



Saint James Catholic Community

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 15, 2018



Blessed Be God

*who has blessed us in Christ
with every spiritual blessing
in the heavens, as he chose us in him,
before the foundation of the world
to be holy and without blemish
before him.*

St. James Catholic Church

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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.

Do You Know?

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The walls now enclose 3/4 of the new Church's lower level and we have completed the majority of the reinforced foundation pads that will support the upper level and the roof.



Very noticeable is the work begun on the circular drive at the front of the church which will enable future "drop off" for our parishioners who have difficulty walking from the parking lots. It is particularly important to finish this area before school starts in August to minimize interference to the student "drop off" area and maximize teacher parking.

Thank You,
Jim Newell - Operations Manager



**Theatre at Vis proudly presents
 Seussical The Musical**

The cast includes St. James' own
 Andrew Hand and Maddy Hand!

Please plan on joining us for the show July 26-29, at Visitation School.

For tickets go to: theatreatvis.org/tickets/

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 Kathleen Chastain at 816-392-0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

From the Pastor's Pen

"It was a dark and stormy night..." sorry wrong story. That was the beginning of the Red Barron as Snoopy flew into battle. It was the middle of July in Kansas, so it was probably a hot, windy Kansas day. Just before my 39th birthday I called my mom and told her, "Hey Mom, next year for my fortieth birthday I want to go to Rome." There was a long quiet pause on the other end and Mom said, "Wait what? You are not!" I then realized she had gone quiet to do the math both of my age and then also hers I think. "No Mom, I said next year." Although I didn't make it to Rome for my 40th, I did make it three years ago when our community celebrated our 200th anniversary.

Birthdays are a great time for a celebration. Yes, I know some people don't care for all the hoopla and commotion, but it's better than the alternative, or so they say. Birthdays can be that reminder of being a year older and what good has the past year brought? It can be a time to renew some commitments and look ahead to the next year. It can be a time to offer a prayer.

Thank you, God, for giving me another year of life. Thank you for all the people who remembered me today by sending cards, and letters, gifts and good wishes.

Thank you for all the experiences of this past year; for times of success which will always be happy memories, for times of failure which reminded me of my own weakness and of my need for you, for times of joy when the sun was shining, for times of sadness which drove me to you.

Forgive me for the hours I wasted, for the chances I failed to take, for the opportunities I missed this past year. Help me in the days ahead to make this the best year yet, and through it to bring good credit to myself, happiness and pride to my loved ones, and joy to you. Amen.

And as one of the gals I once worked with claimed as she approached her 67th birthday, "I am gonna be 33 and 1/2 on each leg." I guess this year I will be claiming I'm 23 and 1/2 on each leg.

So yeah, this 15th day of July, I'm celebrating yet another birthday.

My prayers are with you today,
Fr. Timothy

Mass Intentions

Week of July 16 - July 22

Monday 8:00am	†Neil Herdon
Tuesday 8:00am	Immaculate Queen Legion of Mary Prayer Group
Wednesday 8:00am	Our Youth and Chaperons Going to the Steubenville Retreat This Weekend
Thursday 8:00am	†Clara Bolin
Friday 8:00am	Kristie Koontz
Saturday 5:00pm	Doug & Mary Schuster's Intentions
Sunday 7:30am	†Barbara Lehr
9:15am	†Conchita Weir
11:00am	†Marie Hurd
6:00pm	Those on Our Prayer Chain
William Jewell College Mass Resumes in the Fall Enjoy Your Summer	

July - The Month Of The Most Precious Blood Of Our Lord



Contact Info

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat 4pm until finished; any time requested.

Sacrament of Baptism:

Baptismal Preparation Classes: Once a month
Contact Kirsten Maggi in the parish office, ext. 202 or
kirsten.maggi@stjames-liberty.org

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

New Parishioners: Please register at the parish office.

We Welcome You!

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 in the Parish Office.

