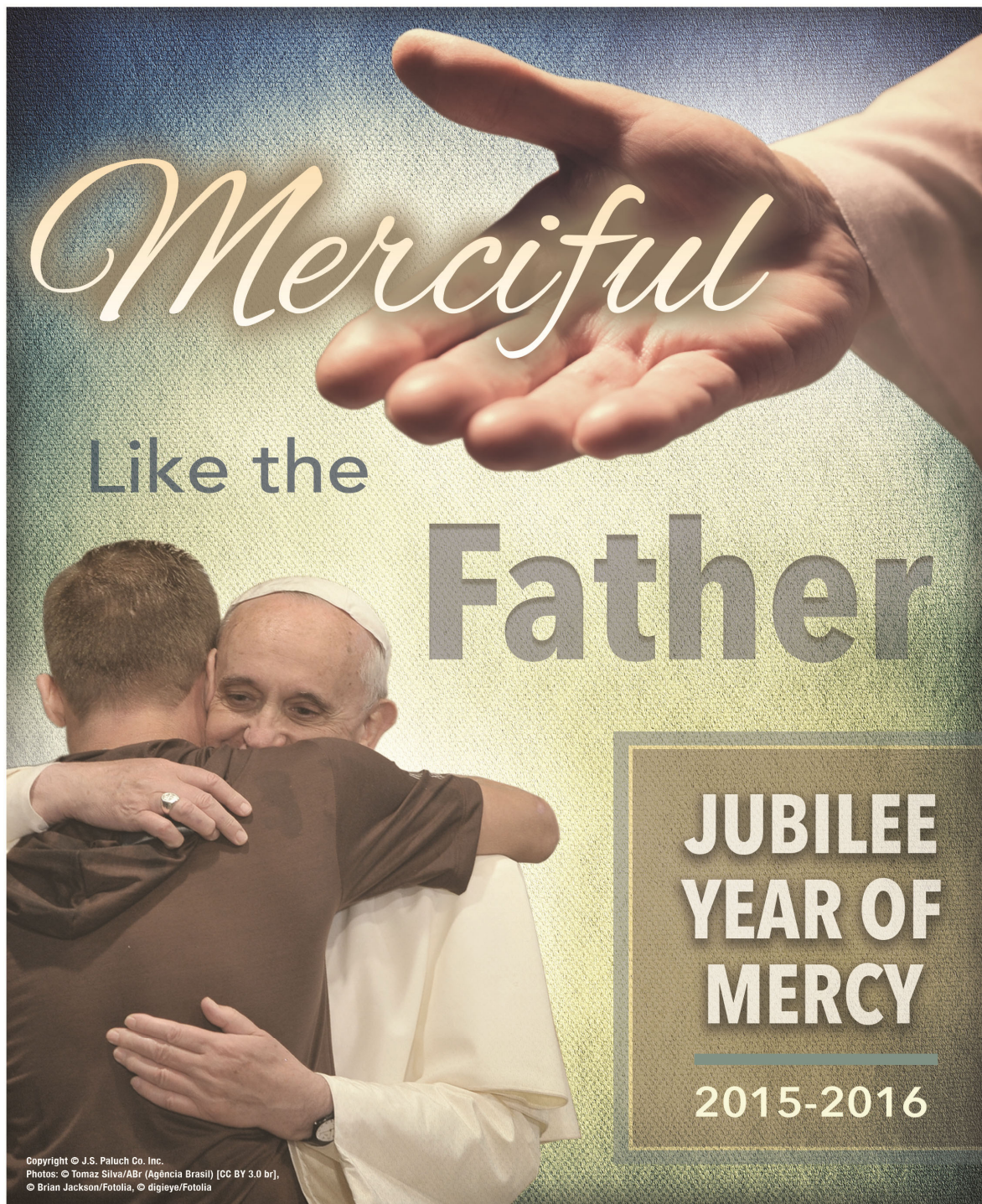




Saint James Catholic Community

Second Sunday of Advent December 6 2015



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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?

