

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, September 18, 2017

6:30 p.m. Special Intention for Tony & Sarah Givan

TUESDAY, September 19, 2017

(Saint Januarius, Bishop & Martyr)

7:00 a.m. +Helen Meiman **(Mass is at the SJS Chapel)**

8:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY, September 20, 2017

(Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest; Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions, Martyrs)

8:00 a.m. +Alice & Charles Mulhall

THURSDAY, September 21, 2017

(Saint Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist)

(Mass will be held at the school.)

8:00 a.m. +Elizabeth Chathaparampil

FRIDAY, September 22, 2017

8:00 a.m. +John Lee Mattingly

+Mary & Dave Willmoth

SATURDAY, September 23, 2017

(Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest)

5:00 p.m. +George Lee Walker

SUNDAY, September 24, 2017

(Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

8:00 a.m. +Micki Hayden

+Derek Dvorjak

10:00 a.m. +George Ritchie, Sr.

+Bob Zoglmann

12:15 p.m. +“Bob” Hansen

+James “Michael” Pender

5:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES

MONDAY, September 18, 2017

12:00 p.m. Finance Committee Mtg, *P.O. Basement*

7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

7:00 p.m. Confession, *Church*

TUESDAY, September 19, 2017

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

12:30 p.m. St Vincent DePaul Outreach Mtg, *RTR*

1:30 p.m. 33 Days to Morning Glory “Park & Pray” *SJS*

6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop #1496 Mtg, *RTRs 1 & 2*

6:30 p.m. Tuesday Bible Study, *RTR #3*

6:30 p.m. Exploring Catholicism, *SJS (Room 226)*

6:30 p.m. RCIA, *St. James Catholic School (Room 231)*

7:00 p.m. Regional Deacon Meeting, *P.O. Basement*

WEDNESDAY, September 20, 2017

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

9:00 a.m. CWOSJ Fellowship, *Rodney Thomas Room*

9:30 a.m. CWOSJ, *Rodney Thomas Room (RTR)*

12:00 p.m. 33 Days to Morning Glory Lunch, *P.O. Basement*

5:30 p.m. Widowed Friends Group, *RTR*

6:30 p.m. Family Faith Formation, *St. James School*

7:00 p.m. Parish Choir Rehearsal, *Church*

THURSDAY, September 21, 2017

9:15 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

FRIDAY, September 22, 2017

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

6:30 p.m. Encounter Night, *Church*

SATURDAY, September 23, 2017

8:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

1:00 p.m. Wedding, *Church*

3:00 p.m. Confession, *Church*

SUNDAY, September 24, 2017

11:00 a.m. Confirmation Meeting (1st Yrs) *Rodney Thomas Room*

6:00 p.m. Hispanic Shared Meal, *Batchelder Hall*

7:00 p.m. H.S. Youth Ministry, *Youth Room*

2016-17 Parish Pastoral Council Members

Lou Edmondson, Chair

Greg Schrecke, 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

Youth Representatives: J.J. Bellware, Grace Lewis, Cate Prather

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

ADORATION of the MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday 7:00-10:00 p.m. (Following 6:30 p.m. Mass)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday* 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. (Following 8:00 a.m. Mass)

Saturday** 8:00-9:00 a.m.

*When school is in session Eucharistic Adoration on

Thursday morning will begin at 9:15 a.m.

**On the first Saturday of the month Eucharistic Adoration

will be 8:30-9:00 a.m.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET prayed 9:00 p.m. Monday;

12:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday;

and 3:00 p.m. Friday.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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>



Saint James Catholic School Students Qualify for Duke TIP Talent Search

Four Saint James Catholic School students have qualified to join the Duke University Talent Identification Program's 7th Grade Talent Search. By scoring in the top five percent nationally on their grade-level tests, these four young women have the opportunity to join the Duke TIP program which supports bright students, nurtures their academic talents, and provides the resources needed for them to reach their highest potential. "We are proud of these young women," said Sister Marie Hannah, O.P., Principal. "They are a fine representation of how Catholic education supports and encourages academic accomplishment."

Pictured from left to right: Sister Marie Hannah, O.P., Principal, Leah Schaefer, McKenna Cox, Lauren Godfrey, Molly Morton



SAVE THE DATE!!

Fall Festival is in October this year...Saturday, 10/21!

