



St. James Roman Catholic Parish

A Faith and Family Community

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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.

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

VI Domingo Ordinario

February 16, 2025 / 16 de Febrero de 2025



Giving Statements for 2024 are available at the Office, please stop by and pick yours up. Thank you for your continued generosity!
Las declaraciones de donaciones para 2024 están disponibles en la oficina, visítenos y recoja la suya. ¡Gracias por su continua generosidad!

Weekend Masses † Saturday - 4:00PM

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

Daily Mass † Wednesday - 7:00PM

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

Holy Days † Please consult the Parish Office

Reconciliation † 2nd & 4th Wednesdays - 6:00PM-6:45PM

Saturday - 2:00PM - 3:30PM, *Or by appointment / o con cita previa*

Parish Office Hours † Sunday - 8:15AM-2:00PM /

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

Friday - 9:00AM-Noon / Saturday - 2:00PM-4:00PM

St. Vincent de Paul † Pantry Phone 623-581-0728

San Vicente de Paul † Teléfono de despensa 623-581-0728

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.

SAT., FEB. 22 VOLUNTEERS DAY OF RECOLLECTION STARTING WITH THE 8AM MASS

SAT., MARCH 1 AT 8:00AM - 8:30AM CHECK IN FOR YOUTH RETREAT

SAT., MARCH 1 AT 11:00AM JIM SULLIVAN'S FUNERAL

WED., MARCH 5 - ASH WEDNESDAY

FRI., MARCH 7 - FISH FRY'S BEGIN

FRI., MARCH 7 - STATIONS OF THE CROSS BEGIN /

VIERNES 7 DE MARZO - COMIENZA EL VÍA CRUCIS

OUT OF RESPECT

WE ARE ASKING YOU TO COOPERATE WITH THE SECURITY TEAM WHEN THEY ASK YOU NOT TO (RE)ENTER THE CHURCH DURING CONSECRATION OF THE HOST AND WINE, THE READINGS, THE GOSPEL AND THE HOMILY.

POR RESPETO

LES PEDIMOS QUE COOPEREN CON EL EQUIPO DE SEGURIDAD CUANDO LES PIDAN NO (RE)ENTRAR A LA IGLESIA DURANTE LA CONSAGRACIÓN DE LA FORMA Y EL VINO, LAS LECTURAS, EL EVANGELIO Y LA HOMILÍA

IMPORTANT INFORMATION THIS WEEK / REUNIONES IMPORTANTES ESTA SEMANA

MON., FEB. 17, PRESIDENT'S DAY, CAMPUS CLOSED AFTER 8AM
DAILY MASS

TUES., FEB. 18, AT 6PM PASTORAL COUNCIL
AT 6PM K OF C LEADERSHIP
AT 6:30PM ACTIVE SHOOTER CLASS

WED., FEB. 19TH MOM'S CONFESSION MOVED TO FEB. 26TH

THURS., FEB 20 AT 6:30PM FINANCE COUNCIL

SAT., FEB. 22 DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR VOLUNTEERS
CAN BEGIN AT THE 8AM DAILY MASS
AT 9AM DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR VOLUNTEERS
ACTIVITIES BEGIN
AT 2:30PM CHOIR REHEARSAL

ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

YOUR ST. JAMES STAFF

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| † Pastor | Fr. Ben Onegiu, AJ |
| † Parochial Vicar | Fr. Felix Kauta, AJ |
| † Deacons | Dcn. Frank Devine
Dcn. Ron TenBarge |
| † Sisters in Residence | Sr. Betty Banja, S.H.S.
Sr. Rose Santa Acán, S.H.S |
| • Office Manager | Kristy Hillhouse Ext. 101 |
| Administrative Assistant | Terri Simonetta |
| • Director Liturgy & RE | Sr. Sophie Lado, S.H.S. |
| Formation Assistant | Terri Simonetta |
| Youth Minister | Brianna Chavez |
| • Director of Music | James Poppleton |
| Assistant Music Director | Mike Giacalone |
| • Receptionist | Joanne Trentacoste |
| • Facilities Manager | Rene Vera Ext 116 |
| Maintenance | Martin Sanchez |
| | Jose Millan |
| • SET Coordinator | Christina Metelski |
| • Gift Shop | Mary Ann Zimmerman Ext 120 |
| • Funeral Coordinator | Deacon Frank Devine |
| • Bulletin Editor | Gretchen Fenninger |
| • Communications Coordinator | Thelia Morris |
| • Office Volunteers | Carol Brown |
| | Grace Miller |
| | Irene Molette |
| | Bobbi Paul |
| | Angie Radau |
| • St. Vincent DePaul | Phone: 623-581-0728 |
| • Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home | Phone: 623-936-1710
(Available 24 hours) |

