



The Shrine of the Infant Jesus of Prague
417 N. County Drive, Wakefield, VA 23888



St. Jude Catholic Church
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Church Office Hours: Monday—Friday 9AM—2PM

Mass Times/ Sacraments

Weekday Mass: Tuesday & Wednesday 10:30AM Thursday 6:00PM (**St. Jude**)

First Friday of the month 10:00AM (**Shrine**)

Second Wednesday of the month 12:00 PM (Bon Secours-Southampton Medical Center)

Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:00 PM (**Shrine, Wakefield**)

Sunday 10:30AM (**St. Jude, Franklin**)

Anointing of the Sick: Every last weekend of the month after Mass

Reconciliation: 1st Friday of the Month after 10:00 AM Mass (**Shrine**)

1st Saturday of the Month after 4 PM Mass—or by appointment (**Shrine**)

Thursdays 5:00PM—6:00PM or by appointment (**St. Jude**)

Adoration: First Thursday of the Month 5:00PM-6:00PM (**St. Jude**)

First Friday of the Month after 10:00 AM Mass (**Shrine**)

Sacraments: Contact the Parish office

Councils & Ministries

Pastoral Council Chair: Nita Holt calvinnitaholt@verizon.net

Members: Nick Moegenberg Leisa Billups Kristian Hughes Maria Sing
Gordon Tracy (Shrine) Danis Urban (Shrine)

Pastoral Council Meetings Held 3rd Thursday of the Month

Finance Council Chair: Calvin Holt calvinjholt@msn.com

Members: Jim Sauerbier Mary McDaniel Kathleen Rockwell John Walters (Shrine)

Finance Council meetings Held 2nd Thursday of the Month

Funeral Ministry: Mary McDaniel

Choir Director: Jesse Tupea *** **Choir Practice held Wednesdays at 6:30 PM** ***

Prisons Ministry: Michael Cuneo **In need of Volunteers Please contact the office if you can help**

Liturgy Committee Chair: Mary Edwards

Faith Formation: Coordinators Vickie Dobbins/ Joe Dobbins Email: jdobbins13@msn.com

Virtus Coordinator: Joe Dobbins

RCIA & Adult Faith Formation: Mary McDaniel

Counting Team Director: Teresa Preston

Parish Life Committee:

Wanda Beaulieu Tracy Howland Sierra Sunshine Frances Stewart Henry Wagner

Youth Members

Gaiden Orrick

Maintenance Committee:

Emile Vautrinot Mary Edwards Maria Sing Steve Potycz

Social Media and Important Links:

To Report Abuse Allegations: Report immediately to local law enforcement and the
Attorney General's Clergy Abuse Hotline at 1(833)454-9064 & The Diocese (804)359-5661

EthicsPoint" Hotline:

For anonymous reporting of misconduct within the Diocese of Richmond. Toll-free # (844)-739-3210 or
www.richmonddiocese.org and select "EthicsPoint."

Social Media

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stjudefranklin0552/

Flocknote: StJudeCatholicFranklinVA7.flocknote.com



Mass Intentions:

Shrine:

Saturday 02/03 Mass offering is for the intentions of the Shrine Parishioners.

St. Jude:

Sunday 02/04 Mass offering is for the intentions of the St. Jude Parishioners.

**** Weekday Mass Intentions are available: Contact the office for available dates.**

We Remember in Our Prayers:

Please continue to pray for those at home or at a care facility:

Homebound:

Elizabeth Williams	Anna Etters (Shrine)
Beth Cheatham	Robyn Robertson
Kathy Moore	Barbara Howard
Zachary Tupea	Genevive Hughes

In Facility:

Chris Collins

Continued Request For Prayer:

Kathy Moore	Dan Hohman
Daniel Brand	Jenny Wood
Nita Holt	Tom Collick
Annette Hawkins	Barbara Howard

Recent Requests For Prayer:

W.C. Gaunce (ill)

Gloria Craven (repose of the soul)

Doreena Parson (repose of the soul)

NOTE: Please send requests for additions to prayer request to: St_jude1@stjudefranklin.org

In the subject line please add prayer requests or call the office at 757-569-9600. Thank you!

GET WELL CARDS: Let's make sure any members of our church family who is facing a health related issue is remembered. It's a small gesture that makes a BIG impact. For additional info, please contact Frances Stewart at 757-742-6094



Birthdays & Anniversaries

CELEBRATION !

Second Sunday each month after Mass

Join the fun as we celebrate our parishioner's special day. Father will give a special blessing after Mass. There will be cake, drinks and other goodies in the Fellowship Hall. If the spirit moves you, please feel free to bring a snack of your choice, or your favorite dish. For more info, please contact Frances Stewart at 757-742-6094 .



Knights of Columbus will meet on Feb 13, 2024 at 7:00 PM.

Finance Council will meet on Feb 20, 2024 after 10:30 Mass.

"Jesus went away to a secluded place and prayed." If you are seeking greater simplicity of life and a closer following of the Lord in prayer and action, consider that He may be calling you to the priesthood or consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or via email: vocations@richmonddiocese.org.



The "See Something Say Something" program. It is for those items that require **repair**. We ask that, if in your time in these facilities, you see something that is broken and needs repair, replacement, or investigation, please let us know. Tell one of us about a problem. Emile, Mary, Steve or Maria, or there is a clipboard on the storage closet door in the commons area. Just jot down the issue and your name so we can follow up with clarification if needed. We need your help in keeping our facilities up to par. Please don't let us down.

