

Saint James Catholic Community

*The Nativity of the Lord
December 25, 2022*

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*Today Is Born Our Savior,
Christ The Lord*



St. James Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule:

Weekdays: Monday - Friday, 8:15am

Saturday, 5:00pm

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

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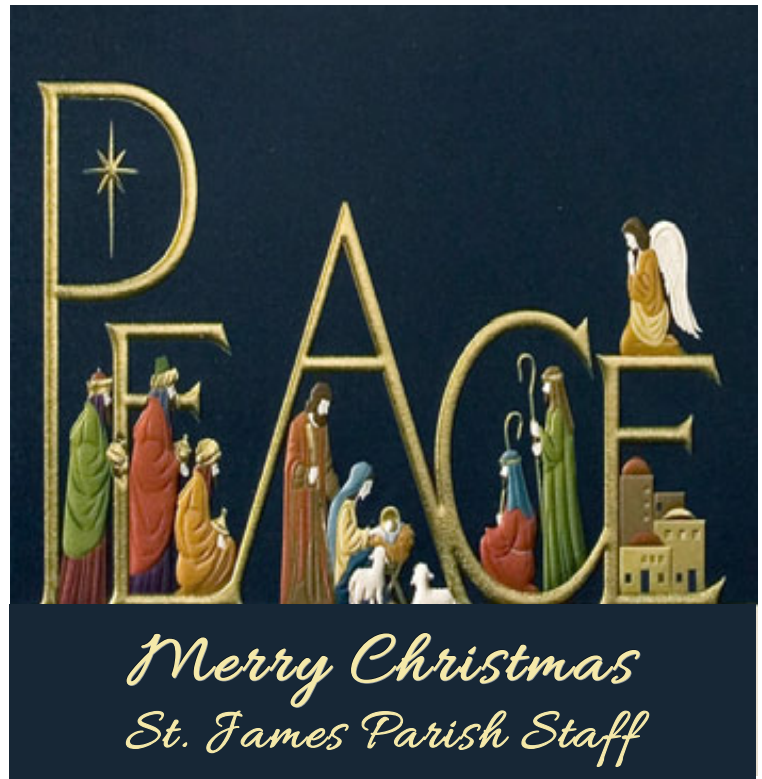
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Mission Statement

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.



HOPE Cards Holiday Sales Schedule

HOPE cards will not be sold after Sunday morning Masses on December 25 or January 1.

They are available for purchase during regular business hours in the Parish Office. The Parish office will be closed on Dec. 26 and Jan. 2.



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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

From the Pastor's Pen

On this Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, we wish you and your families the Blessings of this Christmas season.

In the midst of so much 'brokenness' in our lives and within our world, the promise of the Christ-child born among us is once again the renewed promise of God's Hope, Peace and Love coming upon the world.

That promise is not given in vain. It's for us to build our Trust upon and be that Light of Hope, Peace and Love in all that we do.

God is always faithful and promises us the grace and strength necessary to live out the message of the Gospel, the message of our faith.

On behalf of Fr. Michael and all our parish staff, a special THANK YOU to all who are such good and faithful stewards of God's many gifts.

It is so rewarding as pastor to see the generosity of people, of families in giving to those in need. And we can truly say that anyone who comes to us in need, we have been able to minister to them.

May you and your families know the Blessings of the season.

To all who may be visiting our community over the Christmas season, WELCOME.

And if you're looking for a place to call 'home', we would love to have you here at St. James.

All are welcome and honored, because each of us is that LIGHT that shatters the darkness of our world.

A Blessed Christmas and Happy New Year.

Peace,

Fr. Mike



Mass Intentions

Week of December 26 - January 1

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| Monday 8:15am | <i>St. Stephen</i> †Maggie Doedtman |
| Tuesday 8:15am | <i>St. John, Apostle</i> †Earl and Rose Starr |
| Wednesday 8:15am | <i>The Holy Innocents</i> †Ruth Ross |
| Thursday 8:15am | ††Wallace and Catherine Finley |
| Friday 8:15am | <i>The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph</i> Evan Eslick |
| Saturday 5:00pm | Family Members of Mary Jo Hopkins †Kermit Davis |
| Sunday 8:00am 10:30am 5:00pm | <i>Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God</i> Pat Cull †James Spawn No Mass |



From Death to New Life

Our prayer support is with ...

Dana and Shannon Glasford, Patrick and Katie Glasford, other family members and friends on the death of Dana and Shannon's son (Patrick and Katie's brother) Jacob who passed away on December 10.

***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. 204 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 cecilia@stjames-liberty.org

or call the Parish Office, ext. 202.

