

# Saint James Catholic Community

*Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 24, 2025*

**CLOSER**

God • Church • Community  
Together We Can Do Great Things



*Go Out To All The World  
And Tell The Good News*

*Psalm 117:1-2*

## **St. James Catholic Church**

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00am-12:00noon

School (816) 781-4428

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, 10:30am, 5:00pm

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

## Our Pastoral Team

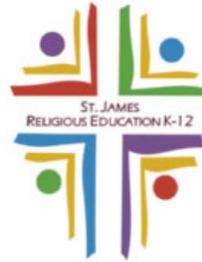
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## Mission Statement

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.



## In-Person Registration For All Religious Education Programs K-12 This Weekend

If you have not taken advantage of registering your child in our religious education programs using our on-line registration process, in-person registration for the following RE K-12 programs will be available in the Gathering Space after all Masses this weekend. .

- Elementary grades K-6
- Sacramental Preparation:  
*1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion*
- Confirmation (7th grade and above)
- Camino (High School and Middle School)

If you registered on-line, you may also pay your fees at this time. As an alternative, you may pay your fees using the RE Fees envelope, available in the Gathering Space book rack or in the parish office or putting it in the weekend collection basket.

## On-Line Registration Still Available on the St. James Website

### The Parish Office Will Be Closed On Labor Day Monday, September 1

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), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, at 816.213.6024 or [ombudsman@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:ombudsman@diocesekcsj.org).

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator (VAC) at [victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org) or 816.714.2357, ext 516 or for more information.

## From the Pastor's Pen

In 1959, Pope John XXIII surprised the Church and the world by announcing his intention to summon an ecumenical council. He felt that the Church needed an "updating," as well as vigor to challenge the secular world. All the world's bishops would be in attendance as well as other invited guests.

The Council began on October 1, 1962, and concluded on December 8, 1965. The Council issued 16 documents. Four of them were called "constitutions": Sacrosanctum Concilium (on the Sacred Liturgy); Dei Verbum (On Divine Revelation); Lumen Gentium (on the Church); Gaudium et Spes (the Church in the Modern World). Nine of the documents were called "decrees" The topics were the Media, Eastern Catholics, Ecumenism, Religious Life, Priestly Training, The Role of the Laity, Mission Activity, and the Role of Priests. The final three documents were called "declarations": On Education, Non-Catholic Religions; and Christian Freedom. It has been 60 years since the conclusion of the Council. The full implications of the Council documents are still being considered. The Synod summoned by Pope Francis was a continuation of the reflection. Perhaps many Catholics would not be fully involved in the implications of the documents, but all should know the basic intentions of the Church in issuing these teachings.

Perhaps the Council document that has most affected the role of the laity is the Constitution on the Liturgy, the public worship of the Church. The document seeks (1) to give vigor to the worship of the Church; (2) to adapt what is changeable to the needs of today; (3) to promote union among all who belong to Christ; (4) to strengthen the Church's mission to all humankind. The documents reaffirms that the Mass is the source and summit of the Christian life. Therefore, for the liturgy to be effective, the faithful must: (1) be well disposed; (2) know what they are doing; and (3) participate.

We have come a long way since the Council. Let's continue to grow and learn.

My prayers are with you each day.

Fr. Michael

## Mass Intentions

### Week of August 25 - August 31

**Monday**

8:15am

†Rick Skalla

†Patricia Potusek

**Tuesday**

8:15am

†Tom Pfeiffer

†Bill Korte

**Wednesday**

8:15am

St. Monica

††Robert & Marge Moyer

**Thursday**

8:15am

St. Augustine

†Tina Burnett

†Jerome Harrison

**Friday**

8:15am

The Passion of St. John the Baptist

Kathy Kissel

Nancy Streeter

**Saturday**

5:00pm

†Lee Vioral, Jr.

