

Saint James Catholic Community

*Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ
June 6, 2021*

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Together We Can Do Great Things



*I am the living bread
that came down from heaven,
Whoever eats this bread will live forever.*

John 6:51

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Mass Schedule:

Weekdays: Monday - Friday, 8:15am

Saturday, 5:00pm

Sunday, 8:00am, 10:30am, 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

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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.

Come Home To Communion



Last year in mid-March, Catholic churches in our diocese were closed due to the pandemic. Public Masses were not able to be held until the end of May, when our churches were allowed to open (with limited attendance) on the Feast of Pentecost.

On March 13, 2020, due to the pandemic and in the interest of public safety, Bishop Johnston dispensed all Catholics in this diocese from the obligation to participate in Masses and holy days of Obligation. Many churches, including St. James, began live-streaming Sunday Mass.

With the decrease in Covid cases, fewer restrictions, and other considerations, effective June 1, Bishop Johnston has removed the general dispensation from the obligation to participate in Mass and holy days of obligation.

Those with serious health concerns, pre-existing conditions, the homebound and their caregivers continue to be dispensed from the Mass obligation.

While many parishioners have returned to Mass, there are still many who are hesitant about taking the first step to returning.

Our diocese has initiated the Come Home To Communion Campaign, designed to provide tools to help encourage everyone to return to Mass and the sacraments. Family and friends are the greatest influencers when it comes to the decisions we make from day to day. If you have a family member, friend or neighbor who you have not seen return to Mass since the pandemic began – or maybe fell out of practice before then – the diocese has provided a few tools to help you encourage them to Come Home to Communion.

These tools, other information, and a message from Bishop Johnston are available on our St. James website. Or go directly to the Diocesan website at:

<https://kcsjatholic.org/comehome>

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, 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 at 816.392.0011 victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

From the Pastor's Pen

St. Thomas Aquinas, one of the most renowned theologians in the history of the Catholic Church, had a special devotion to the presence of Christ in the Eucharist. He urged the Pope of his day, Urban IV, to establish a distinct feast in the Church calendar to honor the Eucharistic presence of Christ, which Pope Urban did in 1264. The feast of Corpus Christi became very popular and the custom of a Corpus Christi Procession was celebrated in many parts of Europe. In Rome, the procession followed a route from St. John Lateran Basilica to the Basilica of St. Mary Major. People lined the streets and, as the monstrance containing the Blessed host passed by, they would bless themselves and sometimes join in the procession to the Basilica and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The Corpus Christi procession also became quite popular in our country, though it is not often seen today. With the reform of the liturgical calendar after the Second Vatican Council, the feast of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus, celebrated on July 1, was combined with Corpus Christi and today is known as the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

This feast helps to deepen our Catholic Church teaching that Christ is truly and really present in the Eucharist. After the Reformation, most Protestant churches denied the Real Presence and taught that the presence of Jesus was only symbolic. Our Catholic Church teaches that in the Mass the bread (host) becomes for us the very presence of Christ, although the appearance remains the same. The Mass and the presence of the Risen Lord in the Eucharist remain the very heart of our Catholic worship and devotion. For the members of the Society of the Most Precious Blood, the name change of the feast was very important and significant. To receive from the cup (chalice) helps us to remember the instruction of Jesus at the Last Supper: Take and eat. Take and drink. Do this in remembrance of me. Yes, it is true that the Church teaches that Christ is fully present in the consecrated host; still receiving from the cup is a powerful sign of heeding the words of Jesus.

This feast of the Body and Blood of Christ is a golden opportunity for each of us to reaffirm his or her devotion to the Eucharist and our commitment to be present at the weekend Mass.

My prayers are with you each day.

