# MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, November 21, 2016 (The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary) 6:30 p.m. James Doyle Williams Bob O'Bryan

**TUESDAY, November 22, 2016** (*Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr*) 8:00 a.m. W. H. Thomas Marie Stiles

**WEDNESDAY, November 23, 2016** (*Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr; Saint Columban, Abbot*) 8:00 a.m. Thong Ho

**THURSDAY, November 24, 2016** (Thanksgiving Day) (Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs) 9:00 a.m. Dave & Mary Willmoth Joan Hartlage

FRIDAY, November 25, 2016 (Saint Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr) 8:00 a.m. Joseph William Polin Pauline Reesor

**SATURDAY, November 26, 2016** 5:00 p.m. Ailene Lamphere

SUNDAY, November 27, 2016 (First Sunday of Advent) 8:00 a.m. Louise Wiseman Connie Cogswell 10:00 a.m. Bob Zoglmann 12:15 p.m. John Paul Altieri 5:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

# THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES

MONDAY, November 21, 2016
12:00 p.m. Finance Council Meeting, *Parish Office*6:30 p.m. Family Faith Formation, *SJS*7:00 p.m. Confession, *Church*7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*7:00 p.m. Cub Scout Pack #303 Meeting, *RTR*

TUESDAY, November 22, 2016
6:30 p.m. Bible Study, *BH Library*6:30 p.m. RCIA, *RTR*6:30 p.m. Endow Bible Study for Women, *P.O. Basement*

WEDNESDAY, November 23, 2016 SJS Not in Session & Parish Office Closed

THURSDAY, November 24, 2016 Thanksgiving Day SJS Not in Session & Parish Office Closed 12:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Dinner, SJS

FRIDAY, November 25, 2016
SJS Not in Session & Parish Office Closed
8:30 a.m.- 5:30 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church
10:00 a.m. Saint James Playgroup, BH - Lower Level

SATURDAY, November 26, 2016 8:00 a.m.- 9:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church* 3:00 p.m. Confession, *Church* 

SUNDAY, November 27, 2016 6:00 p.m. Hispanic Mass Shared Meal, *RTR* 

#### 2016-17 Parish Pastoral Council Members Lou Edmondson, Chair Ron Bryan, Social Concerns Deacon Bill Clark, Finance/Administration Geoff Clark, Parish Voice Cheri Ellis-Reeves, Secretary Paula Knowles, Stewardship/Mission Advancement Jeff Lanz, Worship Coty Oropilla, School Board Liaison Stacia Reynolds, Parish Life

Val Stokan, Faith Formation

To contact the parish council via email parishcouncil@sjschoolonline.org.

# ADORATION of the MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

- + Saturday 8:00 a.m-9:00 a.m.
- + Monday 7:00 p.m-10:00 p.m. (Following 6:30 p.m. Mass)
- + Friday 8:30 a.m-5:30 p.m.

Please consider spending one hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Find peace by simply sitting in the Presence of God.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will take place on the first Monday of each month during the 6:30 p.m. Mass.

# **CHRIST THE KING**

# SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL



We welcome all new families to the Hardin County area and offer a quality education where students can grow academically, spiritually, and socially. Please visit us at 401 Robinbrooke Blvd. Elizabethtown, KY or online at http://www.edline.net/pages/sjs-etown



Carson Ching, an Eighth grade student at Saint James Catholic School collected the food pictured as a part of his governor's project to assist in feeding the poor in the community.

# Save the Date

# 4th Annual Black and White Knight

February 4, 2017 @ 6:00 PM

Dinner catered by Swans Landing Live and Silent Auctions Entertainment by Big Black Cadillac

#### PARENTING POINTERS

From Archdiocese of Louisville Family Ministries Office This weekend is the feast of Christ the King, but Jesus rejected kingship and modeled "servant leadership." Kings have armies and thus power to enforce what they want. Servants excel in listening and seek to serve others' needs. Good leaders inspire. Talk with your children about the difference between a King, a Servant, and a Leader.





