

# St. James Roman Catholic Parish

## A Faith and Family Community



At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon.

And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon."

But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her.

Jesus' disciples came and asked him, "Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us."

He said in reply, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel."

But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, "Lord, help me."

He said in reply, "It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs."

She said, "Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters." Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour.

**Mt 15:21-28**

En aquel tiempo, Jesús se retiró a la comarca de Tiro y Sidón. Entonces una mujer cananea le salió al encuentro y se puso a gritar: "Señor, hijo de David, ten compasión de mí. Mi hija está terriblemente atormentada por un demonio". Jesús no le contestó una sola palabra; pero los discípulos se acercaron y le rogaban: "Atiéndela, porque viene gritando detrás de nosotros". Él les contestó: "Yo no he sido enviado sino a las ovejas descarriadas de la casa de Israel".

Ella se acercó entonces a Jesús y postrada ante él, le dijo: "¡Señor, ayúdame!" Él le respondió: "No está bien quitarles el pan a los hijos para echárselo a los perritos". Pero ella replicó: "Es cierto, Señor; pero también los perritos se comen las migajas que caen de la mesa de sus amos". Entonces Jesús le respondió: "Mujer, ¡qué grande es tu fe! Que se cumpla lo que deseas". Y en aquel mismo instante quedó curada su hija.

**Mt 15:21-28**

## Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time / XX Domingo Ordinario

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### Mission Statement

St. James Roman Catholic Parish  
is a warm and welcoming, Christ  
centered community, dedicated to  
the service of all.

### Coming Events



**PALETA SALES AFTER MASSES  
TO BENEFIT ST. JAMES**

**Adobe Mountain Drive— Ends Aug. 30**

**Family Formation Kickoff—Sept. 6th**

**BINGO Saturday, September 16th**

**Rummage Sale— October 20 & 21**

**Second Taste of St. James — Oct. 28th**

**Christmas Bazaar—Nov. 18 & 19**

**August 20, 2023 / 20 de Agosto de 2023**

**Weekend Masses † Saturday - 4:00PM**

**Sunday - 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM, 1:00PM (Español) and 6:00PM**

**Daily Mass † Wednesday - 7:00PM**

**Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-Friday-Saturday - 8:00AM**

**Holy Days † Please consult the Parish Office**

**Reconciliation † Saturday 2:00PM to 3:30PM**

**2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 6:00PM to 6:45PM**

**Parish Office Hours † Sunday - 8:30AM-1:00PM /**

**Monday-Thursday - 9:00AM-Noon & 12:30PM-4:00PM /**

**Friday - 9:00AM-Noon / Saturday - 2:00PM-5:30PM**

**Reconciliation can also be arranged with an  
appointment with a Priest on weekdays.**

**La reconciliación también se puede arreglar  
con una cita con un Sacerdote los días de semana.**

### FATHER BEN IDENTITY THEFT

Father Ben would like to bring to your attention that someone has created an E-mail Address using HIS NAME. The person is sending E-mails in his name and requesting that the receiver of the Bogus E-mail buy Amazon Cards, Scratch them, and Send the Card Numbers to the Bogus Father Ben's E-mail Address.

**(THIS IS NOT FATHER BEN!!)**

If you receive such an E-Mail asking you to do something with cards, such as Amazon, know that it is a Scam and neither Father Ben, nor Father Felix, would request this. Please do not take the action or respond to the request. Delete it immediately!

