



Saint James Catholic Community

Fourth Sunday of Lent March 6, 2016

4th Annual St. Joseph Feast Day Celebration March 12 & 13 in the Social Hall

Traditional St. Joseph's Table Meal Served On

Saturday, March 12 & Sunday, March 13

Saturday, March 12

Blessing of the Table - 11am

Meal Served & Viewing - 11am - 7pm

Sunday, March 13

Meal Served & Viewing

11am - 2pm

*Special Entertainment Following 5:00pm Saturday Mass
Traditional Italian Songs by Grace and Frank Ancona*



Home baked breads,
cookies, cakes, pies,
cannoli and other items
available for purchase.

ST. JOSEPH TABLE MEAL

Spaghetti with Plain or Milanese Sauce

Frittata • Bread • Salad • Dessert • Coffee, Tea or Lemonade
Wine Available

Freewill Donations Encouraged

Carryout Available

All are welcome and invited to attend

Everyone Attending the Meal Will Receive a
St. Joseph Medal and Prayer Card

A small loaf of bread for protection from storms and
Fava Beans for prosperity

Raffles

\$25, \$50, and \$100
Hope Gift Cards and More

Tickets:

\$1.00 each or
6 for \$5.00

Kansas City Royals World Series
Champion 2015 Etched Wine Bottle

Tickets:

\$2.00 each or
3 for \$5.00

Raffle Tickets Sold after Weekend Masses and at the March 12 & 13 Events

All Proceeds will be donated to help those in need in our community

St. James Catholic Church

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<https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/stjamesliberty/>

Mass Schedule:

Weekdays: M-F 8:00am (During school year Friday, 9am)

Saturday, 5:00pm

Sunday, 7:30am, 9:15am, 11:00am, 6:00pm

8:00pm William Jewel College, *when in session*

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

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Mission Statement

We, the community of St. James, are a prayerful and Eucharistic people who treasure our Catholic traditions. We strive to grow in our faith by being good stewards of the gifts God has given us; sharing God's truth with all. As the Body of Christ, we are called to love and serve everyone, especially the marginalized, with joy and hospitality.

Did You Know?

A Correction To Last Week's Article

In last week's article I discussed the plan for moving and relocating the large evergreens to allow grading of the boundary between St. James and Liberty Commons.

A recent reassessment of this project has determined that the relocation effort must be put on hold due to the massive numbers of utilities located between our properties.

We are exploring some other options and will keep you apprised of the outcome.

Thank You
Jim Newell, Operations Manager

Upcoming Dates of Interest



Upcoming events – watch the Bulletin for more details about these events.

March 18/19

Called to Communion Conference at St. Andrews featuring EWTN radio personality Dr. David Anders.

April 1/2

Our Lady of Guadalupe Event at the Catholic Center. Msgr. Eduardo Chavez, Keynote Speaker. English Presentation on April 1; Spanish Presentation on April 2.

April 2

Party for the Pantry Fundraiser, 5:00pm, St. Charles

April 3

Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration, 2:00pm - 5:00pm in our church

April 9

Kansas City Catholic Women's Conference, Church of the Ascension, Overland Park

April 9/10

St James Midtown's famous Cinnamon Rolls available for purchase after all Masses in the Social Hall.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18),
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816-812-2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate Mary Bultmann at 816-714-2387 or bultmann@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

From the Pastor's Pen

This weekend we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Lent –‘Laetare Sunday’– in Latin which means ‘Rejoice’– the Feast of Easter is near!

As we journey through the Lenten season, we concentrate on God’s abundant Mercy, and trust in God’s forgiveness upon us.

A reminder that our Lenten Penance service is Tuesday, March 15th. We will have a number of priests with us to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Next weekend, March 12 and 13 is our annual St. Joseph Table. This is a great Italian tradition, thanking St. Joseph for his guidance during a period of famine in Italy. We remember the care of St. Joseph among us, whose feast is March 19. And we are grateful to all who are such good stewards in supporting this tradition. The beautiful table will be displayed on Saturday and Sunday, and the Pasta Dinner will be Saturday evening and Sunday morning! All donations go to benefit the poor and those in need here at St. James, and in our surrounding area.

