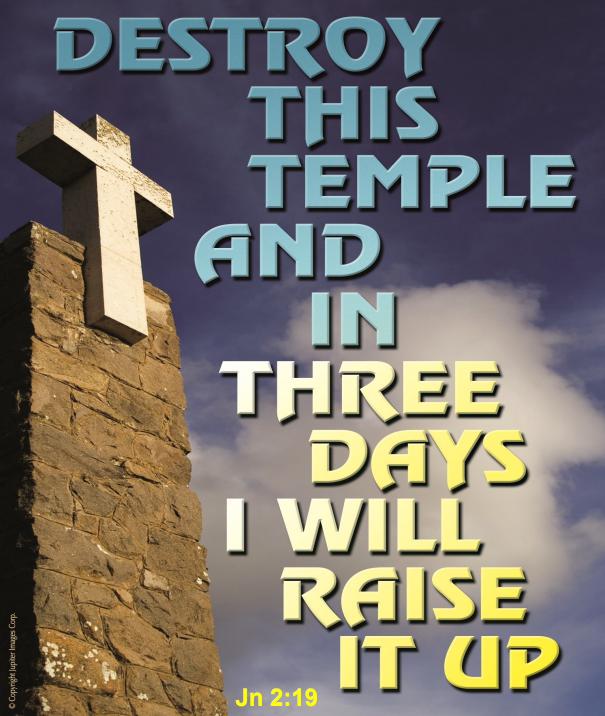




Third Sunday of Lent March 8, 2015



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

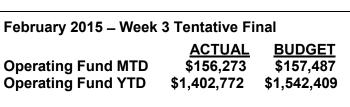
We, the community of St. James, are a prayerful and Eucharistic people who treasure our Catholic traditions. We strive to grow in our faith by being good stewards of the gifts God has given us; sharing God's truth with all. As the Body of Christ, we are called to love and serve everyone, especially the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

# "Did you know"

As you know, our new parking lot has alleviated many (not all) of our parking lot concerns. I must remind all that the lane in front of the church is for dropping off / picking up those who have problems covering the distance from the lot. *Please do not use the handicapped parking if you are not handicapped.* 

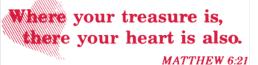
Do not under any circumstances park in that lane. Fire or emergency equipment must be able to access the church and school at all times. In the worst of circumstances leaving your car unattended could cause a life threatening situation.

## Thank you Jim Newell, Operations Manager



\* Includes Offertory, and Misc Church Income. \*Does not include New Church Fund.

# "Thank you all."



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

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

As we journey through the season of Lent, we are mindful of God's presence in all our Lenten activities – and hopefully it's a chance for us and our families to reflect on where and how God is present among us – and where are we called be bearers of God's goodness and Love in this Lenten season.

This weekend we welcome our 'sister-parish' St. James Midtown and their delicious cinnamon rolls. This is a major fundraiser for St. James Parish in Midtown KC, and this is our opportunity to support them as well as enjoy their delicious cinnamon rolls.

I have the privilege of being pastor at St. James, and it's my goal that our parishes can have more partnership opportunities – we're both great faith-filled communities and it's a wonderful opportunity to support one another. Thanks in advance for your support of the cinnamon rolls this weekend, and we hope to have more sharing opportunities between our parish communities!!

We welcome Jennifer Scanlon-Smith to our parish this weekend. As you know, Molly Doherty, our current principal is moving on from St. James at the end of this school year, and Jennifer will be our new principal for the new school year of 2015-16. We welcome her to our community, and the new life she brings will continue the good work of our parish and school in carrying out the Gospel message and forming our families in the ways of God's Love!

Thanks to all who are so very supportive of our parish community in supporting our parish community in so many ways. To those who are so faithful in giving on a regular basis, week after week, we are most grateful!

We have exciting plans for the future of our parish community – to continue to strengthen our ministry programs to help nourish our families, as well as to bring our new church building to a reality! But it takes all of us doing our part, so thanks so much for your faithfulness and commitment!

Mark your calendars for the weekend of March 21/22 – our annual St. Joseph Table. It 's a great opportunity to thank St. Joseph for God's care and guidance in so many ways, as well as enjoy a beautiful St. Joseph Table, great pasta meals and delicious "Italian desserts and goodies". All this goes to a great cause—to support the poor and needy among us!

May you and your families know the coming of Spring and the New Life that leads us to Easter!