Fr. Michael

Mass Intentions

Week of June 7 - June 13

Monday 8:15am	Deceased Loved Ones Of the Boswell Family
Tuesday 8:15am	†Rose Cilia
Wednesday 8:15am	††Ralph & Marie Rabourn †Adelaida Rosin
Thursday 8:15am	†Joanne "Pearl" Martin
Friday 8:15am	<i>Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</i> †Boni King
Saturday 5:00pm	<i>Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> †Frank Kromeich †George Tulipana †Josefina Malingo
Sunday 8:00am	†Ray Keisling †Maria Abad
10:30am	††Mike & Catherine Reddy †Dick Dietz
5:00pm	Garvey Family

Knights of Columbus - Pull-In-Pork Meal



Details
about the
meal are
on page 5
of this
bulletin

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**

Altar Server Training



As things are changing at St James, one very welcome change is the return of our altar servers!

New Servers Needed

If your child is a current 4th grader or older, or if he or she will be a 4th grader in the fall of 2021, we have three sessions set up to train them in this vital ministry. All sessions will be held in the church.

They can come:

Sunday, June 6th at 11:30am,
following the 10:30am Mass

Tuesday, June 8th at 6:30pm

Sunday, June 13th, at 9:00am,
following the 8:00am Mass

*Returning servers were trained on June 1. If your child is a returning server but couldn't make that session, he/she can come to one of the other sessions, just be sure that you let us know that they are returning.

You may choose your session on the St. James website or type the following link in your browser.

www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0c4fa9ac2ba75-server

At least one parent will need to attend the session with your child as there will be paperwork to fill out and you will need to be trained on our Ministry Scheduler software.

Mr. Ernie Collins, is joining our liturgical ministry team to train and coordinate our servers. Ernie has had a long career in parish ministry in several area parishes and looks forward to playing a bigger role here at St James. We are thrilled to welcome him to our team!

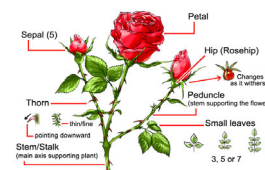
Someone is Watching and Wondering



Two of my favorite places in Kansas City are Linda Hall Library and Loose Park. Although quite different, I feel peace and hope when I visit these places. As a person of

science, Linda Hall Library connects me to the past and the future, to the great accomplishments of other human beings, dedicated to answering questions about life and the universe and to a future filled with new ideas, creativity, and the search for understanding. Similarly a visit to Loose Park immerses me in the richness and diversity of life, from the spring azalea garden and flowering trees, to the beautiful rose garden, wide open space, giant trees, and wildlife. Revisiting these places brings thoughts of the complexity and inter-relationships of both the biotic and abiotic worlds, and to St. Paul's first letter to the Corinthians (Chapter 12).

Like myself, many of you enjoy gardening. My gardens have a variety of flowers and vegetables which connect me to the past. For example, my paternal grandmother grew beautiful peonies and my maternal grandmother, chrysanthemums; my mom grew roses, while my dad grew tomatoes, peppers, gladiolus and tube roses. So how does visiting a library or park and my gardens relate to I Cor 12? Simply stated, complexity. Think for a moment of the requirements for a successful garden (soil, water, light, nutrients, temperature, interactions with other species of plant and animal life, and so on. Consider the complexity of one plant, a rose (roots, stem, buds, leaves, hips (you get the idea). Now consider humanity. Every individual, throughout all time, is unique, given different physical features, talents, abilities, and personalities. Each human lives in a specific place at a specific time, surrounded by other human beings different from themselves. Every human being must be cared for and nurtured, thought by their elders both to survive and interact with other humans and the natural environment. Yet, I think at times we forget our dependency on both the natural world and one another, past and present.



For example, we abuse the environment, demanding more and more for our personal consumption and comfort, without considering the cost in natural resources or the pollution we generate. We want other people to exist according to "my understandings and beliefs" without considering who they are, where they live, or how they have been taught and experienced life. We rate success on income, possessions, and life-style, easily becoming self engrossed and self centered. I hope we don't forget St. Paul's words: though many, we are one body, when one suffers, we all suffer. God's diversity is love.

Your sister in Christ, *Sandy Gagnon*

Dementia Caregiver Support Group Meeting



Our first meeting will be held on June 21st from 6 to 7:30pm in the AV conference room. (lower level of our church).

Please feel free to attend even if you are not currently caring for someone with dementia but have someone who is close to you who is living with dementia.

