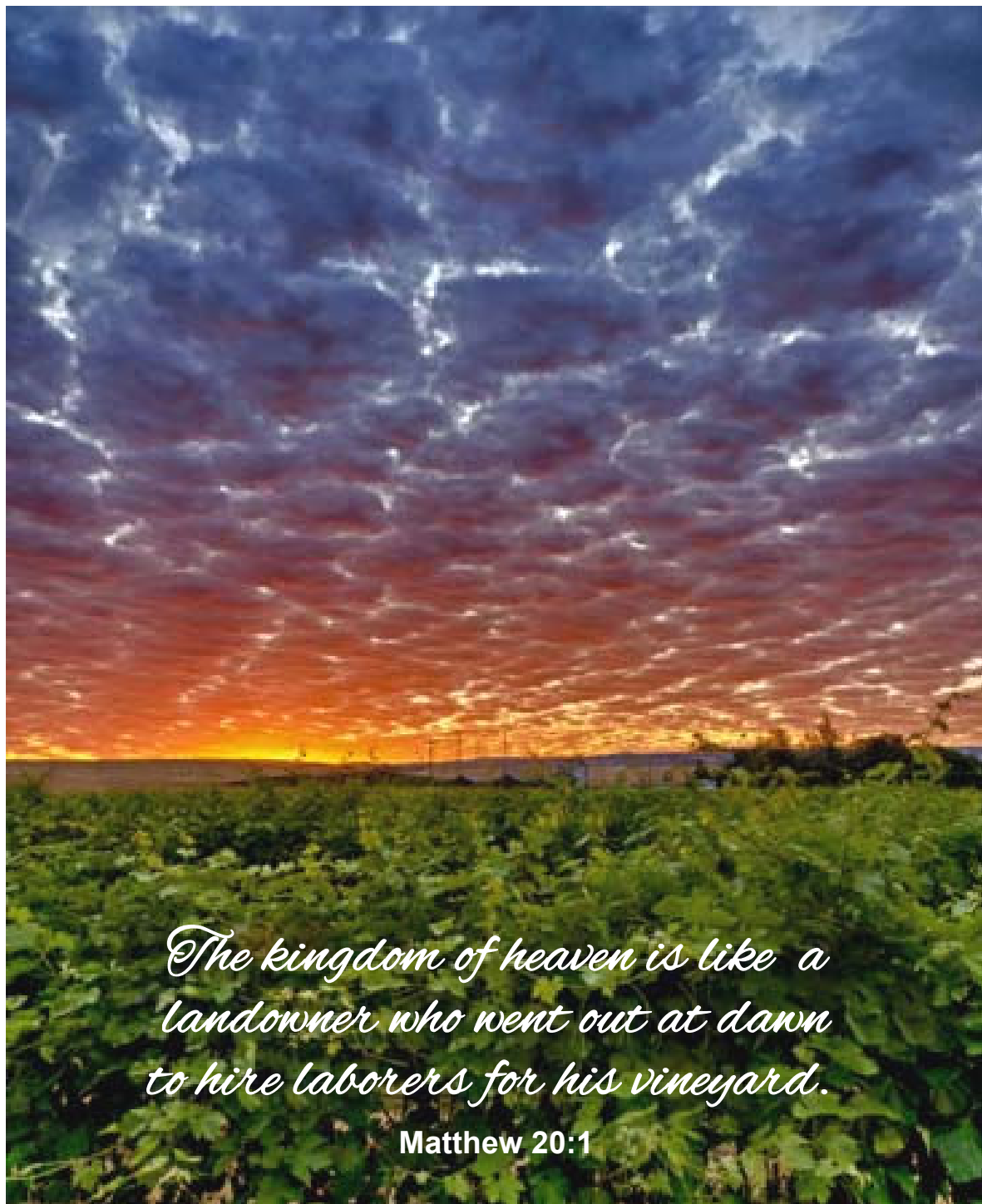


Saint James Catholic Community

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 24, 2017



*The kingdom of heaven is like a
landowner who went out at dawn
to hire laborers for his vineyard.*

Matthew 20:1

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?

PART TIME CUSTODIAN NEEDED IMMEDIATELY

Part time custodian position (15-20 hours) needed for St. James School and Church.

Must be good at following directions and pass a background check.