Update: Site Work on or Adjoining St. James

1. Our Landscaping Team has completed the selection process on trees that are diseased or dying. If they cannot be moved or protected, they will be removed.
2. Red Legacy Developers are committed to preparing a landscaping design between St. James and Liberty Commons which will incorporate moving or protecting selected trees. We will participate in the selection process.
3. The proposal to keep Stewart Road open to St. James during the project site work has been tabled for the present. We will continue to work with Red Legacy to minimize the period of time the road is closed. March is the probable time frame, subject to the impact of winter weather and recognition that the City will have the final say.

We will keep you apprised of activity.

Thank You,
Jim Newell, Operations Manager

JUBILEE OF MERCY

MERCIFUL LIKE THE FATHER

December 8, 2015 - November 20, 2016

We need constantly to contemplate the mystery of mercy. It is a wellspring of joy, serenity, and peace. Our salvation depends on it. Mercy: the word reveals the very mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. Mercy: the ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us. Mercy: the fundamental law that dwells in the heart of every person who looks sincerely into the eyes of his brothers and sisters on the path of life. Mercy: the bridge that connects God and man, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness.

Pope Francis

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 Tuesday, December 8, we celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary. In the Constitution *Ineffabilis Deus* of 8 December, 1854, Pius IX pronounced and defined that the Blessed Virgin Mary "in the first instance of her conception, by a singular privilege and grace granted by God, in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the human race, was preserved exempt from all stain of original sin." Very simply, Mary was conceived and born without the stain of original sin. On this day, we also begin the Year of Mercy. Pope Francis will be opening the Holy Door of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. This Holy Door will be a *Door of Mercy* through which anyone who enters will experience the love of God who consoles, pardons, and instills hope. Pope Francis announced in March his intention to proclaim a holy year as a way for the church to "make more evident its mission to be a witness of mercy."

As Pope Francis stated in *Misericordiae Vultus* "I have chosen the date of 8 December because of its rich meaning in the recent history of the Church. In fact, I will open the Holy Door on the fiftieth anniversary of the closing of the Second Vatican Ecumenical Council. The Church feels a great need to keep this event alive. With the Council, the Church entered a new phase of her history. The Council Fathers strongly perceived, as a true breath of the Holy Spirit, a need to talk about God to men and women of their time in a more accessible way. The walls which for too long had made the Church a kind of fortress were torn down and the time had come to proclaim the Gospel in a new way. It was a new phase of the same evangelization that had existed from the beginning. It was a fresh undertaking for all Christians to bear witness to their faith with greater enthusiasm and conviction. The Church sensed a responsibility to be a living sign of the Father's love in the world."

In this Year of Mercy, we are all called upon to seek God's mercy in our own lives as well as to share that gift of mercy with others. The ways in which we are called to treat others, judge others, and respond to others. In those places in our lives and in our world where there is need for healing and reconciliation, may we also pray for mercy and justice so that others may see the loving face of Jesus. As we continue this Advent journey and make ready our hearts and homes, we welcome the one born of Mary and the one who is mercy and justice.

In the Peace of this Advent season, Fr. Timothy

Mass Intentions

Week of December 7 - December 13

Monday 8:00am	<i>Saint Ambrose</i> For Our Parish
Tuesday 6:30am 9:00am 7:00pm	<i>The Immaculate Conception</i> For All Victims of Violence †Mary Newell For World Peace
Wednesday 8:00am	For All Those With Cancer
Thursday 8:00am	†Anna Hrenchir
Friday 9:00am	†Joe Lopez
Saturday 5:00pm	Helen Lynn's Family Living and Deceased
Sunday 7:30am 9:15am 11:00am 6:00pm	†Alan Gremli †Ed Weir †Harry Woltkamp ††Tony and Elsie Trujillo

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



From Death to New Life

Our prayer support is with ...

