

# Saint James Catholic Community

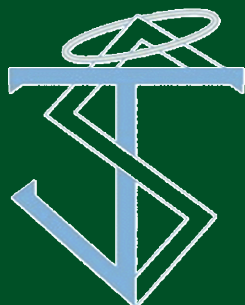
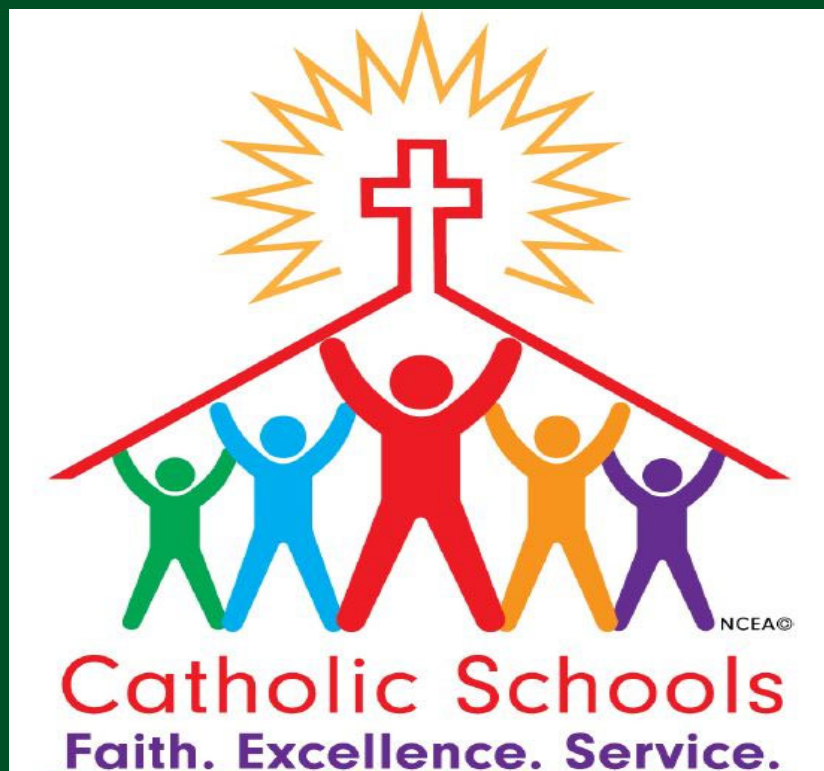
*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 31, 2021*

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God • Church • Community  
Together We Can Do Great Things



## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK January 31 - February 6



**St. James School**  
Come See What We're About  
Schedule A Tour  
Call 816-781-4428

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

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Office (816) 781-4343 Fax (816) 792-8691  
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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-11:00am

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

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

### **Mass Schedule:**

**Weekdays:** Monday - Friday, 8:15am

**Saturday,** 5:00pm

**Sunday,** 8:00am and 10:30am

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

## Our Pastoral Team

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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.

## Stewardship of Treasure

### 2020 Contribution Statements

Contribution Statements will be available for pick up in the Parish Office (8am -11am) Monday – Friday. A Reminder: If you donated via stock, IRA or some other source please make sure you use the appropriate paperwork from them for tax purposes.

School PSPK tuition statements and contribution statements were sent home in backpacks this past week.

If you would prefer this statement emailed to you – please send me an email and I will respond back with the statement. [Katie@Stjames-Liberty.org](mailto:Katie@Stjames-Liberty.org)

Thank you to ALL those who have filled out a 2021 Tithing Pledge card. We appreciate this very much. The tithing pledge is your regular Sunday giving used for everyday business expenses in our parish.

A huge Thank You for your continued support of our parish and the works we do.

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](mailto:Katie@stjames-liberty.org)

### 1st Saturday Confessions



Confessions will be heard from  
7:30 - 8:30am

on Saturday, February 6

This time is in addition to the  
regular Saturday afternoon  
confession time.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting 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), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or [crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org](mailto:crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org), 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 the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or [chastain@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

## From the Pastor's Pen

Catholic Education has been a priority in Church ministries down through the ages. In fact, it was great Catholic universities that kept learning and faith alive in the so-called "Dark Ages." It is not surprising that in the earliest decades of our country, Catholics were concerned about passing on their faith to future generations. In most instances, Protestantism was taught and encouraged in the so-called "public" schools. Sr. Elizabeth Ann Seton was a pioneer in establishing Catholic schools in the Baltimore, Maryland, area. Slowly, the call for Catholic education was answered across the country. So we are the inheritors of a very dedicated Catholic School System in our country today. We at St. James are very blessed because we have such a very fine school. As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week we acknowledge and thank our administrators, school families, teachers, support staff, parents, pastor, and volunteers who embrace this ministry and make ours such a great Catholic school. The national theme this year is "Catholic Schools: Faith, Excellence, and Service." We are confident that our St. James School makes these values our own.

