 1st

7:30 am
† Mark Schoenfeld by Terry & Barbara Keeley
9:00 am
† Reuben Wunder by Karen Krasuna
11:00 am
† Ralph Padarathsingh by St. Jude Columbiettes
1:00 pm
Intentions of All St. Jude Parishioners

**Scripture Readings for February 1st 2026**

**Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13;
Psalm 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10;
1 Corinthians 1:26-31;
Matthew 5:1-12a**

...for those who are sick:

Judy Aprilill, Bernard Bean,
Stephen Castiglione, Mario Enrique Estrada,
Lucas Alexander Garcia, Hunter Grayson Garcia, Monica Kirk,
Robert Fryer, Zane Jordan, Mary La Bonte, Christine Mercugliano,
Denise Negrin, Jimmy Madden, Robert McNicholas,
John Marzuk, Josephine Sapone, Alan Schwartz, Tali

...for all those who have died**...for our deployed service members:**

LT Christopher Anderson, Lt. Daniel V. Adams, Naval Aviator,
A.J. Barbaria, Navy, Gabriella Fasano, U.S. Navy, Camp
David Michael Fink, Navy Seal, ENS Corey Mullane, USN,
Cmdr. Derek Murphy in Iraq, Lucas Lima, US Army,
SG T. Jeff Troisi in Iraq, SGT. Jacob Dayman-Chavira in Iraq,
Parker Poloskey, Lt. Lauren Vernazza, USN,
VADM Michael Vernazza, USN, Lt. Joseph Wright

Lord, please hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless act they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

**Names stay on the prayer list for approximately 2 months

These special candles will be lit**January 25th thru January 31st
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First Responders
St. Therese's Candle
The Unborn



In our parish...

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Anniversary Masses

Bishop Gerald Barbarito will celebrate the 42nd Annual Anniversary Masses for Married Couples who will be celebrating 25, 40, 50 or more years of marriage during the year 2026.

Saturday February 14, 2026
10:00 AM
St. Lucie Catholic Church
280 SW Prima Vista Boulevard
Port St. Lucie, FL 34983

Saturday February 21, 2026
10:30 AM
St. Jude Catholic Church
21689 Toledo Road
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To register contact the parish office at (561) 392-8172.

Sponsored by the Office of Marriage, Family Life, Faith Formation and Youth Ministry. For information and registration contact the Parish Office.



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SUNDAY BREAKFAST IN THE GATHERING PLACE



Volunteers Needed for Sunday Breakfast Preparation. We are seeking volunteers to assist with the preparation of coffee and food for the Sunday Breakfast. Any amount of time you can contribute between 7 a.m. and noon would be greatly appreciated.

Additionally, volunteers are needed to pick up items from the Publix bakery on Saturday night. Once collected, these items will be transferred to the kitchen in the gathering place for serving to parishioners on Sunday morning.

If you're able to help, please reach out to:
John Wyns: (561-213-3009)
Tim Stultz: (561-702-7455)

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FAITH FORMATION

"COME AFTER ME, AND I WILL MAKE YOU FISHERS OF MEN."

Today's Gospel tells us little about the background of these fishermen, their work, and their families. In today's Gospel, we are simply told that James and John left their father, Zebedee, in the boat and followed Jesus.

Some details about the families of these first followers of Jesus are found later in Matthew's Gospel, however. In Matthew 8:14-15 for example, Jesus goes to the home of Peter and heals his mother-in-law of a fever. Matthew 20:20-28 relates how the mother of the sons of Zebedee (James and John) approaches Jesus with the request that her sons be given places of honor in Jesus' kingdom. These brief references suggest that the first disciples' separation from their families may not have been as complete as the verses in today's Gospel might lead us to believe. Matthew points out the separation because he wants to show that Christian discipleship can require a change in our lives and even our family relationships.

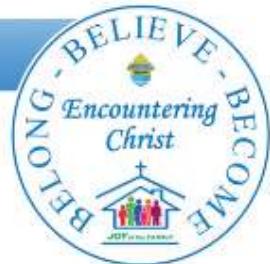
Perhaps the message for us today is to balance the radical call to be a follower of Jesus with the challenge to be "fishers of men" even within our own families. Creating this balance may require that we change some of the priorities of our own family life.

As a family, detail the activities of a typical day. Discuss together what priorities are reflected in this daily schedule. How does your family respond when your daily plans are interrupted or must be changed? Together read today's Gospel, Matthew 4:12-23. Reflect together on the example of the first disciples who dropped everything to follow Jesus. Ask: Does our family schedule give evidence that we put God first in our family life? What might we do to better reflect that God is our priority?

Pray together that your family will always give evidence that God comes first in your family life.

(Excerpts taken from Loyola Press - Sunday Connection)

In His service,
Susan



Creating a Safer Community Together

The Diocese of Palm Beach is deeply committed to protecting the most vulnerable among us, especially children and vulnerable adults. The **Office of Safe Environments** is a trusted resource for families, educators, and community members who want to ensure safety is always a priority. Explore <https://www.diocesepb.org/safe-environments.html> to find:

- Clear policies and procedures that promote accountability
- Educational tools and training programs
- Background screening guidelines
- Tips for staying safe both online and in everyday life
- Parenting insights and links to helpful websites

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