If you’ve not had the opportunity to pledge to our New Church Fund you can still fill out a pledge card. We are very close to being able to take the next steps necessary in the design of our new church. All it takes is for all of us to ‘come on board’. A reminder that we are very close to the pledge amount. But we need half of the cost of the church, which is \$4 million in cash. We have roughly \$1,700,000. So – can you help us get to that goal??

A special thanks to all who are such good and faithful stewards in helping give back to God so that our weekly ministries can continue. We have a very exciting future in helping share the Good News of Jesus among us here in the Kansas City/Liberty area.

As we continue this Lenten journey, may we be grateful for all God’s Blessings among us, and continue to give back to God by sharing our gifts of time, talent and treasure – which is building the Kingdom of God among us.

May you and your families know God’s Gift of Mercy and Hope.

Peace, Fr. Mike

Mass Intentions

Week of March 7 - March 13

Monday 8:00am	<i>Saints Perpetua and Felicity</i> †Bob Melton
Tuesday 8:00am	Pat Cull
Wednesday 8:00am	Jim Whisnant
Thursday 8:00am	Jacqueline Filardo
Friday 9:00am	†Ed Weir
Saturday 5:00pm	†Gary Brecht
Sunday 7:30am	†Jeanette Beto †Mary Weir
9:15am	Michael Koile’s Intentions
11:00am	Rena Tulipana’s Intentions †Krystyna Klaus
6:00pm	†Karel McDonald

Sunday night Mass at 8pm
William Jewell College Campus,
Grand River Chapel.
All Are Welcome.



*From Death
to New Life*

Our prayer support is with ...

Kevin and Nikki Powers and their family on the death of Kevin’s father.

Scott and Lisa Daldrup and their family on the death of Scott’s father.

*May the healing hand of our Lord Jesus
be felt by all who are coping with grief
and missing loved ones.*

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat 4pm until finished; any time requested.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptismal Preparation Classes: 2nd Wed of each month.
Contact JoAnn in Parish Office, ext. 205

Religious Education: For Preschool through adult spiritual development, please notify office of needs.

New Parishioners: Please register at the parish office.

We Welcome You!

Contact Info

St. James School: PS-8th grade offered.
Call the School Office, to inquire, 781-4428

Sacrament of Marriage: 9 months advance notice

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the parish office.

To Schedule an event in our Parish Facility:

email daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org
or call Daryl or Loretta in Parish Office.

**All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday
12Noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org**

The Week Ahead

Sun March 6: Knights of Columbus serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 & 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

Mon March 7 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
 —Ashton Court Mass at 10:00am
 —Reflections in Faith at 5:00pm in the church

Tue March 8 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow

Wed March 9 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
 —Sponsor's for Christ meet 1st and 3rd Wed; 6:30pm
 —Prayer Shawl Ministry meet 2nd and 4th Wed; 6:30pm

Thurs March 10 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
 —9:00am - 9:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
 —1:00pm Rosary of the Blessed Mother in the church

Fri March 11 : Rosary prayed at 8:15am
 —Mass at 9am
 —Stations of the Cross, 5:30pm in the Church
 —Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, 5pm-8pm in the gym

Sat March 12: That Man Is You at 6:15 in the Social Hall
 —Faith Sharing (Consoling the Heart of Jesus) Class at 10:00 in the School Library
 —Rosary prayed at 3:00pm
 —St. Joseph Table Blessing at 11:00am in the Social Hall
 —St. Joseph Table Viewing and Meal Served from 11:00am - 7:00pm in the Social Hall

Sun March 13 : Coffee and donuts served after the 7:30 Mass
 —St. Joseph Table cookies, cannoli and more available for sale from 8:30am - 2:00pm in the Social Hall
 —St. Joseph Table Viewing and Meal Served from 11:00am - 2:00pm in the Social Hall

Scriptures for March 12 and 13
 Is 43:16-21 / Phil 3:8-14 / Jn 8:1-11

Gift Bearers for March 12 and 13

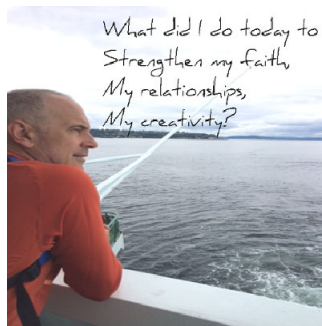
Sat 5:00pm: Jacqueline Filardo and Georgia Hampton
Sun 7:30am: Pat Cull and Judy Keisling
9:15am: Sam and Sune Pham
11:00am: Neil and Mary Ann Surber and Family
6:00 pm: John and Susan Corcione

