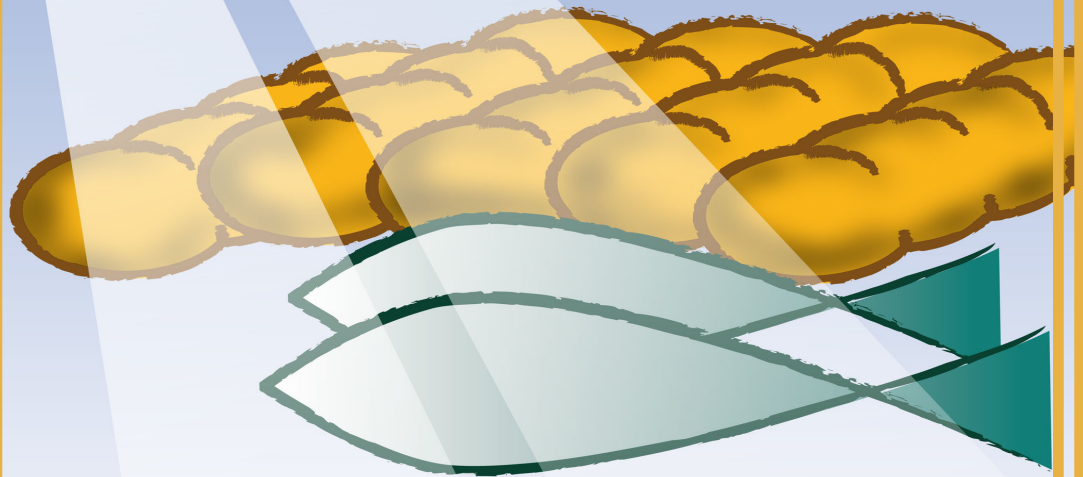


Saint James Catholic Community

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 29, 2018

*Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks,
and distributed them to those
who were reclining
and also as much of the
fish as they wanted.*
John 6:11



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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?

It's Remarkable



For those of you who are astounded at the amount of work that the Huber / SFS team has accomplished since April 15, allow me to join the crowd.

The concrete and asphalt work on the front side of the church will be 90% finished by the time school starts. We will only have to make minor alterations to the "drop off" and "pick up" routine.

Our thanks to Mark Goracke, the Huber Companies site superintendent for his foresight and ability to listen to the St. James People.

On another subject, look closely at the picture above. When the slab is poured, the infrastructure of the lower level will be nearly complete.

This aerial picture shows how far we have come in just 3 months. The picture was taken by a Drone owned and operated by 13-year-old parishioner Zac Goens. Great job Zac !!

**Thank You,
 Jim Newell - Operations Manager**

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 in 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

Summertime is a great time for family reunions and get-togethers. And what family get-together is not complete without food or potluck. Over the years as I've attended both my own family get-togethers and been invited to join others, it is always interesting to see the different types of food as well as the different quantities. For whatever reason, it seems the fewer the number, the more pots of food on the table, and larger crowds fewer dishes. But somehow, somehow, there always seems to be just enough food for everyone. Maybe it's because each family knows just how much food the family will eat or maybe someone is just cheap and knows that someone else in the family will bring enough. Whatever the reason, it just works out.

However, I do recall one meal that was served that we were scrounging to find enough food. It happened to be one night at the St. James Food Kitchen. This was while I was a student at Rockhurst and in formation. We were part of the Tuesday night crew. We usually had more than enough food but that night the cook left us short. Or maybe we had a larger than usual crowd. About halfway through the night we noticed we were running short and not going to make it to the end. Br. Robert kept mumbling, "Loaves and fishes, loaves and fishes." At one point we realized "loaves and fishes" wasn't going to help, so back to the pantry I went to find anything I could to heat up. I found some cans of fruit as well as white label cans of "Pork." So to the stove I went. As I heated the pork, I noticed a layer of fat and juices coming to the top. I decided to drain the pork so it could be served. One of the guests noticed what I was doing and yelled, "Don't pour that off! That's all the flavor!!!" Ok, I thought, but it just wasn't very appetizing. As we got it to the serving line, he said again, "I know, it may not look the greatest, but it's food and we are hungry!" And so we served it to finish out the night.