All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday

12Noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org

**Feast of the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
January 1**

Weekend Masses

Saturday December 31
at 5pm

Sunday, January 1
8:00am
10:30am

There is no 5:00pm Mass



**Thank you, St. James,
for continuing to generously support
our Advent Giving Tree ministry**



As a result of your donations, we were able to provide significant help to nine agencies within the metro area.

You truly demonstrated the love of Christ with your generosity. For many families and individuals facing uncertainty, you provided relief and hope.

Your donations provided aid to expectant mothers, Christmas

gifts to nursing home residents, and funds to support needy families, both within and outside our own parish. Due to your generosity, we will be able to continue to help needy St. James families throughout the year.

Thank you for ensuring our 2022 Advent Giving Tree remained a bright spot for those in need.

2022 Advent Giving Tree Supported:

- St James Parish, Liberty
- Bishop Sullivan Center
- Hillcrest Hope
- Love INC
- Liberty Women's Clinic
- Journey to New Life
- Kansas City Indian Center
- Ashton Court
- Cedars of Liberty

Thank you.

Advent Giving Tree Committee

Someone is Watching and Wondering



MERRY CHRISTMAS

Today we light the fifth candle on our Advent Wreath as we welcome Jesus, the baby nestled in a manger bed. What a joyous day for all Christians. Jesus, God incarnate, the **Light of the World**. Jesus rests peacefully with Mary his mother and Joseph his father. We rejoice with the angels and shepherds, praising God for this wonderous gift of new life for the world.

In the *Rite of Christian Initiation*, the newly baptized are addressed with these words, "You have been enlightened by Christ. Walk always as children of the light and keep the flame of faith alive in your hearts." Concluding my reflections on the *Peace Prayer*, I bring these words: "where there is darkness, light." Am I a child of the light? Do I keep the flame of faith alive in my heart, in my thoughts, words, and actions? As a "little christ," do I bring His light into the darkness of pain and suffering?

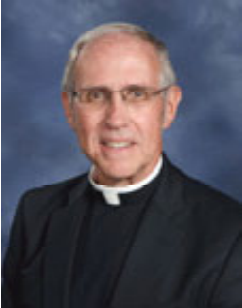
Jesus spoke to us: "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life" *John 8:12*). I know these words, yet there are times I feel alone and in darkness. I feel overwhelmed by the pain and suffering I see throughout the world. I feel small and unsure how I can be an instrument of change. Then it's Christmas once again, I feel God's unconditional love, and I am strengthened by Jesus's words: "You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven" (*Matthew 5:14*). My prayer for this Christmas is that, together, we may overcome darkness by shining His light to the world.

Your Sister in Christ Jesus, *Sandy Gagnon*

Wishing You A Blessed & Joyous Christmas

We welcome all to our parish community, where we can come together and celebrate this Christmas season, from Christmas Eve through the Feast of the Epiphany. We hold onto this season for twelve days, because we need to be reminded of the Love that God bestowed upon us in the birth of His Son.

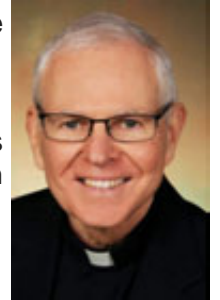
No matter what your present status in the Church, your current family or marital situation, your current personal history, your own self image, age, background, or race, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Saint James. We are here to welcome and serve you this Christmas season and beyond.



Fr. Mike Roach

Our parish is a community of believers and a spiritual family that is supportive and loving. It is a place to grow spiritually, to put your faith in action, and to use your gifts of time and talent to serve God and others.

Please know that our prayers for you and yours are with you throughout this holy season of Christmas. It is a great season of hope and grace - a season of blessing and challenge; a season of working with God's grace to help re-create our world. May peace, joy, and love be present in your lives throughout the Christmas season and each day of the New Year.



Fr. Michael Volkmer, C.P.P.S

God Bless,
Fr. Mike and Fr. Michael

Thank You Do-Dad's!!

A HUGE THANK YOU to the Do- Dads for the "sweat equity" they put forth on Saturday. With the very hard work of these men - of all ages (not all are pictured) our former sanctuary is empty of the particle board pews and carpet. This is very exciting. The desire is to get the space to a point where we as a parish can use this space for our own needs.

Things are moving forward. Knowing we need to keep our focus on paying off our church

building mortgage, we will continue to move on this space with opportunities of self-labor. As these plans develop and unfold we will continue to update the parish.

Blessings, Katie



New Pledge Cards Due Soon



Our current building fund pledge will end on December 31, 2022. We gratefully thank all who pledged to this campaign--your generosity enabled us to not only build our new church, but to also pay down the debt at an accelerated pace.