PARISH LIFE



This year, Diane Logsdon, parishioner, received one of the Kentucky Supreme Court's highest honors – the Chief Justice's Special Service Award. Chief Justice John D. Minton, Jr.,

presented the award to Logsdon at the Kentucky Bar Association's annual convention in June. The Chief Justice gave the award to Logsdon in recognition of her "extraordinary dedication to the Commonwealth and the Kentucky Court of Justice during 24 years as a lay member of the Judicial Conduct Commission and in recognition of an unwavering commitment to the highest ethical standards for Kentucky's judiciary."

Logsdon was first appointed to the Judicial Conduct Commission in 1992 and served as lay member until 2016.

Photo by Tim Webb

Matthew Keith Barnes



Member of Saint James Troop 303 and a 2017 graduate of Saint James Catholic School has earned his Eagle Scout badge! Matthew's service project included involvement in restoring over 200 trophies and transforming them into a piece of artwork. This artwork is hanging in the school cafeteria. Congratulations!

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GREATLY APPRECIATED. THANK YOU!!!**
We currently need the following: Shelf-stable microwave meals (non-refrigerated/unfrozen), cereal, hamburger helper and size 3 diapers.

FAITH FORMATION



Next Session:

Join us for **Family Team Night!**

Wed., Sept. 20, 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the School

Never been to FFF? No problem! Come join us for a family night of faith and fun!

Confirmation:

1st years: No morning class today! Please attend Fr. Leo's presentation at 2pm at the school! See you next week at 11am!

2nd years: Please start working on your service opportunity binders and choosing your sponsor.

Want to sign your teen up for confirmation?
Contact Olivia at odvorjak@stjames-etown.org

SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH



RCIA will meet **Tuesday, September 19, 6:30-8:00 pm** at Saint James Catholic School. Our focus will be, "Why is the Resurrection important?"




No Life Night tonight! Please attend Fr. Leo's presentation at 2pm at the school!

We will have Life Night again next week at 7pm in the youth room!

Fall calendar is out! Check the bulletin weekly for upcoming events!

November 4th: We will be taking an all-girls trip to the Dominican Motherhouse in Nashville! Please text Olivia if you are interested in going.

SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH



ADULT FAITH FORMATION
JOIN FELLOW CATHOLICS
IN AN EXPLORATION OF
THE RICHES OF OUR
FAITH.

EXPLORING CATHOLICISM
ASK. SEEK. FIND. MATTHEW 7:7

ASK the big questions about your faith.
SEEK answers through study and dialogue.
FIND the truth at the heart of the Church.

September Topics
Sept. 19: Happiness: How do I find it?
Sept. 26: Truth: Does it really exist?
October 3: No session for Fall Break
October 10: The Church: Can I trust her?

Meet at Saint James Catholic School*Upstairs
Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00 pm * Come Once or Come Weekly
Questions? Contact Sr. Michaela, O.P.* srmmartinez@stjames-etown.org

Come encounter the Lord
who seeks YOU!

JOIN US FOR THE FIRST
Encounter Night

MUSIC & PRAYER IN THE PRESENCE OF THE EUCHARISTIC LORD

Friday 6:30-7:30 PM Saint James Catholic Church

Young adults, youth, families, and all members of the parish are invited to Encounter Christ in an evening of praise & worship, devotional prayer, and adoration.

Questions? Contact Sr. Michaela, OP at
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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

STEWARDSHIP



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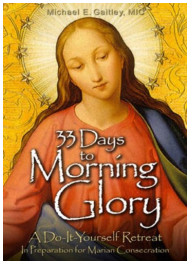
“None of us lives for oneself, and no one dies for oneself. For if we live, we live for the Lord, and if we die, we die for the Lord; so then, whether we live or die, we are the Lord’s.” *Romans 14:7-8*

The message is clear; we belong to God alone. All that a steward does is therefore done for the Lord. Whenever we assist others, we are God’s own messenger, bringing his presence to those we serve.

FAITH FORMATION

Women’s Book Study

September 10-October 13



Join the Sisters in preparation for Marian consecration with a devotional “small group retreat.” Meeting once a week to discuss Fr. Gaitley’s *33 Days to Morning Glory*, this book study and discussion group is meant to be a little dose of spiritual nourishment in the midst

of your busy day! Spread the word, this women’s study is open to all women in search of fellowship and faith.

Join us for any or all of the sessions.

Option 1: Tuesday Park and Pray! 1:30-2:30 p.m.

St. James School in the Board Room

Option 2: Wednesday Lunch Break! 12:00-1:00 p.m.