All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday

12Noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org

The Week Ahead

Sun July 15 : Respect Life serves coffee and donuts after the 7:30, and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

Mon July 16 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow

Tue July 17 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—Legion of Mary meets at 6:30am in the Mallen Room

Wed July 18 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—Over 50s potluck lunch and meeting, 12noon, Social Hall
—Sponsor's for Christ meet 1st and 3rd Wed; 6:30pm
—Prayer Shawl Ministry meet 2nd and 4th Wed; 6:30pm

Thurs July 19 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—9:00am - 9:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Fri July 20 : Mass at 8:00am
—6:30pm, Family Night Sing-Along, Wizard of Oz, 6:30pm in the Parish gym

Sat July 21 :
—That Man Is You at 6:15am in the Social Hall
—Militia of the Immaculata Meeting at 10:00am, School Library

Sun July 22 : Boy Scouts / Cub Scouts coffee and donuts after the 7:30, and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

Scriptures for July 21 and 22 Masses
Jer 23:1-6 / Eph 2:13-18 / Mark 6:30-34

Gift Bearers for July 21 and 22

Sat 5:00pm: Alicia Brown and Family
Sun 7:30am: Mike & Sandy Kromeich
9:15am: Steve & Sandy Stark and Family
11:00am: Kevin & Amy Boehm and Family
6:00 pm: Steve & Karen McKee and Family

Hospitality Greeters for July 21 and 22

Sat 5:00pm: Tom & Marcia Capps
Sun 7:30am: Bill & Anna Korte
9:15am: John & Lori Riedel and Ima Rahter
11:00am: Jeanne Keck
6:00 pm: Amy Rothery-Colin and Daughter

To The St. James Parish Community



Thank you for the many kindnesses, comforting words, and prayers shared with us in the last few weeks. A special thank you to all the families who provided such wonderful food to our family before the funeral, and to all those involved in preparing and serving the funeral dinner. We truly appreciate it. While in the hospital, Barbara also asked us to make sure we thanked you all for the friendship, prayers and support provided her in the years since Andy died. It is easy for us to see why St. James was an integral and essential part of her life.

From Barbara Lehr's Family
Coleen, Charleen, Tony, Mike, Joe and families

Special Events

Parish Family Fun Night
This Friday
July 20 - 6:30pm



Sing-along
Movie
Night

Wizard of OZ

Costume Contest

Dress Up As Your
Favorite
"Wizard of Oz"
Character

Who Will You Be ??

Prizes for the Top 3 Contenders

So, dust off that broomstick, pull out that
witches hat, polish up your ruby slippers!

You Could Be the Lucky Winner

A Fun Event for All Ages

Come and Bring Friends and Family

New Church News

July Edition



Included in this weekend's bulletin is the July issue of the *New Church News*.

Included in this publication is information about the progress that has been made on construction of the new church and a visual tour of the progress. You'll also meet new parishioners Liz and Brian

Kelley who have volunteered to provide their expertise in marketing to the parish.

A copy of the *New Church News* is also available on our St. James website - click on Capital Campaign at the menu at the top of the home page.

A 🎵 from the
Liturgy/Music Office



I will hear what God proclaims;
the LORD — for he proclaims peace.
Near indeed is his salvation
to those who fear him,
glory dwelling in our land.

Kindness and truth shall meet;
justice and peace shall kiss.
Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven.

The LORD himself will give his benefits;
our land shall yield its increase.
Justice shall walk before him,
and prepare the way of his steps.

Reflection

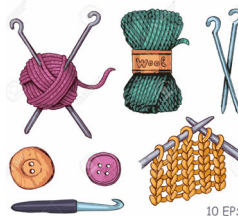
Psalm 85 is a joyful hymn full of hope in the future of our salvation.

The psalm describes a new world in which God's love and his faithfulness embrace each other as if they were persons. Similarly, justice and peace meet and kiss each other. Truth sprouts up as if in a new springtime and justice, which for the Bible also means salvation and holiness, appears from heaven to begin its journey in the midst of humanity.