Peace, Fr. Mike

#### **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!* 

# Mass Intentions

Week of March 9 - 15		
Monday 8am Tuesday	<ul> <li>+Sharon Lehmann</li> <li>+St. Frances of Rome</li> </ul>	
8am	+ August and Theresa Renn	
Wednesday 8am	<b>+</b> Mary Biskup	
Thursday 8am	+ Frank Hosticka	
Friday 9am	<b>†</b> Jeannie Miller	
Saturday 5:00pm	<b>⁺</b> Don Hite	
Sunday 7:30am 9:15am	Mary & Jim Newell's Intentions Deceased Members of Sanchez Family	
11:00am 6:00pm	+Cecilia Madrid Lopez +++Ryan Outlaws	



Our prayer support is with ...

Midge Weir and her family in the death of Midge's husband Ed Weir

The Mercedarian Sisters and the family of Sister Vickie who died last week

Mary Mahoney in the death of her sister Maurine Wiederholt

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

 Contact
 Info

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

 Month.
 Sacrament of Marriage:
 9 months advance notice

 Month.
 Anointing of the Sick:
 Please call the parish office.

 To Schedule an event in our Parish Facility:
 email daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org

 Is.
 or call Daryl or Loretta in Parish Office.

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

### St. James Catholic Church

# The Week Ahead

**Sun March 8 :** St. James Midtown, assisted by Girl Scouts, serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 & 9:15 Mass. All are welcome

— Faithwalkers Stations of the Cross at 7:30pm in the church

Mon March 9 : Monday; Mass at 8am, rosary to follow Mass — Pleasant Valley Mass at 10am

- St. Joseph Table meeting at 6:30pm in Mallen Room

Tue March 10 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow

Wed March 11: Mass at 8am, rosary to follow —Sponsor's for Christ meet 1st and 3rd Wed —Soup Supper at 5:45

**Thurs March 12**: Mass at 8am, rosary to follow —9:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome to stop by the church for quiet prayer until 9pm

### Fri March 13: Rosary prayed at 8:15am

— Mass at 9am,

—Stations of the Cross at 5:30

-Fish Fry, 5:00 - 8:00 pm in the gym

### Sat March 14 : That Man is You at 6:15am

—Saturday morning faith sharing group at 10:00am in library —Rosary prayed at 3:00pm

### Sun Mar 15 : NO NURSERY SERVICES AVAILABLE

—That Man Is You serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 & 9:15 Mass. All are welcome

### Scriptures for March 14th &15th Masses:

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 / Eph 2:4-10 / Jn 3:14-21 (RCIA) 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7,10-13a / Eph 5:8-14 / Jn 9:1-41

Gift Bearers for March 14th &15th Masses: Sat 5:00pm: Nicole Stewart and Family

Sun 7:30am: Stephen and Anna Slocum & Family
9:15am: Jeffery and Rachel Richardson & Family
11am: Jane Pettinger and Candy Clark
6pm: Zac and Michelle Usher

### Hospitality Greeters for 14th &15th:

Sat 5:00pm: Valerie Beumer and Tom and Marcia Capps

Sun 7:30am: Pat Cull and Judy Keisling

- 9:15am: Hank Dunham and Julie Harman John and Laurie Riedel
  - **11am:** Ryal and Theresa Brier & Family **6pm:** Open To A Church Family

# **Special Events**



## 19th Annual Fish Fry

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

## This Friday - March 13th

### All Of Your Favorite Dinners Will Be Available Again This Year Plus . . NEW THIS YEAR - Beer and Wine

## \*Express\* Carryout Will Be Available

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

### Cinnamon Rolls For Sale After All Masses This Weekend



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Parishioners from our "sister parish", St. James Midtown, will be selling their scrumptious homemade cinnamon rolls after all Masses this weekend.

This has been an annual event here at St. James for several years. If you've bought in the past, you'll be sure to want to buy again. If you've never purchased these rolls, try them - you'll like them !



Grab your yard work tools and join us for the **PARISH OUTDOOR CLEAN-UP!** 

Saturday, March 21, 2015

9 am to Noon

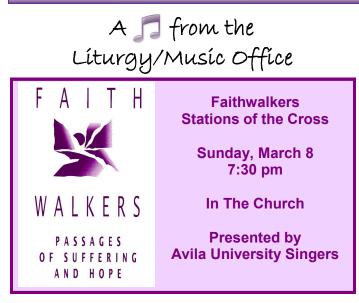
We will be beautifying the outdoors of our campus with raking, mulching, and plantings in preparation for Easter.