YOUR ST. JAMES COUNCIL MEMBERS

Pastoral Council: PastoralCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Chair - Bobbi Paul ▪ Vice Chair - Isabel Rogel ▪ Awichu Akwanya ▪ Marge Beach ▪ David Callaghan ▪ Gretchen Fenninger ▪ Jill Frier ▪ Cindy Lancaster ▪ Vince Paul - Knights of Columbus Liaison ▪ Andrew Thomas ▪ Florence Zelman-Fedde

Finance Council: FinanceCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Co-Chairs - Scott Frier and Elaine Gress ▪ Peace Agube ▪ Michael McManus ▪ Rob Miller ▪ DeAnn Norman ▪ Jim Strebler ▪ James Volz

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., Feb 17 8:00AM DAILY MASS
CAMPUS CLOSED FOR PRESIDENT'S DAY

Tue., Feb 18 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
9:00AM -11:00AM Safe Environment Training Status
2:00PM - 3:30PM Legion of Mary
6:00PM - 7:30PM Junior High Group
6:00PM - PASTORAL COUNCIL
6:00PM - K of C Leadership Meeting
6:30PM - 8:00PM Active Shooter Training

Wed., Feb 19 8:00AM Rummage Sorting
7:00PM - DAILY MASS

Thu., Feb 20 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
9:00AM -11:00AM Safe Environment Training Status
5:00PM - 6:30PM Español Coro Practicar
6:00PM - 7:30PM Teen Confirmation Class
6:30PM FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING
6:30PM - 8:00PM OCIA
7:00PM - 8:00PM English Choir Practice

Fri., Feb 21 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
8:30AM ADORATION
1:00PM - Retreat Set-up
4:00PM BENEDICTION

Sat., Feb 22 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
9:00AM - Day of Recollection for Volunteers Begins
2:00PM - 3:30 RECONCILIATION
2:30PM - 3:30PM Choir Rehearsal
4:00PM VIGIL MASS
5:00PM - 7:00PM African Choir Rehearsal

Sun., Feb 23 MASSES: 7:30 AM; 9:00AM, 11:00AM (CLOW), 1:00PM (Español, CLOW), 6:00PM Mass (Youth)
8:00 - 9:00AM Choir Rehearsal
9:00AM -11:00AM Safe Environment Training Status
7:00PM - 8:30PM Teen Group

Offertory

Sunday, February 9, 2025 Offertory:
\$10,362.24

Our goal is for the Plate Income to cover all Parish expenses.

Thank you for your generosity.



ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

Day	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Comment	Readings	Saint(s) with Feast Day
Mon.	17-Feb	8:00 AM	Romona Grishaber & Charlotte Bruce	Deceased	Genesis 4:1-15, 25; Mark 8:11-13	Seven Founders of the Order of Servites, Religious
Tues	18-Feb	8:00 AM	Wil Summers	Deceased	Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Mark 8:14-21	
Weds.	19-Feb	7:00PM	Vicky Perez	Birthday	Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22; Mark 8:22-26	
Thurs.	20-Feb	8:00 AM	John Gill	Deceased	Genesis 9:1-13; Mark 8:27-33	
Fri.	21-Feb	8:00 AM	Fred and Ernie Sierra	Deceased	Genesis 11:1-9; Mark 8:34—9:1	Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Sat.	22-Feb	8:00 AM	John Ingram, Sr.	Deceased	1 Peter 5:1-4; Matthew 16:13-19	Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle
		4:00PM	Doug Ferdig	Special Intention		
Sun.	23-Feb	7:30 AM	Geraldine Manko	80th Birthday	1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23;	Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
		9:00 AM	Alice Zambales	Deceased	1 Corinthians 15:45-49;	
		11:00 AM	Brady Leslie Adams, III	Deceased	Luke 6:27-38	
		1:00 PM	Eudocia Orozco	Special Intention		
		6:00 PM	St. James Parishioners			



Mass Intentions

Masses are still available on the following dates:

Mar 30
Apr 22, 24, 26, 27
May 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

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.



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

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.