All the virtues, at first expelled from the earth by sin, now re-enter history and meet, drawing the map of a world of peace. Mercy, truth, justice and peace become the four cardinal points of this geography of the spirit. Isaiah also sings: "Let justice descend, O heavens, like dew from above, like gentle rain let the skies drop it down. Let the earth open and salvation bud forth; let justice also spring up. I, the Lord, have created this"

Pope John Paul II

Someone is Watching and Wondering



Most of you are familiar with my role as the Director of our RCIA program here at St. James. There are two other ministries, however, that are very important to me. The first is our St. James Prayer Shawl Ministry.

The original Prayer Shawl Ministry Journey began in 1997 when Janet Bristow and Victoria A. Cole-Gale graduated from the Women's Leadership Institute in Hartford, Connecticut. Through this experience these two women came to understand a broader, more inclusive, and less gender specific image of God and of themselves as women who minister to any of God's children who are in need of comfort and prayer. During this training another participant asked the group to pray for her husband who was ill. She was wrapped in a beautiful shawl, and as the group prayed over her, each touching the shawl, Janet and Victoria felt as though everyone's prayers had blessed both the woman and the shawl in such a way that who ever again used this shawl for warmth and comfort would feel the groups ongoing prayers. Their belief in the power of prayer and the comfort and solace of a beautiful shawl led Janet and Victoria to begin the first Prayer Shawl Ministry in 1998.

Compassion and the love of knitting/crocheting/quilting/weaving are combined with prayer by anyone who participates in this ministry at St. James. The making of the shawl begins with prayers for guidance and patience by the maker. Blessings and prayers of intention for the recipient are prayed into every stitch. throughout the creation of the shawl, and when it is completed a final blessing is offered before the shawl is presented as a gift. Both the giver and receiver know and embrace the unconditional love of God. Shawls can be used for comfort after a loss or during times of stress, before, after or during medical procedures, as a sign of a commitment to marriage, for baptisms or confirmation, birthdays, anniversaries, ordination, or recovery; the possibilities are endless. Most importantly, the making is a spiritual act, surrounded with prayer, and the giving freely as an act of love and connectedness, centered on God, the divine care-giver, and comforter. There are ways you can also participate: 1. donate Hope Gift Cards for stores where yarn may be purchased, 2. join fellow crafters and design or make a shawl, 3. pray for this Ministry, or 4. let us know of anyone in need of a Prayer shawl. Remember, "As the yarn's journey starts, it becomes a prayer that comes from the shawl maker's heart, and passes to the recipient." For more information contact Susan Linville of our Parish at 816/781-3577.

Your Sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*

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

Chad Wilson, Paul Mooney, Phil Plack, Ryan 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 Han-num, Aaron Dolak, Cole Roberts, Tony Velasquez Jr., Raymond Lopez, David Castro, Jr., Jeff Gardner, Brad Nees, Josh DeLeone, Joe Binggeli, Jeremy Pyle, Cody Londo, Jason Lyday, Andy Sparks, 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, Nathaniel Stitt, Carl Schoenrock, Zachary Schoenrock, Salvador Rodriguez, Salvador Ivan Rodriguez, Jacob Davis Harris, Antony Anderson, Brody Moubry, Dane Carter.



If we ever forget that we're one nation under God, then we will be gone under.

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

Let's Have A Picnic



Summertime is picnic time. Did you know that the very first picnics were feasts held in Medieval times following a successful hunt for boar, deer, and other animals.

Picnics today are more civilized and thankfully we don't have to hunt in the wild for the our food. Simply buy all of your picnic food and supplies with HOPE Gift Cards for HyVee, Price Chopper, Sprouts, Target, or Walmart.

While we usually think of a picnic as an outdoors event in a park or by a lake, if it's too hot or raining to eat outdoors, picnics can also be held inside your home - there are no rules for its location.

Some traditional picnic foods include sandwiches, fried chicken, hamburgers and hotdogs, macaroni and cheese, potato salad, deviled eggs, pickles, iced tea and lemonade, watermelon, chocolate cake and apple pie. Are you hungry yet?