Please bring wheelbarrows, pitch forks for moving mulch, rakes, work gloves, small garden tools, pruners, etc.

This is a great family service project, great exercise, great fellowship!

All ages welcome - Join us!

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# *Faithwalkers:Stations of the Cross* is a musical ritualization of Fr. Joseph Nassal's *Faith Walkers: Passages of Suffering and Hope* by Fr. Keith Branson.

Fr. Nassal says in the introduction: When we dig down into the soul we discover the plan of salvation: "God chose to walk with us in the person of Jesus. The way of the cross is a sojourn of the soul that makes us faith walkers, not sightseers: we walk by faith, not by sight."

The music was written to help those present enter into that journey of soul more deeply. The presentation is in the form of a prayer service, includes visual media and invites all present into a journey of the soul.



### YOUTH CHOIR & ORCHESTRA SCHEDULE

Here is our current schedule of rehearsals for the St. James Youth Choir and Youth Orchestra for the month of March. All rehearsals are from 2:30-3:30. (Except on March 29.)

> March 8: Youth Orchestra March 15: NO YOUTH CHOIR March 22: Youth Orchestra

<u>March 29</u> Youth Choir is 2:00-3:00 Youth Orchestra 3:15-4:15

## Someone is Watching and Wondering



The second pillar of Lent is Fasting, and yes there are only two obligatory days of keeping a fast (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday). Keeping with the letter of the law this means we are only to eat two "small meals" and one "full" meal on those days. Also being days of abstinence we are to refrained from eating meat. Doesn't sound like much of a Lenten Fast, and I doubt that many of us eat three full meals each day anyway. So what is the Lenten Fast all about? Perhaps it involves the old idea of "What should I give up?"

Fasting is a form of spiritual exercise, and like other spiritual exercises is meant as a discipline which brings us closer to Christ. Remembering the definition of prayer that I quoted last week, putting ourselves in the hands of God, I might suggest that to enrich our Lenten experience we begin to fast from getting our own way. From early childhood most of us were told **NO** many times, yet we persist in saying YES to our own wants and desires. Whether it is yes to more material possessions, pleasure, power, or social position we want what we want. These self centered desires often overshadow our deepest need, which I believe is to know and receive God's love, to have a relationship with Him, and to share His perfect goodness with others. Jesus said "love one another even as I have loved you." Too often, however, we place our own limitations on these words: "I will love you, as long as you do what I want, but if you disagree, or are different from me, look out." After all, "I am a Christian; I follow Jesus; He was God's son; He saved me from my sins, so how can I be wrong?" We are still putting ourselves, our beliefs, and our understandings first, not God and not others. We have become very self-righteous. In effect we are closing ourselves inside a self cocoon, often cutting ourselves off even from those closest to us (family, spouses, intimate friends, and colleagues.) We aren't placing ourselves in God's hands, in fact guite the opposite, we are trying to put God into a comfortable mold which we have created.

This Lenten season, as you offer yourself to God, as you place yourself into His hands, try fasting from self centeredness and self-righteous indignation. Fast from always needing to be correct. Fast from the desire that everyone should agree with you, look like you, act like you,. Experience God's direction in your life. He loves you and will lead the way. You may find a newness of being with Him that is refreshing, freeing, life-giving, and filled with peace and joy.

Your Sister in Christ, Sandy Gagnon

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### 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 Starner, Jarrett Muck, Bong Vtug, Brianna Hannum, Aaron Dolak, Cole Roberts, Tony Velasguez 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



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

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. These stores carry a variety of St. Patrick's Day decorations too.

#### **Got Cabin Fever ?**

If this winter's got you down with record setting low temperatures, snow, sleet, ice and dreary days, cheer up spring will eventually arrive.

In the meanwhile, here are some things to do to help you forget the winter chill.

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 voga. 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. What better way to take your mind off of the ups and downs of the weather than to take in a good movie. 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 are sold in the narthex after all weekend Masses and in the parish and school office during the week.