Some experience in cleaning and floor care will be helpful but will train the right person.

For more information contact

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Jim.newell@stjames-liberty.org or 816-829-7994

Or

Daryl Sweetland at

daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org or 816-781-4343 X200

Thanks You,
Jim Newell, Operations Manager



**FRANCISCAN
MISSION WAREHOUSE**



5th Annual

Spaghetti Dinner

FREEWILL DONATIONS ACCEPTED
TO SUPPORT OUR MISSION SHIPMENTS

Your support will help so many!

OCTOBER 14, 2017

Join us for dinner as we *celebrate our volunteers*. We will have salad, spaghetti, meatballs, Italian sausage, and dessert. Gluten free pasta will be available.

Music by Frank and Grace Ancona and
"Gumbas" featuring Anthony Barulich and
Frank Dolce

**Mike Onka
Community Hall
11520 Putnam St.
Sugar Creek, MO
5:00pm-8:00pm**

**Great Food
Live Music
Auction
at 6:30
Bake Sale**

**Carryout
Available**

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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

Queen for the Day! This past weekend I had the opportunity to attend the Missouri State Convention of the Daughters of Isabella. The first circle of the Order was founded in New Haven, CT., in 1897, as an auxiliary to the Rev. John Russell Council of the Knights of Columbus for the purpose of uniting all Catholic women in a sisterhood to achieve the following aims: To know one another better, To extend our circle of friends, To centralize all our resources to better help one another, and To be a greater force to contend with in the pursuit of good in our society.

Today, it is one of the largest Catholic women's organizations, with a membership of over 60,000 women from the United States and Canada and has continued to prosper and establish bonds among Catholic women throughout the world. Members encourage each other's total development and foster growth of every aspect of life – spiritual, social and charitable – adding up to a more fulfilling life!

(from daughtersofisabella.org)

I have been serving as the Missouri State Chaplain for the past nine years. Over the years I have been able to attend a few of the bi-annual Conventions. It is always a great time to come together and renew friendships and spend the weekend together. As part of the State Convention, each circle nominates a Queen Isabella. The daughter is nominated and recognized for her commitment in living out the ideals of unity-friendship-charity. Each of the 11 circles nominated a Queen. As we left Our Lady of Guadalupe, in St. Joseph, and headed to the hotel, I was speaking with one of the Queen Isabellans, and she made the comment if only I had my crown! Well, after an early morning run to Walgreens, she got her tiara!

Please continue to keep in prayer the Missionaries of the Precious Blood. We will be gathering for a community meeting in Chicago Sept 25-28 at Techny. Members of both the Kansas City Province and Cincinnati Province will be meeting as we look ahead to the future of our community and our ministries.

Peace,
Fr. Timothy

Mass Intentions

Week of September 25 - October 1

Monday 8:00am	†Ed D'Angelo
Tuesday 8:00am	Mary Hover's Intentions
Wednesday 8:00am	St. Vincent de Paul Kyle Sellmeyer and Family
Thursday 8:00am	†Joseph Eller and Family
Friday 9:00am	Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels Jack & Erika Hayes for Health and Marriage
Saturday 5:00pm	St. Jerome †Don Hite †Joe Lewis
Sunday 7:30am	Dick & Mary Loy Brown
9:15am	†William Keohane
11:00am	Mary Plack's Family
6:00pm	Immaculate Queen of Legion of Mary
Sunday night Mass at 8pm William Jewell College Campus, Grand River Chapel. All Are Welcome	



*From Death
to New Life*

Our prayer support is with ...

The family of Joseph Eller who passed away
on September 13.

The family of Stan Stramel who passed
away on September 13.

**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: 2nd Wed of each month.

Contact Kirsten Maggi in Parish Office, ext. 202

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 September 24 : Cub Scouts/Boy Scouts serve coffee and donuts after 7:30 and 9:30am Masses. All are welcome
—Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00pm in the Social Hall

Mon September 25 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—Mass at Cedars, 10:00am

Tue September 26 : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow
—Legion of Mary meets at 6:30am in the Mallen Room
—Blood Drive, 12:30 - 7:00pm in the Social Hall

Wed September 27: Mass at 8:00am, rosary to follow
—Sponsor's for Christ meet 1st and 3rd Wed; 6:30pm
—Prayer Shawl Ministry meet 2nd and 4th Wed; 6:30pm
—Bible Study, 6:30 - 8:00pm in St. Tony Room