Joy Brecht and family in the death of her husband Gary who passed away on November 24

Joe Scassellati and family in the death of Joe's father Eugene who passed away on November 24

Dave Winslow in the death of his wife Frances who passed away on November 23

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 December 6 : Knights of Columbus serves coffee and donuts after the 7:30 & 9:15 Masses. All are welcome —Enrichment Series I, 4:00pm - 6:00pm in the School Library

Mon December 7 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow Mass —Ashton Court Mass at 10:00am

Tue December 8 : Holy Day of Obligation; Mass at 6:30am, 9:00am, and 7:00pm

Wed December 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 December 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 December 11: Rosary prayed at 8:15am —Mass at 9am —Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration: Mass at 6:00 followed by a reception for all in the Social Hall

Sat December 12 : That Man Is You at 6:15 in the Social Hall —Faith Sharing at 10:00am in the School Library —Rosary prayed at 3:00pm

Sun December 13: No coffee and donuts. —Glory Be Tea at 12:30pm in the Parish Gymnasium

Scriptures for December 12 and 13
Zep 3:14-18a / Phil 4:4-7 / Lk 3:10-18

Gift Bearers for December 12 and 13:

Sat 5:00pm: Kathy Fletchell, Pat May and Carl Palermo

Sun 7:30am: Dennis & Brenda King and Family

9:15am: Steve and Patti Stark

11:00am: John and Nicole Marshall

6:00 pm: Mario and Carl Usera

Hospitality Greeters for December 12 and 13:

Sat 5:00pm: Tom and Marcia Capps and Barbara DeHaven

Sun 7:30am: Mike and Jean Kieffer and Pat Cull

9:15am: Joe and Connie Scassellati and Charlie and Jan Moubry

11:00am: Jeanne Keck

6:00pm: Open to a Church Family

Capital Campaign 2016 - 2018 Update
As of November 30, 2015

Amount Pledged
\$4,426,122

Number of Pledges Received
683

See Our Barometer in the Narthex
Grounded in Faith Growing to Serve Embracing Our Future

Special Events

Advent Giving Tree



Please Remember . . .
All Gifts Must Be
Turned in
TODAY by 1:00pm

Thank You For Supporting Our Advent Tree

Glory Be Tea

December 13

Glory Be Tea tickets are on sale before and after all weekend Masses.

Cost is \$12.00 per person.

You won't want to miss hearing our wonderful speaker Barbara Bartocci and the entertainment that we have planned.

Hope to see you there!



Help CLOTHE THE NAKED
this December
by sharing NEW
AND GENTLY USED
WINTER COATS and WARM
CLOTHES

Due to storage limitations at church, Pastoral Council members are collection the coats at their homes.

Please contact one of our Pastoral Council Members to arrange collection. Their contact information is listed on page 6 of the 2015 St. James Directory.

A box is available at church if you are unable to contact a Council member to arrange your donation.

Enrichment Series I - December 6

Join us this Sunday afternoon in the School Library from 4:00 - 6:00pm for the first session of our Catholic Enrichment Series. Brother Daryl Charron, C.P.P.S. will lead a discussion on Climate Change.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception
November 8
Holy Day of Obligation
Mass Times
6:30am ~ 9:00am ~ 7:00pm



A  from the
Liturgy/Music Office

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

December

- 6th: 1:30-2:30 YOUTH CHOIR
3:00-4:00 YOUTH ORCHESTRA
13th: 1:30-2:30 YOUTH CHOIR
3:00-4:00 YOUTH ORCHESTRA
20th: 1:30-2:30 YOUTH CHOIR
3:00-4:00 YOUTH ORCHESTRA
27: 1st: NO REHEARSAL

Proclaim The Word !