†Rusty Holt

**Sunday**

8:00am

†Jerry Donnici

10:30am

†Donna Sellmeyer

†Jeanette Caponetto

5:00pm

St. James Parishioners



### *From Death to New Life*

#### ***Our prayer support is with ...***

Paula Donnici, her family and friends, on the death of her son Jerry who passed away on August 8.

Jeanne Greenwald, her family and friends on the recent death of her brother-in-law Jerome Harrison.

Elaine Martin, her family and friends, on the death of her husband Donald who passed away on August 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:**

Saturday 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 on-line or 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:**

**stjamesoffice@stjames-liberty.org**

or call the Parish Office, ext. 202.

**All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday 12noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org**

## Music Ministry Fall Registration Now Open!



Do you love to sing or play an instrument? Now is the perfect time to get involved in the vibrant Music Ministry at St. James!

Registration is open for all of our ensembles, including the Parish Choir (adult choir), Handbell Choir, Music Group, and Children's Choir (Grades 2-5).

We're also excited to introduce two new opportunities: a Youth Ensemble for middle and high school students, and a new choir for the 8:00am Mass. In addition, we are seeking instrumentalists interested in forming a new instrumental ensemble to enrich our liturgies.

All ensembles begin the first week of September, so now is the time to sign up! You can register by scanning the QR codes below or by contacting Sam Fleming, Director of Music and Liturgy, at [dlm@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:dlm@stjames-liberty.org).

**Come share your gifts  
and help lead our parish in joyful praise!**



Register for Adult Ensembles!



Register for Children & Youth Ensembles!

**Blood  
Emergency**



Community Blood Center (CBC) has declared a **blood emergency** due to a sharp, ongoing decline in local blood donations.

With less than a 1-2 day supply of  
**O Positive type,**

patients across Kansas City and the surrounding areas - including trauma victims, cancer patients, and surgery patients - are at serious risk.

With trauma season upon us, accidents and emergencies are on the rise - and so is the urgent need for lifesaving blood donations. Your support is crucial right now.

**Your blood type is urgently needed to help save lives.** Call **877.468.6844** to book your appointment.

## Meditating Moments



Last week I wrote: "there are no limits placed by God. **All are welcome to receive!** Unfortunately we humans are the ones who place God's love, grace, mercy, forgiveness, and salvation in little boxes, which we construct as some kind of reward for our piety, thereby excluding every individual who experiences God differently, or who is still searching for their unique path in life." While writing those words I was reminded of this picture that hung in my primary grade (kindergarten - 4th grade) Sunday School room. Gazing at this picture I loved Jesus, however, I didn't understand the meaning until many years later when someone pointed out the absence of a door handle with which Jesus could open the door. I now believe the door is an image of my heart. Knock as he might, I must open my heart and allow Jesus to enter into the center of my life. I have free-will to choose. I can keep myself closed to Jesus, the workings of the Holy Spirit, and the love, grace, and mercy of our heavenly Father or I can open my doors and receive grace. I realize all too often that I close myself into created private rooms and boxes, not permitting Jesus to enter and lead me along the path of hope. There are times when remaining closed and cut off appears easier; I feel sheltered and protected. Unfortunately, light always seems to break through the cracks, and I am forced to see the darkness created by my isolation, for what it is.

Being completely honest, light breaking my darkness is when I find myself fervently seeking God. In meditation, reading scripture, and praying, I turn to Jesus for forgiveness and guidance. I open the door to his welcoming gaze and loving embrace. In the quiet of my inner being I feel His peace and welcome His forgiveness. Without any concrete action on my part, I sense a new direction, ways in which I can reach out to others and share His loving kindness and hope. In fact, I feel a freedom and security that was never real in my closed off places. I welcome the unconditional love evident in the crucifixion of Jesus, acknowledge the ways I continue to reject Him, His pure goodness and love.

What a privilege to choose to open myself to Jesus as He continues to knock on the door of my heart, seeking only my love and willingness to follow Him.