## YOUR ST. JAMES STAFF

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| † <b>Pastor</b>                     | <b>Fr. Ben Onegiu, A.J.</b>         |
| † <b>Parochial Vicar</b>            | <b>Fr. Felix Kauta, A.J.</b>        |
| † <b>Deacons</b>                    | <b>Dcn. Frank Devine</b>            |
|                                     | <b>Dcn. Marvin Hernandez</b>        |
|                                     | <b>Dcn. Ron TenBarge</b>            |
| † <b>Sisters in Residence</b>       | <b>Sr. Betty Banja, S.H.S.</b>      |
|                                     | <b>Sr. Georgina Nyayart, S.H.S.</b> |
|                                     | <b>Sr. Rose Santa Acan, S.H.S.</b>  |
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|                                     | Kristy Hillhouse                    |
|                                     | Irene Molette                       |
|                                     | Joanne Trentacoste                  |
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| Maintenance                         | Martin Sanchez                      |
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| • <b>Funeral Coordinator</b>        | Deacon Frank Devine                 |
| • <b>Bulletin Editor</b>            | Gretchen Fenninger                  |
| • <b>Communications Coordinator</b> | Thelia Morris                       |
| • <b>St. Vincent DePaul</b>         | Phone: 623-581-0728                 |
| • <b>Holy Cross Catholic</b>        | Phone: 623-936-1710                 |
| <b>Cemetery &amp; Funeral Home</b>  | (Available 24 hours)                |

## YOUR ST. JAMES COUNCIL MEMBERS

**Pastoral Council:** PastoralCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Chair - Irene Molette • Marge Beach • David Callaghan •  
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Cindy Lancaster • Ken Pritchett - Knights of Columbus  
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**Finance Council:** FinanceCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Co-Chairs - Scott Frier and Elaine Gress • Peace Agube •  
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### Online Giving

St. James is set up to do automatic payments (ACH) from your checking or savings accounts. The parish will receive your contribution, even if you are out of town or out of state.

If you are interested, please stop by the Parish Office to complete an authorization form or follow the link on our website:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/PS-1351/>

**Accounts will be debited on or after the 27th of each month.**

## THE WEEK AT ST. JAMES . . .

**Daily Mass M,T,TH,F,S at 8:00AM and Wed at 7PM**

**Mon., Aug. 21 8:00AM-DAILY MASS**

**6:30PM-8:00PM SAFETY TEAM MTG. & CELEBRATION - CONGRATULATIONS SAFETY TEAM**

**Tue., Aug. 22 8:00AM-DAILY MASS**

**9:00AM-Noon-Safe Environment Training Assistance**

**Wed., Aug. 23 6:00PM-6:45PM Reconciliation**

**7:00PM-DAILY MASS**

**Thu., Aug. 24 8:00AM-DAILY MASS**

**9:00AM-Noon-Safe Environment Training Assistance**

**5:00PM-6:30PM Español Coro Practicar**

**6:30PM-8:00PM Cursillo**

**Fri., Aug 25 8:00AM-DAILY MASS**

**8:30 Adoration**

**3:45PM-5:00PM-English Choir Practice**

**4:00PM Benediction**

**Sat., Aug 26 8:00AM-DAILY MASS**

**2:00PM-3:00PM RECONCILIATION**

**4:00PM-MASS**

**Sun., Aug 27 MASSES: 7:30, 9:00AM, 11:00AM (African Music, English Liturgy), 1:00PM (Español), 6:00PM**

**9:00AM-11:00AM Safe Environment Training Status and Other Questions**

**Sunday, August 13th 2023**

**Sunday, August 13, Offertory:**

**\$8,673.04**

**Weekly Offertory Budget:**

**\$12,653**

Our goal is for the Plate Income to cover

**Thank you for your generosity.**



## Mass Intentions

Masses are still available on the following dates:

Sep 30

Oct 7, 19, 21, 28

Those dates above have one or more Masses currently open. We encourage you to request a special day to have your Mass intentions. In an effort to accommodate everyone, we respectfully ask that requests be limited to no more than two Masses within the same week, Mon-Sat or one Sunday Mass. Please stop by the Parish office.

Day	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Comment
Mon.	21-Aug	8:00AM	Grace Miller	Birthday
Tues.	22-Aug	8:00AM	Catherine Castle	Deceased
Wed.	23-Aug	7:00PM	Cynthia Thompson	Deceased
Thurs.	24-Aug	8:00AM	Paul Borgesen	Deceased
Fri.	25-Aug	8:00AM	Irene McAloon	Deceased
Sat.	26-Aug	8:00AM	Heidi DuPuis	Special Intention
		4:00PM	Maria Coster	Deceased
Sun.	27-Aug	7:30AM	Connie Zamora	Deceased
		9:00AM	St. James Parishioners	
		11:00AM	Yonas Yohannes and Meron Tekleberham, Anniversary	
		1:00PM	Jose Jesus Ruiz Salas	Deceased
		6:00PM	Jane Landis	Deceased