Eric Abraham, Anaya, Baylor Anderson, Marge Beach, Kim Beatty, Joe Benedetto, Laura Conrady Blum, Stephen Brown, Timothy Castelli, Kim Center, Martha Coronado, Joyce Coronel, Ofelia Cruz and Family, Julianna DeMello, Margo Duepner, Virginia Duran, Marcus Riley Emerson and Family, Cathy Faga, Lois Fenninger, Brian Ferber, Damas Francis, Josephine Francis, Lois Fredrickson, Betty Gallegos, Robert Gallegos, Fernando Garcia, Ezexiel Gonzalez, Luisa Gonzales, Nancy and Don Gorny, Liz and Tom Grace, Geoff Grassau, Denie Hall, Sondra Hare, Weston Heiser, Richard C. Hernandez, Bill Hoelke, Dave Hornbeek, John Houder, Leslie Irwin, Ann Iusi, Brian Jones, Krista, Bud Lucy, Regina Lucy, Diana O. Macandog, Adriana Maldonado, Tom Martell, Donna Mathews, Michael Mathews, Tim Matlack, Rejy Matyniak, Sean McCarty, Jimmy McWilliams, Kim Monthie, Marie Agnes Mukandinda, Joy Navoa, Margaret Ndungu, Bill Onacki, Joe Ornelas, Eudocia Orozco, Charles Palame, Peter Palame, Vince Paul, Carolyn Pawlowski, Scott Pawlowski, Vanessa Perez-Bustos, Ken Pritchett, Elizabeth Ornelas Racanelli, Mia Racanelli, Vinnie Racanelli, Gabriel Reed, Lauren Rodriguez, Joe Ronelas, Larry Ryan, Eduardo Serna & Family, Melissa Simoes, John Sullivan, Janice Swiebocki, Francine Tackett, Connie Tirisie, Jim Trentacoste, Anthony Valencia, Cynthia Alvarez Valenzuela, Joseph Vignali, Judy Werntz

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

† Please pray for those who have died and their families †

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DIOCESE'S SEMINARIANS, AND IN PARTICULAR ST. JAMES' TWO SEMINARIANS, ULENGABE MANGYE AND NATHAN MILLER

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.

St. James Youth and Teen Formation Updates

Children's Formation



First Communion and Confirmation Preparation Class



Reminder: The next class is **February 26th at 6pm**. Parents, please check your email for information. Save the date for the Sacrament Mass on **May 24th**. **Registration for this class is closed.**



Our next Family Formation Night is March 5th at 6pm

The theme is The Church and Our Journey To Heaven

YOUTH MINISTRY



Teen Group is for students in **9th - 12th grade**. This group meets on Sundays after the 6pm Youth Mass. Please stop by the office to register. **Registration is ongoing.** Come check it out!



Teen Confirmation Class:

Our next class is February 20 at 6pm.

Please remember your books!

Dinners for the Teen Group: As mentioned previously the meeting of the Teen Group is providing dinners to help keeping the teens involved.

We would love for you to sponsor a meal for our Teen Group. From Lasagna to pizza to sandwiches, you make it, we eat it. To sign up to provide a meal you can use this QR Code:

or contact Brianna via email, brianna@stjames-greater.com.




Junior High Group is for **ALL students in 7th and 8th grade**. Students meet on Tuesdays from 6pm to 7:30pm and runs September to May. **Registration is ongoing.** Come join the fun!



Please pray for the students who are preparing to receive First Communion and Confirmation on **May 24, 2025**



- Small group Bible Studies
- English and Espanol Groups
- Meeting weekly in our homes
- Days and times vary by group

- Estudios biblicos 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 callsordinary 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 and Retraining is done by Appointment.**



OCIA at St. James

- Do you Know God?
- Do you know your place in His plan?
- Do you ever have time for Him besides Sunday's Mass?
- Have you received Baptism, Holy Communion, Penance and/or Confirmation?
- If you answered "No" to any of these, you need OCIA!!



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
ST. JOHN FISHER COUNCIL #12856
GLENDALE, AZ**

[St. John Fisher Council #12856 \(uknight.org\)](http://uknight.org)