Sometimes we are just hungry and we just need something to eat regardless of how appetizing the food may look. Other times, we may sit down to a beautifully set table and the food looks and smells truly amazing. It is truly a dining experience. When we sit down together to share a meal, do we just notice the food on the plate before us or do we truly share in the dining experience with those at table with us?

As we share today this Eucharist, may the bread we break and the cup we share truly be a dining experience.

My prayers are with you this day,

Fr. Timothy

Mass Intentions

Week of July 30 - August 5

Monday 8:00am	†Bud Sutlief
Tuesday 8:00am	<i>Saint Ignatius of Loyola</i> †George Dixon
Wednesday 8:00am	<i>Saint Alphonsus Liguori</i> Mary Hover
Thursday 8:00am	†Ron Rusch
Friday 8:00am	Ann Murrow
Saturday 5:00pm	<i>Saint John Vianney</i> †Gary Brecht
Sunday 7:30am	†Rosalie Timm
9:15am	†Edward Lewczyk, Jr. †Rusty Holt
11:00am	†Dulle, Stalic, & Cygiel deceased family members
6:00pm	†Chuck Jennings
William Jewell College Mass Resumes in the Fall Enjoy Your Summer	



From Death to New Life

Our prayer support is with ...

Alice Rusch, her children, other family members, and friends on the death of her husband Ron who passed away on July 17.

Debbie Bednar and family on the recent death of her father Ed Shackelford.

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

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 29 : Knights of Columbus serve breakfast after the 7:30, and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

Mon July 30 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow

Tue July 31 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—Legion of Mary meets at 6:30am in the Mallen Room
—Diocesan Listening Session, 7:00pm in the church

Wed Aug 1 : 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 Aug 2 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—9:00am - 9:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
—Dementia Caregivers Class, 6:00pm, St. Gasper Room

Fri Aug 3 : Mass at 8:00am

Sat Aug 4 :
—That Man Is You at 6:15am in the Social Hall
—Dementia Caregivers Class, 9:00am, St. Gasper Room
—Faith Sharing at 10:00am, School Library, "*Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist*- Bread For The Journey"

Sun Aug 5 : Knights of Columbus serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30, and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

Scriptures for August 3 and 4 Masses

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 / Eph 4:17, 20-24 / Jn 6:24:35

Gift Bearers for August 3 and 4

Sat 5:00pm: Jacqueline Filardo and Georgia Hampton
Sun 7:30am: Jacky Rapp, Barb Schmitt, Lynn Streu
9:15am: Mike & Lisa Young and Family
11:00am: Larry & Lori Daleo and Family
6:00 pm: Marla Neal and Family

Hospitality Greeters for August 3 and 4

Sat 5:00pm: James Thornton and Linda Ceglenski
Sun 7:30am: Jim & Lynn Streu
9:15am: Jan & Charlie Moubry and
Jeff & Rachel Richardson
11:00am: Gene & Susan Chartier
6:00 pm: Amy Rothery-Colin and Daughter

Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday Breakfast This Sunday

After the 7:30 and 9:15 Masses

The St. James Knights of Columbus will serve a 5th Sunday breakfast in the Social Hall on Sunday, July 29, after the 7:30 and 9:15 Masses.

The breakfast will include biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs or made-to-order omelets, sausages, and pancakes. Prices are \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12.

Special Events

*One Heart & Mind
A Vision For Our Future*



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

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

Tuesday, July 31

7:00pm in the Church

Session in Both English and Spanish

Message from Bishop Johnston

One of the most fulfilling things in life is to be a part of something great with others. As we read the Gospels and the Acts of the Apostles, we often notice the spirit of joy, confidence, and boldness with which the disciples lived and acted. They knew Jesus and they had received the Holy Spirit which filled them with Christ and his power.