### READINGS FOR THE 20th WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 21—26 August

**Mon:** Jgs 2:11-19; Mt 19:16-22  
**Tue:** Jgs 6:11-24a; Mt 19:23-30  
**Wed:** Jgs 9:6-15; Mt 20:1-16  
**Thu:** Rv 21:9b-14; Jn 1:45-51  
**Fri:** Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22;  
 Mt 22:34-40  
**Sat:** Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Mt 23:1-12

### NEXT SUNDAY, 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 22:19-23  
 Rom 11:33-36  
 Mt 16:13-20

### Saints With Feast Days This Week

Mon., Aug. 21 St. Pius X, Pope  
 Tues., Aug. 22 Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 Wed., Aug. 23 St. Rose of Lima, Virgin  
 Thru., Aug. 24 St. Bartholomew, Apostle  
 Fri., Aug. 25 St. Louis of France  
 St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every **Friday beginning at 8:30 AM and concludes at 4:00 PM.**

Come visit Jesus, the Prince of Peace, the Creator of the Universe, the Merciful Savior, for just one of these Hours.

During exposition, Jesus cannot be left unattended.

Adoration = **ONE** hour.

**We have been told that Jesus has been left alone recently. To prevent this we are requesting that we have 2 people sign up for each hour. Please stop by the office if you have an hour between 8:30 and 4 on Fridays that you can spend visiting Jesus.**

### Sacrament of Baptism

#### Sacramento de Bautismo

Please contact Terri-Ext 104.

**Must be a registered parishioner for six months.** Preparation classes are required. A brochure is available in the church foyer.

### Sacrament of Marriage

#### Sacramento de Matrimonio

Please contact Deacon Ron-Ext 100 (English) or Deacon Marvin-Ext 100 (for Spanish).

**nine months in advance.** Preparation classes are required.

### Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office when seriously ill.

**Please pray for the sick in our community, especially those from our Parish.**

Mukandinda Marie Agnes, Baylor Anderson, Fr. Frank Bartel, Joe Benedetto, Laura Conrady Blum, Frances Bonaguidi, Linda Brletic, Stephen Brown, Edith Burton, Kim Center, Bob Conrady, Joyce Coronel, Rosa Diaz, Cathy Faga, Lois Fenninger, Brian Ferber, Damas Francis, John Gill, Nancy and Don Gorny, Annie Hall and Family (Hall Family), Denie Hall, Geoff Hall, Cedara Harris, Kurt Hasper, Gloria Higginson, Brian Jones, Bud Lucy, Michael Lupo, Adriana Maldonado, Tim Matlack, Sean McCarty, Jim McComb, Connie McCowan, Michael Nicholas, Karlos Ogandhogwa, Charles Palame, Peter Palame, Sarah Paul, Ken Pritchett, Carol Scarpinato, Pamela Schuessler, Maria and Fred Sierra, Janice Swiebocki, Joyce TenBarge, Barbara Trent, Jim Trentacoste, Cynthia Alvarez Valenzuela, Anna Vuong, Dave Wilson, Rose Zaccaria, Alexis Eastrejon Zuniga

***Please also remember our homebound parishioners and their caregivers in your prayers.***

We welcome your prayer requests for your family members and friends. Direct permission from the person is needed. They will remain on the list for 30 days. If someone is seriously ill, you may request that they remain on the list for 3 months. If after 3 months they wish to remain on the prayer list, please contact the Front office. Thank you.

† Please pray for those who have died †

### Pray For All of Our Service Men and Women.

"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior." AMEN.

