

St. Jude The Apostle PNCC

Sunday Service

Spanish Mass: 8 AM English Mass: 1 PM

Mass Readings

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STAY THE FAITH By Rev. Robert Grizzell

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, the readings for this 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time remind us that everything in this world is passing. Jesus tells His disciples that even the most magnificent things—like the Temple in Jerusalem—will one day crumble. Yet, He also assures us that those who persevere in faith will gain their souls. In these words, we find both challenge and comfort: the challenge to remain steadfast in times of uncertainty, and the comfort of knowing that our hope rests not in earthly things, but in the eternal love and mercy of God.

Today, our parish family at St. Jude the Apostle Polish National Catholic Church celebrates a beautiful sign of that hope—the ordination of Fr. Robert Grizzell to the holy priesthood. The priesthood is not about status or recognition, but about service, sacrifice, and love. Like Christ, the priest is called to stand at the altar and in the world as a bridge between God and His people, proclaiming the Good News and offering his life for the sake of others. Fr. Robert's "yes" to God is a reminder that even in a world full of uncertainty, there are still hearts willing to say, "Here I am, Lord."

May this celebration renew in all of us a deeper faith in God's promise and a greater desire to live our vocations—whatever they may be—with courage and devotion. As we honor this sacred moment in our parish's life, let us pray that Fr. Robert and all priests continue to guide God's people with compassion, humility, and unwavering faith until the day when Christ's Kingdom comes in its fullness.

Book Recommendation

Jesus: The God Who Knows Your Name Book by Lucan and Max Lucado

Jesus: The God Who Knows Your Name by Max Lucado is a heartfelt and inspiring book that invites readers to encounter Jesus in a deeply personal way. Lucado beautifully shows that Christ not only knows our struggles but walks with us through them, offering love, comfort, and hope. It's a wonderful read for anyone seeking to strengthen their relationship with Jesus and rediscover His tender presence in everyday life.

<u>Prayer Requests</u>

- Gilbert Martinez- Health and Wellbeing
- Joseph Gajewski- Health and Wellbeing
- Andrea Bernabey- Spiritual Healing
- Christina Bilinski- Prayers for health, peace, and grace for her and her family.-Submitted by Fr. Andrew Bilinski (Son)
- Adelina Gutierrez- Health and hope for the best in health screening-Submitted by Daniel Gutierrez (Son)
- Olivia Ramirez- Repose of her soul-Submitted by Connie Harrell (sister)
- Rebecca Ramos- Repose of her soul-Submitted by Victor



Parish Committee

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Marcus R. Tinajero
Priest: Rev. Robert Grizzell
Chairman: Gabriel Martinez
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■Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe - Mass and Celebration

Everyone is warmly invited to join us on Thursday, December 12 at 7:00 PM for a special Mass and celebration in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe at St. Jude the Apostle Polish National Catholic Church. Come and honor Our Blessed Mother with Matachines, Mariachis, food, and music as we celebrate this beautiful feast of faith, love, and devotion. Let us come together as one family to give thanks to Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas, for her love and protection.

All are welcome! Bring your family and friends to share in this joyful evening of prayer, culture, and community.







We invite all parishioners, friends, and supporters to help us continue the mission and ministries of St. Jude Polish National Catholic Church through your generous donations.

You can make your contribution safely and easily online at:

fhttps://www.sjapncc.org/give

Your support helps sustain our church, outreach programs, and spiritual community.

With heartfelt appreciation and blessings,

St. Jude the Apostle- Pray for us



GREETINGS FROM OUR PASTOR: REV. DR. MARCUS R. TINAJERO

Greetings and hello, we're so blessed to have you with us today, whether you're a regular attendee or a first-time visitor, St. Jude The Apostle is here to serve your faith needs. As a father, educator, laborer, professional and yes an ordained Catholic priest, we are here for everyone from all walks of life, language, and culture. I invite you to our Sunday Masses either 8am en Español or 1 pm in English.

If it is your first time text or call me at number listed below for a taco and some coffee.

St. Jude the Apostle, pray for us!

Fr. Marcus R. Tinajero, PhD



■Bring a Friend to Church!

Faith grows stronger when it's shared! * This week, we invite every member of our parish family to bring a friend, neighbor, or loved one to church. There's someone in your life who may be searching for hope, peace, or a sense of belonging—and your simple invitation could make all the difference.

At St. Jude the Apostle Polish National Catholic Church, we believe that God's love is for everyone. Our doors are open, our hearts are ready, and there's a place for all at the table of the Lord.

So don't come alone—invite someone to encounter God's presence, feel His love, and join our growing family of faith. Together, we can share the joy of Christ and make His light shine even brighter in our community.

* "Let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." — Matthew 5:16





🔳 A Warm Welcome to Bishop John E. Mack

On behalf of the Parish Committee, Fr. Marcus Tinajero, Pastor, Fr. Robert Grizzell, and all the faithful members of St. Jude the Apostle Polish National Catholic Church, we joyfully welcome Bishop John E. Mack, Ordinary of the Diocese of Buffalo—Pittsburgh, to our parish!

We are deeply honored by your visit and grateful for your spiritual leadership and presence among us. May this time of prayer, fellowship, and celebration strengthen the bonds of faith within our community and renew our commitment to serve Christ and His Church with joy and devotion.

Welcome, Bishop Mack!

May God bless you abundantly in your ministry and your time with our parish family.

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WEDDINGS, QUINCEAÑERAS, OTHER EVENTS

Please contact the church office/clergy and we would love to help you in anyway.



VOLUNTEERS/HELPERS NEEDED

If you are interested in helping with liturgy, worship, cleaning, or other functions. please feel free to contact the church office.