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

### St. Joseph Table - St. Therese (North) Church March 14 & 15

Viewing – Mar. 14: 2 - 6:15 pm / Mar. 15: 7am - 9:30pm Meal: Sunday, March 15: 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

### The St. James Pastoral Council Invites You **To Eucharistic Adoration** On Thursdays or Any Other Day

### What Is Eucharistic Adoration?

Eucharistic Adoration is simply prayer and meditation before the Blessed Sacrament (the Consecrated Hosts in the tabernacle on the left side of the altar at St. James). Eucharistic Adoration is an extension of our ex-



perience at Mass, cultivating a deeper and truly personal relationship with Jesus. Everyone is welcome to come for Eucharistic Adoration and be with Jesus at anytime in our church. It is a great way for EUCHARISTIC families to draw close to Jesus, and increase the faith of young and old.

# ADORATION

Did you know that St. James has Exposition of the Consecrated Host (Jesus) every Thursday in the Church from 8:30 am and ending with a closing prayer service at 9:00 p.m? This is where the Consecrated Host (Jesus) is placed in a monstrance usually on the altar which enables the host to be seen. During this time, many of our faithful parishioners commit to a specific amount of time (usually an hour or two) to be with Jesus when He is exposed. We welcome everyone at this special time as well to see Jesus visibly present under the appearance of the host which can be more conducive to intimacy than in the tabernacle.

Why Participate in Eucharistic Adoration you ask? Many who participate in Eucharistic Adoration often arrive at church weary and burdened by a hectic day, but end up leaving refreshed and filled with the peace that only comes from Our Lord. For mothers it can become the favorite hour of the day or week. They love the peace and quiet. Pope John Paul II wrote: "The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic adoration." And he said "the best, the most effective, and the surest way of bringing lasting peace on earth is through the great power of Eucharistic adoration."

For more information see our St. James Website. www.stjames-liberty.org

# 3rd Annual St. Joseph Feast Day Celebration March 21 & 22 in the Social Hall



# Traditional St. Joseph's Table Meal Served On Saturday, March 21 & Sunday, March 22

# Saturday, March 21

Blessing of the Table - 3:00 pm Table Viewing - 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm Meal Served - 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

# Special Entertainment During Saturday Meal Italian Music by The Gumbas

Sunday, March 22 Meal Served & Viewing 12 noon to 6:00 pm

# ST. JOSEPH TABLE MEAL

Spaghetti with or without sardines in the sauce Frittata • Bread • Salad • Dessert • Coffee, Tea or Lemonade Freewill Donations of \$6.00 for the Meal Are Encouraged Wine will be available - suggested donation \$3.00 A donation of \$6.00 for Take Out is Requested

All are welcome and invited to attend

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

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

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## Raffle

Large Decorative Serving Tray, \$25, \$50, & \$100 HOPE Gift Cards and Other Items

Tickets: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

Sold after weekend Masses and at the March 21 and 22 Events

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

# Our Faith In Action

### Baked Goods Needed for The St Joseph Table

Attention Bakers of the Parish . . . The St. Joseph Table committee is in need of donations of baked goods – cookies, cakes, pies, etc. – to serve as dessert with St. Joseph Table meals on Saturday, March 21 and Sunday, March 27. Baked items are also needed as sale items.

If you are willing to donate any of these items, please contact Anna Jo Pfannenstiel for details at 816-792-0945.

### Love INC Is Collecting items for Love INC Easter Baskets.

Items needed are new Easter baskets, grass, small toys, games, puzzles, and candy of all types. Also needed are clear plastic bags for wrapping the baskets. Simply drop off your collected goodies at Love INC, 2050 Plumbers Way, Suite 160, Liberty, MO 64068 before March 16.

Volunteers are needed to help fill the baskets on March 16-March 19. Please email Missy at *info@loveincofclaycounty.org* or call 816-994-6926 if you can help volunteer.

## Happy 103<sup>rd</sup> Birthday, Girl Scouts!!!



Do you have a daughter age 5 or older who would like to learn more about Girl Scouts?

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to be confident, thoughtful citizens? Please join area Girl Scouts on Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9-11am at Northland Rolladium for a Spring Showcase and Recruitment event. Girls can see what troops have learned this year, make a craft, sing songs, and learn about Twilight Camp. If you have any questions please contact Cathy at *boteler2@hotmail.com*.

# Youth Group Happenings

## Confirmation Interviews

All those being confirmed April 20th need to sign up now for your interview. The sign up can be found on the St. James webpage under the Youth Ministries-Confirmation tab or from your smart phone.