Your Sister in Christ, *Sandy Landuyt Gagnon*



### THAT MAN IS YOU!

is an interactive men's program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive. By honestly addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, That Man is You! seeks to form men who will be capable of transforming homes and society.

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THAT MAN IS YOU!



## BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

THE VISION OF MAN FULLY ALIVE

7 DYNAMIC SPEAKERS | NEWLY FILMED | MORE RELEVANT THAN EVER

#### LIFE-TRANSFORMING CONTENT:

Identify the four leadership roles of men and the five traits essential for authentic male leadership. Recognize Satan's ongoing attack on true leadership and how Christ models perfect leadership, extending that calling to all men. Understand the three core orientations through which we encounter God, the three main spiritual temptations, and how to overcome them. Establish a personal spiritual plan.

#### THAT MAN IS YOU! HAS PROVEN TO:

- Facilitate a personal encounter and relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Meet men wherever they are in their spiritual lives and help them take one step further.
- Turn the hearts of fathers to their spouse and children.
- Form authentic leaders capable of transforming their families and greater society.
- Form bonds of friendship and fellowship that strengthen the parish community.

#### PROGRAM INFORMATION:

Saturday Mornings  
Beginning Sept 20th  
St. James Parish Hall

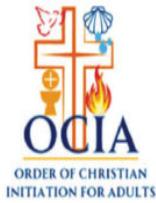
#### SCHEDULE:

6:20 Breakfast  
6:45 Video  
7:15 Discussion

#### REGISTRATION:

Scan the QR Code to Register  
or contact  
David Jones 816-868-5718

### OCIA ~ Order of Christian Initiation of Adults



OCIA is the process by which adults journey into full communion with the Catholic Church.

#### Interested in becoming Catholic?

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic, please provide Matt Maggi,

Director of the Order of Christian Initiation, with your contact information by scanning this QR Code. You can also email your information to him at [OICA@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:OICA@stjames-liberty.org).



Additionally, if you are Catholic and interested in becoming a sponsor for those journeying to join our faith community, contact Matt at the email above and he will share the expectations of this important role.



**Saturday  
September 6  
8:00 AM**  
**Excelsior Springs Golf Club**  
1201 E Golf Hill Drive, E Springs, MO  
7:00 Check In  
7:45 Call to Carts & Welcome  
8:00 Tee Off  
12:30 Lunch & Awards

### Fifth Annual Golf Tournament District 3 Knights of Columbus

Join us for a great day of golf and fun while supporting Right to Life in your local community.

Registration - \$500 per team - Team Captain registers for team

Sponsorships - Hole Sponsors \$200 - Contest Sponsorships \$500

Exclusive Hole Sponsor - \$500 - Exclusive sponsor for a hole

Awards - First, second & third place, Longest Drive, Closest to the pin, Longest putt

Questions?: Contact Brandon Werth at [b\\_dub0@hotmail.com](mailto:b_dub0@hotmail.com) or 785.623.6867



For More Information and/or  
To Register  
Scan the QR Code  
or Register on the SJ Website

### Scouting At St. James



St James Scouting Unit 214 invites your child to join our Cub Scouts or Boy Scouts.



We are having a recruiting and informational picnic on Sunday September 7th.

Contact Michael Kieffer at 816-781-3063 to obtain location and time.

### An Invitation to Join the St. James Altar Society



A member of our St. James Altar Society will be at all Masses this weekend to share information about the Altar Society - who we are and what we do.

Members will also be in the Gathering Space after each Mass with brochures about our society and to answer any questions you may have.

**Our First Meeting of our New Year, which includes a Potluck Supper, is Tuesday, September 2 at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall.**

**Come And See  
What We're All About**

### Save The Date St. Lorenzo Feast Day ~ September 25



The Filipino community of St James would like to invite all parishioners to its annual celebration of the feast day of Saint Lorenzo Ruiz, the Philippines' patron saint of overseas workers and migrants.