**Monthly Meeting - 1st Tuesday of the Month
St. James Parish Hall
All Catholic Men Are Welcome**

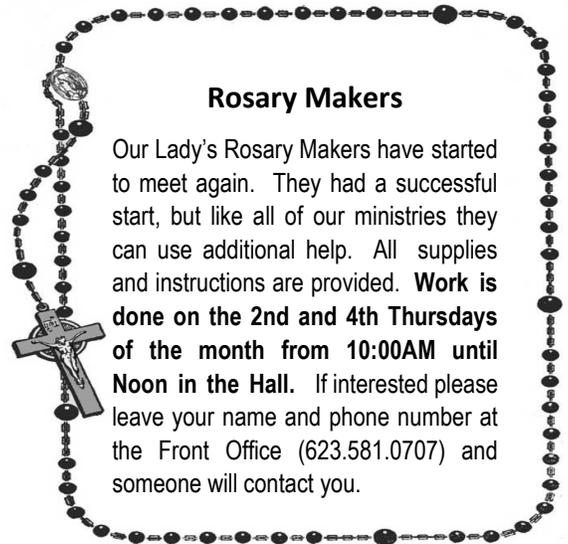


**Legion of Mary
Mother of God
Meets in St. James Hall
Tuesdays at 2:00PM**

**To Learn More
Contact Norma at (602) 565-6207**



Our ministry meets the 2nd and 4th Tues. from noon (light luncheon) to 2 pm. We create beautiful beanies, booties, Baby blankets, and more to benefit outreach programs as well as for St. James. Please join us and bring your smile, your enthusiasm and, of course, your craft.



Rosary Makers

Our Lady's Rosary Makers have started to meet again. They had a successful start, but like all of our ministries they can use additional help. All supplies and instructions are provided. **Work is done on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month from 10:00AM until Noon in the Hall.** If interested please leave your name and phone number at the Front Office (623.581.0707) and someone will contact you.



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. 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. Questions may also be sent to the above email address, or leave a message at the Parish office or 623-581-0707.



FELLOWSHIP IN ST JAMES HALL

SUNDAYS FOLLOWING

THE 7:30, 9:00 AND 11:00 MASSES!



Amazon Charity Lists

(catholiccharitiesaz.org)

Under "Central Program" List look for

Refugee Resettlement / UMP



What Can I Do To Help Stop Abortion?

www.pro.life



St. James can earn Cash from Fry's via your linking your Fry's Card to St. James.

Many Thanks to the participating St. James Parishioners! Our Thanks to those who have Already Linked their cards to St. James!

Frys Community Rewards - Fry's Food Stores (frysfood.com)



SVdP News:

In the Gospel today, Jesus gives us the blessings of serving the poor, hungry and weeping people, for you will then rejoice and leap for joy.

But Jesus also teaches us the decisiveness of choice: blessing or woe.

Choosing to help those who are suffering will fill your heart with the blessing of Jesus and indeed your reward will be great in heaven. Is God calling you to join St. Vincent de Paul? SVdP needs help on Wednesday or Saturday morning. Please call 623-581-0728 and leave a message. If not you, then who?

This week our pantry needs tuna, canned chicken and pasta sauce.

"Work as if you were to live a hundred years, pray as if you were to die tomorrow." Benjamin Franklin

GIFT SHOP

FEATURE ITEM: 10-MINUTE PRAYER CANDLE, SET OF 7, WITH HOLDER.



Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open Sundays 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Also Open by Appointment

Follow us on Instagram @stjamesgiftshop

Visit St. James' Gift Shop Online!

https://www.stjamesgreatergiftshop.org



Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop

St. James the Greater - Glendale, AZ

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All sales from our gift shop directly support St. James Parish



AZ Tax Credit Donation to SVdP

We are asking you to consider donating to St. Vincent de Paul at St. James through the Arizona Charitable Tax Credit.

A single persons can donate up to \$470 and married couples can donate up to \$938.

You would then complete Arizona State tax return Form 321, code 20540 when completing your 2024 tax return prior to 4/15/25.

Gospel -- Luke 6:17, 20-26

Jesus came down with the Twelve and stood on a stretch of level ground with a great crowd of his disciples and a large number of the people from all Judea and Jerusalem and the coastal region of Tyre and Sidon.

And raising his eyes toward his disciples he said:

“Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdom of God is yours.
Blessed are you who are now hungry, for you will be satisfied.
Blessed are you who are now weeping, for you will laugh.
Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude and insult you,
and denounce your name as evil on account of the Son of Man.
Rejoice and leap for joy on that day! Behold, your reward will be great in heaven.
For their ancestors treated the prophets in the same way.
But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.
Woe to you who are filled now, for you will be hungry.
Woe to you who laugh now, for you will grieve and weep.
Woe to you when all speak well of you, for their ancestors treated the false prophets in this way.”

Evangelio - Lucas 6, 17. 20-26

En aquel tiempo, Jesús descendió del monte con sus discípulos y sus apóstoles y se detuvo en un llano. Allí se encontraba mucha gente, que había venido tanto de Judea y de Jerusalén, como de la costa de Tiro y de Sidón.

