

Parish of St. Jude the Apostle's Newsletter
Saturday 8th, Sunday 9th November 2025
THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA
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: Mon, Tue, Thu 10.00am // Sat 7.00pm // Sun 11.30am //

St Pius X: First Friday 7.00pm.

Taizé Mass: St Jude's Nov 23rd. 7.30pm. Celebrant: Richard Olin, CSSp.

St Judes: Additional Information

Tuesday 10.00am: Prayer Service and Holy Communion

Thursday 10.00am: Rosary and Holy Communion, Adoration 9.15 to 11.00am

Friday 10.30am -1.00pm: Adoration.

Saturday 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 8th 5.30pm

Anne McKinney (Month's mind)	Nora O'Dea (Rec. Deceased)
Pat Doyle + Dillon (Anniversary)	John Farrell (Rec. Deceased)
Maureen Byrnes (3 rd Anniversary)	Kathleen Williams (Birthday Rem.)
James Lee (39 th Anniversary)	Bríd Casey (Birthday wishes)

Sunday 9th 10.00am

Catherine Kelliher (Month's mind)	Mary Farrell (2 nd Anniversary)
Anne McKinney (Month's mind)	Gabriel McCann (Rec. Deceased)
John & Sarah Starr (Anniversary)	Mark Candon (Rec. Deceased)
Mary Fox (1 st Anniversary)	Maureen McGuckin (Rec. Deceased)

Sunday Morning Mass Refrain

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

SHARE APPEAL The second collection this weekend is for Share. A message from Archbishop Dermot Farrell is in the church porch and on our website.

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 is available 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.

ANY OLD PHOTOS? As part of our **50th Anniversary celebration** we propose to have a display of photographs, news items, etc. which cover the history of our Parish over the past 50 years. If you have items at home and are willing to lend them to us, please drop them into the Parish Office by **1st December** with your contact details so that we can return them to you.

St Judes Parish Christmas Fair: Sunday 30th November, 3:00pm to 6:00pm in Parish Centre and around the grounds. Santa and his elves will be in attendance. **If you have any bottles for bottle stall or gifts to donate you can drop them into the Parish Office on Monday, Wednesday or Friday, 9:30am to 12:30pm.** 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 a stalls is €40.

2025 November Altar List of the Dead Envelopes are available in the porches of the church. 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.

Annual Mass of Remembrance of parishioners who died during the past year is 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 this parish celebration of prayerful remembrance. If, during the past year, you and your family celebrated the funeral of a loved one elsewhere, at home or abroad, you are most welcome to join us for this celebration.

St. Judes Parish First Holy Communion and Confirmation Dates

First Holy Communion Wednesday 20th / Thursday 21st May 2026
Sacrament of Confirmation Wednesday 27th / Thursday 28th May 2026

St Vincent de Paul collection will be after all Masses this weekend 8th /9th.

Mission Sunday collection 19 October amounted to €1,630. Many thanks

Orwell Park Residents Association AGM Nov. 25th, 7pm, Parish Centre.

Family Mass - this weekend in St Pius X

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

St Pius X: Monthly Tea / Coffee This weekend 8th / 9th November there is the usual monthly tea / coffee in St Mary's Room after each Mass.

READINGS

A reading from the prophet Ezekiel. (Ezk 47:1-2.8-9.12)

The angel brought me to the entrance of the Temple, where a stream came out from under the Temple threshold and flowed eastwards, since the Temple faced east. The water flowed from under the right side of the Temple, south of the altar. He took me out by the north gate and led me right round outside as far as the outer east gate where the water flowed out on the righthand side. The man went to the east holding his measuring line and measured off a thousand cubits; he then made me wade across the stream; the water reached my ankles. He measured off another thousand and made me wade across the stream again; the water reached my knees. He measured off another thousand and made me wade across again; the water reached my waist. He measured off another thousand; it was now a river which I could not cross; the stream had swollen and was now deep water, a river impossible to cross. He then said, 'Do you see, son of man?' He took me further, then brought me back to the bank of the river. When I got back, there were many trees on each bank of the river. He said, 'This water flows east down to the Arabah and to the sea; and flowing into the sea it makes its waters wholesome. Wherever the river flows, all living creatures teeming in it will live. Fish will be very plentiful, for wherever the water goes it brings health, and life teems wherever the river flows. Along the river, on either bank, will grow every kind of fruit tree with leaves that never wither and fruit that never fails; they will bear new fruit every month, because this water comes from the sanctuary. And their fruit will be good to eat and the leaves medicinal.'

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

Responsorial Psalm (Ps 45:2-3.5-6.8-9)

R **The waters of a river give joy to God's city,
the holy place where the Most High dwells.**

God is for us a refuge and strength,
a helper close at hand, in time of distress:
so we shall not fear though the earth should rock,
though the mountains fall into the depths of the sea. R

The waters of a river give joy to God's city,
the holy place where the Most High dwells.

God is within, it cannot be shaken;

God will help it at the dawning of the day. R

The Lord of hosts is with us: the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Come, consider the works of the Lord

the redoubtable deeds he has done on the earth. R

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

(1 Cor 3:9-11.16-17)

You are God's building. By the grace God gave me, I succeeded as an architect and laid the foundations, on which someone else is doing the building. Everyone doing the building must work carefully. For the foundation, nobody can lay any other than the one which has already been laid, that is Jesus Christ. Didn't you realise that you were God's temple and that the Spirit of God was living among you? If anybody should destroy the temple of God, God will destroy him, because the temple of God is sacred; and you are that temple.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

***Alleluia, alleluia! I have chosen and consecrated this house,
says the Lord, for my name to be there for ever. Alleluia!***

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John. (Jn 2:13-22)

Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market'. Then his disciples remembered the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up'. The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Be built up like living stones into a spiritual house, a holy priesthood.

**Are you a rock-solid friend – Integrity, Loyalty, Honesty, Friendship,
Unconditional Love, Good Listener, Non-Judgemental and Kind**