

MASS INTENTIONS

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES

MONDAY, March 4, 2019

(Saint Casimir)

6:30 p.m. +Bill Marsee

TUESDAY, March 5, 2019

7:00 a.m. +Nancy Sutherland

8:00 a.m. +Mary Dick

WEDNESDAY, March 6, 2019 (ASH WEDNESDAY)

8:00 a.m. +Carolyn & Rudolph Linebach Jr.

(At School & No Incense)

12:15 p.m. Healing: Melissa Buckles

6:30 p.m. +Denise O'Connell

THURSDAY, March 7, 2019

(Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs)

7:00 a.m. +Patricia Graff

8:00 a.m. +Jean Dudgeon

FRIDAY, March 8, 2019

(Saint John of God, Religious)

7:00 a.m. +Robert Powell

8:00 a.m. Virgil & Sarah Pierce

SATURDAY, March 9, 2019

(Saint Frances of Rome, Religious)

5:00 p.m. +Helen Howlett **(No Incense)**

SUNDAY, March 10, 2019

(First Sunday of Lent)

8:00 a.m. +Grant Thomas French

10:00 a.m. +Martha Clay **(RCIA Send-Off)**

12:15 p.m. *Missa pro populo*

MONDAY, March 4, 2019

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

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

TUESDAY, March 5, 2019

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

6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 1496 Meeting, *RTR*

6:00 p.m. Parish Council Meeting, *P. O. Basement*

6:30 p.m. RCIA, *SJS Room 231*

6:30 p.m. Exploring Catholicism, *SJS*

7:30 p.m. Respect Life Meeting, *Library*

WEDNESDAY, March 6, 2019

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

THURSDAY, March 7, 2019

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

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

FRIDAY, March 8, 2019

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

10:00 a.m. Saint James Play Group, *RTR #2*

6:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross, *Church*

SATURDAY, March 9, 2019

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

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

4:30 p.m. Lenten Vespers, *Church*

7:00 p.m. Catequistas Spanish Meeting, *RTR*

SUNDAY, March 10, 2019

9:00 a.m. Blood Drive, *Batchelder Hall*

9:00 a.m. Coffee & Donuts, *RTR*

10:00 a.m. Parish Nursery, *RTR #2*

11:00 a.m. Coffee & Donuts, *RTR*

11:30 a.m. Confirmation Year 1, *RTR #2*

11:45 a.m. RCIA Reception, *RTR*

3:00 p.m. Spanish Confirmation Class, *RTR*

5:00 p.m. Cub Scout Meeting, *RTRs*

2019-20 Parish Pastoral Council Members

Lou Edmondson, Chair

Greg Schreacke, Finance/Administration

Geoff Clark, Parish Voice

Cheri Ellis-Reeves, Secretary

Andy Medders, Faith Formation Chair

Paula Knowles, Stewardship/Mission Advancement

Jeff Lanz, Worship

Mimi Pike, Social Concerns and Outreach

Coty Oropilla, School Board Liaison

Stacia Reynolds, Parish Life

Youth Representatives: Grace Lewis and Jakob Sherrard

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



**A good tree does
not bear rotten
fruit, nor does a
rotten tree bear
good fruit.**

EIGHTH 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 www.sjschoolonline.org



Saint James Catholic School has two new registrations open for the following:
1st -8th Grade Track & Field

Anyone interested should contact Brandon Vincent at bvincent@sjschoolonline.org

Lenten Mission

Saint James Catholic Church
with **Fr. Kevin McGoldrick**
As a priest, songwriter, and musician serving in Nashville, TN, Father shares the message of God's mercy through music and prayer.

Friday, March 22
6:30pm Concert
at Saint James Catholic School

Saturday, March 23
8am-12pm Morning Retreat
at Saint James Church

- 8am Mass
- 9am Talk "Divine Mercy for our Time"
- 10am Holy Hour with led music
- 11am confessions
- Noon Fellowship

The next Red Cross blood drive will be held in Batchelder Hall from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on March 10, 2019. Due to weather conditions there is an urgent need for blood donors. We will have a drawing for a \$25.00 Olive Garden gift card. Contact Joyce Solar at joycesolar@yahoo.com for more information. Thanks for your generosity.