The celebration will start with a Holy Mass on Thursday, September 25 at 6pm followed by a light supper featuring traditional Filipino delicacies.

#### Early Bulletin Deadline For September 7 Bulletin

In order to meet our Bulletin printer's early deadline for the September 7 bulletin, articles and information must be submitted no later than end of day Wednesday, August 27.

**At St. James - Parish Hall - Sept. 11 - 6:30pm**

# An Evening of Conversation for Parents with Bishop Johnston on *The Way*

**All sessions will begin at 6:30 pm  
and will conclude at 8:00 pm.**

- ◆ **Monday, August 25th:**  
Our Lady of Guadalupe, St. Joseph
- ◆ **Thursday, August 28th:**  
Visitation, Kansas City
- ◆ **Wednesday, September 3rd:**  
St. Thomas More, Kansas City
- ◆ **Thursday, September 11th:**  
St. James, Liberty
- ◆ **Wednesday, September 17th:**  
St. John Francis Regis, Kansas City (Spanish)
- ◆ **Thursday, September 18th:**  
Our Lady of the Presentation, Lee's Summit
- ◆ **Wednesday, September 24th:**  
St. Therese North, Parkville
- ◆ **Monday, September 29th:**  
Holy Rosary, Clinton

Bishop Johnston invites all parents of the diocese to join him, along with staff from the Office of Domestic Church & Discipleship, for an opportunity to discuss the elements of our diocesan vision known as *The Way: Youth to Young Adult Initiative*.

Learn more about *The Way*:



[kcsjatholic.org/theway](https://kcsjatholic.org/theway)

***Raising children in The Faith is a  
challenge, and the Church wants to help!***

## Parish Religious Education

RE team members will be available after all Masses through August to help with registrations, collect fees, and answer any questions.

Registrations for all RE programs are also available online.

See Page 2 For More Information

### Classes for RE programs begin in September:

PreK-6th grade - 9/7 from 9:10-10:20a in the school

Confirmation - 9/7 from 6-7:15p in the Parish Hall

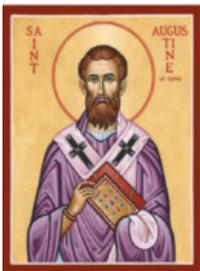
Camino - 9/14 from 6-7:30p in the Parish Hall

### Confirmation Parent/Sponsor Meetings:

Sunday, 8/24 6-7pm in the Parish Hall

Tuesday, 8/26 7-8pm in the Parish Hall

### St. Augustine Feast Day - August 28

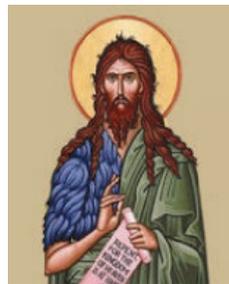


Augustine's extensive writings and teachings profoundly influenced Christian theology and Western philosophy. He grappled with complex concepts like the nature of God, original sin, and free will, shaping centuries of intellectual discourse. His work continues to be studied and debated today, making him a

fitting patron for those engaged in theological and philosophical study.

He died on August 28, 430. Augustine was canonized by popular acclaim, and later recognized as a Doctor of the Church in 1298 by Pope Boniface VIII.

### The Feast of The Passion of St. John the Baptist ~ August 29



The Passion of St. John the Baptist, commemorated on August 29th, is the Memorial of his martyrdom, specifically his beheading. It's the liturgical celebration of his death, which occurred around A.D. 30, after he was imprisoned by King Herod Antipas. Herod had John arrested and ultimately be-

headed due to John's public denunciation of Herod's unlawful marriage to Herodias, his brother's wife.

John the Baptist was known for evangelization and his baptizing of Jesus Christ. He spoke the truth with great courage in calling others to a true change of heart, and to embrace the ways of God. He did this not only by preaching, but also by example. He fasted in the desert, and prepared the way for Jesus. He had such a great courage, that he wasn't fearful of speaking out about the immoral activities of his day.