No need to make reservations. Just join us.

If you have any questions please contact Vivian Bunch at 918-706-8949.

Pull-In-Pork Curbside Meal



Friday, June 18 • 5:00pm - 7:00pm
Just Pick Up & Go

Meal Includes Pulled Pork Sandwich
with all the fixings !
Baked Beans, Coleslaw, BBQ sauce, Chips, Cookie

Pay With

- Check
- Cash (Exact Amount Only)
- Credit Card



How To Buy Your Dinners

When you enter the parking lot, you will be directed to the drive-thru lanes - please remain in your car.
Place and pay for your order from your car and we will deliver it to you.

LUNCHTIME RECITAL SERIES

We are excited to announce that our Summer Lunchtime Recitals have returned for a second year!

This year they will be on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays from 12:00 noon - 12:45pm in the sanctuary.

We invite you to attend our "Lunchtime Recital Series" featuring musicians from St. James and others. These free and open to the public recitals will be held in the church. Each recital is approximately 45 minutes and begins at 12:00 noon.

The next recital will be on Wednesday, June 16.

Eucharistic Adoration



Exposition of the Consecrated Host (Jesus)
Every Thursday
9:00am until 9:00pm
in the Chapel.

Everyone is welcome to come for Eucharistic Adoration and be with Jesus for awhile.



Has someone you love passed away and are you dealing with the grief and sorrow? Have you experienced another loss in your life that causes you pain, like the loss of a job?

Would you like to join with others who are experiencing the same issues for support and companionship in the journey?

Studies have shown that being a part of a support group helps ease the pain and facilitates healing.

We are starting a Grief Support group here at St James for anyone who is facing loss and grief.

Join us on Mondays, June 7 through July 19 from 4pm to 5:30pm in the Parish Hall

For planning purposes pre-registration is highly recommended. Please call: Juanita Thornton at 816-883-8282 or the parish office, 816-781-4343, x200.

As always, we will honor all Covid restrictions.

"Meet Life" Campaign Donate Now Through Father's Day

"Meet Life" Campaign 2021



The "Meet Life" Campaign, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and the Respect Life Ministry is raising funds



to support the Liberty Women's Clinic and to support the Knight's national ultrasound project that funds the purchase of ultrasound machines for pro-life pregnancy centers.

Donations to this campaign can be made on-line through Father's Day weekend on the St. James website.

Love INC Wants You!



The Love INC of Clay County Board of Directors is looking for people who are passionate about serving families in need right here in Clay County.

Love INC is a partnership of local Christian churches working together, across denominational lines, to serve people in need in their local communities. Our vision is to see Christians united in purpose and fully engaged in actively living out their faith by lovingly serving people in need.

Qualifications:

Christian and member in good standing of a Love INC of Clay County Partner Church

Professional or volunteer experience with significant leadership accomplishments in business, philanthropy, church ministry, or the nonprofit sector

Commitment to a growing understanding of area people in need

Personal qualities of integrity, credibility, and a passion for improving the lives of others

Directors serve a three-year term, are eligible for re-election for a second consecutive three-year term, and can then be re-elected after one year's absence from the Board. Service on Love INC's Board is without remuneration.

To find out more, contact
David Rathbun at (816) 994-6927 or
email at drathbun@loveincoclaycounty.org

Prayer Shawl Ministry Resumes



Members of our Prayer Shawl Ministry, we are happy to announce that the Prayer Shawl Ministry is starting again on June 9.

Meetings will be held twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:00pm in the *Room of Our Lady* (Father Mike's old office) in the *Resource Center* (the former office building).

Members of this ministry knit baptismal shawls presented to parents when their child(ren) is being baptized and sympathy shawls presented at funerals to the family members of the decedent.

Donations to purchase yarn for these shawls are always appreciated.

We welcome new members to join this group.

For more information contact Jan Moubry at
nanajanmk@gmail.com
or 816-536-1008.

The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Friday, June 11



Although not a Holy Day of Obligation, the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is an important liturgical day in the Catholic Church.