Mirando entonces a sus discípulos, Jesús les dijo:

“Dichosos ustedes los pobres, porque de ustedes es el Reino de Dios.
Dichosos ustedes los que ahora tienen hambre, porque serán saciados.
Dichosos ustedes los que lloran ahora, porque al fin reirán.
Dichosos serán ustedes cuando los hombres los aborrezcan y los expulsen de entre ellos,
y cuando los insulten y maldigan por causa del Hijo del hombre. Alégrese ese día y
salten de gozo, porque su recompensa será grande en el cielo. Pues así trataron sus
padres a los profetas.
Pero, ¡ay de ustedes, los ricos, porque ya tienen ahora su consuelo!
Ay de ustedes, los que se hartan ahora, porque después tendrán hambre!
¡Ay de ustedes, los que ríen ahora, porque llorarán de pena!
¡Ay de ustedes, cuando todo el mundo los alabe, porque de ese modo trataron sus padres
a los falsos profetas!”



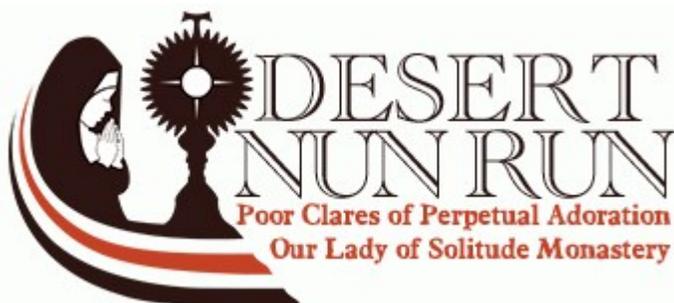
Security Active Shooter Class

There will be an Active Shooter Class on 02/18/25 at 6:30pm in the Church.

All Security Team members & Hospitality Should Attend.

ALL parishioners are encouraged to attend this training even if you have been before. All parishioners should be thinking about what to do in an emergency. Even if you have previously Practiced a review is worthwhile when faced with an emergency, Bring a family member with you.

If you are thinking about joining the Security Team this would be a good activity to attend. Volunteer are always needed for this Ministry.



NUN RUN Saturday, March 1st

The Poor Clare Nuns invite you to participate in their 16th Annual Nun Run in Tempe. They are offering 10K, 5K Run/Walk and 1 Mile Walk. Registration is \$40.00 for Adults (Early Bird by February 16th). Registration for children 18 and under is \$15.00 by Race Day. To Learn more about the Poor Clare Nuns and to register or donate, please visit their website at desertnunrun.com.

Wonderfully Made Youth Retreat



March 1, 2025

Check in: 8:00am - 8:30am

Check out: 9:00pm



Location: St. James Parish Hall

Ages: 13 - 17 years old

Registration Fee: \$25

Breakfast, lunch and dinner included

Come for fun, fellowship and learning more about who we are in the eyes of Christ!



**Scan to
Register**



"I praise you, because I am wonderfully made; wonderful are your works! My very self you know."
Psalm 139:14

Questions? Please contact Brianna Chavez
via email: brianna@stjames-greater.com

Come Join Us for Pray and Play

Join us in food, fellowship, and fun while our wonderful
Priests offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Change this month only to Wed., Feb., 26th From 9AM to 10AM

Contact Ashley Parker at Amparke92@outlook.com for more info.



Lent: A time of fasting, abstinence and almsgiving.
Join us for a simple supper of bread, soup and
water immediately after the 5pm Mass of Ash
Wednesday, March 5th.



Cuaresma: Tiempo de ayuno, abstinencia y limosna.
Únase a nosotros para una cena sencilla de pan,
sopa y agua inmediatamente después de la Misa
del Miércoles de Ceniza a las 5 p.m., 5 de marzo.

**Wednesday, March 5th
is the start of Lent.**

**Miércoles 5 de marzo
es el comienzo de la Cuaresma.**

Fish Fry-days



**Will start March 7th at 5PM
Comenzará el 7 de marzo a las 5 p.m.**

**Estaciones de la Cruz
En Español a las 6:00 p. m. el Viernes**

**Stations of the Cross
In English at 7:00PM Friday**



Estaciones
de la Cruz
Stations of
the Cross

Rummage Ministry

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteers for their work at the recent rummage sale and to all who came & shopped.

We were once again able to raise \$9,500 for St James. Please remember that this money is needed just to meet St. James' budget.

