

# Saint James Catholic Community

*Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*January 27, 2019*

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Together We Can Do Great Things



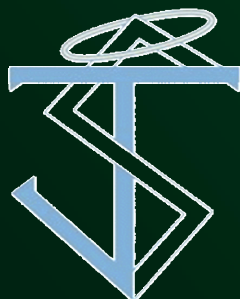
## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

**January 27 - February 2**



## Catholic Schools

**Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.**



**St. James School  
Open House  
Thursday, January 31  
5:00 - 7:00pm**

### **St. James Catholic Church**

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On the web @ [www.stjames-liberty.org](http://www.stjames-liberty.org)

<https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/stjamesliberty/>

### **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?



May 3, 2018



July 23, 2018



November 26, 2018



January 6, 2019

Did you know that we have been in the construction phase since April 15, 2018. That seems like just the other day.

This weekend's column is kind of a change of pace. The pictures above give you a visual reference of various stages of construction

Hopefully the weather will break and allow us to button up the building.

**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

A friend of mine expressed he wanted a popcorn popper for a Christmas gift and he sent me a link to a popper cart style that you might find in a theater. I found one that was a smaller version that you would have in a home theater. After we talked more about it, I finally convinced him that since he's the only one eating popcorn that a smaller one would be plenty. So once he agreed, that's what he bought himself for Christmas.

And I thought that was the end of the story, but it wasn't. We then had to decide what kind of popping oil to purchase. And then we discovered different seasoning salts. Everything from caramel to ranch to buffalo wild wing. I don't know about you, but none of those sound too appealing. He's still trying to figure out the best popping oil.

Sometimes when someone is telling a story certain details might not make much sense or we might wonder why the person is even telling us that story. Why did I share the story of my friend and popcorn popper? Well, let me tell you the story from the beginning and it will make perfect sense. If only, I had enough space to tell the whole story.

We begin the gospel of Luke and we hear the story of Jesus from the beginning. Luke places him in time and history so that the details and connections can be made so that we may better understand the story. How many times when someone is telling us a story we get to that point, "Whoa, wait a minute, What? Back up...something is not making any sense." And then we go back in time and retell the story, hopefully adding the missing detail so things make sense once again.

Or as the song goes, "Let's start at the very beginning, a very good place to start, when you read you begin with abc, when you sing you begin with do, re, mi..."

Where do we begin our story? Do we go all the way to the beginning or do we pick it up somewhere in the middle? It depends upon who is listening and what they know of us. What great stories remain to be told?

My prayers are with you today,  
Fr. Timothy

## Mass Intentions

### Week of January 28 - February 3

<b>Monday</b> 8:00am	<i>St. Thomas Aquinas</i> †Josephine Pearson
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:00am	Gentry Thomason's Special Intentions
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:00am	Those in Our Over 50's Ministry
<b>Thursday</b> 8:00am	<i>St. John Bosco</i> Those on Our Prayer List
<b>Friday</b> 9:00am	Our Students and Teachers
<b>Saturday</b> 5:00pm	<i>The Presentation of the Lord</i> †Jen Stivers †Louis Kelsey
<b>Sunday</b> 7:30am 9:15am 11:00am	†Lawrence McCoy †Fr. Tom Albers, C.P.P.S †Harry Woltkamp †Alex Bruening
<b>6:00pm</b>	†Barbara Williams
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 ...***

Barbara & Howard Henry and family on the death of Barbara's mother who passed away on January 20.

Rose and Bud McKay on the death of Rose's sister Henrietta Quaney who passed away on December 27.

***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](mailto: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](mailto:bulletin@stjames-liberty.org)**



## The Week Ahead

**Sun Jan 27** : Cub Scouts / Boy Scouts serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

**Mon Jan 28** : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow

**Tue Jan 29** : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow  
—Legion of Mary meets at 6:15am in the Mallen Room

**Wed Jan 30** : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow  
—Sponsor's for Christ meet 1st and 3rd Wed; 6:15pm  
—Prayer Shawl Ministry meet 2nd and 4th Wed; 6:30pm

**Thurs Jan 31** : Mass at 8am, rosary to follow  
—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 9:00am - 9:00pm  
—St. James School Open House, 5:00pm - 7:00pm  
—Bible Timeline class: No Class

**Fri Feb 1** : Mass at 9:00am

**Sat Feb 2** :  
—That Man Is You at 6:00am in the Social Hall  
—First Saturday Confessions, 7:15am  
—Faith Sharing - *Exodus: A People and Its Hero*, 10:00am in the School Library