Thurs September 28 : 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 September 29 : Mass at 9am

Sat September 30 :
—That Man Is You at 6:15am in the Social Hall
—Faith Sharing at 10:00am in the School Library; Catholicism Series "*Vast Company of Witnesses - The Communion of Saints*"
—Rosary prayed at 3:00pm

Sun October 1 : Knights of Columbus serve coffee and donuts after 7:30 and 9:30am Masses. All are welcome

Scriptures for September 30 / October 1

Ez 18:25-28 / Phil 2:1-11 / Mt 21:28-39

Gift Bearers for September 30 / October 1

Sat 5:00pm: Don & Debbie Taylor
Sun 7:30am: Helen Lynn and Jessie Murphy
9:15am: Jeffrey & Rachel Richardson and Family
11:00am: Ryal & Theresa Brier and Family
6:00 pm: Gary & Carol Bloomer

Hospitality Greeters for September 30 / October 1

Sat 5:00pm: Barbara DeHaven and Marietta Wimmer
Sun 7:30am: Jim & Lynn Streu and Sandy Turner
9:15am: Susan & Gene Chartier and Debra Green
11:00am: Santosh & Vanessa Pacheco
6:00 pm: Carol Bloomer

Special Events

Welcome Fr. Timothy Coday, C.P.P.S

This weekend please welcome Fr. Timothy Coday, C.P.P.S, who will be with us to celebrate Masses and tell us about the work of Unbound, a Catholic ministry that helps children and elderly in 19 developing countries.

Fr. Coday is the brother of parishioners Gerard and Dennis Coday.

He was ordained in 1994 and spent 32 years in the missions in Tanzania as formation director, pastor, engineer of school construction and engineer of the Water Works Project.

Currently Fr. Coday serves as Unbound's preacher relations liaison.



Liberty Women's Clinic will be hosting their Annual Community Garage sale on September 29 and 30 from 8:00am - 1:00pm each day at Liberty Christian Fellowship gym (1815 Liberty Drive).

Start cleaning out your spaces as we will be accepting donations (no adult clothing) on Thursday, September 28th at Liberty Christian Fellowship from 2:00-7:00pm.

Most EVERYTHING will be \$2!

Last Call For Your Picture Deadline Is Monday, September 25

We are creating a display in the Narthex using photographs of the St. James families who have contributed so far. If you have not yet signed a permission card or sent your picture to us, it's not too late. The deadline for sending a picture and/or returning the card is Monday, September 25.

Permission cards are in the pews and in the Narthex. Please fill out the card and return it in the box on the table in the Narthex labeled "Return Picture Permission Cards Here".

If your picture was not in the Picture Directory, you can email a picture to bulletin@stjames-liberty.org.

Thank You For Helping Us Create An Awesome Display



**Groundbreaking Date
For New Church
Announced by
Fr. Mike
At Town Hall Meeting**

**April 15,
2018**

**St. James Ministry Fair
October 7 and 8**

A 🎵 from the Liturgy/Music Office

I want to thank everyone for your continued thoughts and prayers. Here is a bit of an update on my health. This past week I spent three days at KU medical center undergoing what is called the transplant evaluation process. From these results, my nurse will now present my case to all of the transplant surgeons and team on Wednesday, September 27. At that time they will decide whether or not to put me on the transplant list. The average wait time for a liver transplant at KU is 6 months. During the transplant evaluation this past week, everyone I spoke to said they think I'm a good candidate for the transplant. As I know more, I will be sure to let you know. Much love to you all!" *Danny*



Psalm 95

*Every day will I bless you,
and I will praise your name forever and ever.
Great is the LORD and highly to be praised;
his greatness is unsearchable.*

Reflection

Like a parent sitting at a child's bedside
ready to respond to the slightest cry,
God is ever answering our every need.
Once we recognize that God is giving us all
that we need we no longer find ourselves
grumbling about what God is giving others.
Instead we rejoice that everyone's needs
are being met and bless the One
who is "just in all ways."

We turn away from rivalries with one another
to celebrate the limitless expanse of
God's care and generosity.

Then the "ways" and "thoughts" of God that are far
above us can find a place very near,
in our own hearts.