If a picnic sounds like a good idea, get moving! Buy HOPE Gift Cards today. And, while you're shopping don't forget the paper plates and cups, plastic tableware, napkins - all items that make "clean up" easy on a hot summer day.

**Plan Your Picnic Today
After All - "Ya Gotta Eat"**

Stewardship of Treasure

Cherished Treasures – Pass It On

In the book "Everyday Stewardship", the author likens stewardship to being in an antique store. I love antiques – for all the reasons he sites. When you find or acquire an antique, it is not just old. It comes with accountability. Think of how long it has been around; the hands that labored to made it; all the trials it has been through; how many lives it has touched; the memories it has held for others. I need – I have responsibility- to take care for it, value it, and pass it on. IF I truly value it.

Is that not what God has given us through His Son, Jesus Christ? Do we cherish what has been handed down to us through our faith? Think about it – we are to bring forward, nurture, and pass on the oldest thing EVER! Do I comprehend that the Master Builder laid the foundation for me – for you and me – at the beginning of time? I know the antique metaphor is material, but the concept is right on. This world is material, in the good works we can provide: A shelter, food, or comfort for an individual. A good steward, accepts and takes care of the gifts they are entrusted. As I journey through this life, am I embracing the tools I have been given to make a difference? In everyday life, am I preparing the path of importance to those coming after me? When my journey ends, will others share the value of my treasure- Jesus Christ?

Stop – Think – What will you pass on?

As always, if you have any questions and/or concerns about any financial numbers – please feel free to contact me.

Blessings,

Katie Klassen

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Holy Yoga

**Tuesday
July 24**

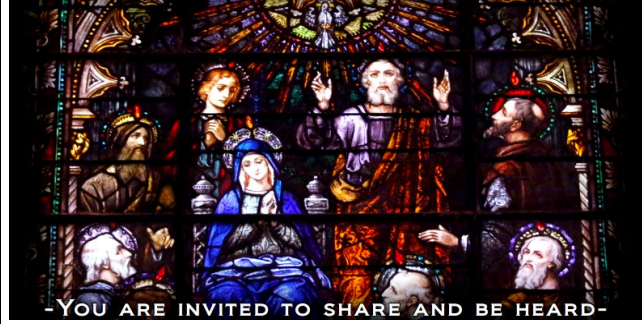
6:30pm - 7:45pm in the School Activity Room

Bring A Mat ~Bring A Donation

All donations are lovingly given to our church

*One Heart & Mind
A Vision For Our Future*

DIOCESAN VISIONING PROCESS



Bishop Johnston recently instituted a "visioning" process to develop a Mutually Shared Vision for our diocese.

All are encouraged to participate in a Listening Session at St. James

Tuesday, July 31

7:00pm in the Church

Session in Both English and Spanish

Know or Care for Someone With Dementia?

Would you like to know more about the diseases that fall under the umbrella of dementia such as Alzheimer's, Lewy Body and Vascular Dementia? And would you like to learn how to communicate and interact more successfully with those who suffer with a dementia?

If your answer is "yes" to any of these questions, join us on:

Thursday, August 2nd
6-9pm in the St. Gaspar Room

or
Saturday, August 4th
9am-Noon in the St. Gaspar Room

The class will be presented by Vivian Bunch RN. Vivian is a St. James parishioner and was a Certified Dementia Care Trainer for many years before her recent retirement. The class will consist of a DVD by dementia care expert Teepa Snow. We will stop the DVD periodically to practice and clarify what we have just learned. There will be time for questions and answers at the end. Refreshments will be served.

Please notify Vivian if you plan to attend.

sjpvivian.bunch@yahoo.com or
phone # 918-706-8949

We look forward to seeing you there.

**Benedictine College
Peru Medical Mission Trip**

Collection containers will be in the Narthex through the end of July. Please look at the list below and make a donation if you can.