Hospitality Greeters for March 12 and 13

Sat 5:00pm: Steve & Tammy Seggerman and Nancy Gremli
Sun 7:30am: Mike and Jean Kieffer and Barbara Schmitt
9:15am: Clint & Andrea Elliott and Joe & Connie Scassellati
11:00am: Loraine Hilts
6:00 pm: Carol Bloomer

Special Events

Reflections in Faith Prayer and Meditation



**Join Us on Monday
 March 7, 14, & 21
 in the Church
 5:00 - 6:00 pm**

**With
 Patti Stark and Fr. Mike**

*Reflections of our Faith
 In our daily struggles*

*Be moved through
 scripture, breathing and
 guided visualization*

*To strengthen your faith
 and focus*

**We hope
 you will join us**

Psalm 48:9

*"Within your temple,
 O God,
 we meditate on
 your unfailing love"*



20th Annual Fish Fry

The St James Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fry
 St. James Parish Gymnasium
 from 5:00pm — 8:00pm

This Friday - March 11

**All Of Your Favorite Dinners
 Will Be Available Again This Year**

Express Carryout Available

The Complete Menu Is Available
 on the St. James website
www.stjames-liberty.org

**Last Fish Fry Of This Lenten Season
 Don't Miss It!**



Spring forward
 Don't forget to set
 clocks ahead
 one hour
 at 2 a.m.
 Sunday.

**Daylight
 Savings
 Time
 Begins
 At 2 am
 Next
 Sunday**

A  from the
Liturgy/Music Office

stations
of the
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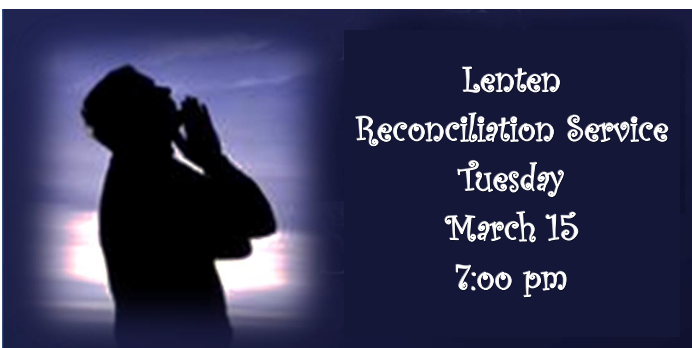


Fridays at 5:30pm

March 11

March 18

Followed by Stations
in Spanish



**Lenten
Reconciliation Service**
Tuesday
March 15
7:00 pm

If you are unable to attend the March 15 Reconciliation service at St. James, a list of Reconciliation Services at other Northland churches is on page 8 .

**Youth Orchestra and Youth Choir
Rehearsal Schedules**

Rehearsals begin Sunday, March 6th



Youth Choir rehearses from 1:30
-2:30pm.



Youth Orchestra rehearses
from 2:30-3:30pm.

(Note the time change for Youth Orchestra.)

Children's Choir Schedule



Sat., Mar 12	Practice at 10 am
Sat., Mar 19	Practice at 10 am
Sun., Mar 20	11 am Mass (Palm Sunday)
Thurs., Mar 24	Holy Thursday Mass at 7 pm
Sat., Mar 26	Practice (subject to change)
Sun., Mar 27	Easter

Someone is Watching and Wondering



Since Pope Francis declared this the Year of Mercy there have been celebrations, special Masses, and much written about what this declaration means. I think, however, to fully understand Mercy, we must first take a hard look at human actions which lead to de-humanization.

The picture above is graphic, and yes reminds us of the horrific nature of the Holocaust in Nazi Germany. Certainly one of the obvious events of modern times, where millions lost their lives simply because of their religious or ethnic identity; pure acts of hate, paranoia, and group hysteria which we have seen again and again in other places. Yet, this picture also witnesses to hope and mercy. Hope that we can see evil for what it is, not becoming ensnared in its allure, and fighting injustice wherever it is found. Mercy is revealed in the need to forgive individuals, even those perpetuating such obscene evils.

