

## Third Sunday of Easter April 14, 2024



**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 5:00 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 5 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 at Father's Discretion.\*\**

**Finance Council Chair:** Calvin Holt calvinjholt@msn.com

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

*\*\*Finance Council meetings Held 3rd Thursday of the Month\*\**

**Funeral Ministry:** Mary McDaniel

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

**Prisons Ministry:** Michael Cuneo

**Liturgy Committee Chair:** Mary Edwards

**Altar Flowers:** Mirna Misseri

**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 Angela Cataldo Sierra Sunshine Frances Stewart Henry Wagner Gaiden Orrick  
Giuseppe Cataldo Susan Griggs Karen Harrington Maria Ona Emile Vautrinot

**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/](http://www.facebook.com/stjudefranklin0552/)

Flocknote: [StJudeCatholicFranklinVA7.flocknote.com](http://StJudeCatholicFranklinVA7.flocknote.com)



**Mass Intentions:**

**Shrine:**

Sunday 04/13 Mass offering is for the intentions of the Shrine Parishioners.

**St. Jude:**

Sunday 04/14 Mass offering is for the repose of the soul of Al Marcotte and 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
- Beth Cheatham          Robyn Robertson
- Kathy Moore              Barbara Howard
- Genevive Hughes

**In Facility:**

Chris Collins

**Continued Request For Prayer:**

- Kathy Moore              Dan Hohman
- Nita Holt                  Tom Collick
- Annette Hawkins        Barbara Howard
- W.C. Gaunce              Linda Gornto
- Calvin Holt                Josephine Owney
- Paul Brand                 Daniel Brand
- Vera Dawson

Zachary Tupea (repose of the soul)

**NOTE: Please send requests for additions to  
prayer request to: [St\\_jude1@stjudefranklin.org](mailto: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 .



**Parish Council** will meet on **April 17,**  
**at 7:00 PM** in the social hall at St. Jude.

**Finance Council** will meet on **April 18,**  
**at 7:00 PM** in the social hall at St. Jude.

**Liturgy Ministry** will meet on **April 19 at 7:00  
PM** in the social hall at St. Jude.

**Knights of Columbus** will meet on **May 14, at  
7:00 PM** in the social hall at St. Jude.

***Get Your Affairs in Order: 4 things you fami-  
ly will thank you for Seminar***

You are invited to attend a free, information-only hosted by St. Jude Parish and Shrine of the Infant Jesus of Prague on Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> immediately following Mass at St. Jude Parish Hall. Lunch will be served. This seminar is 1 hour and will provide information on Wills, Trusts, Catholic Advanced Medical Directives, Catholic Funeral Mass & Burial Planning, and Legacy Planning. How old is your Will? Did you know it may be out of date. Please join us for this free seminar. Attendees will receive copies of the Catholic Estate Planning Guide, Catholic Advanced Medical Directives, and the Catholic Funeral Planning Guide. Please **RSVP** to the Parish Office.

"Peace be with you." His peace will be fully felt when you are living the vocation that he has called you to. If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest or in consecrated life, talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or via email: [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org).



***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>
04/07/2024	\$3,031	\$2,900	\$131	\$3,031	\$12,567	<\$9,536>
<u>Shrine</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Wk. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Mo. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
04/06/2024	\$506	\$462	\$44	\$506	\$2,000	<\$1,494>
<u>St. Jude R&amp;M</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>		
04/07/2024	\$365	\$365	\$1,667	<\$1,302>		

**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.

"Dare a man rob God: Yet you are robbing me! And you say, "How do we rob you?" In tithes and in offerings!" You are indeed accursed, for you, the whole nation, rob me. Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, That there may be food in my house, and try me in this, says the Lord of hosts: Shall I not open for you the floodgates of heaven to pour down blessing upon you without measure: For your sake I will forbid the locust to destroy your crops; and the vine in the field will not be barren, says the Lord of hosts. Then all nations will call you blessed, for you will be a delightful land, says the Lord of hosts. Malachi 3: 8-12

Woe to you scribes and Pharisees, you Frauds! You pay tithes on mint and herbs and seeds while neglecting the weightier matters of the Law, Justice and mercy and good faith. It is these you should have practices, without neglecting the others. Matthew 23:23.

**Annual Diocesan Appeal**

<b>The Shrine of the Infant Jesus of Prague</b>	<b>Collected \$930</b>	<b>Goal \$1,360</b>
<b>St. Jude Catholic Church</b>	<b>Collected \$12,360</b>	<b>Goal \$8,650</b>



**Social Ministry**

Thank you for your generous contributions in the past. We have been able to help 26 families since July of 2023 with their utility bills and rent. Due to the increase in rents and utilities we are getting more 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. Be sure to include your name on the envelope