I would like to call to mind a couple other feasts that the Church celebrates this week. Tuesday is the feast of the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple. This feast served Jewish ritual in a couple ways. First, it was the custom to bring a first-born male to the Temple in Jerusalem to be dedicated to Lord. So from the very beginning, Jesus was presented and publicly acknowledged as a servant of God. Also the feast was for the sake of the mother. There was some belief in defilement with blood-shedding at birth. So it was the custom to "purify" the mother. In the story of the Presentation, two elderly people of deep faith are at the temple in vigil. They have a special prophesy with regard to this special child. He will be a light to the Gentiles.

The other feast this week is less significant but still well-known in the Church. On February 3 we celebrate the feast of St. Blaise. He was a bishop who lived in the 300s in Asia Minor. He led a holy and devout life, a man of deep prayer, whose prayers were associated with healing. The story is told and repeated down through the centuries about a boy with a fish bone stuck in his throat. The devout mother brought the boy to Bishop Blaise whose prayer brought healing. So down through the centuries the feast of Blaise has been associated with the blessing of the throat.

As you celebrate your faith this week, please pray for our Catholic schools across the country and especially our own St. James School. My prayers are with you. Fr. Michael

## Mass Intentions

### Week of February 1 - January 7

<b>Monday</b> 8:15am	†Mary Tajchman
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:15am	<i>Presentation of the Lord</i> †Loved Ones of Vitug Torres and Young Family
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:15am	<i>St. Blaise</i> †Ralph and Marie Robinson †Louis Kelsey
<b>Thursday</b> 8:15am	†WT Hudson Family
<b>Friday</b> 8:15am	<i>St. Agatha</i> †Sam Sarver
<b>Saturday</b> 5:00pm	†Gary Brecht †Rick George
<b>Sunday</b> 8:00am	††Harry Woltkamp and Alex Bruening †Tom Neibergall
<b>10:30am</b>	†Cheryl Kaspyzk



## *From Death to New Life*

*Our prayer support is with ...*

Sue Schwarz and her family and friends on the death of her husband Jack who passed away on January 20.

Linda Elbow and her family and friends on the death of her brother Ward who passed away on January 21.

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

## Contact Info

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Sat 4pm until finished; any time requested.

### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

Baptismal Preparation Classes: Once a month  
Contact Kirsten Maggi in the parish office, ext. 202 or  
kirsten.maggi@stjames-liberty.org

**Religious Education:** For Preschool through adult spiritual development, please notify office of needs.

**New Parishioners:** Please register at the parish office.

***We Welcome You!***

**St. James School:** PS-8th grade offered.

Call the School Office, to inquire, 781-4428

**Sacrament of Marriage:** 9 months advance notice

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

**To Schedule an event in our Parish Facility:**

**email daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org**

or call Daryl in the Parish Office.

**All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday**

**12Noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org**



## Knights of Columbus Curbside / Pick Up & Go Lenten Fish Fry



The  
**KNIGHTS**  
Are  
**Cooking**



THE ST JAMES KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
ANNUAL LENTEN FISH FRY

This year's Fish Fry will be  
A Pick-Up-And-Go Event  
from 5:00pm – 7:00pm  
on the following Fridays:

**February 26, March 12, March 26**

**Come and Enjoy  
Our 25th Anniversary Meal  
Fish or Shrimp  
With All The Fixings'**

### Day of Prayer At Seedtime - February 4 Blessing of Seeds At the Cathedral



The diocesan day of prayer *At Seedtime* will be on Thursday, February 4.

Bishop Johnston will preside for Mass at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 12:15pm.

All are welcome to bring seeds for blessing in anticipation of spring planting.

Due to the pandemic, you may send or bring seeds to the Cathedral to be picked up later. Please have seeds enclosed in plastic zipper bags and labeled.

