

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, March 11, 2019**

6:30 p.m. +Mary Dick

**TUESDAY, March 12, 2019**

7:00 a.m. +Elsie Gerbus

8:00 a.m. +Tom Reynolds

**WEDNESDAY, March 13, 2019 (Mass at School)**

8:00 a.m. +V. M. Mathew

**THURSDAY, March 14, 2019**

7:00 a.m. +Nick Stevenson

8:00 a.m. Virgil & Sarah Pierce

**FRIDAY, March 15, 2019**

7:00 a.m. +Leon Sims

8:00 a.m. +Carolyn R. Linebach

**SATURDAY, March 16, 2019**

5:00 p.m. +Tom Lynch (No Incense)

**SUNDAY, March 17, 2019**

(Second Sunday of Lent)

8:00 a.m. *Missa pro populo*

10:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Reesor &  
McCamish Families

12:15 p.m. +Bob Hansen

5:00 p.m. Mass in Spanish

+Denotes Deceased

**THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES**

**MONDAY, March 11, 2019**

7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church

7:00 p.m. Confessions, Church

**TUESDAY, March 12, 2019**

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church

1:00 p.m. Why Catholic Bible Group, Library

6:00 p.m. Forever Young Meeting, RTR

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

6:30 p.m. Exploring Catholicism, SJS

**WEDNESDAY, March 13, 2019**

9:00 a.m. CWOSJ, RTR

9:15 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church

6:00 p.m. Choir Meeting, P. O. Basement

6:30 p.m. Family Faith Formation, SJS

**THURSDAY, March 14, 2019**

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church

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

7:00 p.m. Haiti Committee Meeting, P. O. Basement

9:00 p.m. Men's Study Group, RTR

**FRIDAY, March 15, 2019 (Snow Day Make-up)**

8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church

8:30 a.m. Homeschool Group, RTRs 1 & 2

10:00 a.m. Saint James Play Group, Off Campus

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

7:30 p.m. Holy League, RTR & Church

**SATURDAY, March 16, 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 17, 2019**

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

1:30 p.m. Shamrock 500 Pinewood Derby, B.Hall

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

6:30 p.m. Living Stations of the Cross Practice,  
Youth Rm—Loretto

**2019-20 Parish Pastoral Council Members**

Lou Edmondson, Chair

Greg Schrecke, 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](mailto:parishcouncil@sjschoolonline.org).

**LENT**  
WEEK ONE



## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

### 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](http://www.sjschoolonline.org)

### *With Gratitude!*

We thank you for your continued support to Saint James Regional Catholic School and **Black and White Knight!**

Your donations will help our students fulfill their educational potential as well as helping support curriculum innovations. This annual event would not succeed without the generous, enthusiastic support of our parents and business communities as volunteers, donors and sponsors!

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**February 1, 2020**



Saint James  
Catholic School

**Saint James Catholic School**  
has a new registration open  
for the following:  
**1st -8th Grade Track & Field**  
**5th-8th Grade Soccer**

Anyone interested should contact  
**Brandon Vincent** at [bvincent@sjschoolonline.org](mailto:bvincent@sjschoolonline.org)

### PARISH LIFE

Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb a reward. Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the children of one's youth. Blessed is the man who fills his quiver with them! He shall not be put to shame when he speaks with his enemies within the gate.



**Psalm 127:3-5**

**REFLECTION.** Peter Breen, the Vice President of the St. Thomas More Society reported, "Abortion proposals have been introduced in the Illinois General Assembly that is the most radical piece of legislation to have been proposed in any state to date."

According to the Society's analysis, the bills would enact into law the following:

- Allow abortions for *any reason* throughout *all nine months of pregnancy*.
- Eliminate restrictions where abortions may be performed.
- Allow *non-physicians* to perform abortions, both surgical and medical.
- Undermine and threaten institutional and individual rights of conscience.
- Jeopardize any meaningful regulation of abortion clinics.
- Require private health insurance policies to include coverage for all abortions, with no exceptions - even for churches and other religious organizations.
- Eliminate any requirements to investigate fetal or maternal deaths resulting from abortion.
- Repeal laws prohibiting "kickbacks" for abortion referrals.
- Repeal the Parental Notification Act of 1995.
- Vice President Breen continued. "The citizens of Illinois must make their voices heard and stop this process."