You may be familiar with Elie Wiesel's writings. As a teenager he was taken to Auschwitz concentration camp and later moved to Buchenwald. In his book *Night* he reveals a terrifying account of horror in those camps, and his witness to the death of his family. He also writes of the death of his innocence, and the death of his God. The book ends with liberation, his single-minded desire for food, and the shock of what he had become. His story doesn't end, however, and subsequent writings tell of his realization of the inner peace which comes through forgiveness. His message is central to our lives as Catholics.

May I suggest a reading of the prophet Micah. He concludes with these words: "What god can compare with You for pardoning guilt and for overlooking crime? He does not harbor anger forever, since he delights in showing faithful love." (7:18) This is also how we must show mercy. Jesus tells the disciples they must forgive "seventy time seven," in other words endlessly. When we pray we ask: "forgive us our sin as we forgive others." To be faithful to these words we must surely turn from sin, face evil where it is, and work to remove it at its roots, but we also must show mercy by forgiving ourselves, any who have harmed us, and those in society who seek to remake it in their own way.

Your sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*

We pray for Our Country, Leaders, and Loved ones serving our Country:

Chad Wilson, Paul Mooney, Jeff Auksel, Phil Plack, Robert Harrison, John Barry, Alex Reilly, Gary Lee, Bobby Kern, Geoff Wiese, Casey Snodgrass, Chris Griese, Ryan Villines, Paul Tyrrell, Charles Hensley, Gary Hogan, Jeremy Finn, Michael Caine, Alex Worth, Dan Knudson, Paul Stamer, Bong Vtug, Brianna Hannum, Aaron Dolak, Cole Roberts, Tony Velasquez Jr., Colleen McCloskey, Raymond Lopez, David Castro, Jr., Jeff Gardner, Brad Nees, Josh DeLeone, Joe Binggeli, Jeremy Pyle, Cody Londo Jason Lyday, Andy Sparks, Jacob Weller, Ray Writesman, Cody Zoglman, Adam Parnacott, Charlette Pruett, Daniel Wilson, Nicole Dobbelaere Martindell, Jeffrey Pelling, Jeff Duncan, Nicholas Caine, Jon Watson, Jacob Schmidt, Chris Kandlbinder, Zachary Ildza.



H.O.P.E. / SCRIP GIFT CARD NEWS

DON'T FORGET . . .



St. Patrick's Day is not far away. Use your "pot of gold" to buy HOPE Gift cards for all of your celebration needs. Corned beef and cabbage is surely on your grocery list so you'll want to buy a HyVee, Price Chopper, Target, or Walmart card. And pick up your St. Patrick's Day decorations there as well.

Tired of Winter ?

Has this winter got you down with record setting low, then high, then low again temperatures and dreary days?

Here are some things to do to on up and down days until spring finally arrives to stay.

Visit *Serenity on the Square*. This parishioner- owned Health and Wellness Studio specializes in Holistic Wellness and is the place to go for acupuncture, food and nutrition coaching, meditation and life coaching, massage, healing Touch, reflexology and yoga. We have \$40 and \$65 Gift Cards available that generously provide St. James 20% of the face value of every card sold

Take in a movie at **B&B Theater's KC Northland 14**. This parishioner-owned theater pays back 20% for every \$10 Gift Card sold.

Purchase an **iTunes** Gift card and forget the weather by relaxing in your own home listening to your favorite music. We have \$15 and \$25 Gift Cards available.

HOPE Gift Cards -- Try Them, You'll Like Them

Stewardship of Treasure

Information Tidbits

Information tidbits: Last week I relayed some expenses of the upkeep of our parish home. This week I share some costs of our daily lives.

- Our devotion candles cost us \$2.08 each. We use approximately 51 cases every two-three months. (\$1,200 - \$1,400).
- Lenten candles currently on the Altar, \$206
- Catholic Key costs \$601 /month

Bi-monthly Expenses

- Napkins and Coffee cups for donuts \$110
- Hosts cost us \$172
- Wine costs \$272
- Publication Aids for Adult Faith Formation (books on table) \$283
- Giving envelopes \$1,566

As you can see, regular stuff we don't even think about is another piece of the pie to provide the wonderful liturgies and community gatherings that we have .

If you have any questions and/or concerns on any financial numbers, please feel free to contact me, Katie in the parish office.

Katie Klassen

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Jubilee Year of Mercy

*"Always know in your heart
that God is by your side;
he never abandons you!
Let us never lose hope!*

Let us never allow it to die in our hearts!"