PERU MEDICAL MISSION
Donation Items Needed

- Vitamins
- TUMS
- Pain medications: Tylenol, Ibuprofen, Aspirin
- Cough Medicine & Cough Drops (Sudafed)
- Benadryl
- Ankle & wrist braces
- Hand sanitizer
- Steroid creams (hydrocortisone, diaper rash, and anti-fungal creams)
- Diapers
- Antifungals & Ringworm meds (Lotrimin)
- Moisturizers/lotions
- Thermometers (& disposable covers)
- Disposable gloves
- Vaseline
- Travel sized shampoo, conditioner, body wash & mouthwash
- Dressings - gauze, tape, band-aids
- Alcohol prep pads
- Wound cleaning agents (antiseptic)
- Floss, toothbrushes, & travel-sized toothpaste
- Ziploc bags (snack & medicine size)
- Children's meds: Ibuprofen, Benadryl, Tylenol, allergy/cold medicine, probiotics
- UTI and pregnancy tests
- Female care products (pads, tampons)
- Socks (all sizes)
- Reading glasses

*A Day of Reflection for Veterans
We Were Called to Serve Then and Now
Come Explore How*

Presented by the Veteran Retreat Team

Fr. Ron Will, CPPS; Fr. Garry Richmeier, CPPS; Kathy Keary; VA Chaplain Windy Lovett; and veterans, Ann Roberts and John Kopp

The Veteran Retreat Team will present on the following topics: We are the Beloved of God, Dying and Rising, We are Called, and We are Sent followed by group discussion and personal reflection. The day will also include prayer and fellowship as we explore that as the beloved of God we are called and sent to be the hands and feet of Jesus in the world.



Saturday, August 4th, 8:30 AM—6:30 PM

**Suggested donation: \$40.00 (includes lunch and dinner)
Scholarship Funds Available**

**Register by July 28th
at info@pbrenewalcenter.org or 816.415.3745**



**PRECIOUS BLOOD
Renewal Center**
a ministry of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood

2130 St. Gaspar Way
Liberty, MO 64068

pbrenewalcenter.org

Our Faith In Action

Emergency Shortage Community Blood Center Blood Drive July 24

- 3,600 units – amount of blood and blood components sent to area hospitals each week
- 500 people – number of donors needed every day to meet the needs of local patients
- 60 facilities – number of area hospitals that CBC services
- 2 patients – number of people who can be helped by 1 donation
- 1 hour – amount of time it takes to donate blood and save lives

After seeing the numbers, it's easy to see why blood drives are so important to the Community Blood Center. In our past six drives, the CBC collected 538 units of blood. We have the potential to make a bigger impact, but we need your help to do so. Join us on Tuesday, July 24th between 12:30-7:00pm for our next blood drive.

Appointments are recommended and can be made using sponsor code 'stjames' at www.esavealifenow.org or by contacting Nikki at kpower@kc.rr.com or 816-407-1208.

Walk-ins are welcome and childcare is available. For medical eligibility questions call 1-800-688-0900. Encourage someone to donate with you and double your efforts to save lives. Thank you for supporting the drives at St. James. We'll see you on the 24th!



One Day Men's Retreat - July 28

All interested men are invited to attend a one-day retreat on July 28 at Conception Abbey. We will meet at St. James at 4:00 am that morning and return at approximately 9:30pm.

We will carpool up to the Abbey and back and each car can split the cost of fuel. The cost for this one-day retreat is \$21.00 which includes the three meals provided by the Abbey.

If you plan on attending, please send an email by Saturday, July 21 to brad.a.hover@gmail.com

Saturday Morning Adult Faith Formation *PRESENCE - The Mystery of the Eucharist*

It's not too late to begin attending this 4-part series that began on July 14.

Please join us on the following Saturdays – July 28, August 4 and 11 from 10:00 - 11:30am in the School Library for parts 2, 3, and 4. All are welcome for all or part of the study, the topics will be listed in the Calendar section of the bulletin.

6th - 12th Grade Youth Ministry

NO Youth Group Meeting This Sunday

Steubenville, Here We Come !!