I believe this is also what Christ wants to do in us now. God is pleased when we are "of one heart and mind" for that is a sign of the Holy Spirit's action in the Church. When we are one as a family, we can do great things for God; or rather, he can do great things in us and through us.

It is for this reason that I believe the Holy Spirit is calling me to lead us in a process of crafting a vision for our immediate future as a diocese. We need to do this not merely for ourselves, but for those who need Christ and what only the Catholic Church can provide. In a sense, our task is to simply discern what God wants us to do, right here, right now, and then act together.

Please pray for the success of what we begin. Please jump in to the process and share your thoughts and opinions at one of the listening sessions. As we seek to live our Catholic Faith more fully, let us strive to do so as having one heart and mind.

A from the Liturgy/Music Office



Quickly reading this Sunday's scriptures may give us the idea that they are about feeding people. However, if we read slowly and let the words sink into our heart and soul we see that they are of a deeper subject.

The **First Reading** (2 Kings 4:42-44) is the continuation of the story of the early Prophet Elisha (not Elijah, his mentor), who was sent by God to battle the evils of the Jewish monarchy (circa 800 B.C.). Elisha was given the Spirit's gift of miracles; not for his own use, but to show the power and goodness of God. He is feeding 100 people with 20 loaves of bread. What we and the people of Elisha's day should have seen is that God provides for His people who call on Him in their need.

The **Responsorial Psalm** (145:10-18) recognizes the goodness of God and praises Him for His goodness and divine providence, but this is not easy, especially if we only look to God for material needs. The last line of this psalm gives us the right direction: "The Lord is near to all who call upon Him – in truth." Truth, in this context, means a sincere awareness of who God is.

The **Second Reading** is from St. Paul's Letter to the Ephesians (4:1-6). Here Paul sums up the entire message of today's readings. If upon our knowledge and acceptance of Jesus Christ as our Lord and our God, we must let His light shine through our deeds and our speech. If we believe that God is within us and within each baptized Christian, then we must love each other as a reflection of God within us.

The **Gospel Reading** (Mark 6:1-15) is the familiar story of Jesus feeding approximately 5,000 people through the multiplication of five loaves of bread. Most people see the magnitude and uniqueness of this miracle but fail to see what is most important – that God provides for His people! They fail to see that God is in their midst in the person of Jesus Christ who could and would provide much more than a meal. They also fail to let the essence of the miracle sink into their heart and soul.

We need to reconsider our own actions in this regard: When we are in need, do we go to God in prayer? When we receive Holy Communion, do we spend a moment to thank our Lord and God for His goodness and many blessings, or, do we rush out of church without the least thought of a thanksgiving? Further, even if we do make an act of thanksgiving, do we then carry that out and reflect it to others? This really is something to think about during your Prayer Time.

Someone is Watching and Wondering

what are other
words for
metanoia?



regeneration, rebirth, flux,
see the light, conversion,
transformation, reconstruction,
growth, novelty, passage



 TheSaurus.plus

The past two weeks I wrote about two ministries in which I participate and which are dear to my heart. For the next several weeks I will be offering information about my primary ministry at St. James, serving as the Director of Christian Initiation.

I became the Director of Christian Initiation July 1, 1997., after myself becoming a Catholic in 1995. The following 2 years I served as a team member under the direction of Ann Tucker. I must confess, I wasn't sure that I was ready for the responsibility of leading the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) but said yes when presented with the opportunity. I had been a teacher for many years and thought this ministry was simply a new teaching challenge. I soon discovered that my concept and ideas were far from accurate. Although I attended a week-long *Beginnings and Beyond* retreat (designed as formation for RCIA ministers) I still attempted to use an educational model for catechesis. As you will see over the next few weeks, conversion and catechesis is not simply an experience in catholic education but rather a journey of love with life changing consequences and responsibilities.

