The Louisa Catholic Community "United in Faith, United in Love" Saint Jude Catholic Church, 1937 Davis Highway, Mineral, VA 23117 Immaculate Conception Church, 1107 Fredericks Hall Road, Bumpass, VA, 23024

Bulletin for Sunday, June 1st and June 8th, 2025

Pastor News:

Fr. Barfi will be away from June 2nd to July 10th as he travels to Ghana to visit his family. During this time, we warmly welcome all visiting priests who will be celebrating Mass with us. Please also remember that Fr. Barfi will never send emails or text messages asking for financial assistance—any such messages should be disregarded.

BIBLE CLASSES AT ST. JUDES

All classes will be on a Tuesday morning in the Parish Hall, right after morning Mass and right after everybody has a chance to get some coffee and a bit of food.

· JUNE 3: Deacon Al Benet. Class on "Pentecost" (Actual date of Pentecost is June 8)

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Growing in Faith Together...Religious Education 2025-2026

Registration forms are in the Parish Office & on the bulletin board in the narthex. A registration form is needed for <u>ALL</u> children participating in our Faith Formation Programs, including homeschooled students.

This program relies on volunteers. Prayerfully consider if you are being called as a catechist to share our Catholic Faith & traditions with a new generation. All supplies & training will be provided.

Questions or to volunteer...contact cre@louisascatholics.org

Louisa Catholic VBS 2025 Heavenly Heroes

Where Heroes Wear Halos, Not Capes!

St. Jude Social Hall

July 22th - July 24th 8:30 – NOON

- Open to all students K-5 th gr. Students 6th gr. & up welcome as youth volunteers.
- Registration forms available in the Narthex.
- Questions or to volunteer contact... cre.louisacatholics.org

Immaculate Conception Bible Study

The June 12th session will focus on **NUMBERS** in the **Bible**—not the Book of Numbers, but the significance of actual numbers in scripture. This class will be cotaught by new volunteers Marijane Lazzaro and Jane

Pancake Breakfast

A Pancake Breakfast will be offered and sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, immediately following Mass on Sunday, June 8. All parishioners and Mass-attendees are invited. There is no charge to attend but donations will be welcome.

With Sympathy and Prayers

We extend our heartfelt condolences to Sue Morlino on the passing of her beloved husband, Vito Morlino, who died on May 25, 2025. Vito was a longtime parishioner and a dedicated member of our parish choir, whose presence and voice will be deeply missed. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Saint Mary's Church in Richmond, VA on Thursday, June 5, 2025, at 11:30 AM. Burial will take place at Saint Jude at a future date. Please keep the Morlino family in your prayers during this difficult time.



May 31 - June 14, 2025

Saturday, May 31

SJ 4:00PM, Confessions

SJ 5:00PM, Tom & Jean Olivier † by: Mike & Sue Handrahan

Sunday, June 1

IC 9:00AM, Laura & Eamonn McCaul † by: Margo McCaul

SJ 11:00AM, Kathy Largo † by: Women's Guild

Monday, June 2

IC 5:30PM, Holy Hour

Tuesday, June 3

SJ 9:00AM, Joe & Vera Handrahan † by: Mike & Sue Handrahan

Thursday, June 5

IC 8:30AM, Rosary

IC 9:00AM, The intentions of Maureen Burns by: Rich & Lori Muoio

Friday, June 6

NO FIRST FRIDAY MASS

Saturday, June 7

NO FIRST SATURDAY MASS

SJ 4:00PM, Confessions

SJ 5:00PM, Elizabeth Sullivan†

Sunday, June 8

IC 9:00AM, Alma J. Ranft† by: Becky & Renee, her daughters

SJ 11:00AM, Levi Lazano† by: Michele & Bob Thompson

Tuesday, June 10

SJ 9:00AM, Laura & Eamonn McCaul† by: Margo McCaul

Thursday, June 12

IC 8:30AM, Rosary

IC 9:00AM, Dr. Donald Knowlan† by: Alison & Albert Campbell

Saturday, June 14

SJ 4:00PM, Confessions

SJ 5:00PM, Percy Evans† by: Mary & Ron Hohenstein

NO HISPANIC MASS



Join the Social Ministry Committee as we help our neighbors.

