

Parish of St. Jude the Apostle's Newsletter
Saturday 1st, Sunday 2nd November 2025
THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
A Warm Welcome to all to our Church.
Thank you for joining us for Mass.



Mass Times

St Judes: Mon (except BH), Wed, Fri 10.00am // Sat 5.30 pm // Sun 10.00am.

St Pius X: Tue, Thu 10.00am // Sat 7.00pm // Sun 11.30am //

St Pius X First Friday 7.00pm. Taize Mass: St Jude's Nov 23rd. 7.30pm

St Judes Additional Information

Tuesday morning Prayer Service and Holy Communion 10.00am

Thurs morning Rosary and Holy Communion 10.00am, Adoration 9.15 to 11.00am

Friday morning Adoration 1030am -1.00pm.

Saturday morning 10.00, Prayer Service with Holy Communion.

Confessions on request to Fr. Pat.

St Judes Parish Office Opening Hours: Monday, Wednesday,
Friday 09.30 – 12.30. Closed Tuesday & Thursday.
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Mass Intentions

Saturday 1st 5.30pm

Kay O'Neill (Anniv),
Bernard Gallagher (8th Anniv),
Frank Carey (27th Anniv),
Carol Malonowski (Get Well),
Anon (Special Int).

Mary Kavanagh (Anniv),
Dan O'Leary (17th Anniv),
Tomas Joyce (32nd Anniv),
Tony (Get Well),

Sunday 2nd 10.00am

Anne Keegan nee Collard (Rec Dec), Mabel Murray (Rec Dec),
Betty Harding (Rec Dec), Dominic Bass (1st Anniv),
Kay Nolan (6th Anniv), Niamh Lehane (35th Anniv),
Conor (Special Int), Donors (Intentions).

Sunday Morning Mass Refrain

Be not afraid, I go before always,
Come follow me and I will give you rest.

NOTICES:

Parish Centre Office – Mass Cards, Baptismal Candles, Rosary beads are available in Parish Office. **Baptisms** are held Monthly in St Judes on the 3rd Sunday and in St Pius X on 1st Sunday. More Information in the Parish Office.

Bookings for Anniversary Masses etc. Please give one Months' notice. All anniversary and remembrance masses must be booked through the Parish Office.

ST JUDES PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR Sunday 30th November, 3:00pm to 6:00pm in Parish Centre and around the grounds. **If you are interested in taking a stall, please email**

stjudesparishwillington@gmail.com with details of your craft and a mobile number for contact, cost of stalls are €40. Santa and his elves will be in attendance. If you have any bottles or gifts to donate for bottle stall you can drop them into the Parish Office Monday, Wednesday or Friday 9:30am to 12:30pm.

St. Judes Parish First Holy Communion and Confirmation Dates
Dates for the celebration of the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation have been set for 2026.

First Holy Communions Wednesday 20th / Thursday 21st May 2026

Sacrament of Confirmation Wednesday 27th / Thursday 28th May 2026

ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD The 2025 November Altar List of the Dead Envelopes are available in the porches of the church. The souls of all who are named on the Parish Altar List of the Dead are remembered at all Masses in November and on the First Friday of each month throughout the year. "All I ask, that wherever you may be, you may remember me at the Altar of the Lord" St Monica.

Annual Mass of Remembrance 2025

The Annual Mass of Remembrance of parishioners who have died during the past year will be celebrated on **Thursday 20th November at 7.30pm**. Relatives and friends of all whose funerals were celebrated in St Judes parish are invited to join in this parish celebration of prayerful remembrance. If, during the past year, you and your family celebrated a funeral of a loved one in another parish at home or abroad you are most welcome to join us for this celebration.

FIRST FRIDAY

This coming Friday is the First Friday of November. Morning Mass is celebrated at 10am in St Judes and in the evening at 7pm in St Pius X. All those who are named on the Altar List of the Dead will be remembered at these Masses.

SHARE APPEAL The second collection next weekend (8th /9th) will be for Share. There is a message from Archbishop Dermot Farrell in church porch and available on our website.

Future Planning and Ageing in place in your Home. A talk from Age Friendly Ireland in Kimmage Manor Parish Hall on Wednesday November 5th at 7pm.

St Vincent de Paul collection will be held at all masses next weekend 8th /9th.

Family Mass -Next weekend St Pius X

Next Saturday 8th November we will celebrate our monthly family Mass for the parishes of St Pius X and St Jude's at the 7pm Vigil Mass in St Pius X.

We encourage all families with young children to join us for this Mass, but in particular we invite those preparing for the celebration of the Sacraments in 2026 to join us for this Mass.

Coffee Morning St Pius X Church

This coming Thursday we will have our regular tea / coffee after the 10am morning Mass. All are very welcome.

St Pius X Monthly Tea / Coffee And next weekend 8th / 9th November we will have our monthly tea / coffee in St Mary's Room after each Mass.

Catholic Medical Association of Ireland will hold its annual Conference in the St Charles Centre, Mount Argus on Saturday 22nd November from 9am to 4pm. Conference Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Kevin Doran.

READINGS

A reading from the prophet Isaiah. (Is 25:6-9)

On this mountain, the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples a banquet of rich food. On this mountain he will remove the mourning veil covering all peoples, and the shroud enwrapping all nations, he will destroy Death for ever. The Lord will wipe away the tears from every cheek; he will take away his people's shame everywhere on earth, for the Lord has said so. That day, it will be said: See, this is our God in whom we hoped for salvation; the Lord is the one in whom we hoped. We exult and we rejoice that he has saved us.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm (Ps 26:1, 4.7-9.13-14)

R The Lord is my light and my help.

The Lord is my light and my help; whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom shall I shrink? R

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, for this I long,

to live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life,

to savour the sweetness of the Lord, to behold his temple. R

O Lord, hear my voice when I call; have mercy and answer.

It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face. R

I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living.

Hope in him, hold firm and take heart. Hope in the Lord! R

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans. (Rm 5:5-11)

Hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us. We were still helpless when at his appointed moment Christ died for sinful men. It is not easy to die even for a good man – though of course for someone really worthy, a man might be prepared to die – but what proves that God loves us is that Christ died for us while we were still sinners. Having died to make us righteous, is it likely that he would now fail to save us from God's anger? When we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, we were still enemies; now that we have been reconciled, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son? Not merely because we have been reconciled but because we are filled with joyful trust in God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have already gained our reconciliation.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

***Alleluia, alleluia! It is my Father's will, says the Lord,
that I should lose nothing of all that he has given to me,
and that I should raise it up on the last day. Alleluia!***

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. (Lk 7:11-17)

Jesus went to a town called Nain, accompanied by his disciples and a great number of people. When he was near the gate of the town it happened that a dead man was being carried out for burial, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow. And a considerable number of the townspeople were with her. When the Lord saw her he felt sorry for her. 'Do not cry' he said. Then he went up and put his hand on the bier and the bearers stood still, and he said, 'Young man, I tell you to get up.' And the dead man sat up and began to walk, and Jesus gave him to his mother. Everyone was filled with awe and praised God saying, 'A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people.' And this opinion of him spread throughout Judaea and all over the countryside.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

***You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence,
O Lord.***

**It is not the magnitude of our actions, but the amount of love that is
put into them that matters.**