The Mass will be live streamed on the Cathedral Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/golddomekc/>

Visit Our St. James Website  
[www.stjames-liberty.org](http://www.stjames-liberty.org)

## Someone is Watching and Wondering



Do you recognize this young woman? No she isn't a super-model on a photo shoot or an actress promoting her newest film. This is Amanda Gorman, the 22-year old poet who burst on the international scene reading her

beautiful and insightful poem during the Inauguration ceremony of President Biden and Vice President Harris. Whether you enjoy poetry or not her words, in this poem entitled "The Hill We Climb" were powerful and I believe a challenge to each of us who heard or have since read them. In fact her words are very much in line with recent words from Pope Francis: "There is no contradiction between being solidly rooted in the truth and at the same time being open to a greater understanding. . . Discerning the signs of the times allows us to make sense of change. In interpreting and praying over events or trends in the light of the Gospel, we can detect movements that reflect the values of God's Kingdom or their opposite" (*Let Us Dream—The Path to a Better Future*).

From a very early age I was drawn to poetry and the ability of poets to capture so much meaning and so many challenges in so few words. That is what Amanda Gorman presented to us with her poem. She addressed problems and offered solutions for our country. She challenged us not to accept and acquiesce to the way things are, acknowledging that "quiet isn't always peace." She pointed to the fact that our 'nation isn't broken but simply unfinished. . . far from polished, far from pristine." We continue to seek "harmony for all." She suggests "we offer hope and laughter to ourselves" and she ends her poem "For there is always light, if only we're brave enough to see it, if only we're brave enough to be it."

Although Amanda's poem is an address to our nation, for me these words also address my life, my faith, and my place in society as a Catholic, trying to live according to the teaching of Christ Jesus. I must never shy away from addressing sin and evil that sometimes lies hidden deep within me. There are times when I sit quietly and even feel peaceful yet I know inside I feel tense and conflicted. There are times when I experience brokenness then I remember the words "God isn't finished with me yet." I know I am not polished in my actions and certainly not always pristine in my thoughts, but I am a seeker. I seek truth, harmony, and understanding. I seek to reach out to others whose lives and perceptions are different than my own. I often laugh at myself and I feel hope when I turn to God in trust and love. I know that God fills me with grace and love when I am feeling lonely and lost. As I receive His light, may I as Amada Gorman challenged in her poem, be His light. May my journey be one of hope and understanding.

Your sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*

## The Year of St. Joseph Beloved Father



The greatness of Saint Joseph is that he was the spouse of Mary and the father of Jesus. In this way, he placed himself, in the words of Saint John Chrysostom, “at the service of the entire plan of salvation”.

Saint Paul VI pointed out that Joseph concretely expressed his fatherhood “by making his life a sacrificial service to the mystery of the incarnation and its redemptive purpose. He employed his legal authority over the Holy Family to devote himself completely to them in his life and work. He turned his human vocation to domestic love

into a superhuman oblation of himself, his heart and all his abilities, a love placed at the service of the Messiah who was growing to maturity in his home”.

Thanks to his role in salvation history, Saint Joseph has always been venerated as a father by the Christian people. This is shown by the countless churches dedicated to him worldwide, the religious Institutes, Confraternities and ecclesial groups inspired by his spirituality and bearing his name, and the many traditional expressions of piety in his honor. Innumerable holy men and women were passionately devoted to him. Among them was Teresa of Avila, who chose him as her advocate and intercessor, had frequent recourse to him and received whatever graces she asked of him. Encouraged by her own experience, Teresa persuaded others to cultivate devotion to Joseph.

Every prayer book contains prayers to Saint Joseph. Special prayers are offered to him each Wednesday and especially during the month of March, which is traditionally dedicated to him. Popular trust in Saint Joseph is seen in the expression “Go to Joseph”, which evokes the famine in Egypt, when the Egyptians begged Pharaoh for bread. He in turn replied: “Go to Joseph; what he says to you, do” (Gen 41:55). Pharaoh was referring to Joseph the son of Jacob, who was sold into slavery because of the jealousy of his brothers and who – according to the biblical account – subsequently became viceroy of Egypt.

As a descendant of David, from whose stock Jesus was to spring according to the promise made to David by the prophet Nathan, and as the spouse of Mary of Nazareth, Saint Joseph stands at the crossroads between the Old and New Testaments.