We plan to pack 35,000 meals in 2 hours.

Sign up required and can be completed after Mass beginning May 24.

Last day to sign up is June 22.

Sag the bulletin for more information







When: Saturday July 19, 2025 At 10 a.m. Where: St Jude's Church Hall



MEALS OF HOPE

The Social Ministry Committee is hosting a Meals of Hope meal packaging event on Saturday, July 19th, 10AM at Saint Jude. These meals will be given to our local Food Bank and Restoration Ministries. 80 volunteers are needed (ages 8 and above) to achieve our goal of packing 35,000 + meals. Laura Foussekis is the SM volunteer coordinator for this event. You may sign - up on the sheets posted in each Church or contact Laura by email at lfoussekis@comcast.net or by text (540)223-5303. Signup will be a first come first served basis and limited to 80 VOLUNTEERS.

Participating in this event is a great way to get involved in our Church while meeting other Parishioners and helping those in need. Please sign up and mark your calendars accordingly.

Becky Chidester, Social Ministry Chair

Sacraments and Sacramentals

If you are in need of a Sacrament:

Baptism, please call or write the parish office to schedule a baptism. First time parents, must meet with Fr. Calixtus, and then a date can be set.

First Communion Please contact Father Calixtus for information.

Reconciliation (Confessions) are every Saturday from 4:00-4:50 PM at Saint Jude, and by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick, call the parish office to speak with Fr. Calixtus to schedule.

Marriage, engaged couples should approach their priest first to begin planning a wedding! Please call the office to schedule a meeting with Fr. Calixtus or one of our Deacons, their numbers are in this bulletin.

Hospital visits If you or a member of your family want Fr. Calixtus to know about a hospital stay, call the parish office.

Reserve the date!

Immaculate Conception Church Picnic **WHEN:** Saturday, September 20, 2025

TIME: 2 pm-7pm

WHERE: The home of Mike & Amy Schnetzler

More details to follow

Questions: Karen Donnelly Community Life-

kmd127@gmail.com

Flag Day – June 14, 2025 Flag Retirement Ceremony

In honor of Flag Day, the Knights of Columbus will conduct a dignified Flag Retirement Ceremony on Saturday, June 14, 2025, at 10:00 AM at the Pavilion.

Old, faded, or damaged American flags may be dropped off in the hall by June 13 for proper retirement. For more information, please contact Rick Dowsett.

Schedule Update:

There will be no First Friday or First Saturday Masses in June.

Please be sure to check the parish calendar, as some daily Masses have been canceled while Father Cal is on vacation.

Faith Direct

Simplify Your Offertory with eGiving

This is the perfect time of year to get organized and simplify your routines—including how you give.

We invite you to make the switch to **eGiving** and support the ministries that matter most to you—without the hassle of checks and envelopes.

You can sign up easily from your **computer**, **smartphone**, and choose to make a **recurring donation** or a **one-time gift**.

When you give through eGiving, you also have the option to **cover the small processing fee**, helping more of your gift go directly to our parish ministries.

Thank you for your continued generosity and support!

Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/VA1052 (Immaculate Conception) or faith.direct/VA1007(Saint Jude) or call their Customer Service team at 866-507-8757.

EPIC

All rising 6th-8th grade students are invited to the annual diocesan EPIC Middle School Youth Rally this August 9, 2025, at Saint Joseph's Villa, Richmond. Be inspired by the *EPIC* lives of young saints! From inflatables to Mass, talks to a service project, you won't want to miss this *EPIC* summer day. Please contact CRE@louisacatholics.org for a registration form.