♦ **Articles** for the church bulletin need to be submitted and approved by administration no later than **noon on Tuesday**. Send to [bulletin@stjames-greater.com](mailto:bulletin@stjames-greater.com)

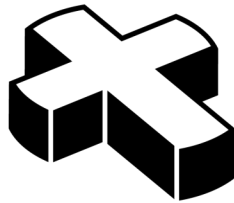
♦ **Announcements** must be submitted in writing or by email to James no later than **noon on Tuesday**. Email: [jamespoppleton@gmail.com](mailto:jamespoppleton@gmail.com)

♦ **Flyers** to advertise upcoming parish or diocesan events must be submitted to [jamespoppleton@gmail.com](mailto:jamespoppleton@gmail.com) no later than Tuesday noon to be included in the video loop for the upcoming weekend.

**All articles, announcements and flyers will be included—space permitting.**

St. James Youth Formation and Sacrament Preparation Classes 2023-2024

Registration Now Open - Please Register by August 7th in the office - For more info please email [terri@stjames-greater.com](mailto:terri@stjames-greater.com)



EDGE

Family program for families with children in **kindergarten through 6th grade**. Meets the first Wednesday of each month from Sept. to May. Parents meet in a separate room to re-view the materials they will be teaching their children at home over the course of the month, and for catechesis and fellowship, while the students are in their grade level classroom with a catechist. 6pm - 7:30pm

Program for students in 7th and 8th grade. Students meet 2nd and 3rd Tuesdays of each month from 6pm to 7:30pm. Runs September to May. *Join us for ongoing catechesis, volunteering in Parish events and fun. (Adult catechist volunteers needed.)*

Teen Sacrament Preparation classes



First Reconciliation



Students in their second year of Family Formation program **AND** in at least the 2nd grade. Meets 2nd and 3rd-Wednesdays from Septem-



Confirmation

For students in their third year of Family Formation program **AND** in at least 3rd grade. Meets 2nd and 3rd-Wednesdays from January to May. Sacraments received in May.

For 7th –12th graders in their second or third year of faith formation, (depending on age of starting formation– approval must be received prior to registering for this program) Meets most Sundays from 4:45pm to 5:45pm from Sept. 10th to March 17th. Sacraments received at Easter Vigil.

Teen Group

Teen group is for those students in high school. The group meets on most Friday evenings. Please contact James in the office





- ♦ Small group Bible Studies
  - ♦ English and Espanol Groups
  - ♦ Meeting weekly in our homes
  - ♦ Days and times vary by group
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- ♦ Estudios bíblicos en grupos pequeños
  - ♦ Grupos en Ingles y Español
  - ♦ Reunión semanal en nuestras casas
  - ♦ Los días y horarios varían según el grupo

Contact bpaulsjc@gmail.com or inquire in the Parish office



"Be not afraid!"

"Come follow me...." Prayerfully consider participating as a Liturgical Minister: *Minister of the Word, Minister of Holy Communion, and Minister of Hospitality.*

The Lord calls ....ordinary people to do extraordinary things...

The pandemic, death, aging, illness, and moving has severely altered our liturgical ministry. We seek to grow our Liturgical team for all Masses.

The Lord calls us to Stewardship; to examine our Time and Talents and to share them with one another. **Training will be provided on the 4th Monday of the month, from 6 PM-8 PM, in the church.** Retrain by Appointment.

Please leave your name and contact information with the receptionist in the church office, 623.581.0707

## We need your prayers.

Please prayerfully consider participating in the St. James Prayer Chain which is an informal email notification for prayer intentions. To become a participant, or "prayer partner", simply email [prayerchain@stjames-greater.com](mailto:prayerchain@stjames-greater.com). Your email address will be kept private.

## Do you need prayers?

Your requests for prayers can be emailed to the same address and we will include your request in our prayers. Prayers for you, loved ones, friends, etc. Please obtain permission before submitting another person.



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Tickets are discounted and \$5.00 from every ticket sold through this offer will go to Catholic School Support 365. Each participant will receive a co-branded D-backs and Diocese of Phoenix cap.

#### TICKET INFORMATION

- \$46 - DIAMOND LEVEL, CLUB RESERVE
- \$29 - LOWER LEVEL, BLEACHERS
- \$28 - UPPER LEVEL, INFIELD RESERVE
- \$24 - UPPER LEVEL, OUTFIELD RESERVE

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## ST. JAMES GIFT CARD PROGRAM

Shop right here at St James and support the parish at the same time. You choose the cards you want to purchase, pay face value of the card, and St. James will receive a percentage of the sale.