**Sun Feb 3** : Knights of Columbus serve coffee and donuts after the 7:30 and 9:15 Masses. All are welcome

### Scriptures for February 2 and 3 Masses

Jer 1:1-5, 17-19 / 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 / Lk4:21-30

### Gift Bearers for February 2 and 3

- Sat 5:00pm:** Don & Debbie Taylor
- Sun 7:30am:** Jackie Rapp, Lynn Streu, and Barbara Schmitt
- 9:15am:** Steve & Patti Stark and Family
- 11:00am:** Neil & Mary Ann Surber and Family
- 6:00 pm:** Carol & Gary Bloomer

### Hospitality Greeters for February 2 and 3

- Sat 5:00pm:** James Thornton
- Sun 7:30am:** Helen Lynn and Ann Tucker
- 9:15am:** Mary Midiri and Angela Burton
- 11:00am:** Santosh & Vanessa Sequeira
- 6:00 pm:** Carol & Gary Bloomer

## Special Events

### Souper Bowl of Caring Next Weekend

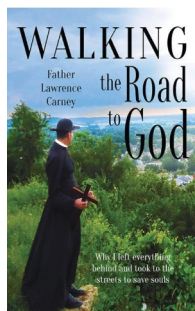


After Masses on Super Bowl weekend our youth will be holding soup pots at the church doors joining young people from all over the country participating in this event.

This year's donations will go to fund several activities for the teens this summer – Camp Savio and the Steubenville Youth Conference. Your donations help to make participating in these events possible for our teens.

Please help support this continuing education event that benefits our youth and the entire parish by dropping \$1 dollar in the soup pots next weekend.

### Annual Joint Altar and Rosary Society and Respect Life Ministry Presentation Featuring Fr. Lawrence Carney Tuesday, February 5 at 7:00pm

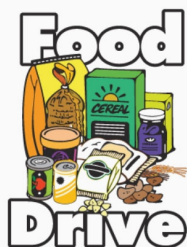


Walk the streets of St. Joseph, Missouri, and you may have a memorable encounter with a tall young priest wearing a black cassock and Saturno clergy hat, a rosary in one hand and large crucifix in the other.

The priest is Father Lawrence Carney, author of the book "Walking the Road to God". He was ordained for the Diocese of Wichita, Kansas, and for the past four years has devoted much of his time to street evangelism: strolling down inner city streets, praying the Rosary and sharing the Gospel with those who approach him.

Please come and hear about his mission on Tuesday, Feb 5th in the Social Hall at 7:00 PM. Father Carney will be selling wine and his book, *Walking the Road to God* – you do not want to miss. Light refreshments will be served.

### Annual "Over 50" Food Drive



Grocery sacks will be distributed after all Masses next weekend.

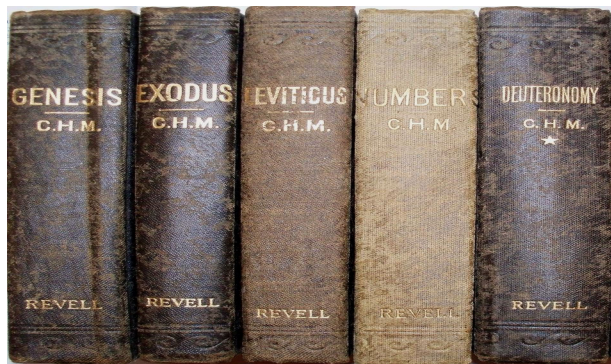
Please return the filled grocery sacks the following weekend, February 9/10.

**Food collected goes to the In As Much Food Pantry.**

#### Wish List

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| Chicken Noodle Soup                            | Canned Spinach        |
| Pork and Beans                                 | Applesauce            |
| Baked Beans                                    | Canned Pineapple      |
| Chili Beans                                    | Canned Pasta          |
| Chili  | Shampoo / Conditioner |
| Ramen Noodles                                  | Razors                |
| Any Other Unexpired Non-perishable Food Item . |                       |

A  from the  
Liturgy/Music Office



*Your Words Lord Are Spirit and Life*  
Psalm 19

### Reflection

Today's passage from Psalm 19 is a hymn to the beauty and value of the law. When the psalmist sings in praise of the law, it is not just the Ten Commandments that are being lauded. The "Law of the Lord" refers to the Torah, the first five books of the bible and the most precious books to the Jewish people. Though the people have been in a time of desperation and mourning as they work to restore Jerusalem, they are reminded to rejoice, for their most precious possession, one that can never be taken away or destroyed, is the law of the Lord. What does it mean to place your hope and trust in the law of the Lord?