May this be what we call upon God to give us.



Children's Choir At Swope Park
Where They Sang the Star Spangled Banner

Someone is Watching and Wondering



On September 29th we celebrate the Feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, and the Archangels. Based upon Scripture (Tobit 12:15; Revelation 1:4,20; 3:1; 9:2,6 and Isaiah 63:9) the Church determined there are Seven Archangels who played an important role in Jewish and Christian traditions. At the Council of Rome in 745, the names of the three Archangels mentioned in Scripture were officially recognized: Michael (one who is like God), Gabriel (God is my strength) and Raphael (God is my health). Although names of the other four Archangels (Uriel, Raguel, Zerachiel, and Remiel) appear in Jewish and Christian sources outside of the canon, they are not recognized by name in Catholic doctrine.

According to the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, "The existence of the spiritual, non-corporeal beings. . . (angels) is a truth of faith." St. Augustine explained that the word "spirit" describes their nature, while "angel" refers to their office. The angels are servants and messengers of God; angels "have intelligence and will: they are personal and immortal. . . passing in perfection all visible creatures, as the splendor of their glory bears witness." (CCC 328-330)

St. Michael is known as the Defender of the Church as well as the Patron of soldiers, police officers, and firefighters. He is generally regarded as the first among the Archangels.

St. Gabriel as God's holy messenger is revered as the Archangel of wisdom, revelation, prophecy and visions.

St. Raphael was pivotal in the Book of Tobit, helping Tobias on his journey. He is revered as the Archangel of healing due to a verse usually omitted from many translations of John's gospel: "and an angel of the Lord descended at certain times into the pond; and the water was moved." (John 5:4)

Remember, Christ is the center of the angelic world; they belong to Him because "for Him all things were created in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible (Matthew 25:31). The Church continues to venerate the angels this week as we remember their help and protection. 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, Ryan 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 Utug, Brianna Hannum, 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, James Allee, Jacob Davis Harris.



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

Holidays Are A-comin'



The holidays will be here before we know it. Halloween will be here in 31 days, in 54 days Thanksgiving will arrive and there are only 85 shopping days left before Christmas.

Now is the time to stock up on those HOPE Gift Cards you'll need for each of these holiday celebrations – think Halloween decorations, costumes, and candy ! Think Thanksgiving dinner and table decorations ! Think Christmas decorations, cards, dinner and gifts (HOPE Gift Cards make perfect gifts for friends and family at home or away) !

Cards can be purchased and/or ordered after all weekend Masses and in the parish and school offices during regular business hours.

Don't Wait !

**Get a Jump Start on Your Shopping
By Buying HOPE Gift Cards Now**

Bake Sale and Raffle October 7 and 8 at the Ministry Fair



In conjunction with the Ministry Fair on October 7 and 8, there will also be a Bake Sale in the Social Hall.

Bake Sale All interested bakers please contact Daryl Sweetland at daryl.sweetland@gmail.com. If you are not in town that weekend or are not a baker/cook you are welcome to donate \$\$ to this committee who will gladly put your \$\$ to good use.

This is a great way to meet new friends and be a part of this fun endeavor.

As an added bonus we will have items to raffle - more details to follow.

All funds will go to the NEW CHURCH FUND !

Stewardship of Treasure

New Church Fund Statements

I will be running a NCF recap of 2017 for each pledged family in October. These will be available in the Narthex for pick up. We are changing our software to an updated system. The statements being printed in October will serve just as a reminder of your outstanding pledge amount.

The statement will reflect the giving toward the NCF pledge from January through September of 2017 **and** the overall balance of the pledge for the duration of the commitment. If you have questions or concerns on the statement – PLEASE do not hesitate to contact me.

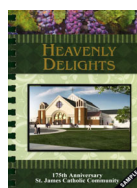
If you would like to review the budget, please contact me in the parish office

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

Katie Klassen

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

Altar Society Cookbook Available Again



Because we have had numerous requests for our Altar Society cookbook, we will be reprinting it. The cost of the book will be \$20.00. We will be taking orders after Masses on September 23/24 and 30/Oct 1. Or, you can call Debbie Taylor at 816-781-2340 to place your order. These make great gifts for Christmas, birthday and other special occasions.

Thank you for your past support of this project. All proceeds will go to the Altar Society special gift fund for the new church.