## Parish Religious Education

### Sacraments

Many of our families are busy working to fulfill the baptismal promises made on behalf of their children. Here at St. James, the RE staff, volunteers and parents work together to prepare the children and teens of our parish for sacraments. In early January, we worked together to successfully complete the preparations for (and most of the children have already received) the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Last week wrapped up 7 small-group parent meetings in preparation for First Communions. In the absence of recent in-person Confirmation prep gatherings, it’s been encouraging to receive so many positive parent communications as the teens complete their lessons at home with the help of the parents and sponsors.

In March, we will celebrate with our Confirmation students as they are sealed with the Holy Spirit. In April, we will welcome our First Communion students to the Table of the Lord.

As a parish, let’s be sure these families and students remain in our prayers as their preparations continue.

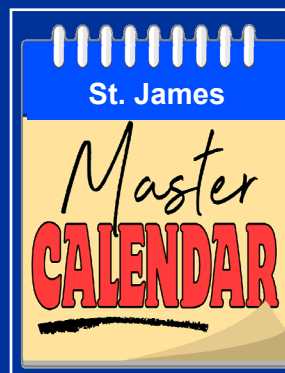
### Feast of the Presentation of the Lord - February 2



The feast of the Presentation of the Lord, also known as Candlemas, occurs forty days after the birth of Jesus.

It celebrates three occasions: the presentation of the child Jesus; Jesus’ first entry into the temple; and it celebrates the Virgin Mary’s purification.

### Please Remember! Get It Put On The St. James Master Calendar



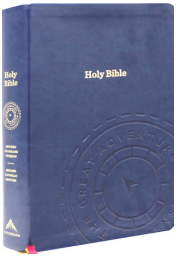
Anything, including events, food drives, meetings, etc. held on our St. James Campus has to be on our Master Calendar.

Contact Daryl Sweetland  
[daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:daryl.sweetland@stjames-liberty.org)

781-4343 x200

to get yours

## Catholic Bibles Needed



The St. James Prison Ministry is in need of used bibles to help support their ministry and are holding a Bible Drive for at least two weeks beginning Monday, January 25. The bibles collected will be taken to the Clay County Detention Center where they will be given to detainees requesting a bible.

The Catholic bibles must be paperback or soft cover – hard cover bibles are not allowed in the detention center.

To donate a bible, take it to the Narthex in our former church and put it on the cart labeled Bibles. The Narthex is open Monday through Friday from 8:00am until 5:00pm.

If you're not sure that the bible you want to donate is Catholic, look in the first few pages of the bible. If you see the words "*Nihil Obstat*," and "*Imprimatur*." These Latin terms mean there's nothing objectionable to the faith in the work, and the work is printed with the permission of a bishop. One of the most popular Catholic bibles is the *New American Bible*.

If you have questions or need more information, contact Arsenio "RC" Arciga at 816-898-3614 or email [Mylibertyspark@yahoo.com](mailto:Mylibertyspark@yahoo.com)

## Lives Were Changed Because of Our Donors



Love INC  
Love In the Name of Christ

Thank you to all our donors who helped us end the year strong. Because of our faithful donors we were able to help 126 families (716 individuals) with life changing help in December. Three of those families

were facing the loss of their home, and 3 the shut-off of their utilities. But gifts like yours kept them safe and in their own homes.

In addition, families in need received \$12,220 of in-kind assistance (a record amount for one month) to include personal hygiene and household cleaning items, and baby diapers and supplies. We are also grateful for our wonderful volunteers who donated 145 hours of service in December, and our faithful prayer team that lifts up our clients, volunteers, and staff to the Lord.

Last year the total number of families helped by Love INC of Clay County was 1,639, with 47 families avoiding an eviction and 86 families assisted with utilities (both also a record). And we finished the year financially stronger than the year before.

*David Rathbun, Executive Director, LoveINC*



Clay County  
Clothes Closet

## Donations Needed

Clay County Clothes Closet helps residents of Clay County facing financial or emergency hardships by providing free clothing assistance.

They are currently in need of new or gently-used children's clothing items Size 6 through 16: Jeans, shirts, sweatpants, sweatshirts, pajamas, undergarments, and socks.

They are located at 3939 N Cleveland Ave in Kansas City. Clothing donations are accepted on Tuesdays between 8:00am - Noon, Wednesdays between 8:00am - 11:30am, the first Saturday of each month between 8:00am - 1:00pm or by special appointment.

They have a doorbell by the backdoor for donors to ring and a volunteer will help with their donation and provide a receipt.

Questions? Contact Deborah Butler at 216-0057.

Manor Thrift



The Immaculata Manor Thrift Store at 931 Brown St., Liberty, is in need of additional volunteers.