This work is done by a very small number of people and more help is always needed.

Your help in sorting or with the actual sales would be greatly appreciated.

We were blessed with wonderful weather and were grateful for the shade provided by our new roof!



Raffle
Now
Open

3 Easy Ways to Enter:
Bring completed raffle ticket to office; or
Scan the QR Code; or Online at
stjamesgreater.rallyup.com/pinetop2025

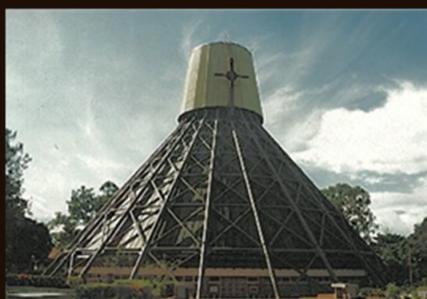
Vacation Raffle
Win a 7-day stay at the
Roundhouse Resort in the
White Mountains of Pinetop
June 13-20, 2025



Pilgrimage to Uganda

Travel with Fr. Ben & Fr. Godwin to the Uganda Martyrs Shrine
and
Zeu Primary School in the Diocese of Nebbi, Uganda Africa*
In Late May-Early June 2025

PLEASE TURN IN YOUR REGISTRATION FORM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!



*Jubilee Year of Hope
Pilgrimage to
Uganda Martyrs Shrine;
Zeu Village in
Diocese of Nebbi;
Fort Portal
Source of the Nile
More*

*Late May/Early June
2025*



Volunteer Retreat and Appreciation Luncheon

Father Ben and Father Felix cordially request the presence of all current St. James parish volunteers to participate in a **Day of Recollection on Saturday, February 22, 2025**. The Day of Recollection will begin with parish Mass at 8:00 am and close with a **thank you luncheon** for all volunteers beginning at 12:00 pm. Please join us for this special day to deepen your spirituality in this Jubilee year and reflect on your faith in Christ and service to our church.

We are truly grateful for your ongoing service and look forward to spending this meaningful time with you. May God bless you and continue to guide you in your ministry.

Please reserve your seat by noon on Tuesday, February 18th, to Bobbi Paul at bpaulsjc@gmail.com.

Retiro de Voluntarios y Almuerzo de Agradecimiento

El Padre Ben y el Padre Félix solicitan cordialmente la presencia de todos los voluntarios actuales de la parroquia de St. James para participar en el Día de Retiro el sábado 22 de febrero de 2025. El Día de Retiro comenzará con la Misa parroquial a las 8:00 a. m. y cerrará con un almuerzo de agradecimiento para todos los voluntarios a partir de las 12:00 p. m. Únase a nosotros en este día especial para profundizar su espiritualidad en este año jubilar y reflexionar sobre su fe en Cristo y el servicio a nuestra iglesia.

Estamos realmente agradecidos por su servicio continuo y esperamos pasar este tiempo significativo con usted. Que Dios los bendiga y los siga guiando en su ministerio.

Reserve su asiento antes del mediodía del martes 18 de febrero a Bobbi Paul en bpaulsjc@gmail.com.

A fond farewell to Father Godwin, who will be leaving later this week to attend a seminar in South Carolina. Toward the end of the month he will return to his duties at home.

It has been fun having you and your enthusiasm for all that was happening at St. James during your time here assisting Father Felix, while your uncle, Father Ben was back home in Uganda for his vacation.

The folks traveling to Uganda will be lucky to have you as their co-guide and we hope that you will be returning next year to assist us during Father Ben's Vacation then.

ST. JAMES GIFT CARD PROGRAM

Do you need gifts for people out of state? How about the difficult to buy for person? Support St James by purchasing gift cards from the St James Gift Card Program. Hundreds of cards are available.

There is NO cost to you and This is an easy way to support St James

You pay only the face value of the card. St James receives a percentage of the card at NO cost to you. This is just a small example of what is available:



Please have your orders into the office by Sunday, February 16th.

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

Questions? Contact Irene Molette at the Office, 623.581.0707

Services:
We offer a range of:
• Personal Care
• Non-skilled nursing
• Housekeeping
• Meal Preparation
• Socialization
• Transportation
• Hospice Care
• Medication Reminders and Support.

DAINABEL HOME CARE AGENCY

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When planning an event, no matter how large, or how small, have you thought of using the St. James Hall?
The hall provides a convenient place to gather family and friends.

Interested, contact the St. James Office, 623.581.0707.