Lectors Needed
for 11:00am Mass

We have 4 open spots available
If interested and/or for more information
contact Dick Brown at 781-1766



Teens of the Parish Helped Decorate For Advent

Children's Choir



The Children's Choir will sing at the 11:00am Mass on Sunday December 20 and at the Christmas Eve Mass at 4:00pm in the gym. .

The choir will not sing on January 3.

Someone is Watching and Wondering



Today we greet the New Liturgical Year, and once again begin the Last week I shared some of my fears of letting go, and walking with Jesus. Today, I want to continue the theme of preparing ourselves for the journey of surrender this Advent.

This week's epistle is from Phillippians 1:4-8: **"Brothers and sisters: I pray always with you in my every prayer for all of you, because of your partnership for the gospel. . . I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work in you will continue to complete it until the day of Christ Jesus. . . and this is my prayer, that your love may increase ever more and more in knowledge and every kind of perception, to discern what is of value. . . filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ of the glory and praise of God."** There are several words which caught my attention in this passage. **First "praying with you."**

Following Jesus is not just about me. It is all about community and my relationships with others. Prayer is a powerful way to stay connected. Just look at the Our Father: "thy will be done." It isn't about my will and desires, it is about God's will. It is about doing His work, caring for His people, His creation. These simple words link me to the entirety of God's kingdom. **Second "Partnership for the gospel."** This reminds me that my first vocation, as one of the baptized, is to not only speak, but live the gospel of Jesus. He calls me to loving service. He shows me the path of humility. He offers forgiveness, and teaches me to follow His example. He leads, and in partnership, I follow. **Third: the one who began a good work in you will continue to complete it."** I am a work in progress. I don't know all the answers. I am certainly not perfect. I have far to go, but I am never alone on the journey. Each of you add something to my life, and Jesus helps me sort it all out. Sometimes we comfort one another, other times we challenge. Sometimes we show great compassion, while there are times when we are so caught up in our own problems, we neglect to listen and be empathetic. Sometimes a quick response is perceived as cruel and thoughtless, but God isn't finished. He continues to create us in His image and likeness.

Fourth: "That your love may increase ever more and more in knowledge and every kind of perception, to discern what is of value:" I know as I've grown older my thoughts, actions, and attitudes have changed. I think I see the world through simpler eyes, yet what is important to me has remained constant. Relationships are true treasures, but I ask: Do I show family, friends, and strangers the kind of love the God offers me? Do I respect life in its fullness? Do I embrace diversity? Do I care for those forgotten in our world? Sometimes life presents challenges, and I'm not sure where God is leading me, but I do believe He is leading. He asks me to open my heart, to grow in wisdom, and to discern how I can best serve. **Finally: filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ of the glory and praise of God."** I know I repeat myself when I say it is easy for me to see God's glory and praise Him whenever I look at nature. I feel close to God when I think about our Universe. It is filled with His majesty and mystery. It is infinite and fills me with my oneness to His grace. Life itself is a gift. God, help me embrace my life, its beauty, and fill it with the universality of your love. Your sister in Christ **Sandy Gagnon**

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

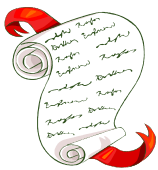
Chad Wilson, Paul Mooney, Jeff Auksel, Phil Plack, Robert Harrison, John Barry, Alex Reilly, Gary Lee, Bobby Kern, Geoff Wiese, Casey Snodgrass, Chris Griesse, Ryan Villines, Paul Tyrrell, Charles Hensley, Gary Hogan, Jeremy Finn, Michael Caine, Alex Worth, Dan Knudson, Paul Starnier, Bong Vtug, Brianna 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



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 Be Disappointed - Order Gift Cards Early



Looking for the right gift for your employees, co-workers, and others on your Christmas gift list?

HOPE Gift Cards are just the thing !

It's not too early to make your Christmas list and order the cards you need, especially if you plan to buy a large number.

By ordering your cards soon, you'll be assured that all of the HOPE Gift Cards you want will be available for you to pick up in plenty of time for Christmas giving.