Christian initiation isn't about studying, testing and graduation; it is an experience of living in intimate union with Christ Jesus and trying to follow in his footsteps. It is all about trusting and freely surrendering our lives to Him. Conversion is about discovering the graces which God provides, so that we as individuals and community can proclaim His Kingdom, not simply with words but with the actions and living of our every day, ordinary lives. Becoming a Catholic and living in His light is about embracing those in need, without a voice, forgotten, alone, or abandoned by our society. Being Catholic requires a holistic faith, leaving a dichotomous life (secular vs sacred) behind and joining every aspect of who we are, where we work, how we function in society, the way we protect God's creation, and how we serve others, together into the essence and center of our humanity. Catholicism is founded and rooted in human identity. To become a disciple of Jesus is to begin and live each day in gratitude and thanksgiving for everything He provides, while humbly serving the one we call Lord.

Your Sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*

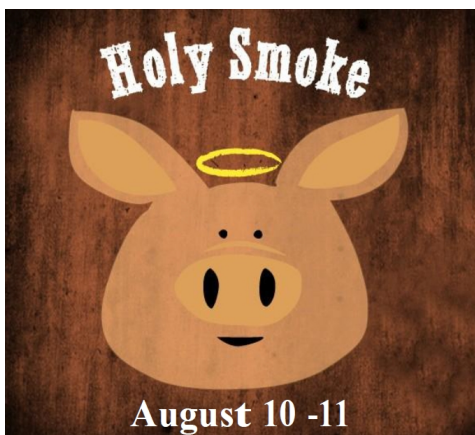
We pray for Our Country, Leaders, and Loved ones serving our Country:

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 Kandl-binder, 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.

8th Annual BBQ Contest And Family Fun Night



The 8th Annual Holy Smoke BBQ Contest Family Fun Night will be held on August 10 and 11.

The Family Fun Night will take place from 5:00pm – 10:30pm on Friday. The BBQ Contest will be held on the following day, Saturday, from 9:00am – 3:00pm.

Family Fun Night

This year's Family Fun Night will once again feature a beer garden, food trucks, a 50/50 raffle, bounce hours and other kid's activities.

Food trucks include:

Mudhole BBQ Hung Dynasty
Humdinger Slater's Pizza Wings 'N' Things
SnowieKC

There is NO admission fee!

There will be a suggested donation for access to the bounce houses and other fun activities for kids.

BBQ Contest

More teams and judges are needed, so if you've ever thought of being a part of a BBQ contest, now is your chance!

Mark your calendars and be sure and check out the website at www.holysmokebbqcontest.com.

Stewardship of Treasure

Stewardship Journey Reflection

Hospitality – Full of Love

We all know this week's readings – the multiplying of the loaves and fish. I always thought my Mom was closer to God because she could multiply the food. It did not seem to matter how many people showed up for Sunday dinner, Ma Klassen had fried chicken for everyone. Looking back – she was sharing her love; filling one's stomach and heart; everyone was welcome in my parents' home – Hospitality. Everyone would get to our house, go to Mass and then head back for dinner. Today, some of us are more resistant to this type of hospitality. We don't have time; it's not a "good" time; we don't have enough food; we really don't know them that well.

When we dig deeper into this story, it is about Jesus' love for us that is the true hospitality. Love changes everything. Keeping us together; having us sit down as a group; eating a meal as one He provides each Sunday. Do we feel His love? Do we share His love? Do our actions transform anyone's life? What hospitality do we show to others? Do we help fill-up anyone who is empty or hungry? Do we give a friendly reception to friend AND stranger?

Hospitality – fill others with the love of Christ. My parents have been gone for years, yet at a wedding this month, old friends talk about those meals shared in my parent's home. Let's be more open. Please take time this week to reflect on your hospitality to others. Allow your love to show. Multiply the fish!

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

Blessings,

Katie Klassen

816-781-4343 x220 Katie@stjames-liberty.org



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

Back to School Items - Tax Free Weekend: August 3 - 5

Did you know that the Back to School Season is the 2nd largest selling season for retailers ?