**PRAYER.** *Thank you heavenly Father, for inspiring in Your people the will to resist the pro-death movement, which is so prevalent in our nation.*

Ed Cecil, Respect Life Committee

PARISH LIFE



RCIA will meet Tuesday, March 12 from 6:30-8:00 pm at Saint James Catholic School. Our focus will be, "The Lenten journey of God's pilgrim people: Invitation to enlightenment and purification."



Family Faith Formation will meet this Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 pm at Saint James Catholic School.

Students will report to classrooms and the parent session will be, "Partners in the Mission."

*Widowed Friends Meeting*

Our first meeting of 2019 will be **March 20th** at 5:30 PM. We will meet at Roxie's restaurant at 5:30 PM. Roxie's is located at 114 E Dixie Ave right next to the court house. All widows and widowers are welcomed. Please join me for a night of good food and fellowship.

Deacon Karl



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!

The side doors of the church will be locked after Mass for security reasons. When entering the church for Eucharistic Adoration, please use the main entrance by the church office, you may also use that parking area. Thank you!



**RCIA 2019**

Please pray for our Catechumens & Candidates as they begin final preparations for receiving the Sacraments at Easter!

Catechumens

Joseph Krill	Sophia Trupp
Suchen Balaban	Lilith Trupp
Adam Charlton	Lily Buchanan
Larry Parshley	Jules Buchanan
Mary Katherine Perry	Khloe Buchanan
Hayley Edlin	Briar Rose Edlin

Candidates

Lana Hutson	Kalissa Buchanan
Brandi Newman	Jake Buchanan
Rita Wooden	Madison Buchanan
Teri Shader	Michael Cook
Rick Hoefler	Michelle Cook
KimLee Senamontry	Frank Silva

**Family Mission Trip Opportunity!**

Join *Family Missions Company* & other families from our parish on a mission of evangelization & service to the people of Ciudad Quesada, Costa Rica!

- WHEN: September 28-October 5, 2019
- WHO can go: whole families, with children of all ages

COST: \$2100/family (not including airfare)

If you're interested in learning more, please contact Rebecca Ferguson at 910-574-9680.



**PARISH LIFE**



Saint James welcomed the following new families during the months of **December, January & February**. We are so happy to have you join our faith community and look forward to praying with you and getting to know you.

Emilie Abell

Daniel & Dorothy Carroll

Eugene Garrido, Joaguin Garrido

Jeremy Gula & Arushka Martinez  
Athan, Colin and Skye

James & Jane Jessup

Beverly Maloney

Dominic & Yvette McCamish  
Preston and Eleanor

Joseph & Andrea Reinstatler  
and David

Saint James is expanding our ministry to the homeless in E'town by assisting the **HIS Ministry**. HIS stands for Homeless Intervention Services and their goal is to keep an overnight shelter open year round. Saint James is looking at the second Wednesday of each month as our turn – just once a month. Please consider giving of your time to spend a night at the HIS site. Please contact Mimi Pike for more information at 270-272-4952 or [mimi.pike35@gmail.com](mailto:mimi.pike35@gmail.com). Thank you!

The next Red Cross blood drive will be held in Batcheldor 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](mailto:joycesolar@yahoo.com) for more information. Thanks for your generosity.