### Prayer

*You have fulfilled your Word in Christ, O God,  
and anointed us with his Spirit of life.*

*With him, may we always bear glad tidings  
to those in need.*

*Today is holy to the Lord, our God.*

*Let us rejoice in God our savior,  
Amen.*



A big thank you everyone who provided meals and homes for the Newman Singers last weekend! We could not have done it without you. And a special thank you to Troy Sheeley for organizing this and taking care of all the details!

### 1st Saturday Confessions

Confessions will be heard at 7:15am on Saturday, February 2 in addition to the regular Saturday afternoon confession time.

## Someone is Watching and Wondering



I have always been partial to St. Paul's letters to the Corinthians and today we hear part of I Corinthians 12.0.

"Brothers and sisters: As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body. . . But God has so constructed the body. . . so that there may be no division in the body, but that the parts may have the same concern for one another. If one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it; if one part is honored, all the parts share its joy." As I read these words I wonder if I have lost or boxed in my understanding to only people who are similar to me.

Our world seems full of division, bigotry and hatred. War continues, children are taken from their families and many go without sufficient food, shelter, or medical care. Gun violence in the United States is widespread and mass shootings take innocent lives at schools, places of worship, restaurants, and entertainment venues. What is happening to the *Body of Christ*? Do St. Paul's words only apply to members of our church, or to all baptized Christians? What about our brothers and sisters outside the Christian faith? How do we apply this teaching to them?

I think the answer is easy but the application is difficult. As baptized disciples of Jesus we are called to "Love one another as I have loved you." As members of His body we are called to love without ceasing, without regard to race, religion, ethnicity, of economic state. Jesus never tells us to love only those in our inner circle. He tells us to love and care for **all** God's creation. I may not be responsible to the actions of others, but Jesus calls me to love them in spite of there actions. For me that is the hard application of St. Paul's. Led by the Spirit, however, we can do no less, than to follow the Gospel. God created out of love and our actions must follow, otherwise the Body of Christ suffers and becomes broken.

Your Sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*



**H.O.P.E. / SCRIP GIFT CARD NEWS****Super Bowl**

Attention football fans! Are you ready for the big game day next Sunday?

Whether you're having a Super Bowl party, having a few friends in, or just enjoying the game, you'll need food and snacks to munch on while you're watching the game.

So now's the time to buy HyVee, Price Chopper, Sprouts, Target and/or Walmart Gift Cards to stock up on all the good stuff like pizza, dips, chicken fingers, nachos, fixings for chili and sandwiches and more. And, don't forget the drinks!

**Why We Don't Accept Credit Cards**

We realize that it's inconvenient to carry a check-book. However, if we accepted credit cards, the bank fees would substantially eat up our profit.

**Benefits of buying HOPE cards include:**

- Profits from this ministry, that comes from merchants who supply the cards, provide a funding source for all of our education ministries.
- An average of 5 percent of gross sales comes back to St. James as profit.
- Purchase of HOPE gift cards costs you nothing more than their face value.
- An easy way to increase your support of St. James Parish without costing you anything.
- Cards are not just gifts – they are substitute currency to be used for all your regular purchases.
- No need to worry about identity theft.

**WE NEED YOU !  
PLEASE SUPPORT THIS  
FUNDRAISER FOR ST. JAMES**

**Faithful Fitness**

**When:** Saturdays from 8:30-9:30am

**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

Instructor: Joni Fleck, Parishioner

**Stewardship of Treasure**

Charitable Contribution statements for your tax filing are in the narthex for pick-up. Some of you picked them up last weekend – Thank you. This statement will reflect your charitable contributions to St. James Parish for 2018 tax filing purposes. If you feel something has been recorded incorrectly on the statement – please let me (Katie) know and I will do my best to correct it.

**Please use care when picking these up. Please verify the name and address.** Some people's names are very similar and you might get the wrong statement.

We put these in the narthex to save postage cost. Also, in previous years, just around half of the statements have been picked up. So last year when we shredded the statements we decided to re-use the envelopes. So don't panic if it appears someone has opened your envelope.