This means that prices for back to school items, whether it be school supplies, clothing, and shoes, are incredibly competitive this time of year.

And, what's even better is that this coming Friday, Saturday, and Sunday (Aug. 3 - 5), no sales tax will be charged on certain "back to school" items.

Here's what qualifies: any article of clothing \$100 or less, school supplies up to \$50 per purchase; computer software up to \$350; personal computers up to \$1,500, and computer peripheral devices up to \$1,500.

With school starting very soon, here are 4 things to do right now to get ready for the fall term:

- 1 - Take an inventory of what your kids already have.
- 2 - Make a list of what you need to buy.
- 3 - Buy HOPE Gift Cards for all of the stores where you plan to shop.**
- 4 - Go shopping and save while the sales are still running, prices are low, and your purchases will be tax free

We have HOPE gift cards in stock for most of the stores where you'll likely shop – whether it's Walmart, Penny's, Target, Macy's, Kohl's, Office Depot, Best Buy, HyVee, or Price Chopper – we have them all.

Our Lady of Fatima The Five First Saturdays Devotion

Join Us on Saturday, August 4 for the 4th of The Five First Saturdays Devotion



The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to 3 shepherd children in Fatima, Portugal on the 13th day of six consecutive months, beginning in May 1917.

The Last of the First Saturdays Devotion Will Be Held On September 1

The Promise of Our Lady of Fatima *"I promise to assist at the hour of death, with the graces necessary for salvation, all those who, on the first Saturday of five consecutive months shall confess, receive Holy Communion, recite five decades of the Rosary, and keep me company for fifteen minutes while meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, with the intention of making reparation to me."*

Confessions Heard Beginning at 5:00 am

15 Decades of the Rosary Begin at 6:30 am

Mass Begins at 7:15 am

Additional 15 Decades of the Rosary Begins Immediately Following Mass

For more information on The Five First Saturday Devotions, go to www.themostholysrosary.com and click on The Five First Saturdays Devotion on the left

Faithful Fitness

When: Saturday mornings - from **8:30-9:30 am**

Where: St James Social Hall

Cost: \$5 with 20% being tithed back to the church

Other: Bring a mat or beach towel, your favorite weights if you have them and a water bottle

We Welcome Fr. Michael Mulhearn Next Weekend



Fr. Mulhearn, C.M. will be here next weekend to share the mission of St. Vincent de Paul. A second collection will be taken up to support their mission appeal. Let's plan to give him a warm welcome!

Our Faith In Action

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.

Become a Hospice Volunteer

Make A Difference As A Hospice Volunteer!

Liberty Hospital Hospice is looking for qualified applicants who will contribute positively to hospice patient care and their families through emotional support, companionship, empathetic listening, simply "being there," and providing practical assistance as needed in the home, hospital, skilled care facility or in the office.

Once volunteers successfully apply and pass a background check, they receive specialized training and orientation.

For more information or to apply, contact Julie Lippold, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, 816-407-2200 or julie.lippold@libertyhospital.org.

6th - 12th Grade Youth Ministry

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.



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



A Day of Personal Silent Reflection Thursday, August 2



Join us for as many hours as you wish. Walk our beautiful grounds including a labyrinth. Pray in our chapel. We offer 7:00 AM Mass, hot and cold drinks throughout the day, and lunch with the Community if you so desire. Spiritual direction is available.

For details and to register contact Lucia Ferrara at info@pbrenewalcenter.org or 816.415.3745.

Parish Religious Education

2018 - 2019
Joy: Jesus, Others, Yourself

RE Calendar - Important Dates

- Aug 4/5 Registration Forms for 2018-2019 go out on the table
 Aug 10/11 DoDads Family Night and BBQ Contest
 Aug 10/11 Registration Table Open

Registration for 2018-2019

It's almost time!

I know that it's still July, but I can tell from the shelves at the stores that we are getting geared up for Back To School season. Which naturally brings stressed-out emails and calls from parents who are worried that somehow they missed the signup window for RE. Let me lay that fear to rest – we don't begin registrations until next month!