Do Dads 15th Annual

**ST. JAMES Holy Smoke BBQ CONTEST**

**LIVE MUSIC - BBQ - BEER GARDEN**

Inflatables, KofC Pulled Pork, & Food Trucks!

<p>5-10 PM St. James Catholic Church 309 S. Stewart Rd - Liberty, MO</p>	<p>Family Fun Night <b>September 19, 2025</b></p>
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Sponsored by  
*Re/Max Legacy Home Group*  
Yvette Lopez, Parishioner

BECOME A WARRIOR!

**ADMISSION DATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2030**

<b>2025</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 1</b>	Applications Open
<b>SEPTEMBER 17 OR OCTOBER 14</b>	Preparing for SPX Meetings	
<b>OCTOBER 30</b>	Open House	
<b>NOVEMBER 1</b>	Financial Aid Opens	
<b>DECEMBER 13</b>	High School Placement Test (HSPT)	
<b>DECEMBER 15</b>	Financial Aid Closes	
<b>2026</b>		
<b>JANUARY 10</b>	Make-Up HSPT	
<b>FEBRUARY 19TH OR 24TH</b>	Enrollment Meetings	

[spxkc.org](http://spxkc.org)

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

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|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Brittney Brost      | Carter Brown      | Laedyn Christie    |
| Jessica Claas       | Jessica Endaya    | Pamela Clark       |
| Melissa Clark       | Kefer             | Tanner Cruz        |
| Sarah Crouch        | Paul Fessler      | Elle Curnow        |
| Hailey Curtis       | Thomas            | Yohan Estayan      |
| MarcAnthony DeLeo   | Greenwood         | Nicholas Houck     |
| Brylee Fallon       | Christopher Hake  | Ryan Houck         |
| Megan Goens         | Luke Ingle        | Isabella Jilka     |
| Alison Heiman       | Karissa Jamboretz | Judy Keisling      |
| Eric Heiman         | Grayson Laird     | Paul Messina       |
| Montie Heisler      | Lucia Miele       | Marie Palmentere   |
| Mary Parrish        | Jill Nebel        | James Rooney       |
| Jessica Ridder      | Ainsley Neff      | Patrick Walden     |
| Addison Rockers     | Erin Phillips     | Anna Bailey        |
| Marley Schwartz     | Henry Rizzo       | Max Bamburg        |
| Mark Scott          | Janet Schultz     | Alexandra Brown    |
| Dominic Sherman     | Carrie            | Corbyn Brown       |
| Kaitlyn Sprung      | Tebbenkamp        | Olivia Ervie       |
| Mary Thompson       | James Tucker      | Jacqueline Filardo |
| Valenciana Trombino | Warren            | Alexia Kallsen     |
| Grace Angles        | Unterreiner       | Quinn Knabe        |
| Lydia Arnold        | Jim Wiederholt    | Timothy Mehaffy    |
| Joy Brecht          | Everly Winkler    | Dominic Reliford   |
| David Brown         | James Zeier       | Ryan Runyan        |
| Richard Conard      | Marissa Cooper    | Rhea Becnel        |
| Mary DiGiovanna     | Isabel Dias       | John Brost         |
| George              | Rosie Geary       | Ataley             |
| Stephen Fahring     | Megan Grisham     | Cunningham         |
| Jeremy Halter       | Laura Longo       | Michael Herr       |
| Jennifer Hill       | Jim Mace          | Darius Johnson     |
| Laura Hogan         | Gregory Mancuso   | Michael Kilkenny   |
| Brecken Ryan        | Jenilee McCoy     | Zachary Koelling   |
| Aaliyah Vanderheul  | Ryun Middleton    | Jami Meier         |
| Bryan Adams         | Emma Olvera       | Jackson Mordy      |
| Kataleya Adriano    | Brendan Springer  | Anthony Palmentere |
| Tracy Anctil        | Azelie Stoeckle   | Rosalie Prather    |
| Rachael Arens       | Harrison Tritz    | Kelsey Relford     |
| Dominic Armstrong   | Anthony Zicarelli | Scott Selock       |
| William Bednar      | Chris Allen       | Devin Springer     |
|                     | Scot Bell         | Jack Watt          |
|                     | Brooks Boswell    |                    |
|                     | Steve Brabbin     |                    |