If you are looking for something fun and helpful, you would love being part of this group of people who help at this store.

To inquire and/or for more information call Amy at 816-781-5472.

## Serra Club Vocation Support Raffle Win \$10,000 and Support Local Vocations!

On February 1, Serra Club of Kansas City MO-North will begin its biennial Vocation Support Raffle.

1st prize is \$10,000; 2nd prize \$1,000; Third \$500.

Only 300 tickets will be sold across all Northland parishes! Tickets cost \$100 each.

Raffle proceeds will support seminarians, priests and consecrated religious in the Kansas City - St. Joseph Diocese and Northland parish activities.

Drawing will be held April 20th, and you need not be present to win. For information on purchasing a ticket or any questions, please contact Steve Hilliard at [misc.srh@gmail.com](mailto:misc.srh@gmail.com) or Steve VanKeirsbilck at [stevevankeirsbilck@gmail.com](mailto:stevevankeirsbilck@gmail.com).

Thank you for your support of vocations!



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

Florence Becchina	Stacey Beyer	Anna VanBuskirk
Frank Brown	Kate Bowles	William Westhues
Jocelin	Margaret Burson	Johanna Wohletz
Covarrubias	Corey Callahan	Makenzey Akers
Jeffrey Downing	Joshua Coday	Leslie Brown
Alexandra	Gianna DeLeo	Pedro Caraballo
Flanagan	Tim Heinzler	Michelle Coots
Gloria Guastello	Landon Klee	Ashley Delaney
Jacob McDowell	Claire Klosterman	Daniel Dillon
Benjamin McNeal	Jessica Sanchez	Meghan Doherty
Colin Murphy	Scott Sarver	Sullivan Easley
Ariana Ruiz	Johnnie Streu	Robert Jones
David Stark	Gabriel Teixeira	Lacy Korte
Chris Ashlock	Cooper Young	Jackson Link
Douglas Baker	Patricia Zumach	Lillian Simon
Margaret Brown	Alexander	Lydia Agee
Caroline Dierkens	Alvanez Pedruza	Ricardo Anterola
John Donnici	Pauline Crouse	John Baker
Sherri Porterfield	Sarena Hurtig	Andrew Hardin
Hannah Thompson	Shawnda Mikessell	Dorothy Haynes
Mary Wiese	Pamela Milano	Jill Herschbach
Hunter	Margaret Motta	Gabriella Mancuso
Biesemeyer	Landon O'Brien	Matilda Rogers
Emily Feess	Charles Parrish	Brandon Streich
Katheryn Gordon	Joseph Scassellati	Miranda Villa
Jaime Pasieniuk	Londo Soto	Joseph Witherow
Daniel Spurlock	Figuroa	

### **Catholic Schools Enrolling Now For the 2021-2022 School Year**

Are you thinking of switching to a Catholic school for next school year?

All of the Northland Catholic Schools (PreK-12th) are currently enrolling for 2021-2022. The Northland Catholic schools have offered face-to-face learning every day during the 2020-2021 school year without abbreviating their schedule.

Your child will benefit from the small class sizes and dedicated staff. Our students consistently score two years or higher on standardized testing.

Call for a tour today.

#### **PreK-8th: St. James Catholic School**

816-781-4428 / email [andrea.elliott@stjames-school.org](mailto:andrea.elliott@stjames-school.org)

#### **Grades 9-12: St. Pius X High School**

816-453-3450 x117

### **St. James 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.

## **St. James School News**



## **CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2021**

**January 31 - February 6**

**#CSW21**



### **Celebrating Our Parish**

Celebrating and giving thanks for our Parish and Catholic school through Mass.



### **Celebrating Our Community**

Celebrating our community through a prayer service and collecting donations for Hillcrest Ministries.



### **Celebrating Our Nation**

Celebrating our essential workers with handmade thank you notes from our students.



### **Celebrating Our Students**

Celebrating our 100th day of IN-PERSON learning with our students.



### **Celebrating Vocations**

Learning from and celebrating Fr.. Mike and Fr. Michael. Praying for all vocations of the Catholic faith.

*thank  
you* ♥

### **Celebrating Faculty, Staff, Families & Volunteers**

Thank you to our families for choosing a Catholic education. Thank you to our dedicated teachers, staff and volunteers.