St. James Catholic School held a ☆ ☆ Veterans Day Celebration Friday November 11th  $\bigstar$ in the school gym. Approximately 80 veterans and  $\bigstar$ military service members attended. Students in ☆ grades K-2 sang patriotic songs and read a  $\bigstar$ Veterans Day Poem. A Presentation of Colors was  $\bigstar$ provided by Cub Scout Pack #303. A reception was  $\bigstar$  $\bigstar$ held immediately following to honor our veterans  $\bigstar$ for their service to the Nation. ☆

☆ Picture 1: L to R: Colonel Kathleen Porter, Lance Logan, ☆ ☆ Jack Logan, Colonel Jackie Simmons. Front Row: Andrew Emanuel, Larry Simmons ☆ Picture 2: Emma Abell, Mike Abell, Brady Abell  $\bigstar$ \*\*\*\*\*



Congratulations to the Saint James Catholic School Knowledge Masters Team on their Championship win of the Knowledge Masters Tournament held on Thursday, November 10th at HCTV. This is the second consecutive year the team has taken first place. Team members are Matthew Barnes, Carson Ching, Matthew Dyer, Emerson Harner, Nate Jarboe, and Matthew Muse. Coaches are Mrs. Belcher and Mrs. Swink.

Catholic education must continue to be available to our children and young people. Help provide that opportunity by making a bequest in your will for Catholic education at Saint James Catholic School.

# PARISH LIFE

# HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

# YOUTH GROUP:

NO YOUTH GROUP TONIGHT!!

11/27- NO YOUTH GROUP-- Thanksgiving Break 12/4- Christmas Caroling and Christmas Party!! 5:30-8:00... More info to come! 12/11-1/1- NO YOUTH GROUP-- Christmas Break!

# **CONFIRMATION:**

Please say a prayer for all of our Confirmation students that are on retreat this weekend! Come Holy Spirit! Saint James and Saint Paul, pray for them!

<u>First years:</u>

11/27- No class: Thanksgiving Break 12/4- Class 12/11- Class 12/18-1/1- No class: Christmas Break!

#### Second years:

Please keep working on your service opportunities!

For our Confirmation retreat this year, we will be bringing in the group, "His Own" from Nashville, TN. This group of three young women desire for their music to be a ministry to inspire women to come before the Lord as they are, to encounter His love and be reminded of their feminine dignity and worth, along with reaching out to young men and inspiring them to be men of God. This opportunity for our teens preparing for confirmation is a fantastic and unique way to bring the Holy Spirit to them! If you are interested in helping us offset the cost for this group, please contact Olivia at <u>odvorjak@stjames-etown.org</u> or 270-765-6268.

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> generosity. *Our sponsor of the week is: Advanced Foot and Ankle Care*

# **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

# PARISH LIFE



"Young women of St. James parish recently enjoyed a day trip to Nashville to visit the Motherhouse of the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia. While there the girls got a glimpse into religious life, visiting with the retired sisters of the congregation, playing soccer with the sisters in formation, and joining the sisters for prayers. Many thanks to Olivia Dvorjak, Monica Clark, and Maria Backe for making this day possible!"

Congratulations to three of our Saint James teens attending St. Xavier High School in Louisville for their recognition on their report cards! We are proud of you!

> Brennan Schaefer - Second Honors William Shepherd - First Honors Curry Stevens - Second Honors

#### Advent Vespers

Beginning Saturday, November 26 at 4:30 PM, the parish community of Saint James Catholic Church will pray Evening Prayer, or Vespers. This will occur every Saturday at 4:30 PM in the church, for the duration of the Advent season. Vespers is one of the liturgies of the Divine Office, and is prayed and sung during Advent and Lent in parishes around the world. All parishioners are invited to participate in the music and prayers of one of the most beautiful liturgies of the church. The service precedes the 5:00 PM mass and lasts 15 to 20 minutes.

#### **STEWARDSHIP**



#### CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Thank you for the support you have shown the Catholic Services Appeal! Saint James Catholic Church has exceeded both its

monetary and participation goals. Thank you for making this possible.