Because we must pay for the cards when we order them, the number of gift cards we keep in our inventory is based on what we can reasonably expect to sell based on past sales. So, if you wait until the last minute to buy your cards, know that the cards you want might not be available because we are sold out. Last year a parishioner came into the parish office a week before Christmas to buy cards for all of his employees. Unfortunately, he was disappointed to learn that cards he wanted were "out of stock" and it was too late to order them for delivery before Christmas.

The moral of this story is "DON'T WAIT"! To avoid disappointment, order HOPE Gift Cards for Christmas giving very soon.

**Buy HOPE Gift Cards Early
For Christmas Giving**

New HOPE Cards Available Now

Old Chicago - \$25.00 - Pays back 6%

Qdoba Mexican Grill - \$25.00 - Pays back 7%

**Save The Date
Parish Reconciliation Service
Tuesday, December 15
7:00pm**

Stewardship of Treasure

Pledge cards for 2016 will be in your tax statements in January 2016. They will also be available in the Narthex on the information stand starting this weekend. This pledge for regular tithing funds the operating account which pays the light and heating bills and everyday expenses. This income comes from the weekly collection.

I am very excited about the number of folks who signed up for our ACH program. Thank you! A reminder to those who were already using it: **Your tithe contribution will continue as is unless we are notified to change it.** If you are using ACH for your current(13-15) NCF, the last draw was made this past Wed. (12/2) if you have not told me to go forward.

New Church Fund (NCF) Balance As of November 30, 2015

\$790,107

These are funds collected against the current pledges of *Pray ~Sacrifice~ Build Campaign*

Thank you for Supporting our Parish

If anyone has questions – please do not hesitate to reach out to me, or call the church office.

Katie Klassen
816-781-4343 x 220
Katie@stjames-liberty.org





CELEBRATION OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Friday, December 11 - 6:00pm

Celebration includes:

Singing of "Las Mañanitas" while young dancers offer flowers to Our Lady of Guadalupe

Holy Mass

Reenactment of the apparitions of our Lady of Guadalupe to St. Juan Diego



Free Reception with Mexican Food and More

This event invites all of us to meditate on the great love of God who gave us our loving Mother who always loves, guides and intercedes for us.

CELEBRACION DE LA VIRGEN DE GUADALUPE

Esta Hermosa celebración será el viernes 11 de Diciembre a las 6:00pm., iniciaremos con las mañanitas y ofrecimiento de flores a la virgen, la Danza de los Matachines, continuaremos con la Santa Misa, la representación de las apariciones de la Virgen, y finalizaremos con una recepción en el Salón. Esperamos verte, no faltes.

3rd Annual Drop and Shop ... Children's Christmas Workshop



Come and drop the kids off to us where they can create some great Christmas crafts to take home and you can have some time to shop! Children will create a Christmas canvas painting, complete a "surprise" wrapped gift and enjoy pizza, too!

Save the date:

Friday, December 11th from 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM.

This workshop will be held in the St. James School Art Room and is for children ages 7 – 13 years old.

Cost is \$30 for one child (3 hours) and \$20 for each additional child (per family).

The workshop will be taught by Ms. Biggs (St. James Art Teacher) and Mrs. Sobotka.

This workshop sold out last year and spots will fill quickly... pick up a registration outside the school office doors and/or email karen.biggs@stjames-school.org to register your child asap!

Our Faith In Action



November Blood Drive Results

What an incredible day we had! The Community Blood Center set a goal for our blood drive to collect 80 units of blood. Thanks to the generosity of 111 donors, they were able to collect 107 units of life-saving blood. Whether it was the beautiful weather, the promise of Nutter Butters and a Chiefs shirt, or the spirit of Thanksgiving that motivated you to be a donor, THANK YOU for joining us in our efforts to save lives! You gave hope to over 200 local patients and helped brighten their holidays. God bless you for your selfless sacrifice and compassion to help others in need. We looked forward to seeing you again and sharing in the same spirit of giving at our next blood drive on January 26,



Join The Glory Be Tea Cookie Brigade

Attention Cookie Bakers !!