**St. James School News**

ST. JAMES CHURCH & SCHOOL PRESENTS

*Sparkles &*  
**SPURS**

ST. JAMES AUCTION 2025

OCTOBER 25 6:00 PM  
ST. JAMES SCHOOL GYM

PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS HERE




**COUNSELING / SPIRITUAL DIRECTION**

**Back To School Time**

It is back to school time and often a stressful time for families. If you would like better ways to handle stress, consider counseling.

Fr. Garry Richmeier is a Licensed Professional Marriage and Family Therapist, providing marriage, individual, and family counseling.

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 initial visit, contact Fr. Garry at 816-415-2998 (no text) or [garrycpps@gmail.com](mailto:garrycpps@gmail.com)

**Military Outreach Ministry**



Ann Marie Puck, an Accredited Veteran Service Officer, will be at St. James on Tuesday, August 26 from 4:00 to 5:30pm in the conference room behind the receptionist desk.

She be glad to answer your questions and/or can provide information about any of the VA benefits and/or services and also to help individuals in areas such as applying for federal and state benefits.

## We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

Kim Sides-Steiger	Stacy	Tyler and Sam	Jerry Kimmis	Doug & Susan Blair	John & Susan-Kelly Corsione
Kathy Kissel	Baby William	Theresa McClellan	Weston Peters	Jackie Rapp	Rodriguez Family
Joel	Kimberly Schott	Darlene Sammarco	Jamie Krisman	Jeff Lea	Scott Neibergall
Shelley	Warren Lopicka	Jenn Brunk	Darin Van Tassel	Bradley Jones	Margie Myers & Mattea
Janet	Charlie Moubry	Richard Driggers	Stephanie Stephens	Norma Molina	Pamela & James Anderson
Donnor	Theresa Bacon	Kathy Peters	Monica Myers	Ramon Mendoza, Jr. & Sr.	The Curiel Family
Bill Blackwood	John Fessler	David McDonald	Jim Mooney	Dorothy Bradford	Barb Schwery
Emma Shay	Sarah	Nick	Jean Weir	Mike Carr	Nichole Stewart
Jim and Ann Tucker	Josi Gusman	Jeff	Judy Williford	Kate Nowatzke	Kelly Gentrup
Eddie Waller	Michael Touhy	Kim Vaca	Barb May	Fran Norton's Family	The Hollomon Family
Larry & Jacqueline Bergeron	Stephanie Chadwick	Patrick	Bill May	Mike Rodriguez	Jacke & Enike Hayes
Nancy Streeter	Lindsey O.	Vickie Badac	Mary Schamel Rossfeld	Fred Massman	Carla George
Brittany Grovijohn	Mary Margaret Spark	Maria Tavares	Joseph Weir	Mary & Gabriel Wier	Kyle Sellmeyer
Nana	Cooper & Maury Maddox	Dee Fitzgibbons	John & Brody Merriman	Jake Harman	Margarita Mendoza Family
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**Please notify us to remove your name from our prayer lists when it is time.**  
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please  
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the sick

### 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.

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### Fall Sports Registrations are now active for the Parochial League of Kansas City!



The league offers volleyball for girls in 3rd-8th grade, football for boys in 2nd-8th grade, and cross country for students in 3rd-8th grade.

Students who meet these grade level criteria and are not students at St. James School may still participate as long as they are registered and active members of our religious education program through the parish.

Students who play these sports at their own school may not also participate with PLKC.

Register at [www.plkc.org/current-programs](http://www.plkc.org/current-programs)

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