On Thanksgiving Day, area churches and Helping Hand of Hope are co-sponsoring a Thanksgiving Dinner. The meal will be hosted at Saint James Catholic School, 401 Robinbrooke Boulevard. **Dining in is from 12:00-2:00.** If you would like to volunteer time in preparation, serving or delivering meals, contact Patti Stith at stiths4@comcast.net or 270-234-6014. If you would like to donate food, contact Cheri Ellis-Reeves at bcjjj@comcast.net or 270-268-6246. 

#### PARISHIONER VISITS

Thank you for the overwhelming response to our request to open your home to Father Martin and your Saint James neighbors. We have had many generous families offer to host an evening and we are delighted to work with all of you! Our requests have resulted in a full schedule through the holiday season, so if you would like to host a gathering and have not yet contacted the parish office, please know that we can accommodate a date beginning in 2017. If you would like to plan ahead for the coming year, please contact Jennifer Moran at 270-765-6268 or

jmoran@stjames-etown.org. Thank you again for your incredible response!

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

#### WORSHIP

#### **Celebrant/ Homilist Schedule at Saint James**

Date	Mass	<u>Celebrant</u>	<u>Homilist</u>
Sat. 11/26	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Shayne	Fr. Shayne
Sun. 11/27	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Shayne	Fr. Shayne
Sun. 11/27	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Martin	Fr. Shayne
Sun. 11/27	12:15 p.m.	Fr. Martin	Fr. Shayne
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Please note:

*Presider and Homilist schedule are subject to change.* 

# **TODAY'S SCRIPTURES**

#### **Christ the King**

First Reading: 2 Samuel 5:1-3 Second Reading : Colossians 1:12-20 Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

Today we celebrate the solemnity of Our Lord Jesus, King of the Universe. Our celebration invites us to acknowledge Jesus not only as King of the Universe, but also as the ruler of our lives and hearts. One way to do this is to begin each day with prayer, where we invite Jesus to be the ruler of our lives and to use us in the ways he sees fit.

### **NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURES**

#### **First Sunday of Advent**

First Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5 Second Reading : Romans 13:11-14 Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44



#### +VOCATION VIEW+

The Lord will come when we least expect him. Is he knocking now, asking us to serve as a priest or religious? (Luke 12:49-53)

# PARISH LIFE



Wednesday, November 23 No Session: Happy Thanksgiving!

Work on Home Lessons

# Wednesday, November 30

Catechists Only (6:30 at school)

Work on Home Lessons

Wednesday, December 7

Catechesis Night! (Grade Level Sessions)



Tuesday, November 22 No Session: Happy Thanksgiving!

<u>Tuesday, November 29</u> 6:30-8pm in the Old Middle School

The Rite of Acceptance & Welcome Date Change!

**The Rite of Acceptance & Welcome will now be held during the 10am Mass on Sunday, December 4.** Please join us in the Rodney Thomas room following 10am Mass on December 4 for a simple reception to greet our Catechumens and Candidates!

# **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

# PARISH LIFE

The ministry of the Gospel of Life . . . is a precious opportunity . . . for joint efforts with Christians of other denominations . . . and with



those who profess other religions and all people of good will. *St. John Paul II –The Gospel of Life.* 91

**REFLECTION.** If your child needed emergency medical attention, you would cooperate with the medical technicians, no matter what their religion, to save the life of your child. Isn't it only right, then, to cooperate with people of a different religion in order to save the life of someone else's child?

**PRAYER.** Lord, give us the wisdom to cooperate with everyone in the fundamental task of saving lives.



SAINT VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!

Body soap, Paper Towels, Peanut Butter and Jelly.

ALL YOUR DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED. THANK YOU!!!

# Sister Augusta to Guest Speak!

The Serra Club of Louisville exists to promote vocations and to increase the spiritual formation of its members. Its next luncheon meeting is 11:45 a.m. Monday, November 21, at the Golden Corral restaurant, 4032 Taylorsville Road. The Guest speaker will be Sr. Augusta Nickel, O.P.

When you enter the restaurant, get your drink at the front cash register, but don't pay there. Wait until you get into our private room (to the right side of the building after you enter) and then pay our Treasurer, Jerry Gonsoski. Cost is \$12 for members and \$15 for non-members. For more information, call Jerry Gonsoski at 245-5392.