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus goes back at least to the 11th century, but through the 16th century, it remained a private devotion, often tied to devotion to the Five Wounds of Christ.

The first feast of the Sacred Heart was celebrated on August 31, 1670, in Rennes, France, through the efforts of Fr. Jean Eudes (1602-1680). From Rennes, the devotion spread, but it took the visions of St. Margaret Mary Alacoque (1647-1690) for the devotion to become universal.

In all of these visions, in which Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary, the Sacred Heart of Jesus played a central role. The "great apparition," which took place on June 16, 1675, during the octave of the Feast of Corpus Christi, is the source of the modern Feast of the Sacred Heart. In that vision, Christ asked St. Margaret Mary to request that the Feast of the Sacred Heart be celebrated on the Friday after the octave (or eighth day) of the Feast of Corpus Christi, in reparation for the ingratitude of men for the sacrifice that Christ had made for them.

The Sacred Heart of Jesus represents not simply His physical heart but His love for all mankind.

The devotion became quite popular after St. Margaret Mary's death in 1690, but, because the Church initially had doubts about the validity of St. Margaret Mary's visions, it wasn't until 1765 that the feast was celebrated officially in France. Almost 100 years later, in 1856, Pope Pius IX, at the request of the French bishops, extended the feast to the universal Church. It is celebrated on the day requested by our Lord—the Friday after the octave of Corpus Christi (The Body and Blood of Christ), or 19 days after Pentecost Sunday.

**All Are Invited To Celebrate This Feast Day
At the 8:15 Mass
this Friday, June 11**

Parish Religious Education

Food Drive - The food drive originally scheduled for June 18 has been postponed to a later date.

June 23 – Mark your calendars for an Evening Under the Stars on Wednesday, June 23rd.

This will be a family event to include outdoor activities and a bonfire. Everyone in our parish is invited to attend. See details in next weekend's bulletin.

Grand Tour of Italy With Fr. Timothy

Are you feeling a bit cooped up? A little bit of cabin fever?

If so, I've got the perfect solution. Stretch your wings and join me for a tour of Italy.

We have teamed up with EF Tours to travel to Italy July 8-22, 2023. The tour is 15 days (option 2 day extension) beginning in Milan, Venice, Florence, Assisi, Pompeii, and ending in Rome. Package includes airfare from Kansas City, a tour guide, lodging and meals, and optional excursions.

This tour has 35 spots and is first come, first served. It is one of EF Tours regular and most popular tours so these spots will fill up. So if you are interested in joining me and your friends on a trip to Italy, check it out and sign up today. I'm looking forward to a great adventure and traveling with friends.



For more information and to reserve your spot, please visit:

www.grouptoursite.com/tours/italywithfathertimothy

If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call and I'll get you your answers! 816-820-2662.

Fr. Timothy

Inquiry Phase Begins for Next Diaconate Class



**Deacons
Called
To Serve**

Men, have you ever considered a new way to serve God and the Church? Has the Holy Spirit touched your heart to consider a vocation as a deacon? Wives, do you see the gifts of ordained ministry in your husband and in your marriage?

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is beginning its inquiry phase for those men who are interested in a possible vocation to the diaconate. The Office of the Diaconate will be providing information and discernment sessions throughout the diocese in Spring 2021, with the intention of beginning the next deacon formation class in January / February 2022.

The formation period is a time of discernment.

If you would like to find out more information about serving the church as a deacon, please visit the Diocesan Website at

<https://kcsjatholic.org/office/office-of-the-diaconate/>

where you can view requirements and fill out an on-line inquiry form. Once completed, one of the Deacon Directors will reach out to you and answer your questions. Or, if you prefer, you may call the Diaconate Office at (816) 714-2302.



EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

At Catholic Charities KCSJ, we can help you prepare for your job search, find employment, and advance in your career. A suitable job is vital to maintaining a healthy, stable life. Part of our mission is to extend the tools and resources necessary to help vulnerable populations (ex-offenders, those struggling with poverty, seniors, discouraged/underemployed workers, etc.) find and keep work.