Join the Glory Be Tea Cookie Brigade to provide 3 - 4 dozen cookies by December 12.

Contact Ima Rahter at 456-3535 to let her know she can count on you, or for more information.

Eucharist Ministers Needed on Sundays at Liberty Hospital

We are in need of Eucharist Ministers on Sundays at Liberty Hospital. Eucharist Ministers serve at the hospital approximately once every 6 - 7 weeks. The time you go to the hospital is optional, depending on your schedule.

To volunteer for this ministry, please call Rick Conard at 816-781-4523.

The 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal (in past years, the Bishop's Annual Appeal) is critical to the health of our work as the Body of Christ in this Diocese. "Blessed are the Merciful for they will be shown mercy" (Matthew 5:7) is Jesus' promise to those who respond to His love through charity to those who can't stand alone. Please be generous to those you serve through the programs and ministries funded by the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal. Go on-line to www.kcsjgives.org or use the form in the Catholic Key. To make a gift of appreciated stock, mutual fund shares or gifts of grain, call Greg Vranicar at 816.714.2363.

Youth Group Happenings

Serving Others

SERVICE OPTIONS THROUGH ADVENT

Service Saturdays at Hillcrest

There are many service opportunities with Hillcrest coming up! All teens are invited to sign up using this link: <http://bit.ly/stjServiceSat> Contact Bobbi bobbi@stjames-liberty.org or email Theresa Brier tessmr@msn.com

Glory Be Tea

Come help serve the ladies of the parish at the annual Glory Be Tea there are 3 time slots available and your help is needed at any or all spots.

Dec 12th 9am-12:30pm set up

Dec 13th 11am-3:30pm serve

Dec 13th 3:30pm-6pm clean up crew

Sign up at <http://bit.ly/glorybetea15>

Bus Stop Ministry at St. James Midtown

Join St. James Midtown Youth as they serve in the Bus Stop Ministry. We will take hats, gloves, and scarves downtown and pass them out to those in need at the bus stop by the parish.

Dec 22nd. Time TBA.

Contact Bobbi for more info.

Knitting/crochet hats or scarves If you would like to knit/crochet hat or scarves for St. James Bus Stop Ministry, you can count that as service hours even if you can not attend Dec 22nd.

Upcoming Youth Ministry Dates

Sun Dec 6 Confirmation 7:00pm-8:45pm

Wed Dec 9 6th-8th Faith Sharing
6:30-8:00

Sun Dec 13 High School Café

Wed Dec 16 6th-8th Faith Sharing
6:30-8:00

Sun Dec 20 No Confirmation

Parish Religious Education

RE Calendar - Important Dates

Dec 6	Second Sunday of Advent Sunday RE Class
Dec 8	Feast of the Immaculate Conception – Holy Day of Obligation
Dec 9	Wed RE Class
Dec 11	Little Saints Christmas party
Dec 13	Third Sunday of Advent Sunday RE Class Glory Be Tea
Dec 14	Advent Lessons & Carols 7pm
Dec 15	Parish Advent Reconciliation Service 7 pm
Dec 16	Family Night
Dec 20	Fourth Sunday of Advent Family Day

Hygiene Item Drive for In As Much

Dec 12/13

Our parish is sponsoring a hygiene items drive to benefit the In As Much food pantry. Volunteers will be handing out bags this weekend and return the bags next weekend, filled with any hygiene-related items. We hope to fill the shelves at the food pantry's hygiene section. They can use things like:

Soap	Deodorant	Toothpaste
Shampoo	Mouthwash	Toothbrushes
Conditioner	Dental Floss	Body Wash
Toilet Paper	Paper Towels	Cotton Swabs

Pretty much anything that you can think of that helps to keep people smelling April fresh, they can use!