Religious Education:

First Reconciliation Retreat Feb. 10

Whole Family Catechesis Feb. 11

Ash Wednesday Feb. 14

All Classes are 9:00AM-10:15 AM

February 4 & 25, 2024

First Eucharist Class Confirmation Class

NO CLASSES Feb 18 Presidents' Day

Contact Vicki or Joe Dobbins at jdobbins13@msn.com or (757) 334-8663 with any questions.



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Please call Mary McDaniel for more information. 757-818-5922



Offertory

<u>St. Jude</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Wk. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Mo. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
01/28/2024	\$1,388	\$2,900	<\$1,512>	\$9.849	\$12,567	<\$2,718>
<u>Shrine</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Wk. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Mo. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
01/27//2024	\$125	\$462	<\$337>	\$1,107	\$2,000	<\$893>
<u>St. Jude R&M</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>		
01/28/2024	0	\$1,097	\$1,667	<\$570>		

Haiti Mission—Parish Social Ministry

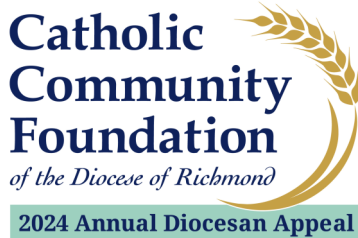
Envelopes are in the commons. Feel free to take some home to use.
Please be sure to include your name when donating.



St. Jude Parish and The Shrine have established the Lumen Christi Legacy Society. It is automatic for any parishioner who has named the parish in their Will. We are honored to acknowledge those special benefactors.

Naming St. Jude Parish or The Shrine in your Will is a way to acknowledge the importance of your faith as a Catholic and the Church to you in your lifetime.

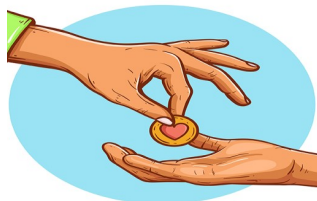
If you have already included our parish in your Will, we invite you as our newest Lumen Christi Legacy Society member. For more information, please call the parish office at (757) 569-9600.



2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal:
Sharing His Love with Others
A Message from Our Bishop

By God’s grace, in our prayer, worship, reception of the sacraments, we receive all that we need to share his love and hand on our faith to a new generation. Gifts to the Annual Diocesan Appeal help to build up the Church and answer the call to *Share His Love with Others*. When you support the Annual Diocesan Appeal, you help transform the lives of people who, like you, seek to be united in God’s love and mercy. I hope you will consider a generous gift to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Thank you again for sharing what you have received, and may God grant you every grace and blessing. ***This week and into next week, many of you will receive a letter from Bishop Knestout asking for your support of the 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal. It is our sincere hope that you will answer our Bishop’s request and make a generous commitment to this effort.***

Social Ministry

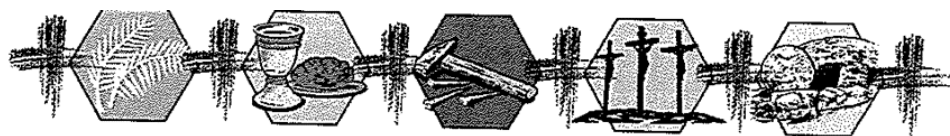


Thank you for your generous contributions in the past. We have been able to help 8 families since July of 2023 with their utility bills and rent. The following months are when we get the most requests for help. Therefore, the need for Social Ministry funds to help the poor in our community remains high.

The Parish Social Ministry envelopes are available in the Commons. Please be generous in your contributions to help those in need.

There are some changes to the scheduling this year.

Different church hosting each week instead of one host church. Several churches doubling as host churches due to increased number of churches participating. Worship services will be from 12:00 noon to 12:30 **Lunch will be from 12:30 till 1:00 PM.** Only one lunch period this year and that will be after worship services. **** also lunches this year will be limited to Soup, Sandwiches and Desserts**** Please no salads, casseroles etc.



2024 Community Lenten Services

Community Lenten Services will be a little different from previous years. First, **Wednesday services will be held at a different church each week.**

(Each church's address is included in this schedule.)

Second, instead of two lunches, there will be one.

If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

WORSHIP (12 - 12:30 PM)

LUNCH (12:30 - 1:00 PM)

DATE	HOST CHURCH(S)	ADDRESS	WORSHIP	LUNCH
2/14 Ash Wed.	Franklin Congregation Christian	412 N. High St. Franklin, VA 23851	Rev. James Hyatt	Franklin Congregational Christian
2/21	<u>*Emmanuel</u> <u>Episcopal/</u> <u>Fellowship</u> Around the Word	400 N. High St. Franklin, VA 23851	Apostle Peggy Scott & Rev. Jean Vinson	Mary & Joanne
2/28	Franklin Baptist	208 N. High St. Franklin, VA 23851	Rev. Charles Qualls	Franklin Baptist
3/6	St. Jude Catholic	1014 Clay St. Franklin, VA 23851	Father Emmanuel Mensah	WC, Pat, & Fran
3/13	<u>*HSUMC/</u> <u>Sycamore Baptist</u>	31164 Camp Pkwy. Courtland, VA 23837	Rev. Wayne Moore and Rev. Tracy Pugh	HSUMC/ Sycamore Baptist
3/20	Hunterdale Christian	741 Hunterdale Rd. Franklin, VA 23851	Pastor Dean Jester	Hunterdale Christian

**underlined church is location of that weeks service*

*A love offering will be received each week to benefit
Franklin Cooperative Ministry*

On behalf of Catholic Charities of Eastern Virginia

Your support means a lot, and your commitment to making a positive impact in our community is appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration.


CATHOLIC CHARITIES
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2024
MARDI GRAS GALA
FRIDAY • FEB 9

Party with Purpose &
Support the Vulnerable in
Our Community.

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