> Sign up for Confirmation Interviews Use Access Code : **STJAMES**



## Lent 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.

## Upcoming Youth Ministry Oates

Sun Mar 8	High School Café Faith Walkers
Wed Mar 11	6th-8th Faith Sharing
	6:30-8pm
Sun Mar 15	Confirmation 7:00pm-8:45pm
Wed Mar 18	6th-8th Faith Sharing Mass 7PM
	Ash Wednesday
Sun Mar 22	High School Café 7:00pm-8:30pm
Wed Mar 25	6th-8th Faith Sharing 6:30-8pm

#### **BEGINNING EXPERIENCE ~ A Weekend Away for a Lifetime of Change**



• Serving the Widowed, Separated and Divorced; who are suffering the loss of a love relationship and may feel left out by their church, uneasy around married friends, unsure of themselves and uncertain about their futures.

• Helping grieving persons focus on their experience, deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth emerging from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning.

The next Beginning Experience Weekend is **MARCH 27-29, 2015 at Precious Blood Center, Liberty, MO**. For more information visit: <u>www.beginningexperience.org</u>, email: <u>register.bekc@gmail.com</u>, or contact Lynne 816 457-0391, or Jerry 785-843-2079.

# Parish Religious Education

### RE Calendar

March 8 Sunday RE March 11 Soup Supper #3 March 13 Knights of Columbus Fish Fry March 14 NO SUNDAY CLASS March 18 Wed RE March 22 Sunday RE March 25 Wed RE March 29 Palm Sunday--NO SUNDAY CLASS March 30 St James 7th grade presents the Passion Play 6:50 pm

### Soup Suppers Continue This Week March 4, and 11

Our first supper was a rousing success, raising \$536.43 to support the Urban Rangers program. This week's Soup Supper is sponsored by the 3rd and 4th grades from both the Sunday and Wednesday sessions. The suppers are open to anyone in the parish and a fun family evening. For our Wednesday night students, there is no regular class this week--the supper is your class for the night.

We ask anyone attending the supper to donate at least what you would have spent on supper that evening. This year we **are asking for cash donations as well as donations of bottled water.** 

## Children's Mercy Drive Donations Requested

One of our St James teens, Sophia Donnici, is organizing a drive to benefit Children's Mercy Hospital. She is asking for donations to help entertain and cheer up the children undergoing treatment there.

Here's the hospital's short wish list:

Coloring books & crayons Earbuds/headphones Socks, hats, gloves (all ages & sizes) Hard back reading books Infant teethers & toys Lip balm & lip gloss Water bottles Journals Clothes



There will be a box in the narthex marked for these donations this week. Donated items do need to be new, and they request that they be non-violent, nontoxic and latex free.

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# St. James School News



St. James Catholic School

# Home of the Saints!

# We have something to be proud about...

- Small class sizes taught by caring teachers
- Safe and nurturing environment
- Accredited by AdvancED & Missouri Chapter of the National Federation of Nonpublic State Schools Accrediting Association
- Weekly Mass for students Kindergaten-8th grade
- Over 76% of our 4th-8th grade students score at proficient or advanced levels in reading and math on the Iowa Test of Basic Skills

## Join our Family...

- We are a ministry of St. James Parish with a focus on Stewardship
- Our community empowers students to achieve their full academic and Christian potential, become prayer ful, lifelong learners and good stewards of God's gifts
- We encourage our parents to take advantage of the unique opportunities we have available for hands-on involvement in their students education



~Famíly~

~Friendship~

### ~Service~

## **Application for Enrollment!**

We are excited to announce that our enrollment process for the 2015/2016 has begun. Enrollment for current school families will end on Monday, March 2nd. At that time we will begin to accept applications for enrollment for new school families. This application can be found on the school website. For more information on enrollment or to schedule a tour, please contact the school office at 816-781-4428. We look forward to hearing from you.

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

Arnoldo Acsenvil Amorina Acsenvil Morgan Brick **Taylor Claevs** Francis Conwell Beth Curasi Ali Filardo Ekaolise Jose Jesse Kempf Samantha Kixmiller Matthew Malott Patrick McGinty Sean Mears Michael Ohde Ashley Paredes **Travis Pouliot** Margaret Quinn John Redford Joseph Schranz Emma Worbovs Darren Bauer Christan Brown **Christopher Cotton** Paula Dobesh Molly Doherty Dalton Dozar Joseph Frizzo Charles Garvey Karina Gerlach Melissa Gleason Sandra Hensley Forrest Kramer Chris Lueders Lee Millhouse **Yvonne Ohmes** Javier Román Mark Schmitt Brian Sigler Mvrna Studer David Boulware

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All are invited to join us for this faith sharing experience.

## We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

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