We ask you to prayerfully consider continuing your pledge. If you could continue or make a new pledge for the 2023 year, this would help us pay off our current mortgage and give us seed money to begin renovations on the former sanctuary and the Social Hall. We hope to create an event space that could be used for many parish functions, as well as provide some rental income.

Because the previous Building Fund drive had an ending date, if you would like to continue your pledge to support the renovation project, you'll need to fill out a new card. Cards for this, and cards for our annual appeal (that one is ongoing and only requires you to fill it out once) are available in the Gathering Space. If you can't remember the monthly amount that you pledged, you can just write "continue my pledge" and we'll take it from there.

The Feast of the Holy Family Of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph Friday, December 30



The Feast of the Holy Family celebrates the human family unit, as well as the ultimate family unit: Jesus, Mary, and Joseph.

The Feast of the Holy Family is not just about the Holy Family, but about our own families too. The main purpose of the Feast is to present the Holy Family as the model for all Christian families, and for

domestic life in general. Our family life becomes sanctified when we live the life of the Church within our homes.

The Holy Family feast is a good time to remember the family unit and pray for our human and spiritual families. We also may take this feast to reflect on the value and sanctity of the family unit, and to evaluate our own family life. What ways may it be improved? What would Jesus, Mary, and Joseph do?



*Glory Be Tea
December 12*



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Feast of the Holy Innocents December 28



Also called Childermas, or Innocents' Day, this feast day commemorates the massacre of the children by King Herod in his attempt to kill the infant Jesus.

These innocent lives bear witness to Christ who was persecuted from the time of His birth by a world which would not receive Him.

These children were regarded by the early church as the first martyrs, but it is uncertain when the day was first kept as a saint's day.

Our Christmas joy is tempered today by a feeling of sadness. But the Church looks principally to the glory of the children, of these innocent victims, whom she shows us in heaven following the Lamb wherever He goes.

HELP CLOTHE THOSE IN NEED BY SHARING NEW AND GENTLY USED WINTER COATS and WARM CLOTHES FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN



The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Winter Coat Drive again this year.

Many coats are needed as well as socks, gloves, scarves and other warm clothing.

The Coat drive has been extended through Christmas Day so that more can be helped.

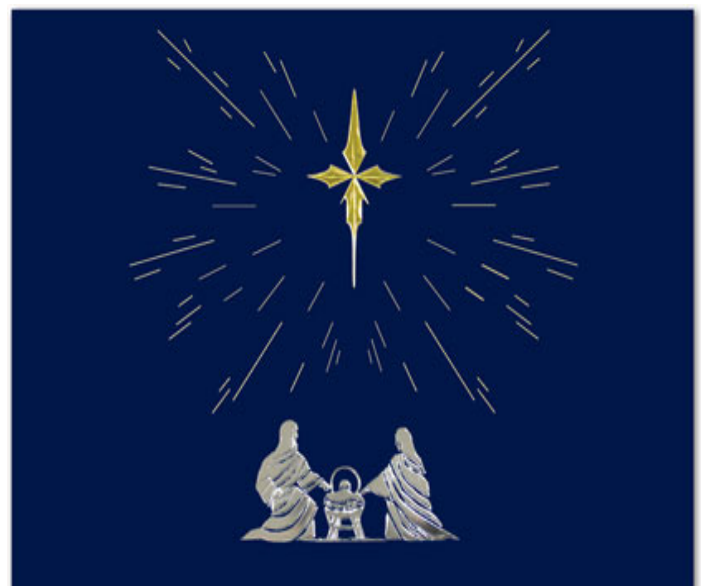
The Narthex is not available for leaving warm clothing, so monetary donations are requested instead. Please scan the QR Code below to make your donation.



Donations may also be made on the St. James website.

Your monetary donation will be sent to St. James Midtown to purchase coats and warm clothing for those in need.

Thanks For All Donations



Parish Religious Education

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There will be no RE Classes on the first Sunday of January. All RE Classes will resume on the third Sunday, January 15.

Elementary K- 5

Jan 15: Where: Parish School. Time: 9:10-10:20am. Enter / Exit through Narthex doors.

Middle School

Jan 15: Middle School RE formation sessions are being held in our parish middle school for the remainder of the year (2023). The time will remain the same, 6:00-7:30pm on the 1st and 3rd Sundays. Entrance and exit will be through the school main doors.

Grade 6 will be in the St. Stephen's classroom, Grade 7 in St. Theresa's classroom and Grade 8 in St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's classroom. Please continue to drop off and pick up at the school doors for safety issues.