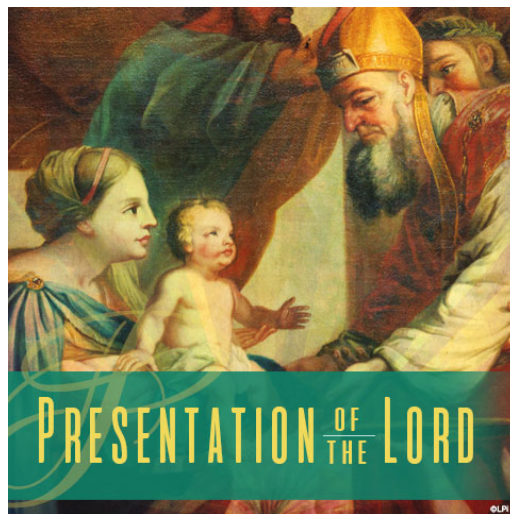
The statements will remain in the narthex for the next several weeks. They will then be available in the church office.

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

**Feast of the Presentation of the Lord - February 2**

The feast of the Presentation of the Lord occurs forty days after the birth of Jesus. In obedience to the Old Law, the Lord Jesus, the first-born, was presented in the Temple by his Blessed Mother and his foster father

*Bring Your Sweetheart!*



**1st Annual Sweetheart Dance**

**Saturday, February 16th  
7pm — 10pm**



Dance to the music of

*The Frost Band*



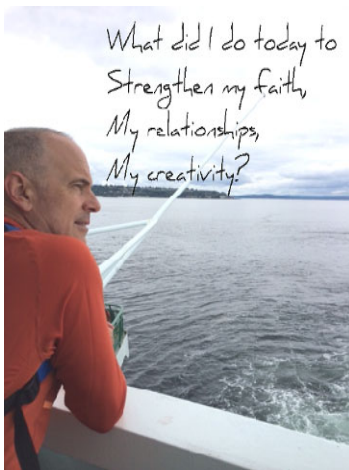
Proudly hosted by the Knights of Columbus from  
Excelsior Springs, Kearney, Liberty, Plattsburg and Richmond



\$10 per couple at the door  
Food & Drinks available,  
including Wine & Beer

St. James Church Social Hall  
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**Reflections in Faith  
Prayer and Meditation**



**Join Us on Monday  
February 4, 11, 18, & 25  
in the Church  
5:00 - 6:00 pm  
With  
Patti Stark and  
Fr. Mike**

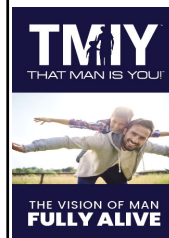
*Reflections of our Faith  
In our daily struggles  
Be moved through  
scripture, breathing and  
guided visualization*

*To strengthen your faith  
and focus*

**We hope  
you will join us**

**Psalm 48:9**  
"Within your temple,  
O God,  
we meditate on  
your unfailing love"

**GOD IS FAITHFUL**



**That Man Is You**

**The Vision of Man Fully Alive  
Join The Spring Semester - Beginning Now  
Saturday Mornings in the Social Hall**

The Vision of Man Fully Alive enables men to experience authentic freedom as sons of God.

Through living the three-fold mission of abiding presence, joyful service and loving sacrifice, their hearts and homes will experience the joy that God desires. To sustain them on their spiritual journey, the men will be led directly to the three spiritual foods that Christ himself proclaims: The Eucharist, The Word of God, and The Will of God.

**That Man Is You! Meets Weekly  
on Saturday morning in the Social Hall**

- 6:00am Rosary**
- 6:15am Complementary Breakfast**
- 6:45am Program**
- 7:15am Small Group Discussion**

**All Men of the Parish Are Invited  
and Encouraged To Attend**



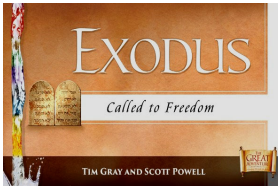
**ST. JAMES CARE MINISTRY  
INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP SESSIONS  
PLEASE CONTACT SANDY GAGNON  
SANDY@STJAMES-LIBERTY.ORG  
816-781-4343 EXT 206**



## Our Faith In Action

### Saturday Morning Faith Sharing Class Presents "Exodus: Called To Freedom"

#### New Start Date - Saturday 2



Snow and ice, courtesy of Mother Nature, has delayed the start of "Exodus", the 10-week series being presented at the Saturday Morning Faith Sharing Class.

The class, led by Deacon Chuck, is held on Saturday mornings at 10:00am in the School Library.

The class schedule and topics are listed on the St. James website under the Adult Faith Formation section.