— Pope Francis, The Church of Mercy





Blue and Gold Banquet

At the Blue and Gold Banquet on Sunday, February 21, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts and their families celebrated the "bridging" ceremony during which Webelos cross over from Cub Scouts to Boy Scouts. In other Scouting news, three Cub Scouts, Wilson Brown, Logan Vanacheck, and Hunter Moore have been awarded the Parvuli Dei (Children of God) emblem.



An Open Door: Our Mission of Mercy

"Mercy is the greatest of all virtues."

Over 150 parishioners gathered on Monday, February 22 to listen to the Lenten reflection by Fr. Joe Nassal, C.P.P.S.

In his reflection, Fr. Joe focused on the importance of being merciful and stressed that as merciful people we are called to include "outsiders" in our lives. He called upon us to "knock" on the cross of Christ to prepare our hearts to take up the 'Mission of Mercy'.



Our Faith In Action

Lenten Reconciliation Services

The Lenten Reconciliation Service at St. James is Tuesday, March 15 at 7:00pm. If you are unable to attend this service, this list of Reconciliation Services at other Northland Churches is provided for your convenience.

Date	Church	Time
Tuesday, March 8	Annunciation	7:00pm
Wednesday, March 9	St. Charles	7:00pm
Thursday, March 10	Holy Family	7:00pm
Sunday, March 13	St. Therese	7:00pm

The Devotion of the Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Seven Sorrows Rosary - Friday, March 18 - 5:00pm

Our Lady's Sorrows are commemorated on the liturgical calendar twice a year - the Friday before Palm Sunday and September 15. Commemorating the Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary twice a year demonstrates how important this devotion is to Heaven.

All are invited and encouraged to participate in the recitation of the Seven Sorrows Rosary on Friday, March 18 at 5:00pm in the church.

Help Kids This Easter - Love INC



Love INC of Clay County invites you to share the love of Christ with children in need.

The week before Easter Love INC, along with its Church Partners, distributes Easter baskets to children of needy families here in Clay County.

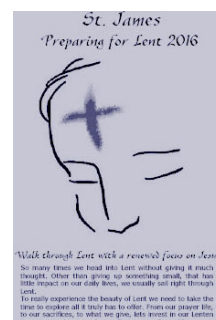
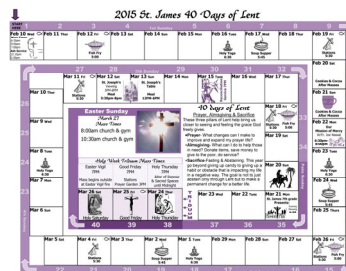
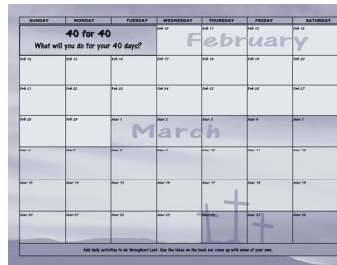
Items needed are cash donations for bibles, new Easter baskets, small toys, games, puzzles, and candy of all types. Also needed are clear plastic bags for wrapping the baskets. Drop off your collected items at Love INC, 2050 Plumbers Way, Suite 160, Liberty, MO 64068 on or before Monday, March 14. Office Hours are Monday through Thursday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Volunteers are needed to help fill the baskets. Love INC will be putting baskets together March 15-March 17. If you can help email Missy at 816-994-6926 or email info@loveincofclaycounty.org.

Youth Group Happenings

Lenten Resources

Lent is here and St. James has you covered on ways to make this a prayerful and spiritual journey. Don't forget to pick up the St. James 40 Days Map, a calendar with all parish Lenten activities listed, as well as other Lenten resources we have available in the Narthex. You can also download all resources from the Lent page on the St. James Website or Facebook Group.



Upcoming Youth Ministry Dates

- Sun Mar 6** Confirmation 7:00pm-8:45pm
- Wed Mar 9** 6th-8th Faith Sharing 6:30-8:00
- Sun Mar 13** High School Café 7pm-8:30pm
- Wed Mar 16** 6th-8th Faith Sharing 6:30-8:00
- Sun Mar 20** Confirmation 7:00pm-8:45pm

Fr. Ron Rolheiser Coming to Kansas City Noted Author of "Sacred Fire"

Fr. Ron Rolheiser whose book "Sacred Fire" was named Book of the Year and Best Book in Spirituality in 2015 will be at Bishop Miega High School on Friday, March 11 from 7pm - 9pm and St. Thomas More Parish on Saturday, March 12 from 9am - 3pm.