Do something to make the holiday season better for someone who is in need, sad or lonely this year.

Little Saints

**Christmas Party
Friday December 11
10:30 - 11:30 in the Social Hall**

Little ones (birth through preschool) and their grown-ups are invited to join Little Saints at our annual Christmas party!

We will enjoy crafts and snacks, and have a photo opportunity with Santa!

St. James School News

St. James School Auction

Our 26th Annual St. James Auction was a SUCCESS! We hope that all who attended the auction enjoyed the evening. Our auction could not have been such a success without the effort and dedication of many people! A special thanks to our auction chair, Vicki Milano, and co-chair, Nichole Stewart. A big thank you to the auction committee: Christine Bohr, Stephanie Boryla, Cathy Boteler, Kara & Jim Brown, Lori Burns, Tracy Drinkard, Kelly Francis, Kerrie Kapetanovich, Jennifer Knabe, Bernie McDonald, Stephanie MacNeil, Angela Mancuso, Nicole Marshall, Amanda McConnell, Anna Merricks, Traci Murphy, Ginny Nyberg, Michelle Passantino, Samara Pernice, Jenell Quigley, Ann Marie Vanecek, Chris Winders, Mendy Weinzerl and DanaWorboys.

Dinner was so yummy with the brisket provided by Chad Weinzerl and Cosentino's Price Chopper. The LIVE auction started off with a fantastic Fund-A-Need video created by Nicole Burkhart! The auction catalogs were the best yet, designed by Lori Burns. Doug Stewart kept things alive and moving with our auctioneer, David Schulman, aided by Quinn Knabe at the DJ Table. Congratulations, Ben Rumsey, the winner of the \$1,000 HOPE card giveaway and Katherine and Andrew Welzenbach, who won PICK OF THE LIVE and walked away with the Forever Royal Package!

SAVE THE DATE!
27th Annual St. James Auction
Saturday, November 12th, 2016



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

Jill Bolling	Shane Busch	Sofia Marsalla
Bailey Eddy	Michael Damot	Emily McCoy
Glynn Gallagher	Addyson Eckersley	Colleen Richards
Qorianka Hyde	Anna Filardo	Sam Schembri
Brady Laughman	Cade Gardner	Dennis Valentine
Angela Reed	Wayne Halter	Lori Wiesner
Richard Roveto	Melissa Panis	John Alvey
David Curasi	Malissa Pennington	Liam Arciga
Maleah Gusman	Kathy Pittala	Sadie Brier
Megan Hachman	Grace Schmidt	Elizabeth Crossett
Angela Holtkamp	Linda Stramel	Jerome Ferro
Robert Kosorog	Marissa Vernickas	Gary Fuller
Douglas Lewey	Leo White	Ava Jones
Shane Moore	Amanda Winsky	Nicole Marshall
Malae Selepeo	Quentin Zuber	Carlos Martinez
Madison Styhl	Jamie Adams	Kellen McCabe
Payton Whiston	Lisa Bax	Reid Meriwether
Gregory Burson	Abigail Brannon	Jennifer Selock
Lillian Carullo	Melissa Colby	Kelli Zech
James Ehlers	Mary Dawdy	Erica Eckersley
Courtney Ferro	Dillon Erwin	Mary Eddy
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Rick Conard	Carol Yeager Laplant	Baby Jesse
Letha Madison	Vincent Michael Smith	Baby Sienna
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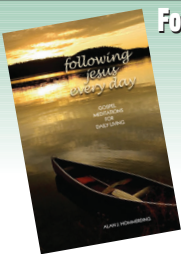
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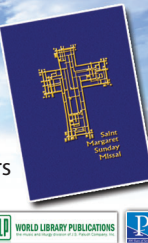
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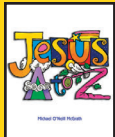
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