Next week we will be taking over 25 teens and young adults to the Steubenville Youth Conference in Springfield, Missouri. We will be joined with 5,000 other teens in a faith filled weekend.

Please prayer for these youths as they attend this amazing weekend.

Going To Steubenville? Meeting For Teens and Parents This Sunday, July 15

We will be having a meeting for teens and parents of teens going to Steubenville on July 15th after the 6:00pm Mass.

Looking For Catechists

Have you ever thought about working with Middle School or High School students and teaching them about faith? We are looking for Catechists for Faith Sharing and Confirmation Prep. Often people think, "I do not know enough to teach." That is not true!! You will learn with the youth!

If interested in going on this faith journey with the youth this year please contact Denise Whelan at denise.whelan@stjames-liberty.org

Confirmation is right around the corner!!

Are you in High School
or going to be in High School
and want to receive
the Sacrament of Confirmation?

We are having a parent and candidate meeting
August 8th at 7pm in the Social Hall.

Registration will be available then and due
the beginning of September.



Parish Religious Education

2018 - 2019
Joy: Jesus, Others, Yourself

RE Calendar - Important Dates

July 20 Singalong Movie Night: The Wizard of Oz
 Aug 4/5 Registration Forms for 2018-2019 go out on the table
 Aug 10/11 DoDads Family Night and BBQ Contest

We Have a New Theme for 2018-2019

July first marks the beginning of a new session for us – our church calendar year runs from July to June. And with that comes a new year of Religious Education and – ta da! – a new theme! This year's theme is JOY: Jesus, Others, Yourself. While my favorite pet peeve is slogan writers who forget to include an action verb – kids relate better to things they can DO – but it's a theme we can certainly put into action. We'll be talking each month about putting Jesus first in our lives – finding time for prayer, experimenting with new ways to pray, learning how to follow what Jesus taught us. We'll also keep working on putting others' needs before our own.

JESUS FIRST
 OTHERS SECOND
 YOURSELF LAST

We are going to start off the year with a drive to benefit the Migrant Farmworkers, whom we encountered in last year's Lenten Soup Suppers. We'll be encouraging the children to find simple ways that they can serve others in their daily lives. As always, we'll keep you in the loop so that you can follow up with activities and conversations at home.

Thank You From Erin & her Children Our Hillcrest Hope family

We delivered the boxes of Fourth of July fun to our family and they were thrilled to get them! Our thanks to all of our very generous parishioners who helped to make their Fourth of July so special – to the very kind family who donated Royals' tickets, to the families who donated games...and candy and sidewalk chalk and bubbles....their cup runneth over! Thank you!!



Wizard of Oz Sing-Along
This Thursday, July 20 at 6:30pm
See page 4 For Details

St. James School News

What does it mean to tithe?

At St. James School, parents can either fulfill a tithe yearly, or pay tuition costs directly to the school. Here is an explanation of how tithing for education at St. James works.

- Registered family at St. James Church (your family name will be in the church directory if you are registered and you will have an envelope number)
- Tithe regularly (contribute set amount you determine on a pledge card submitted to the church office by use of envelopes or automatic withdrawal from account). This pledge is required to be fulfilled each year as our church budget relies on it. Pledge year runs January 1 - December 31.
- Active parishioners attend Sunday Mass weekly, receive Sacraments regularly.

Interested in learning more about all we offer at St. James School?

If you would like to learn more about our school and the many benefits we are able to offer your family, call for information or to schedule a tour at 816-781-4428.
 Visit us online at www.stjames-liberty.org

School Mission Statement

The St. James Catholic School Community, a ministry of the parish, empowers students to achieve their full academic and Christian potential, become prayerful, lifelong learners and good stewards of God's gifts.

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

William Benson	Hannah Scholes	Wilfredo Crespo
Christine Bohr	India Schropp	Mary Disciacca
Jonathan Boteler	Santosh Sequeira	Amy Dymond
Cameron Brown	Jeffrey Sorrell	Donald Evans
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I am looking forward to joining all of you at Mass soon.

Again, thank you!
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