St. James Church in the Parish Office

RSVP to Sr. Michaela

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WORSHIP

Celebrant/ Homilist Schedule at Saint James

<u>Date</u>	<u>Mass</u>	<u>Celebrant</u>	<u>Homilist</u>
Sat. 9/23	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Casey	Deacon Bill
Sun. 9/24	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Casey	Deacon Bill
Sun. 9/24	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Casey	Deacon Bill
Sun. 9/24	12:15 p.m.	Fr. Casey	Deacon Bill

Please note: Presider and Homilist schedule are subject to change.

TODAY’S SCRIPTURES

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Sirach 27:30-28:7

Second Reading: Romans 14:7-9

Gospel: Matthew 18:21-35

Today’s Gospel reminds us that God freely and generously pours out his love and forgiveness upon us through our faith in Jesus and the sacraments of the Church. These gifts are given to us, not only for our salvation, but so we may share them with others, and so peace may be built up more fully in the world.

NEXT WEEK’S SCRIPTURES

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 55:6-9

Second Reading: Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a

Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16a



+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

SPECIFICALLY in the “flesh” of each human being Christ continues to show Himself to us and to lead us into communion with Him, so that to repudiate a human life in any way is truly to repudiate Christ Himself. Saint John Paul II - The Gospel of Life, 104



REFLECTION. For some people religion is too “religious.” They think they encounter or reject Christ only when speaking or thinking about Him explicitly, or only when doing or failing to do specifically religious activities. But the Church teaches clearly that we meet or reject Jesus in each human life.

PRAYER. *Jesus you are all around us. Open our eyes to Your presence in every Human Life.*

Pro-Life Reflections for Every Day

WIDOWED FRIENDS

The next Widowed Friends meeting is on **Wednesday, 20 September 2017** in the Rodney Thomas room. All widows and widowers are invited to come to the meeting. This month our new associate pastor Father Casey Sanders will be joining us. Please come and join me and Father Casey.

God Bless,

Deacon Karl

St Vincent DePaul Outreach is hosting attorneys from the Legal Aid Society from 10:00 AM to noon (if needed, longer), October 18, 2017, in Batcheldor Hall. This service is FREE to those who cannot afford an attorney and offers assistance with powers of attorney, wills, foreclosures, low-income housing, disability referral and nursing/assisted living (listing is not all inclusive) but NOT with any criminal matter or child support. If you have any questions, please contact Bob Roush at 270-737-3532.

Bulletin Deadline

10:00 a.m. **Thursday**, the week before publication.
Please email items to:
lpoverstreet@stjames-etown.org

AROUND & ABOUT

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, Monday, September 18, at the Golden Corral restaurant, 4032 Taylorsville Road. The speaker will be Mrs. Becky Glasser, Director of the Living Rosary, and a member of the Archdiocesan Marian Committee for the Archdiocese. She will speak about activities of the Marian Committee and the 100th anniversary of the Fatima apparitions. Cost is \$12 for members and \$15 for non-members. For more information, call Jerry Gonsoski at 245-5392.

Faithful Citizenship Gathering (Brown Bag) Lunch

September 19, noon, at St. Thomas Parish

Phone: (502) 348-3717

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Email: stthomas@bardstown.com

Website: <http://www.st-thomasparish.org/>

Looking for a jumpstart or a way to deepen your relationship with Christ? Want to learn more about the Holy Spirit? Why not join us this fall for a six week *Life in the Spirit Seminar*, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Louisville Office of Faith Formation?? It's only a six-night commitment! The program is open to every parish in the archdiocese. Take advantage of it being so close! Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8:30 p.m., beginning September 19, at Saint John's in Brandenburg. The cost is only \$15 per person. For more information, contact Monica Lucas 270-422-2196 or mlucas@bbtel.com.

Healing Mass

The Heart of Jesus Prayer Group will host a Charismatic Healing Service on Wednesday, September 20, 7 p. m. at Holy Family Church, 3938 Poplar Level Road. For further information, contact Paul Furmanek at 502-608-3529.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Archbishop Joseph Kurtz warmly invites couples celebrating their 30, 40, 50, 60 & 60 plus years wedding anniversary in 2017 to join others in the Archdiocese for a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Cathedral of the Assumption, 433 So. Fifth Street on Sunday, October 22 at 2:00 p.m. Family members are also invited to the celebration. Each couple will receive a certificate commemorating the occasion. **Registration is required. Call the parish office to register before Friday, October 6, 2017**