This year we will put the registration forms out on the table in the narthex and up on the parish website during the first weekend of August 4/5. We'll start staffing the registration table the following weekend and will have someone there before after the Masses throughout the month of August.

Classes begin September 9th and 12th and run until the final weekend in April of 2019. Fees remain the same as last year at \$55 for one child, \$100 for two, and no more than \$125 per family. That fee schedule includes the middle school grades too; you can just write one check for both programs.

Payment of fees is due at registration unless you contact the RE or Youth office directly to arrange a payment schedule, which we are happy to do. While we would love to be able to take debit card payments, we do not have that capability yet, so it's cash or check only. You can print off the forms on the website, but since we can't process electronic payments, you'll need to print the form off and either bring it in or mail it in with your payment.

You have your choice of either the Sunday morning session (9 to 10:30 am, preschool 3 years old by 8/1/19 through fifth grade) or Wednesday evening session (6:30 to 8:00 pm, first through fifth, sixth through eighth only – there is no Pre-K and Kindergarten on Wednesday nights). However, that choice is limited by class size and available space, so my advice would be to register EARLY to insure that your child gets the spot that you need.

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.

Caroline Bundy	Megan Corrigan	Jeff Gibbs
Deborah Costanza	Marjorie Grothaus	Benjamin Hess
Dennis King	Grace Halter	Tamara Johnson
Jarrett Muck	Ladu Juma	Abigail Kopp
Wesley Murdock	Allison Kline	Allison McDonald
Callen Prichard	Cameron Phillips	Martha Mc Nerney
Jessica Vernickas	Steven Smith	Irma Almaraz
Henry Zweimiller	Maximus	Hadley Cotton
Timothy Book	Tebbenkamp	Anthony Frizzo
Kritsada Coday	Brandon Wooten	Jared Gastner
Andrew Sorrell	Catherine Boos	Elizabeth Grelinger
Sandra Stimetz	Tristan Dorsey	Andrew Hand
Dawn Davis	Donna Gardner	Erica Hayes
Melvin Houghton	Troy Halter	Marissa Hearn
Mary Hover	April Kelly	Kenneth Marrs
Virginia Morrow	Christian Kuchta	Mardelynn Mason
Brooks Ragland	Mitzi Phelan	Patrick McCarthy
Michael Saye	Ruth Woltkamp	James Richardson
Mary Swope	Olivia Zimmerman	Carla Stauffer
Niels Vanderheul	Jacqueline Ballard	Robert Wallace
Derek Wilson	Lilian Brown	Parker Zimmerman
Glen Ahlfield	Michael Delany	
William Carr	Gianna Elizalde	

Cardinal Glennon High School Reunion

50th Reunion Cardinal Glennon High School class of 1969 is in the planning stages.

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To the St. James Parish Family,

Thank you for the many kindnesses shown to George very week as he came to worship. Holding a door, sitting with him while he waited for the car, and assisting him into the car all may have seemed insignificant, but were truly blessings. We appreciate the many prayers and comforting words.

A special thank you to all families who provided such wonderful food to our family before the funeral, and to all those involved in preparing and serving the funeral dinner.

Even when George was in the hospital and at Norterre, he asked about going to church. His faith and church family were a central part of his life.