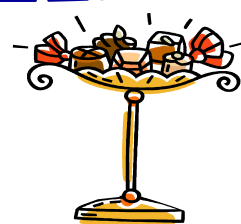
**All Women Of The Parish
Are Invited
To The 7th Annual Evening
Dedicated To**

Celebrating Women



**Champagne
Fellowship**

**Tuesday, October 3
St. James Social Hall
6:30 p.m.**



**Chocolate
Prayer**

**Featuring A Silent Auction
Of Beautifully Decorated Pumpkins
And (New This Year) Other Holiday Items**

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION OPPORTUNITY

Fr. Ron Will has received a new assignment to Precious Blood Renewal Center here in Liberty. Part of his ministry is to offer spiritual direction to those seeking it.



Spiritual Direction provides an on-going opportunity for a person to meet with a Spiritual Director to share his/her life's journey. It is facilitated with a contemplative approach. It is about our on-going personal relationship that God has established with each and every one of us. A person might bring a present concern or source of difficulty to spiritual direction or a desire to grow in a personal relationship with God. Through this process, a person becomes understandably more aware of God's presence in his/her life, experiencing God's tremendous love, which allows for that love to extend to self and others.

If you would be interested in learning more, contact Fr. Ron directly, this week, at 816-390-7950.

Altar Society Quilt Raffle

The Altar Society will be selling raffle tickets for two holiday quilts and a table runner after all Masses this weekend and next. The quilts will be displayed at the sale table.

Raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. All proceeds will be donated to the New Church Fund.

Server Training October 2

Server training for any child in the 4th grade or older will be held in the church on Monday, October 2 at 3pm or whenever they get out of school. A second session is offered at 6pm that evening as well.



Altar Servers

Being an altar server is a great way to be a part of the weekend Masses and a good way for kids to be involved. There is a registration form for Mom or Dad to fill out which will be available that day.

6th-12th Grade Youth Ministry

Blood Drive
Tuesday, September 26



This week we discussed the parable of the landowner hiring laborers for his vineyard. The parable shows how life is not fair, and we can let our jealousy get the best of us sometimes. How can we learn to be happy for others and not jealous?

Please join us in helping our neighbors by scheduling your appointment today at www.esavealifenow.org using sponsor code 'stjames' or by contacting Nikki at kpowers@kc.rr.com or 816-407-1208. Appointments are encouraged but walk-ins are also welcome. Child-care will be provided. All registered donors will receive a voucher (while supplies last) for two free admissions to Carolyn's Country Cousins Pumpkin Patch in Liberty. If you'd like to volunteer your time to serve refreshments, help with childcare, or clean up after the drive, contact Nikki.

High School Youth Group



Thank you to all who came and for all the parents and volunteers who helped!!

Please contact Anne Crossett 816-547-7469 or anne.crossett@gmail.com to volunteer for this position or get involved in Snack Packs! It's like helping at Harvesters, only a lot closer to home!

**Are You In High School?
Then Come and Join Us
SUNDAY OCTOBER 1
For Youth Group
After the 6:00 Mass
All High Schoolers
Are Welcome**

Confirmation



Meet in the Church Before Heading to Your Classes

Sun - Sept 24 - Confirmation Class 7 - 8:30pm
Sun - Oct 1 - Youth Group 7 - 8:30pm
Sun - Oct 8 - Confirmation Class 7 - 8:30pm
Sun - Oct 15 - Youth Group 7 - 8:30pm

Parish Religious Education

2017 - 2018 Daring Disciples Deliver Respect

RE Calendar - Important Dates

Sept 24	No RE Class (Fall Fest Weekend) Food Bags Returned
Sept 27	Wednesday RE Class
Oct 1	Sunday RE Class
Oct 2	Server training -- 3pm and 6pm
Oct 4	Wednesday RE Class
Oct 8	Sunday RE Class
Oct 11	Wednesday RE Class

Food Drive for In As Much Food Pantry

**Don't Forget
To Return
Your Filled Bags
This Weekend**



Server Training

**Monday Oct 2nd - 3 pm or 6 pm
See Page 7 For More Information**

St. James School News

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.