Please place your orders in the office by Sunday, August 20th 2023



Stop at the Parish Office to pick up an order form.

Questions? Contact Irene Molette at the Office, 623.581.0707



*We are sorry to say that Amazon Smile has been discontinued. Over the years you have had been kind enough to have St. James as your charity with Amazon Smile we have received a total of \$1,941.19 that includes our recent check for \$101.33! We appreciate your assistance to St. James through this charity.*

*We will be telling you about a new way to support St. James in a future Bulletin.*

**SVdP News:** The Gospel today announces that the kingdom and salvation are for all people. It is our persistent calling out to Jesus and our faith that count, for Jesus always responds.



Thank you for your generous donations to the SVdP collection this weekend, you enable us to continue assisting the poor and needy in our area.

This week our pantry needs jelly, soup, and canned fruit.

“Pray as if everything depended on God. Work as if everything depended on you.”  
St. Augustine



**FELLOWSHIP IN  
ST JAMES HALL  
SUNDAYS FOLLOWING  
THE 7:30, 9:00 AND 11:00  
MASSES!**

**COME MEET YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS  
AND HAVE DONUTS AND COFFEE (\$1.00 EA.)**



The Gift Shop is open  
Sundays 8:30 AM -12:30 PM

### Featured Item:



Ceramic statue of St John Paul the Greater is 13 ½" tall & 5" wide. His love for Mother Mary should inspire us to do the same.

**Visit St. James' Gift Shop Online!**



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Read Mary Ann's Blog:

<https://www.stjamesgreatergiftshop.org/blog>

All St James volunteers, July 1st resets our Safe Environment Renewal Status - so it is time to renew again. **Everyone must renew, clergy, staff and all.** So ministry leaders get renewed now and please help your volunteers get renewed right away. If anyone has any questions or wants help directly from Chris, our Safe Environment Coordinator, she holds regular office hours. Let us all get this done straight away, and continue doing our part in keeping our wonderful parish St James safe. Use this to sign in to do your training [CMG Connect - Catholic Mutual Group](#)



**First Anniversary Celebration for the Team on this Monday, August 21st. CONGRATULATIONS and THANK YOU to old and new members of our St. James Safety Team!**

**FOR SAFETY'S SAKE:**

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT A YOUNG CHILD DOES NOT GO TO THE RESTROOM UNATTENDED**

**Are you a Trained Medical Professional  
Who Could Assist in an Emergency?**

In an ongoing effort to make St. James a safe and welcoming community, we have decided to compile a list of all medical folks who attend St. James. This list will assist the security team in the event of a medical emergency. A part of our parishioners, are getting older and we want to make sure we can assist them if they need us. As we all know accidents do happen. Phoenix Fire will be called if something happens, but we need to account for a response time. So, if you wish to be on the list just stop by the office and leave your name, medical profession and the mass you normally attend. When you come Mass just let the hospitality person with the radio earpiece you are there. Thank you for assisting in this ministry to keep everybody safe here at St. James.

En un esfuerzo continuo por hacer de St. James una comunidad segura y acogedora, hemos decidido hacer una lista de todos los médicos que asisten a St. James. Esta lista ayudará al equipo de seguridad en caso de una emergencia médica. Una parte de nuestros feligreses son de la tercera edad y queremos asegurarnos de poder ayudarlos si nos necesitan. Como todos sabemos, los accidentes ocurren. Si algo sucede se llamarán a los paramédicos. Pero tenemos que tener en cuenta el tiempo de respuesta. Entonces, si desea estar en la lista, solo pase por la oficina y deje su nombre, profesión médica y la misa a la que asiste normalmente. Cuando venga a misa, dígame a la persona de hospitalidad con el auricular de la radio que está allí. Gracias por ayudar en este apostolado para mantener a todos seguros aquí en St. James.