**About Exodus:** The Exodus can be viewed as the defining moment in Israel's history, for it was then that God called Israel out of slavery in Egypt and to a life of freedom as His people. Exodus: Called to Freedom looks through the lens of Christ and the Church to show that, more than just seeking to free His people from the domination of Pharaoh, God desired to free His people from the far more sinister tyranny of sin, so they could live the authentic freedom that belongs to children of God. Because of this, the Exodus story is not just Israel's story, it is our story as well; it tells us who God is and what He calls us to be.

**We hope you'll join us.**

### 'Prayer, Bible Stories & Jamming!'

#### PB&J Chaos



Step into most PB&J classes and you will witness some very sweet, intimate moments. More often though, you will notice the chaos! Because PB&J is geared to teach

toddlers and preschoolers on their terms, small doses of chaos are witnessed as little ones explore on the developmental terms of their brains and bodies which are not intended to sit quietly and listen, but to explore and move. As the children become more familiar with the class, learning the routines and rituals, it becomes easier to transition to slower activities such as prayer time. It's always pleasing to parents when a 2 or 3 year old finally kneels and prays and sings the sign of the cross!

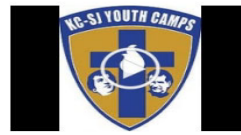
Join us for a free class on Tuesday mornings at 9:00am or 5:30 pm, or on Wednesdays at 10:00 am and 5:30 pm! Contact Lori Tajchman to arrange a class preview.

## 6th - 12th Grade Youth Ministry

### Youth Retreats

This Summer St. James will be attending Camp Savio and Steubenville ~ Sign Up Now

#### Camp Savio



All current 5th grade through 8th graders are invited to attend Camp Savio in Atchison KS, June 10-15.

#### Commitment forms are due January 27th.

The Commitment form is not your final registration but is your commitment to attend! The total cost for the trip will be \$450.00. A \$50.00 non-refundable deposit is due with your commitment form! If you are suddenly unable to attend after committing, you must let Denise Whelan know by March 24, or you will be required to pay the full cost.

We will need chaperones in order to make this happen. If you are interested in chaperoning, please email [denise.whelan@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:denise.whelan@stjames-liberty.org) ASAP.

A full week may be hard for many parents. If you can only do part of the time, let her know. She may be able to split the time between a few different chaperones.

#### Steubenville



All current 8th graders through current Seniors are invited to attend Steubenville in Springfield, MO, July 12-14.

#### Commitment forms are due February 3

The Commitment form is not your final registration but is your commitment to attend! The total cost for the trip will be \$330. A \$50 non-refundable deposit is due with your commitment form! If you are suddenly unable to attend after committing, let Denise Whelan know by April 1 or you will be required to pay the full cost.

Josh Blakesley will be returning to lead worship over the weekend! He will be joined with other AMAZING speakers, like Fr. Mike Schmitz and Katie Prejean McGrady!

Steubenville is a high-energy youth conference where thousands of teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, small group discussions, and fellowship.

There will be opportunities to offset the cost of these retreats. There will be a couple of fundraisers. How many you work and how long you help with each will determine how much your cost will be offset.



## Parish Religious Education

2018 - 2019  
Joy: Jesus, Others, Yourself

### RE Calendar - Important Dates

Jan 27 No Sunday RE Class - Catechist Retreat  
Jan 30 Wednesday RE Class  
Feb 3 Sunday RE Class - Souperbowl of Caring  
Feb 6 Wednesday RE Class  
Feb 9 Sunday RE Class  
Feb 13 Wednesday RE Class  
Feb 20 No Sunday RE Class

### Here's What's Going On!

Our character trait for this month is Honesty, and that's one that most children can instinctively understand. We've been sharing stories that focus on being honest and telling the truth, even when telling the truth seems scary. We began the month with the Chinese story, The Empty Pot, and followed that up with Sam Tells Stories – the tale of a little boy who has to face the consequences of the lies that he told. We'll end the month with The Principal's New Clothes, which is a modern retelling of the Hans Christian Andersen tale, "The Emperor's New Clothes." There are lots of good books and videos out there to reinforce the benefits of honesty – which is a developmental milestone for children, not just a choice to lie.

Sharing

We are also be gearing up for the food drive on February 3rd and 10th (see details on page 4). Our teens will be participating in the Souperbowl of Caring on the 3rd, so plan to bring some cash to Mass with you that weekend! Proceeds are going to fund several activities for the teens this summer – Camp Savio and the Steubenville Youth Conference. Your donations help to make participating in these events possible for all of our teens.

