

# Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 6, 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 Acting Chair:** Leisa Billups

**Members:** Joe Dobbins Maria Sing Gordon Tracy (Shrine) Danis Urban (Shrine)

Anthony Ona Sofia Tupea Nick Morganburg

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

**Members:** Mary McDaniel Kathleen Rockwell Mike Kelly  
Ronnie Williams John Walters (Shrine)

**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, the St. Jude Choir & the Tupea family

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

**Virtus Coordinator:** Joe Dobbins

**OCIA & 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:**

### **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:**

Saturday 10/05 Mass offering is for the intentions of the Shrine Parishioners.

**St. Jude:**

Sunday 10/06 Mass offering is for the intentions of the St. Jude Parishioners.

**We Remember in Our Prayers:**

Karen Capps	Danis Urban
Marilyn Tench	Delores Beaver
Pat Whitfield	Brian Williams

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

**Homebound:**

Elizabeth Williams	Anna Etters
Beth Cheatham	Robyn Robertson
Kathy Moore	Genevive Hughes
Karen Capps	Delores Beaver

**In Facility or Hospital:**

Susan Griggs

**Continued Request For Prayer:**

Kathy Moore	Dan Hohman
Josephine Owney	Tom Collick
Annette Hawkins	Vera Dawson
W.C. Gaunce	Paul Brand
Daniel Brand	Susan Griggs
Marilyn Tench	Nita Holt

Melissa Scott (niece of Kathy Moore)

**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 304-871-0018



**Birthdays & Anniversaries CELEBRATION !**

**Second Sunday each month after Mass**

Join the fun with our monthly celebrants! Father will give a special blessing after Mass, followed by cake, drinks and other goodies in the Fellowship Hall. If the spirit moves you, please bring a favorite dish or snack of your choice. For more information, please call Fran Stewart at 304-871-0018

**Knights of Columbus** will meet on **Oct 8, at 7:00 PM** in the social hall at St. Jude.

**Finance Council** will meet on **October 17, at 11:30 AM** in the social hall at St. Jude.



**CONSTRUCTION OF THE CONFESSIONAL**

**HAS BEGUN AND IS**

**ESTIMATED TO BE COMPLETED IN 2 OR 3 WEEKS**

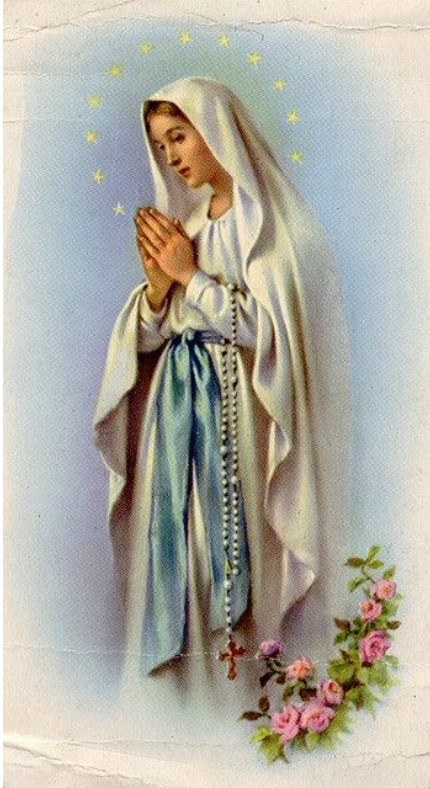


"We see Jesus crowned with glory and honor." Will you let the Holy Spirit lead you to be a reflection of His divine glory as a priest? Seek the opportunity to serve and lead others. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or via email: [vocations@richmonddiocese.org](mailto:vocations@richmonddiocese.org).



**Order of Christian Initiation for Adults**

Please call Mary McDaniel for more Information 757-818-5922



## *October is the month of Mary and the Rosary*

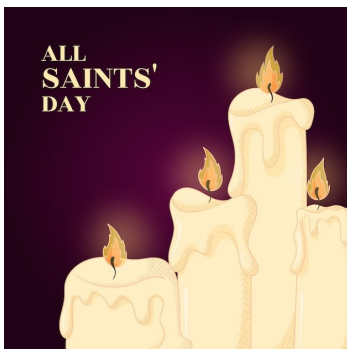
### Schedule of Events

- 10/7—Feast of the Holy rosary—morning Rosary at 10:30 AM and evening Rosary at 6:30 PM at St. Jude.
- 10/9—Dinner and a Movie—Pot luck dinner at 6:00 PM followed by a movie about Mary around 6:30 PM at St. Jude social hall.
- 10/15—Lunch and a Movie—Movie and time to be announced. Bring a bag lunch at St. Jude social hall.