**Safety Team Still Needs More Volunteers  
Please Consider doing this service for  
your fellow Parishioners!**

The Safety Team has been working hard to keep everybody safe for almost a year now. As time goes on it has become very clear we need more volunteers. The current volunteers are working almost every weekend and they need a break.

We need at least 10 more volunteers to staff this ministry properly. Please consider volunteering. It involves working an additional hour on either Saturday evening or Sunday morning/evening.

The mass you work  
is not the mass you attend.  
“The tasks are not involved and are in a written procedure so you know what is involved.” Essentially you need to observe and report. Some contact with the public, saying hello, smiling or asking a few questions if the person seems out of place, and checking some doors.

If you have questions please contact Chris in the Safe Environment/Safety Team Office. Her hours are Tuesday and Thursday 8-12 and Sunday 9-11 or by phone.



**Save The Date** – The following is the beginning of a list of the variety of events sponsored by St. James or on St. James' Property in the next few months. Many of them need help to make them a success for St. James. Please call the office if you can volunteer for any of them, 623.581.0707. **All Volunteers Please complete your Safe Environment Training. If you have any questions or problems please see Chris, she is available on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00AM to Noon and Sunday from 9:00AM to 11:00AM.**

Date	Day	Start Time	What
8/21/2023	This Monday	6:30PM—8:00PM	Safety Team Meeting and Celebration
8/28/2023	Next Monday	6:00PM-8:00PM	EM, Lector and Hospitality Training for New and Missed
8/30/2023	Wednesday	9:00AM—4:00PM	End of Drive for Adobe Mountain Kids
9/6/2023	Wednesday	6:00PM –7:30PM	Family Formation Kickoff in Church
9/8/2023	Friday	7:00PM-9:00PM	High School Edge Group
9/12/2023	Tuesday	12:00PM-2:00PM	Hooks and Needles Restart
9/12/2023	Tuesday	6:00PM-8:00PM	JR HIGH EDGE Group
9/13/2023	Wednesday	6:00PM-7:30PM	First Reconciliation Prep Class (Pre-Registration Required)
9/16/2023	Saturday	5:00PM Food 6:00PM BINGO	BINGO
9:24/2023	Sunday	4:45PM—7:00PM	Teen Confirmation Class (Pre-Registration Required) (6:00 Mass Attendance included)
9/18/2023	Monday	6:30PM-8:00PM	Sisters in Christ Restart
10/19/2023	Thursday	7:00AM	Rummage Sale Set-Up
10/20/2023	Friday	7:00AM—4:00PM	Rummage Sale
10/21/2023	Saturday	7:00AM-2:00PM	Rummage Sale
10/21/2023	Saturday	2:00PM	Rummage Sale Tear Down
10/28/2023	Saturday	TBD	Second Taste of St. James
11/1/2023	Wednesday	TBD	All Saints Day
11/2/2023	Thursday	TBD	All Souls Day
11/17/2023	Friday	TBD	Christmas Bazaar Set-up
11/18/2023	Saturday	TBD	Christmas Bazaar
11/19/2023	Sunday	TBD	Christmas Bazaar
11/23/2023	Thursday	Entire Day	Office Closed after Mass
11/24/2023	Friday	Entire Day	Office Closed after Mass


### **“PLEASEs”**

- As a Courtesy to God and your fellow attendees be on time for the start of Mass, and just to let you know (so you can be in the know) Announcements come just before the start of Mass.
- Remember that there are folks who need quiet so they can pray, some before Mass and some after.
- Take your child to the Restroom before Mass.
- Help preserve a reverent atmosphere by turning off all pagers & cell phones before entering the Church.

### **“AGRADA”**

- Como cortesía a Dios y a tus compañeros asistentes favor de estar a tiempo para el comienzo de la Misa, y solo para hacerte saber (para que puedas estar al tanto) los Anuncios se presentan justo antes del comienzo de la Misa.
- Recuerda que hay gente que necesita tranquilidad para orar, algunos antes de Misa y otros después.
- Lleve a su hija/hijo al baño antes de la Misa.
- Ayude a preservar una atmósfera reverente apagando todos los teléfonos celulares antes de entrar a la Iglesia.