# Lenten Mission

with Saint James Catholic Church  
**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

## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

### WORSHIP

#### Celebrant/ Homilist Schedule at Saint James

<u>Date</u>	<u>Mass</u>	<u>Celebrant</u>	<u>Homilist</u>
Sat. 3/16	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Martin	Deacon Karl
Sun. 3/17	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Martin	Deacon Karl
Sun. 3/17	10:00 a.m.	Fr. Casey	Deacon Karl
Sun. 3/17	12:15 p.m.	Fr. Scott	Deacon Karl
Sun. 3/17	5:00 p.m.	Fr. Scott	Fr. Casey

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

### TODAY'S SCRIPTURES

#### First Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

As we begin Lent, our penance and fasts seem rather small in comparison with how Jesus suffered for our salvation. Our forty days does not quite compare to his forty days in the desert. We need only to call on Jesus, and he will deliver us from our sins. Each Lent presents a new opportunity to repent and grow in our relationship with the One who gave his all so we could be his.

### NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURES

#### Second Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

Second Reading: Philippians 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1

Gospel: Luke 9:28b-36



#### +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

#### St Vincent DePaul Outreach

**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!!

**ALL DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.** We currently need the following: Vienna Sausages, Canned Peas and Oats/Oatmeal (18 ounces). We wish to express gratitude and thanks to **Girl Scout Troop 495** for their generous food donation. Their generosity will help those less fortunate in our community. **THANK YOU!!!**

We will host attorneys from the Legal Aid Society from 10:00 AM to noon (if needed, longer), March 25, 2019, 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.

#### 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**

#### Bulletin Deadline

10:00 a.m. **Wednesday**, the week before publication. Please email items to: [lpoverstreet@stjames-etown.org](mailto:lpoverstreet@stjames-etown.org)

**STEWARDSHIP**

<b>Stewardship of Treasure</b>		
<b>Weekend of March 2nd and 3rd</b>		
Weekly Budget	\$	58,443
Weekly Actual	\$	67,673
Over/Short	\$	9,230
<b>July 1, 2018 - February 28, 2019</b>		
Budget (YTD)	\$	2,103,961
Actual (YTD)	\$	1,931,192
Over/Short	\$	(172,769)
<b>Additional Donations</b>		
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
<b>Year to Date</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>77,761</b>

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:

*Miss Healthy Fitness*

**“Therefore, I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O Lord, have given me.” Deuteronomy 26:10**

The origins of the theology of stewardship are found in this passage from the Old Testament. Stewards return the first fruits of their labors to

God, not the leftovers. This practice is a reminder to always place God first in our lives.



**SPOTLIGHT ON STEWARDSHIP!  
HAVE YOU CONSIDERED . . .**

**HAITI PARISH PROGRAM**

**“Give Alms to the Poor”**

This ministry provides spiritual, material and financial support to our twinned parish, Saint Marc in Haiti. Donated items are collected and shipped to Saint Marc and Tech School annually. With our parish support, we have helped build Saint Marc Secondary Tech School and are currently working to equip it. Volunteer opportunities are available to anyone interested in being a part of this important ministry. We especially need volunteers to help collect and prepare packages to ship to Saint Marc. Meetings are held the second Thursdays of the month, as needed.



**Stewardship Incentive prize winners:**

Returning stewardship form by Feb. 17

**Tom & Shari Clark**

Signing up for auto withdraw by Feb. 17

**Robert & Regennia Kilmer**

Submitting form entirely online by Feb. 17

**Shawn & Amanda Shaw**

**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!



**St. James Catholic Church Elizabethtown**



**REFLECTION,  
HOLY ROSARY,  
ADORATION, &  
FELLOWSHIP**

3RD FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH 7:30-9:30PM



**HOLY LEAGUE**

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**PRAYER. FRATERNITY. SACRAMENTS.**

ALL MEN ARE INVITED

**Do you receive the  
Parish Electronic Newsletter?**

Saint James Catholic Church has a weekly electronic newsletter that is sent out to parishioner for whom we have an email address on file. The newsletter is sent out on Thursday or Friday each week and includes important parish news and reminders for the upcoming weekend. If you are not receiving this newsletter, please provide your email address to Lauren Overstreet in the parish office or email [lpoverstreet@stjames-etown.org](mailto:lpoverstreet@stjames-etown.org).