### *Celebrate Saint Jude*

- 10/19—Begin Novena to Saint Jude in preparation for the Feast Day.
- 10/25—12 hour adoration 8:00 AM through 8:00 PM.
- 10/27—Celebrate the Feast of Saint Jude at the 10:30 Mass.  
Rosary before Mass.

The Knights of Columbus plan a picnic lunch with Games and activities outside after Mass. Distribute and gather “leaf” cutouts with prayer intentions for All Soul’s Day.



### Celebrate all Saints Day & All Souls Day

11/1 —Holy day of Obligation Mass at the Shrine at 10:00AM, Southampton Hospital at noon and St. Jude at 7:00 PM.

11/2—All Souls Day Mass at 10:30 AM at St. Jude.





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>
09/29/2024	\$1,712	\$2,981	<\$1,269>	\$12,014	\$12,917	<\$903>

<u>Shrine</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Wk. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Mo. Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
09/28/2024	\$159	\$407	<\$248>	\$2,022	\$1,765	\$257

<u>St. Jude R&amp;M</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>MTD</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Diff.</u>
09/29/2024	\$20	\$925	\$1,833	<\$908>

**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.



Estate Planning...

...Planning for Peace of  
*Mind*

Your values, goals and ambitions are all part of your life's story – they are your legacy. You worked for it, now it should work for you. If you have ever planned a vacation, you can plan your legacy. Visit [freewill.com/richmondcatholicfoundation](https://www.freewill.com/richmondcatholicfoundation)

This month reminds us of the importance of having a Will in place! 500,000+ people have used FreeWill to write their legal Will or Revocable Trust, protect their loved ones, and establish a lasting legacy with the causes they care about. The Catholic Community Foundation partnered with FreeWill to help you get started on your Will or Recable Trust with this free resource from FreeWill: <https://www.freewill.com/richmondcatholicfoundation>



*Come and join us for faith, fellowship and fun as we continue our journey with Jesus' life, death and resurrection!*

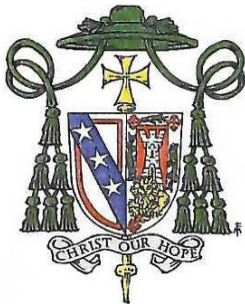
Please contact Vicki or Joe Dobbins at [jdobbins13@msn.com](mailto:jdobbins13@msn.com) or (757) 334-8663 with any questions.

**Religious Education Calendar 2024-2025**

September and October 2024

- October 6      **Whole Family Catechesis** 9 AM–10:15 AM in the Social Hall
- October 6      Confirmation Class\*
- October 13     First Eucharist & Conformation Class\*
- October 20     First Eucharist & Conformation Class\*
- October 27     Sacrament Preparation @ Home

**\*Classes are held from 9 AM — 10:15 AM in the classroom**



Office of the Bishop

## Diocese of Richmond

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October 1, 2024

Dear Pastors and Parish Administrators,

Many of you have watched as I have, the heartbreaking videos and pictures of the effects of Hurricane Helene as it made landfall in Florida and tore a wide path of destruction in our neighboring Dioceses of Charlotte, Knoxville, and our own diocesan areas in Southwest Virginia.

The damage assessment will continue to take some time, and while we know that many things can be replaced, the toll on human lives in a physical and emotional sense will require much healing. I encourage you to pray for those who lost their lives and their families who are grieving and I commend them to the healing power of Our Lord.

I firmly believe that the Church leads the way and sets the example in situations like this. We have helped in the past and we must do our best to help again. We may not all be able to “go” and offer help, but we can all “give.”

I am writing today to encourage support for our Diocesan community in Southwest Virginia, the Diocese of Charlotte, and the Diocese of Knoxville. I ask that each parish make a special appeal for a collection during the weekend of **October 12<sup>th</sup>** and **13<sup>th</sup>**.

This special collection will go to these neighboring dioceses as well as a portion of the collection retained to assist those in Southwest Virginia. Please note that all collections and gifts should be sent to the Diocesan Finance Office with a memo for Hurricane Helene Relief.

Most of all, please continue to pray for those impacted by this event and thank you for your prayers and generosity. With my gratitude and every best wish, I remain,

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Barry C. Knestout  
Bishop of Richmond