Confirmation Preparation

Jan 15: From 6:00 - 7:30pm in the Parish Hall (lower level of church building). Dismissal: top level of the church.

“Camino de Santiago” Post Confirmation Group

Jan 15: Regular Session 6:00-7:30pm in the School Café. Enter and exit through the GYM doors.



COUNSELING / SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

It is said that Christmas is the most wonderful time of the year, but it is a depressing time for many.

If you are looking for ways to handle depression, consider counseling. Fr. Garry Richmeier is a Licensed Professional Marriage and Family Therapist, providing marriage, individual, and family counseling, as well as Spiritual Direction. He has offices in Liberty and in midtown Kansas City, and accepts donations in lieu of set fees.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Fr. Garry at 816-415-2998 (no text) or garrycpps@gmail.com

Novena to the Christ Child and The Holy Family



The beautiful reflections and prayers of this Novena focus on the birth of Jesus and His family in the early years of His life.

The Novena will be held weekly from 7:00 - 8:00pm on the following dates and locations.

Tuesday, December 27 in the Gathering Space
Tuesday, January 3 in the Gathering Space



**Everyone is Invited and Welcome
to Participate in This Novena.**

**Attending this Novena is a wonderful way
to prepare our hearts
for the coming of the Christ Child.**

**St. James is going to Steubenville
July 7-9, 2023!**

If you would like your teen to experience an amazing, faith-filled weekend with 5,000 other teens, please scan the QR Code and fill out the form.

Highlights of the weekend include great music, adoration, confession, and Fr. Mike Schmitz!

Steubenville is open to 2023-2024 High Schoolers, and seniors from the class of 2023.

If you have any questions, you can reach out to Amanda Lewey at amandaclewey@gmail.com.



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

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| Jeffrey Bauer | Angelo Anselmo | Krause |
| Haley Combs | Therese Aue | Tony Leonardo |
| Matthew Iske | Luca Bond | Amy Litka |
| Haley Klebenstone | Shaiyenna Burns | Yvette Lopez |
| Gabriel Lewis | Stephanie Clifton | Charles Plummer |
| Hazel Lewis | Michelle Findlay | Maxwell Scott |
| Jacob Manda | Megan Florez | Isaac Smith |
| Gene Mertz | Brian Hudnall | Hailey Smyly |
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St. James School News

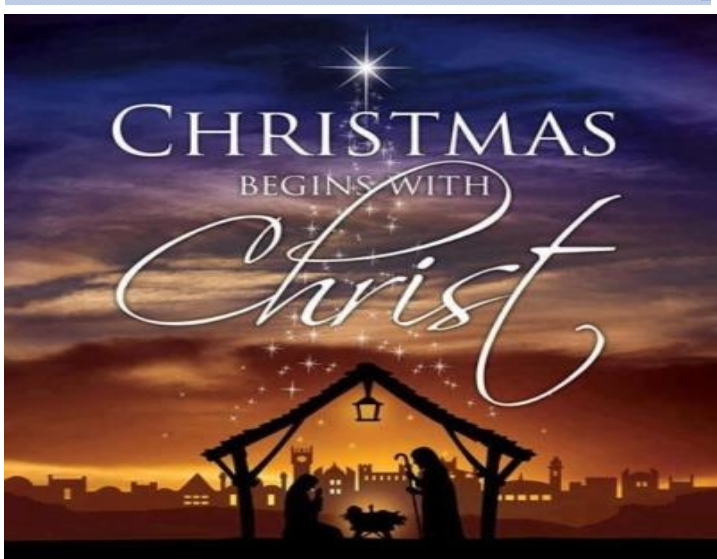
Merry Christmas

from the students and staff
at St. James School



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.



We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

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NEW SEASON

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The Light of Men

THAT MAN IS YOU!

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

6:00 Rosary
6:20 Complementary Breakfast
6:45 Program
7:15 Discussion

All Men Are Encouraged And Invited To Attend

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

Join Us In Prayer

Rosary For Healing

Thursdays at 6:30pm

MOTHERS & MUNCHKINS

Every Tuesday

Daily Mass: St. Andrew The Apostle @ 7:30am
St. James Catholic Church @ 8:15am

Park: 9am-10:30am (Calendar in app has location)

All ages are welcome to join. I encourage you to bring your favorite snack and a rosary. To find out more, scan the QR code to join our group. If you need to contact me, I can be reached at:

(816) 372-1187

-Jennifer Bishop

Eucharistic Adoration

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Thursday from 9:00am until 9:00pm in the Chapel.

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