**What is Eucharistic Adoration?**

Praying before Our Lord  
in the Holy Eucharist

**Purposes of Eucharistic Adoration at  
Saint James Catholic Church:**

- ✦ An Increase in religious vocations to the priesthood & sisterhood
- ✦ An end to all abortions
- ✦ Our own sanctification

**The Times for exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament are:**

Monday after Mass 7:00 p.m.. – 10:00 p.m.  
Tuesday after Mass 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Wednesday after Mass 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Thursday after Mass 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Friday after Mass 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Saturday from 8:00 a.m.—9:00 a.m.

\*If school is in session, Wednesday begins at 9:15

\*First Saturday of the month will begin at 8:30

**AROUND & ABOUT**

Explore the Shroud of Turin with International Expert Russ Breault at St. Paul Catholic Church, 6901 Dixie Hwy, Louisville, Ky 40258  
Saturday March 23 at 7:00 pm or  
Sunday March 24 at 1:30 pm  
\$5 admission for adults 18 and older.

**TESTIFY** invites you to their Lenten Concert, **Sunday, March 17, 4:00 p.m.** at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, near Rineyville. A potluck meal will follow in the Parish Hall after the concert. Come be blessed by a special selection of music and then enjoy food and fellowship.

# Catholic Men's Conference

## *Allowing Jesus to Find Me*

**Saturday, April 6, 2019**

**8:15 am to 1:00 pm**

Check-in and Breakfast 6:00 am - 8:00 am

**St. Michael Church**

3705 Stone Lakes Drive

Louisville, KY 40299

Pre-register: Adults \$30/Students \$15

Walk-ins at the door: Adults \$40/Students \$25

*Steve Angrisano* is undoubtedly one of the most effective and versatile ministry leaders in the Church today. Young and old alike embrace the passionate message of faith, hope and love woven throughout Steve's music and storytelling.

Always rooted in a spirit of humility and faithfulness, Steve's honest style of ministry is born from who he is: a committed witness to the life and love of Jesus Christ.

[www.steveangrisano.com](http://www.steveangrisano.com)

**Keynote Speakers:**

**Mr. Steve Angrisano**

**Most Reverend Joseph E. Kurtz, D. D.**



Archdiocese  
of Louisville



Catholic  
Services Appeal  
Praying, Caring & Giving

Register on-line at [www.archlou.org/mensconference/](http://www.archlou.org/mensconference/) or register by mail.

**Registration Deadline: April 1, 2019**

*Please print neatly*

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*To register by mail, please send registration form with check payable to\*:*

**Archdiocese of Louisville— CMC, 1200 S. Shelby St., Louisville, KY 40203**





**Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,**

Blest Art will be visiting your parish on behalf of the Christian families in Bethlehem, Palestine. Our mission is to support those families in the Holy Land.

For centuries, the Christians in and around Bethlehem have earned a living by carving religious olive wood art to sell to visiting pilgrims. Fewer pilgrims are journeying to the Holy Land today, making it difficult for those Christians to support their families. As a result, there has been a dramatic rise in Christian emigration from the Holy Land. Now, less than 1% of the population in the Holy Land is Christians.



Blest Art Inc helps the struggling Christian families of Bethlehem by marketing their artwork in the United States. Due to this work many Christian families maintain their livelihood and their ancestral homes in the land of our Lord.

When Blest Art visits your parish, we will have hand-carved nativity sets, statues, crosses, rosaries, and many other pieces of beautiful olive wood art. We kindly invite you to visit our display and to consider purchasing a piece of art from the Holy Land. In doing so, you will help support the many families who depend on this form or art for their living. Your purchase will make a difference in the lives of many Christian families.

**We gladly accept cash, checks, and all major credit cards.** Please note that we do not ask for, nor do we accept, any donations.

Thank you in advance for your purchase when we come to visit.

**Jeryes Qumseya  
And the members of Blest Art Inc.**

Please visit our display  
At your parish  
Saturday & Sunday  
March 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019  
After each Mass