Purchase your tickets today for the
27th annual

St. James School
Auction on Friday, October 13th

Tickets can be purchased online at

www.stjameschoolauction.org

Hillcrest Progress Report

Our New Family and What We Do Now

As you read in last week's bulletin, we have a new family. Kerry works nights as a custodian, and her daughter Caidence is a middle schooler. Our role is to help support them as they make their journey from homeless to self-supporting. As a part of that, we try to make sure that we celebrate with them when there are milestones or achievements.



Caidence is having a birthday on September 30th! We'd like to provide a small celebration with cake and small gifts. She prefers cupcakes over cake, her favorite color is purple and she loves history, reading, makeup, and crafts. If you'd like to donate a simple gift or chocolate cupcakes, send me an email at cecilia@stjames-liberty.org. I'd like to deliver the party-in-a-box on Friday Sept 29th, so that it's there in time for her birthday.



Does your child enjoy sports activities?

The community of St. James offers students enrolled in religious education or St. James school the opportunity to participate in a variety of sports through the Parochial League of Kansas City.

Fall sports are underway, but watch for basketball sign ups coming in October!

Basketball: 2nd - 8th grade sign ups coming soon!

For more information, visit www.plkc.org
or contact our athletics director at
cynthia.compton@stjames-school.org

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

Yazmin	Lauren Stewart	Cristina Armilio
Covarrubias	Gloria Throne	Mia Bowles
Anthony Daleo	Abigail Wolcott	Keith Brandon
Kevin Doehring	Finley	Nicholas Castner
Joyce Fessler	Zimmerman	Ansen Davis
Kari Gray	Sawyer Anderson	Tyler Dobesh
Jared Hanson	Giovanni Anselmo	Bailey Eichler
Mark Havelka	Benjamin	Gerard Feldhaus
Tyler Olson	Backhaus	Claire Heller
Barbara Schmitt	Layton Brier	Vincent Lopez
Ernest Apollon	Scott Brown	Andrew Mann
Ian Coady	Joseph Caresio	John Owen
Phillip Fasone	Elaine Chorbak	Robert Rodriguez
Natalie Federoff	Zachary Culli	Terry Smitka
Kathy Fletchall	Annette D'Angelo	David Tyrrell
Valora Frey	Mark Hedrick	Kristin Vulje
Brendan Keller	Megan Keller	Luke Boehm
Anna Kempf	Phillip Kenealy	Jacqueline Chase
Doza Lagu	Saydee Kurtz	Elizabeth Comfort
Scott Laws	Aden Lakes	Samuel Groves
Richard Lopez	Audrey McDowell	Nicholas Hertzog
Carol Zegers	Gavin Mitchell	Tyler Iske
Mia Browne	Julia Oldenburg	Justin Jacobs
Andrea Busch	Jesse Smith	Ty Kixmiller
Erin Garvey	Victor Stichnot	Karen Malisos
Joan Gibbs	Sydney Styhl	Norma Reedy
Lily Gleb	Jeremy Brimer	Lori Riedel
Jakob Jones	Eion McKenna	Michael Ruf
Angela McAtee	Shaun Meiners	Abigail Schmidt
Preston Murphy	Robert Oxler	Ann Waterman
Jean Roach	Lucille Saladino	Carmen Winkler
Jordan Smith	Anthony Sapenaro	Debra Zegers

Little Saints Playgroup

Monday, September 25 - 10:00am



Little Saints Playgroup will meet again on Monday, Sept. 25, from 10 to 11:30 am. We will meet in the nursery area of the Social Hall to play and socialize.

This is an informal gathering, registration is not required, and all infants, toddlers and preschoolers with their parents, grandparents or caregivers are invited to join us for a morning of fun.

Thank You

Words cannot express my appreciation for all of the calls, cards, food and visits while I was recovering from my accident. These expressions of love and concern are only some of the reasons I treasure my St. James family.

Thank you all so much. Debbie Willis

We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

Fulk Family	Bob Roach	Keith Newman
Denny Farrell	Terri Doyle	Gary Andrew Reese
Mary Cottingham	Marvin Weishaar	Suzie Stramel
Elfrieda Waltz	Lulu Young	Brianna and Emma Shay
Lisa Nelson	John Brocato	Joseph Greenwald
Marie Bacon	Katelyn	Sam Porter
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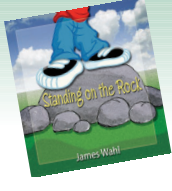


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