In our Job Skills classes, we provide employment preparation, resume development, job search strategies, interview coaching, networking opportunities/job leads, and bus passes (as needed). Having a job that adequately supports you and your family can be the launch pad to the life of which you have always dreamed.

For more information, contact Brent Morris, Employment Specialist at bmorris@ccharities.com or 816- 659-8232.

Congratulations St. James Alumni on your graduation from St. Pius High School

<p>Lauren Bohr University of Missouri Environmental Sustainability Pathways</p> <p>Scholarships: Missouri Bright Flight, MU Scholars & Alumni, St. Pius X Booster Club, Kansas City Rotary International Club Honors College Acceptance: University of Arkansas, University of Missouri</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Grace Carr University of Missouri-Kansas City</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Grant Hennen Rockhurst University Financial Management Emphasis - Analytics</p> <p>Scholarships: Rockhurst, Beers, Loyola, & Alumni, Christian Academic, Truman State, Northland Chapter of Commerce</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>
<p>Cecilia Davidson Maple Woods Community College Biology</p> <p>Scholarship: MCCC-A</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Gabriel Elliott Truman State University Pre-Med/PhD-Chiropractor</p> <p>Scholarships: Truman State, Holbert, Best State, B.H., NWSU Distinguished Scholar, KCSG, Northland CAPS</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Caleb McClellan University of St. Mary (KS) Business Sports Management/Finance</p> <p>Scholarships: University of St. Mary Academic & Athletic</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>
<p>Samuel Ervie University of Missouri Accounting</p> <p>Scholarships: AO Hibernian, MU Loydence</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Chloe Grothaus University of Missouri</p> <p>Scholarships: University of Arkansas NITA, K State Purple and White, MU Loydence</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Maggie Marshall University of Arkansas Business</p> <p>Scholarships: University of Arkansas NITA, GPA Booster Club</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>
<p>Thomas Maggio Self Employed</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Thomas Janning Northwest Missouri State University Natural Resources Science Management Wildlife Conservation</p> <p>Scholarships: Rockhurst University</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>	<p>Kathryn Bohr University of Missouri Teaching</p> <p>Scholarships: MU Curators, Alumni & Legacy</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>
<p><i>St. James wishes each of you the best on your next adventures in life. We are so proud of each of you.</i></p>		<p>Kayleigh Bednar Kansas State University Industrial Engineering</p> <p>Scholarships: University of Nebraska Omaha, University of Arkansas, K State MPEB, Central Engineering & Welding Curriculum Honors College Acceptance: University of Arkansas, Kansas State University</p> <p>St. Pius X High School Class of 2021</p>

**Join Us
In Prayer
Rosary For Healing
Thursdays at 6:30pm**



Did you know that there are many in our parish who are struggling with serious health issues? Some are on our prayer chain.

And then, there are others we don't know about - they prefer to keep their health issues private.

We invite all to become "prayer warriors" and join us every Thursday at 6:30pm in the church as we pray the rosary for all those who are in need of healing prayer.

The prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well.
James 5:15

Thanks To Our Military Outreach Ministry



Pictured From left:
Ann Roberts
Puck
Kevin Casel
Gary Puck

Members of our Military Outreach Ministry added a special touch to Memorial Day by passing out poppies after all Masses in remembrance of those who served and died for our country.

Thanks to those who helped:

Joe Barry, Bob Kernell, Mark Mansfield, Eddie Baker, Glen Ahlfield, David Slater, Carl Palermo, Larry Mendyk, Pat Tritsch, Kevin Casel, Gary Puck, and Ann Roberts Puck

**Saturday Morning Faith Sharing
New Session Begins June 12**

"The Bible and the Sacraments" presented by Matthew Leonard, St Paul Center Vice President, is a dynamic eleven-part video series that unveils the mystery of the sacraments and their foundation in sacred scripture. We will examine each sacrament individually – where the sacraments come from, what they mean, and why they are so foundational to our faith.