## We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

Ron Shinkle Dan Habiger Bob Orscheln Charles Mann Julie Landuyt Douglas Shreffler Jeff Ridder Lowell Sims Kenny Walker Sabrina Hinkle Susan Koeppen John Mreen John Williams Paul Preston Deacon Doug Hemke John Murphy Derek and Katie Nancy West John Fessler Jessica & Brad Ricky & DeeDee Sue & Shannen Christi Dudrey Gene Stephani John Davis Leonard Studer Arsenio "R.C." Arciga Janet Walker Rory Elliott Casel Family Fr. Joe Miller John Murphy Todd Higgins	Larry & Bea Farnan Walter Swanson Ron Shinkle Michael Ruiz Jolynn Distasio Kathy Peters Pete Gardner Dan Habiger George Katzer Mauricia O'Brien Carol O'Brien Janet Ward & Jeff Julie Miller James Philippe Alicia Paredes Mike Mall Bob Pezman Jack & Sue Schwarz George Polsdofer Patty Larson David Roach James Gubera Tina Helm Hazel Lewis Dan Tomc Laurie Beach Rachel Johnson Wanda Finnigan Geralyn Hosticka Beth Atwater David Butel & Family Eric Cummings Ciara Davis Pat Neibergall-Timm	Brian Akers Audria Martin Jose Torres Erma Brecht Dan & Bibi Chadwick Pat Aten John Vrocato John Barrington Donnie Smith Philip Pernice Don Taylor Leo Oberfoel Kai Bennett Nick Peters Dwain Jones Desmond Arciga-Quenga Kathleen Amos Frances Parker Michelle Bacus Brian Glaser Anna Kain Mark Schweitzer Lucy Arthur Bill Kirwan Jamie Martin Deacon Bud Jackson Erwin Pat Carey & Family Gavin McKenna James Fulton Helen Szczech Angie Parnacott Eddie Campbell Adam McCray	Melissa Andrasik Randi Arness Tom Biggs Diana Marchisio Wilfredo Crespo, Jr. Rachele Pomfrey Ron & Peggy Pettz Paul Gossett John & Susan-Kelly Corsione Tony & Jo's Family Colleen Kearney Lynn & Monica Nelson Alice Hosticka Hannah Taylor Carol Rakoczy Ellen Wentz Rodriguez Family Jan Peters Scott Neibergall Margo Eastland Adalina Simmons Margie Myers Jean and Richard Jackson Steve Decker Linda Smith Pamela & James Anderson Travis Shay Barbara Meigs Tony and Tet So Travis & Sarah Shay The Curiel Family Reba & Debra Suttliel Alice Rusch Monica Barrington	Kari & Jesse Rainey Louise Andrasik Barbara Fortier Barb Schwery Nichole Stewart Doug Schuster Kelly Gentrup Denny Farrell Nancy Carr The Hollomon Family Trivino Family Jacke & Enike Hayes Catherine Finley Loren Wolken Carla George Sue McKnight Kyle Sellmeyer Margarita Mendoza Family Marie Brancato Rich Curasi Tricia Kauffman Bob Roach John Brocato Barbara (Roach) Still Kathleen Haines John Phannenstiel Mike Sheeley Saree Morely John Findlay Duane Sander Mattie Mae Weaver Troy Cronkite June Bender Matt Biskup Family	Kim Lackey Pam Fink John Nausea Bill Roach, Jr. Jacob & Dana Lansford Roberta McCallum Keith Newman Gary Andrew Reese Emma Shay Joseph Greenwald Sam Porter Mary Alice Worth Amy Villarreal Lori & Sam Dale Mary Kaye Masnado Carolee Bussjaeger John Amaro Randy Baumert Jackie Plack Pelling Kennedy Noel Holcumb Rita Lowe / Megan Tony V. Sr. Deric DeMasi Sarah Rupp Chris Alvey Patrick O'Neill John McMahon Eddie Ansalmo Maria Giannelli Kenadee Gallagher Shawn Adkins Jason Robinson Leah Biskup Coady Olivia Hernandez
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**We are on Instagram now!**  
 Find us at: [stjameslibertymo](https://www.instagram.com/stjameslibertymo)



Instagram

**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.

Please pray for the sick

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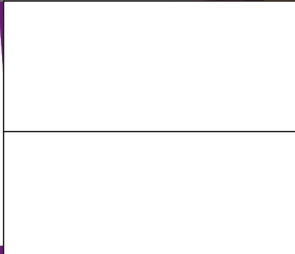
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