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The St. James QR Code will start to be in our Pews to enable those of you who are familiar with QR Codes with an easy way to donate to St. James. Also to be honest, we are hoping it will encourage visitors who find St. James HAS The Last Mass On This Side Of Town Sunday Evening, to do some fair share contributing to us. Those of you, who are like the author of this announcement, and are not QR Code Knowledgeable, please continue your normal generosity. **Please know that however you contribute to St. James, we are very grateful to you!**



## RUMMAGE MINISTRY

Just want to thank everyone for all your help with the Back-to-School sale. We made approximately \$2600 (plus approx. \$1000 that we had already made since the last sale). I appreciated all your help - we had lots of volunteers for setup, the sale & teardown. It's wonderful to have so many responsive volunteers! And I hope that you all enjoy the time together as much as I do.

There will be plenty to sort this week. The 3 bins are already full. I will not be around much until after Labor Day, so if you need anything, please contact Joan Bogart (Joan does not have email, so please call the office and she will contact you.)

Once again, THANK YOU!!!! I will schedule a meeting before our next big sale in October.

Also, please keep Betty Gill and her husband John in your prayers. John is having some health issues.

Thanks.

Elaine



## BINGO Ministry

Our 2nd BINGO evening on June 10th raised \$2,655! A big thank you goes to all of our marvelous volunteers who worked very hard to make this BINGO a success! A thank you also to those of you who donated those nifty prizes we were able to provide. A thank you also goes out to those of you who came and ate the hot dogs and hamburgers and to all of you who played BINGO with us! Your participation makes our event a success!

September 16th, 5:00 pm will be our 3rd Bingo Night. We may have a planning meeting prior if we feel the need but nothing has been scheduled yet.



Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop

## Gift Shop Ministry

**DID YOU KNOW.....**

Our Parish has many fundraising opportunities. While we are all on budgets, I would like to encourage you to stop by the Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop located in the parish hall next to the kitchen after Mass. Come see the many new products we have added. Each week, the bulletin will list a "Feature Item." 'Flash Sales' pop up on occasion for huge savings.

Did you know we also carry birthday cards, holy cards, prayer cards, pamphlets, large print Bibles, Divine Mercy bracelets just to name a few.

Every purchase helps support St. James. We look forward to seeing you in the shop.

No time to shop on Sunday? Schedule a weekday appointment to come shop.

**Adobe Mountain School Kids**

We have an opportunity to assist the kids at Adobe Mountain School. They are in need of the following items:

- Black Ankle Socks
- Footballs, Basketballs, Soccer Balls, Volleyballs, and Frisbees (**No Baseballs**)
- Checkers,
- Chess (**Plastic Pieces Only**),
- Dominoes (**No Metal containers/boxes**),
- Uno,
- Playing Cards,
- Electronic Games with the word **"Ball"** in the title/name
- Teen Books with good morals
- Puzzles (!00-1000 pieces)
- Nail Polish
- Crayons
- Colored Markers
- Colored Pencils

Our collection of these items for the kids ends Wednesday, August 30th.



**The Second Taste of St. James**

**Saturday October 28th, Save the Date!**

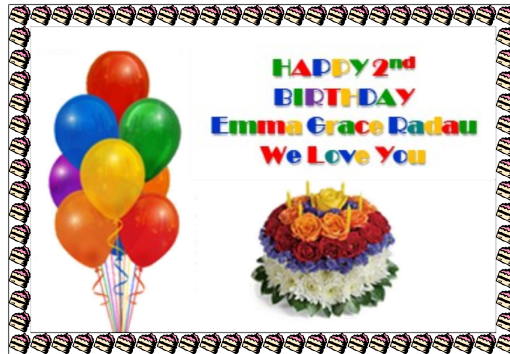
There were 13 different nationalities represented last time, how many will we have this time?

**YOU get to answer that question!**

The following assistance is needed:

- ◆ Food Providers
- ◆ Promotion/Marketing
- ◆ Ticket Sales
- ◆ Entertainment, including Children

Please call the Office if you can help in any of the areas above, 623.581.0707



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