

**Parish of St. Jude the Apostle's Newsletter**  
**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> June, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2025**  
**Pentecost Sunday**  
*A Warm Welcome to all to our Church.*  
*Thank you for joining us for Mass.*



**Mass Times**

**St Judes:** Mon, Wed, Fri 10.00am // **Sat** 5.30 pm // **Sun** 10.00am.  
**St Pius X:** Mon, Tue, Thu 10.00am // **Sat** 7.00pm // **Sun** 11.30am //  
**St Pius X First Friday** 7.00pm. **Taize Mass: St Jude's** Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Sept 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 10.30am - 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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 Parish website [www.stjudesparish.net](http://www.stjudesparish.net)

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> 5.30pm**

Eucharistia (Rec Dec),	Margaret Bracken (1st Anniv),
Kevin Kearney (1st Anniv),	Pat Scallon (2nd Anniv),
Martin Kilbane (4th Anniv),	Bernadette Connell (11th Anniv),
Johnny Dennehy (Anniv),	Bridget King (Anniv),
Mary (Sp Intention).	

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.00am**

Anne Fahy (Rec Dec),	Sadhbh O'Callaghan (Exams good luck),
Jack O'Callaghan (Exams good luck),	Martin (Maxi) McManamon (1st Anniv),
Bernard Ward (1st Anniv),	Michael Ryan, (Anniv),
Tom Ryan (Anniv),	Bessie Higgins (Anniv).

**Refrain Sunday Morning Mass**

Go tell everyone, the news that the Kingdom of God has come,  
 And go tell everyone the news that Gods Kingdom has come.

**NOTICES:**

**Parish Centre Office** – First Holy Communion and Confirmation gifts and cards still available along with Mass Cards, Baptismal Candles, Rosary beads are available in Parish Office.

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

**Garden Party Sunday 8 June 2025:-** As part of the celebration of our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a parish there will be a **Garden Party from 11.30 to 2pm in the parish grounds**. Cost €5, includes strawberries and cream, tea, coffee and entry to a raffle for prizes. Children - free entry..

**Students doing Exams** We wish God's blessings on all our Leaving Certificate and Junior Certificate students as they continue their exams this week.

**St Vincent de Paul collection** The local conference will take up their monthly outdoor collect at all masses this weekend of 7<sup>th</sup> / 8<sup>th</sup> June.

**Congratulations!** to Fr Pat and Fr Gerry who celebrate the anniversary of their ordination this Sunday. We wish them every blessing and thank God for their continued ministry among us here in St Pius X and St Judes.

**Alpha Bayside** are hosting on Zoom a Summer School on the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary for six Sundays starting 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 7.30pm (mixture video and discussion). To join please email Paul at [alphabayside@gmail.com](mailto:alphabayside@gmail.com)

**Active Retirement Association** will meet this coming Monday 9th June at 11am in St Marys Room, St Pius X Church. All are very welcome.

**Lourdes Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage** This year the Diocesan Pilgrimage is again planning to bring sick pilgrims to Our Lady's Shrine, Lourdes, under the leadership of Archbishop Dermot Farrell. For further information or Application forms for sick pilgrims, please contact the Lourdes Pilgrimage Office, phone 01-8087555/01-8376820 or email [info@lourdes.dublindiocese.ie](mailto:info@lourdes.dublindiocese.ie). You can enrol as an associate member by making a donation (to help fund sick pilgrims) at the parish office.

**Family Mass** - Our last Family Mass before the summer break will be celebrated in St Pius X on Saturday 14th June at 7pm. All are very welcome to join us, but we especially invite the boys and girls who have recently celebrated their Confirmation or First Holy Communion to join us with their families, and the children may like to dress in their Communion outfits. Following the Mass, we will have our monthly tea, coffee and biscuits, and ice-cream for all the children. We will have our final tea and coffee before the summer break on Sun 15th following the 11.30am Mass.

**BOHERNABREENA CEMETERY** Annual Cemetery Mass takes place next Sunday 15th June at 3pm (cars to be parked by 2pm).

**Kimmage Manor** Annual Parish Day takes place on Sunday 8th June 2pm - 5pm, in the open field close to the church. There will be music, facepainting, a talent show and both adult and children's races. There will be Bric-a-brac, cake and tombola stalls. Tea, coffee and sausage rolls available. Please do join us.

**Easter Dues.** Thank you to all who have returned their Easter Dues.

### **Adoration the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction - St Pius X**

This Sunday 8th June there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 3-4pm, concluding with Benediction.

**Scripture Group - St Pius X** The final meeting before the summer break will take place this Wednesday 11th June at 7.30pm in the Sacristy. All are welcome.

**Congratulations** to Fr. Michael O'Grady P.P. as he celebrates his silver Jubilee (25years) of his ordination to the priesthood.

### **READINGS**

**A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 2:1-11)** When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech. Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome — Jews and proselytes alike — Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.' **The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

### **Responsorial Psalm (Ps 103:1.24.29-31.34)**

**R Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.**

Bless the Lord, my soul! Lord God, how great you are,  
How many are your works, O Lord! The earth is full of your riches. R  
You take back your spirit, they die, returning to the dust from which they came.  
You send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the earth. R  
May the glory of the Lord last for ever! May the Lord rejoice in his works!  
May my thoughts be pleasing to him. I find my joy in the Lord. R

**A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans. (Rm 8:8-17)** People who are interested only in unspiritual things can never be pleasing to God. Your interests, however, are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him. Though your body may be dead it is because of sin, but if Christ is in you then your spirit is life itself because you have been justified; and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you. So then, my brothers and sisters, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live. Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received

is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children, we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

### **The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

**SEQUENCE:** Holy Spirit, Lord of light, From the clear celestial height  
Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor, Come with treasures which endure;  
Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best, Thou, the soul's delightful guest,  
Dost refreshing peace bestow.

Thou in toil art comfort sweet; Pleasant coolness in the heat;  
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine, Visit thou these hearts of thine,  
And our inmost being fill:

If thou take thy grace away, Nothing pure in man will stay;  
All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour thy dew;  
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill;  
Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore Thee confess and thee adore,  
With thy sevenfold gifts descend:

Give us comfort when we die; Give us life with thee on high;  
Give us joys that never end.

**Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful,  
and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!**

### **A reading from the holy Gospel according to John. (Jn 14:15-16.23-26)**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'If you love me you will keep my commandments. I shall ask the Father and he will give you another Advocate to be with you for ever. 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him. Those who do not love me do not keep my words. And my word is not my own; it is the word of the one who sent me. I have said these things to you while still with you; but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you. The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Come, Holy Spirit, revive and renew us.

Come Holy Spirit, inspire and enthuse us.

Come, Holy Spirit, unbind and release us.

Open our eyes to see God's grace around us.

Open our ears to hear God's voice within us.

Open our hearts to welcome God among us.

Send us out with Joy to live the Gospel.

Send us out with peace to act as one.

Send us out with love to build up hope.