PARISH LIFE

See that you do not despise one of these little ones. For I tell you that in heaven their angels always see the face of my Father who is in heaven. **Matthew 18:10**



REFLECTION. Each chamber of the Kentucky legislature voted last week to pass two measures that would eventually ban most abortions. On February 14, the state Senate voted 31-6 to pass SB 9, the Heartbeat Bill. If a heartbeat is found, committing an abortion would be a class D felony (punishable by up to five years in prison).

On February 15, the State House voted 69-20 to pass HB 148 that criminalizes abortion except in cases to save the life of the mother which would include "serious, permanent impairment of a life sustaining organ."

These two bills represent strategies to contend with *Roe v. Wade* from opposite ends. Heartbeat bills, which have been introduced in nine other states in recent months ban abortion far earlier than the 1973 ruling allows, provoking a legal review pro-lifers hope will finally lead to *Roe's* overturn.

Kentucky's Governor Matt Bevin, an outspoken pro-lifer, is expected to sign both bills, and other pro-life legislation into law.

(Information edited from lifesitenews.com)

PRAYER. Heavenly Father, we pray all citizens in America will remember 'these little ones' as we go forth to exercise our constitutional duties.

Ed Cecil. Respect Life Committee



Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of parishioners who have recently passed away.

Fred Ray

PARISH LIFE



RCIA will meet Tuesday, March 5 from 6:30-8:00 pm at Saint James Catholic School. Our focus will be, "The Rite of Reconciliation (walk through and practice).



Join us at Saint James Catholic Church for Mass at 6:30 pm. Let's start off Lent of the right foot!



The Forever Young Club will meet Tuesday, March 12 at 6:00 PM in the Rodney Thomas Room. Meat will be provided, please bring a side dish or desert. Our program will include a representative from the Elizabethtown Police Department. Forever Young is for those 50 and older...see you there!

This bulletin is completely provided without charge through the advertisements on the back covers. Please patronize these sponsors as a thank you for their kind generosity. Our sponsor of the week is:

Vine Grove Body Shop



Please pray for these Saint James parishioners who will be confirmed by Archbishop Kurtz on March 3 at the 12:15 mass!

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| Matthew Barnes | Carrigan Lyons |
| Ethan Best | Katie McGrew |
| Colton Breunig | Tate Mouser |
| Connor Clark | Matthew Musgrave |
| Lewis Day | Matthew Muse |
| Madelyn Ditto | Danielle Nelson |
| Matthew Dyer | Logan Nelson |
| Grace Filburn | Avrie Perry |
| Delaney Frye | Sara Powers |
| Elizabeth Godfrey | Bryce Pruitt |
| Madelyn Godfrey | Ryan Pyles |
| Gabriel Graham | Jonah Smith |
| Kara Graycarek | Gavin Sonsalla |
| Sydney Green | Lucy Sonsalla |
| Emerson Harner | Daniel Vuleta |
| Paige Hicks | Jessica Welp |
| Caitlin Higdon | Ava Zacharyj |
| Jack Logan | |

Who will be saved?

Join **EXPLORING CATHOLICISM** as we discuss the gift of salvation and redemption.

Tuesday, February 26 & March 5
6:30-8pm upstairs
at St James School
Questions?
Contact Sr. Michaela at the Parish Office



SAVE THE DATE!



SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL:
A RADICAL RIDE
ON THE WINGS
OF PRAYER

JUNE 17-21, 2019

VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION WILL OPEN IN APRIL AND PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION WILL OPEN IN MAY!

QUESTIONS? EMAIL OLIVIA DVORJAK AT ODVORJAK@SJSCHOOLONLINE.ORG

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WORSHIP

Celebrant/ Homilist Schedule at Saint James

<u>Date</u>	<u>Mass</u>	<u>Celebrant</u>	<u>Homilist</u>
Sat. 3/9	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Casey	Fr. Casey
Sun. 3/10	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Casey	Fr. Casey
Sun. 3/10	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Scott	Fr. Casey
Sun. 3/10	12:15 p.m.	Fr. Scott	Fr. Casey
Sun. 3/10	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Casey	Fr. Casey

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

TODAY'S SCRIPTURES

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Sirach 27:4-7

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58

Gospel: Luke 6:39-45

The first reading today uses the example of a sieve to show how grain (good fruit) is separated from the husks (the dead shell). Tribulation and difficulties are sieves in our own lives – and when we are shaken, the real fruit of who we are will be revealed in both our speech and actions.

NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURES

First Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13



I Will Bring You Home
SONGS of PRAYER, STORIES of FAITH
David Haas Concert and Book Tour

Wednesday, March 27th at 7 PM
Saint James Catholic Church

Adults: \$10 Pre-Sale, \$12 Door Price
Children 12 and under \$5
Contact: Greg Thompson 270-723-9245

PARISH LIFE

SVDP REMINDER: Donations to the local St Vincent de Paul Outreach **MUST** now be made out to St Vincent de Paul Outreach **NOT to Saint James Church.** Cash is still acceptable and donations are tax deductible. Thank you!!

ST VINCENT de PAUL OUTREACH
ALL DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.
We currently need : Vienna Sausages, Spaghetti (Pasta) and Spaghetti Sauce (Canned)

St Vincent DePaul Outreach will host attorneys from the Legal Aid Society from 10:00 AM to noon (if needed, longer), March 25, 2019, in Batchelder 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.


ATTENTION ALL SACRISTANS, LECTORS, EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS, USHERS: Ash Wednesday sign-up sheets will be placed in the binder (green paper) on the podium in the Narthex. If you can help, please write your name on the appropriate sheet. Thank you!

Knights of Columbus 1455 & Riasok Shrine Club Present
The 54th Annual Brotherhood Charity Banquet
When: Saturday, March 9, 2019
Where: Pritchard Community Center
404 S. Mulberry St. Elizabethtown, KY
Doors open at 6:00 PM & Dinner at 7:00 PM
Followed by Live Auction, Raffle and Door Prizes
A freezer of beef will be raffled off this year! (Tickets are \$10)
Proceeds to benefit Kosair Charities
For tickets and information:
Tom Clark, Jr. (270) 765-5997 or 723-1015
John Hartlage (270) 505-5522

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

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship of Treasure		
Weekend of February 23rd and 24th		
Weekly Budget	\$	58,443
Weekly Actual	\$	53,456
Over/Short	\$	(4,988)
July 1, 2018 - January 31, 2019		
Budget (YTD)	\$	1,840,966
Actual (YTD)	\$	1,687,973
Over/Short	\$	(152,993)
Additional Donations		
Church Parking Lot	\$	20,000
Blessed Mother Statue	\$	3,000
Undesignated Needs of the Church	\$	5,000
Capital Projects - Year-End Gifts	\$	26,000
Tuition Assistance - Year-End Gifts	\$	23,761
Year to Date	\$	77,761



SPOTLIGHT ON STEWARDSHIP!
HAVE YOU CONSIDERED . . .
BAPTISM PREPARATION TEAM
The baptism of a child becomes a major game-changer for the whole family. Work with Sister Michaela and other members of the parish to present the rich Catholic teaching on the Sacrament of Baptism to parents wishing to have children baptized.



2019
Saint James
COMMUNITY PICNIC
ELIZABETHTOWN, KENTUCKY
SAVE THE DATE!
August 24, 2019

Attend the **46th annual Celebration of Life Banquet**, hosted by Right to Life of Louisville, on **Friday, March 8**, at the **Crowne Plaza Hotel** (830 Phillips Ln).
Keynote speaker, Ryan Bomberger, is an Emmy Award-winning author of the powerful book **Not Equal: Civil Rights Gone Wrong**. His biological mother was raped, but chose to give him life. He was one of ten children adopted into a multi-racial family. He is the proud father of four children (two of whom are adopted). For reservations mail your check to the Right to Life office or call and use your credit card (502) 895-5959. Visit our website www.krla.org. Reservations are \$40 for adults, \$25 for students.

Elizabethtown, Kentucky; March 9, 2019 –The Elizabethtown St. Baldrick’s Foundation, a volunteer-powered organization dedicated to raising money for children's cancer research, will host one of its signature head-shaving events at The Historic State Theater on March 9, 2019 from 4:00-6:30PM EST (registration begins at 3:00pm), where more than 50+ will shave their heads in solidarity with kids with cancer and raise money for lifesaving research.

2019 Black and Indian Mission Collection
Next weekend, we will take up the annual Black and Indian Mission Collection. This Collection exists to help diocesan communities build the Church and preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American, and Alaskan Native people of God. Your donations help fund parish-based catechetical programs, support teacher and catechist professional development, encourage vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and create diocesan structures, such as our own archdiocesan Office of Multicultural Ministry, that support ministry and evangelization in these diverse cultural communities. Please be generous.
If you would like to support this fund, simply mark your donation with Black and Indian Mission, and place in the collection basket during Mass.