- Lesson one: Introduction to the mysteries
- Lesson two: The ritual of the family
- Lesson three: The Waters of salvation (baptism)
- Lesson four: On a mission for God (Confirmation)
- Lesson five: The sacrificial offering (Eucharist)
- Lesson six: Lamb of God (Eucharist)
- Lesson seven: Heaven on Earth (Eucharist)
- Lesson eight: Reconciled to God (Penance)
- Lesson nine: Spiritual healing (Anointing of the sick)
- Lesson ten: Brides and bridegrooms (Marriage)
- Lesson eleven: Ordained to serve (Priesthood)

The Saturday Morning Faith Sharing classes, led by Deacon Chuck, meet at 10:00am in the Parish Hall.

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

Katie Barmann	Curtis Mathews	Christopher
Ramon Curiel	Annamae	Fernandez
Ryley Drennen	McLaughlin	Caitlyn Forgues
Sandra Eddy	Patrick Phelan	Merindah
Eleanor Hess	Lucy Reliford	Ladenthin
Brittany Jones	Joseph Angles	Michael Mason
Libby Kopp	Ava Bailey	Pamella
Bryce McCloskey	Gene Chartier	McDonald
David Roach	Wyatt Dugan	Cheryl Nalley
Amelia Aust	Connor Francis	Deborah Pickett
Anna Beyer	Hailey Hedberg	Jackson Tritz
Alex Blevins	Rachel Houck	Edward
Matthew Coultis	Tami Mast	Weixeldorfer
Julie Harned	Kaitlyn Monnig	Augustin
Tyler Holyfield	Jeffery	Alexander
Christian Koelliker	Richardson	Linda Clark
Lauren McDonald	Ashleigh	Lawrence Giglio
Conner Myers	Robinson	Pam Gordon
Brenda Rizo	Connor Swope	Linda Gross
Rome Russell	Glen Thilges	Samuel Herr
Antonina Clark	Emmett Usher	Elijah Jacobs
Scott Daldrup	Arlene White	Kaitlyn Kixmiller
Stephen	Susan	Michael Lollar
Davidson	Winingham	Mary Jane
James Green	Samuel Brabbin	Lombardo
Jacob Jimenez	Jonathan Cerilo	Caden Murphy
Henry Koch	Joe Hussey	Kari Rainey
Olive Kortum	David McDonald	Paula Ruf
Evelyn Krause	Grace Hong-An	Sarah Rupp
Angela Lombardo	Natividad	Samuel Sahlfeld
Christopher	Lauren Slocum	Annette Saitta
Mallett	Catherine Smith	Braxton Salois
Peter Mallett	Jan Agee	Cayla Saragusa
Jill Maloney	Curtis Bundy	

St. James School News



CELEBRATING OUR 2020/2021 SCHOOL YEAR

What a year it has been!!! As we reflect on this year we are so very thankful for so many things. We wanted to share with everyone some of our successes from the 2020/2021 school year.

160 DAYS

160 DAYS OF SCHOOL
St. James School has successfully completed 160 days of continuous in person learning this year.

ACADEMIC GROWTH

Our students had significant growth in reading and math as reflected by our STAR Reading and Math Assessments and the Iowa Assessments taken this spring by our 3rd - 8th graders.



SPORTS

St. James School students were able to participate in sports through the Parochial League of Kansas City.

- 5th-8th Grade Volleyball
- 3rd-8th Grade Cross Country
- 2nd-8th Grade Basketball
- 4th-8th Grade Track/Field
- 8th Grade Boys Volleyball

NUTRITION & HEALTH

Our health room workers helped our students, staff and families have a safe year at school.

Our cafe workers served more hot lunches than any other year, and delivered lunches daily to each individual classroom



Support This Year's Relay For Life



Purchase a Luminaria.

Luminarias purchased will honor those lost to cancer, survivors, those currently fighting cancer, and their caregivers.

Luminarias can still be purchased and donations can be made on-line on the St. James website.

The deadline for purchasing luminarias is **Monday, June 21.**

We invite you to attend the Relay for Life event on Saturday, June 26, from 5:00 – 11:00pm at South Valley Middle School in Liberty. The luminaria ceremony will be at 9:00pm.

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We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

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