Caring

The last week of January is traditionally Catholic Schools Week, and our school is hosting an Open House from 5 to 7pm on January 31st. If you've ever thought about sending your children to our school, this Open House is a great way to get all of your questions answered, meet some of the staff, and get a feel for what Catholic education has to offer.

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## St. James School News



Celebrate Catholic  
Schools Week 2019

January 27 – February 2

#CSW19

### Catholic Schools Week Is Here!

We are celebrating in a variety of ways:

- All School Book Drive
- Vocations Assembly
- Family Group activity
- 8th Grade vs. Teachers volleyball game
- Community Service and much more!

## SAVE THE DATE

# ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31, 2019

5:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Come see what we have to offer!

Please contact the school office  
with questions or for more information.

Phone: 816-781-4428

Email: [Jennifer.smith@stjames-school.org](mailto:Jennifer.smith@stjames-school.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.**

Dianna Englander	Shannon Winkler	Gloria Guastello
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Renee Hayes	Richard Gaudin	Benjamin McNeal
Larinda Hlavacek	Antoinette Giglio	Ariana Ruiz
Megan Jensen	Kristin Guest	David Stark
Robert Lathrop	Aaron Hedrick	Miranda Villa
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Dennis Coday	Walter Runde	Caroline Dierkens
Makenna Codding	Sarah Brabbin	John Donnici
Angela Craig	Abel Enriquez	Hannah Thompson
Gavin Elizalde	Thomas Hand	James Fulton
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Gracen Goforth	Josh Madison	Hunter Biesemeyer
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Christopher Steinkamp	Jeffrey Downing	Kelly White
	Alexandra Flanagan	

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**The Veteran Outreach ministry needs your help. We are updating the current prayer list of all active duty military men and women.**

**Recently we learned that the present list has many people who have finished their service duty or did not respond when contacted for an update.**

**If you would like prayers for a family member or a loved one currently serving in the military, please contact us to add or confirm their service status.**

**Please accept our apology if you recently added a name and are being asked to do it again. Thank you.**

**To Add A Name Contact**

**Ann Roberts, ministry coordinator**

**(816)469-0271,**

**or Don Evans (816)776-9704.**

**We Pray for Those Who Serve and Protect the "Land of the Free"**

**We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing**

Anne Sander	Fr. Keith Branson	Dan Kerns
Andrea	Alice Hosticka	Rich Curasi
Danette McClellan	Hannah Taylor	Tricia Kauffman
Stivers Family	Carol Rakoczy	Bob Roach
Georgia Hampton	Ellen Wentz	Marvin Weishar
JoLynn Distasio	Brian Runde	Lulu Young
Kathy Keary	Rodriguez Family	John Brocato
Leanna Phannenstiel	Connie Hollomon	Barbara (Roach) Still
Christian	Bibi Chadwick	Debbie Pickett
Steve LaBarge	Ralph & Jan Peters	Kathleen Haines
Jim Tucker	Scott Neibergall	John Phannenstiel
Aileen Wagenknecht	Bob Leonardo	Mike Sheeley
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Deacon Bud	Margo Eastland	Christy Mock
Mason	Adalina Simmons	John Findlay
Jackson Erwin	Mary	Duane Sander
Pat Carey & Family	Margie Myers	Keltin Daniel Gwin
Gavin McKenna	Jean and Richard Jackson	Bill Goeckel
James Fulton	Steve Decker	Mattie Mae Weaver
Helen Szczech	Linda Smith	Troy Cronkite
Angie Parnacott	Pamela & James Anderson	Robert Elliott
Monica Nelson	Travis Shay	June Bender
Tommy	Barbara Meigs	Matt Biskup Family
Modine Moody	Tony and Tet So	Kim Lackey
Eddie Campbell	Travis and Sarah Shay	Pam Fink
Janice Brimer	Julie Sildeck	John Nausea
Joe Witherow, Jr.	Stan Carver	Bill Roach, Jr.
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Isaac	Loren Wolken	Eddie Ansalmo
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Tatiana	Angie Reed Family	Jason Robinson
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RaDana	Ron Ward	Olivia Hernandez
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Michael Amos	Marie Brancato	Robert Doleshal
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**Please notify us to remove your name from our prayer lists when it is time.** In respect of HIPAA we will add names to the prayer list only by request of the person or immediate family.





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