Betty Dixon and Family

We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

Rodriguez Family	Denny Farrell	Jim Guccione
Connie Hollomon	Elfrieda Waltz	June Bednar
Janet G.	Marie Bacon	Matt Biskup Family
Bibi Chadwick	Nancy Carr	Kim Lackey
Ralph & Jan Peters	The Hollomon Family	Pam Fink
Ann Roberts	Trivino Family	John Nauser
Robin Sandt	Lyme Family	Bill Roach, Jr.
Scott Neibergall	Jacke & Enike Hayes	Rachel Zimmerman
Bob Leonardo	Jeanette and Roberta Casel	Jacob and Dana Glasford
Ann Murrow	Robert Newell	Becky Weathers
Buster Gage	Catherine Finley	Roberta McCallum
Peter Armato	Loren Wolken	Keith Newman
Eileen	Kristie Koontz	Gary Andrew Reese
Pat Aten	Ellie Rocco	Emma Shay
Margo Eastland	Beth Heide	Joseph Greenwald
Adalina Simmons	Rebecca Wilke	Sam Porter
Samantha Potter	Emmanuel Monzon, Sr.	Mary Alice Worth
Julianna	Keith Jawson	Amy Villereal
Mary	Sherri Thomas	Lauren Daldrup
Margie Myers	Judy Dunnigan	Lori and Sam Daleo
Theresa Bibler	Carla George	Mary Kaye Masnado
Jean and Richard Jackson	Angie Reed Family	Carolee Bussjaeger
Steve Decker	Terry Rigg	John Amaro
Cathy Teague	Bryan Amos	Jerry McCaslin
Linda Smith	Sue McKnight	DeDe Marchisio
Leola (Maggie) Schmidt	Ron Ward	Therese Cimino
Annmarie Pfeiffer	Kyle Sellmeyer	Randy Baumert
Pamela & James Anderson	Margarita Mendoza Family	David Switzer
Travis Shay	Reba Suttief	Jackie Plack Pelling
Gene Lewey	Mike Hojnacke	Kennedy Noel Holcumbink
Danny Baker	Bob Hedrick	Bernadette Kaplan
Barbara Meigs	Marie Brancato	Larry Kain
Tony and Tet So	Anita Heiman	Sandy Wheeler
Travis and Sarah Shay	Dan Kerns	Rita Lowe / Megan
Jack and Linda	Rich Curasi	George Massie
Patrick Scroggins	Keith Cobb	Tony V. Sr.
Maddie	Kevin Uhlmann	Deric DeMasi
Julie Sildeck	Marion Saladino	John Eggleston
Stan Carver	Liz Phleps	Keegan & Justin Gwin
The Curiel Family	Tricia Kauffman	Sarah Rupp
Kristina Mitchell	Bob Roach	Chris Alvey
Nancy Hummel	Marvin Weishaar	Carol Yeager Laplant
Nathan Golder	Lulu Young	Vincent Michael Smith
Janice Jones	John Brocato	Patrick O'Neill
Debra Suttief	Virgil and Mary Branson	Iva Durocher
Helen Szczech	Barbara (Roach) Still	John McMahon
Alice Rusch	Debbie Pickett	Joseph Gubera
Hanna Carver	Lorrie & Family	Les VanBibber
Jeff Richardson, Sr.	Kathleen Amos	Maria Giannelli
Deacon Bud	Stan Smith	Mike Reinhart
Sheila Geiger	Kathleen Haines	Jeannette Wolken
Monica Barrington	John Phannestiel	Louie Bussjaeger
Anna Jackson	Mike Sheeley	Kenadee Gallagher
Kari and Jessie Rainey	Rick George	Shawn Adkins
Mason Ogle	Frank Kenealy	Jason Robinson
Dave Stark	Ruth Nelson	Andrew Lay
Gary Bogenreif	Saree Morely	Leah Biskup Coady
Louise Andrasik	Christy Mock	Olivia Hernandez
Barbara Fortier	John Findlay	Chrissy Sparks
Barb Schwery	Duane Sander	Darleen Farnan Kenny
Nichole Stewart	Keltin Daniel Gwin	Mary Bell Jones
Tom Biggs	Bill Goeckel	Michelle McClune
Doug Schuster	Tom Hagins	Joann & Greg Hagins
Samantha Wiggins Family	Mattie Mae Weaver	Laura Ann DiGiovanna
Adolph Barringhaus	Cheryl Dirckson	Steve Shoemaker
Fr. Tom Albers	Troy Cronkhite	Robert Doleshal
Kelly Gentrup	Chuck Hatler	Jersey & James Hicks
Fulk Family	Robert Elliott	

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