For more information and to register online, visit <http://rolheiserkc2016.eventbrite.com> or contact Mike Matteuzzi at 913-253-2510.

Parish Religious Education

RE Calendar - Important Dates

March 6	Sunday RE Class
March 9	Wednesday RE Class
March 11	K of C Fish Fry Stations of the Cross 5:30
March 12	St Joseph's Table
March 13	St Joseph's Table, Sunday RE Class, Daylight Savings Time Begins
March 16	Wed RE Class
March 18	Stations of the Cross 5:30
March 20	Palm Sunday NO RE CLASS
March 23	Holy Week NO RE CLASS
March 27	Easter Sunday NO RE CLASS

Soup Suppers - Resounding Success

Our second Soup Supper was another resounding success! And even better, we have raised a considerable amount of donations to help the folks at Hillcrest Hope make a difference in the lives of Northland families. Here is what we have collected so far:

Supper #1 \$1,021.00 Supper #2 \$ 886.00

That gives us a total to date of **\$1,907.00!** Our thanks to all who have given so generously so far--it's a great cause, and a program that has a wonderful success rate. Graduates from this program are able to get back on their feet, with lives that are changed because of the skills that they learned while at Hillcrest. Our final supper was held this past Wednesday; we will report the amount collected next week.

PB&J

(Prayer, Bible Study, & Jammin')



PB&J is a musical adventure for you and your little ones (most appropriate for 12 months through pre-kindergarten age, but all little ones will benefit). We have a few openings in our classes for the remainder of the year. Join us in March where we will learn the story of Zaccheaus. Continue with us in April as we learn the Easter story. Openings in the following classes: Tuesdays at 9 am and Wednesdays at 10am. Contact Lori Tajchman for more information.

Little Saints

Mark your calendars now for Monday, March 14 at 10 am. Join us in the Social Hall for Holy Week Hand Prints. The children will enjoy the sensory experience of "hand print painting" and then will head off for some free play. Grown-ups will take those amazing hand prints and turn them into storyboards that that will take the kiddos through Holy Week in pictures! As always, Little Saints is for little ones (birth through pre-K) and their grown-ups - no registration or membership required!



St. James School News



**Our Father, who "works"
in heaven,
hallowed be thy name....."**

Imagine... a school day that begins with prayer, includes a reading of the Word of God, and then time for reflection on what God is saying to each one of us. During our day, we learn how to spread His good news. We celebrate God's creation and thank



Him as we learn to be good stewards of the amazing gifts He's given to us. We see Him in EVERYTHING: math, literature, nature, history, music, the arts and in each other. A day like this is like each and every day at St. James School, including Kindergarten!

We pray together, celebrate Mass together, work together, and encourage each other through successes and trials to help the children enjoy the richness of our Catholic Faith.

We have a great school! Our teachers are fabulous! Our motto is, "As good as we are, we can always get better!" So we continually study, go to trainings, and review our practices, so that we give our students the very best education possible.



Did you know?

As a tithing member of the parish, you will pay no tuition, as our school is a ministry of our church. Become a part of our school! Please contact the school office at 816-781-4428 for more information!



Birthdays this week: Today we celebrate all that you with God's help, have accomplished.

Giorgio Acsenvil	Francis Conwell	Antonio Morales
Mia Agrusa	Beth Curasi	Zoey Roberds
Tonya Andes	Ali Filardo	Troy Schulte
Lauren Bohr	Ekaolise Jose	Leah Starr
Kathryn Bohr	Jesse Kempf	Theodore Stipanovich
Molly Brame	Samantha Kixmiller	Sean Brown
Brigid Burroughs	Sean Mears	Carol Bryant
Terry Campbell	Travis Pouliot	Kristen Crawford
Whitney Danze	John Redford	Hayden Edwards
Logan East	Joseph Schranz	Sylvia Frakes
Marie Evans	Emma Worboys	Scott Kelling
Rebecca Harrelson	Darren Bauer	Meagan Lostroh
Bryce Mereness	Christopher Cotton	Jennifer Lunt
Joshua Mesmer	Paula Dobesh	Vincent Maggio
Emily Murdock	Molly Doherty	Kristen Miller
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