MASS INTENTIONS

Masses held at St. James School and the Convent are not open to the public due to COVID-19. Thank you.

MONDAY, January 18, 2021
6:00 p.m. + Mary Evelyn Mahan

TUESDAY, January 19, 2021
7:00 a.m. + Eloy Alvarado (Convent)
8:00 a.m. + Evelyn & Reinhold Betian (Church)

WEDNESDAY, January 20, 2021
8:00 a.m. + Fr. William 'Bill' Miller

THURSDAY, January 21, 2021
(Saint Agnes, Virgin, Martyr)
7:00 a.m. Sr. Mary Agnes' Family (Convent)
8:00 a.m. Michael Laubacher & Jamie for healing

FRIDAY, January 22, 2021
8:00 a.m. + Louise Medley

SATURDAY, January 23, 2021
8:00 a.m. + Fr. Stanley Osbourne
5:00 p.m. + Barbara & Phillip Thomas

SUNDAY, January 24, 2021
(Third Sunday in Ordinary Time)
8:00 a.m. + Pat & Pete Riley
10:00 a.m. *Missa pro populo*
12:00 p.m. + Joyce Medley
3:00 p.m. + Lisa Boullosa

+Denotes deceased.

Eucharistic Adoration ~ 20th anniversary Testimonials.

"I love to sit in silence during adoration to just be with our Lord. I hear Him speak to me and I pour out my heart to Him. So much can be accomplished by going to adoration. That is also where miracles happen if we just trust in Him!"
(a Saint James parishioner)

Please join in Eucharistic Adoration, at least weekly. You'll be glad you did.

To schedule an hour, call 270-737-5213.

SAINT JAMES SCHEDULE

MONDAY, January 18, 2021
6:30 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*
6:30 p.m. Confessions, *Church*
7:00 p.m. Hispanic Women's Prayer Group, *RTR*

TUESDAY, January 19, 2021
8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*
6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 1496 Mtg, *BH*

WEDNESDAY, January 20, 2021
8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*
9:30 a.m. CWOSJ Mtg., *P.O. Bsmt.*
12:00 p.m. Finance Committee Mtg., *P. O. Bsmt.*
6:30 p.m. FFF - Exploring Catholicism, *BH*

THURSDAY, January 21, 2021
8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*
7:00 p.m. Grupo de Hombres, *Library*
7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Hispanic), *Church*
8:30 p.m. Women's Study Group, *RTR*

FRIDAY, January 22, 2021
8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

SATURDAY, January 23, 2021
8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, *Church*

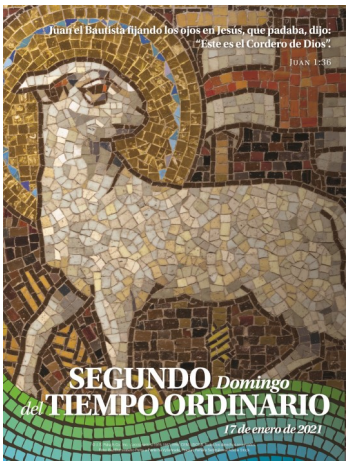
SUNDAY, January 24, 2020
9:00 a.m. First Reconciliation & FHC Class, *RTR*
10:00 a.m. RCIA Class, *P.O. Basement.*
1:00 p.m. Baptism - Set up, *Church*
1:15 p.m. Hispanic Confirmation Prep, *RTR*
1:30 p.m. Baptism, *Church*
6:30 p.m. Youth Group/Confirmation Prep, *BH*

**Schedule is subject to change in the event of a funeral.*

2020-21 Parish Pastoral Council Members

Rev. Michael T. Wimsatt, Pastor
Rev. Kirby Rust, Associate Pastor
Rev. Juan L. Gomez, Associate Pastor
Lou Edmondson, Chair
Greg Schreacke, Finance/Administration
Cheri Ellis-Reeves, Secretary
Sister Augusta, Faith Formation
Paula Knowles, Stewardship/Mission Advancement
Jeff Lanz, Worship
Coty Oropilla, School Board Liaison
Mimi Pike, Social Concerns/Outreach
Lorna Vertrees, Parish Life
Grace Filburn, Youth Representative
Sister Marie Hannah Seiler, O.P., School Principal
Jennifer Hartlage Moran, Dir. of Mission Advancement
Daniel & Jackie Ortiz, Liaisons for Hispanic Ministries
You can contact the parish council via email at: parishcouncil@sjschoolonline.org.

COMUNIDAD HISPANA



2do Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Comunidad Hispana

Misa Dominical en Español

Todos los domingos a las 3pm, Continuamos siguiendo las indicaciones sanitarias, así que no olvides tu cubrebocas!

Oficina Parroquial

Abierta de Lunes a Viernes de 8 am a 12 pm y de 1 pm a 4:30 pm. Numero de Telefono (270)765-6268

Confesiones en Español

Todos Los Domingos 2:30 pm

Pláticas de Bautismo y Matrimonio

Contactar a la oficina parroquial con el Padre Juan Luis Orozco,

HORA SANTA:

Todos los jueves a las 7pm, Confeciones 6:30pm

CATECISMO PRIMERA COMUNION:

Las clases inician el proximo domingo 24 de enero a las 2pm en el salon Rodney Thomas de nuestra parroquia, Padres fabor de llegar antes para la registracion official,

Suscripcion al libro MAGNIFICAT:

El nuevo period 2021-2022 Inicia ya, fabor de contactar a Jackie Ortiz, Para la renovacion de su membresia recuerden estre mas seamos mas nos beneficia, ademas es un libro muy importante para todos nosotros,

Facebook Pagina Oficial y TELEGRAM baja la APP,

Saint James Ministerio Hispano

En nuestra pagina publicamos todos los servicios.

PARISH LIFE

Be Not Afraid

When battered by life's storms, or immersed in a dense fog of suffering and uncertainty, we may feel alone and unequipped to handle the circumstances. Yet with words that echo through thousands of years into the corners of our hearts, the Lord says to us, "Do not fear: I am with you" (Isaiah 41:10).

He speaks these words not as one who merely observes our pain, but as one who experienced immense suffering. And the very wounds that bear witness to his suffering indicate the essence of our identity and worth: we are loved by God.

Reflecting on the healed wounds of the Risen Christ, we see that even our most difficult trials can be the place where God manifests his victory. He makes all things beautiful. He makes all things new.

He is *always* with us. Jesus promised this when he gave the disciples the same mission he gives to each of us: Go.

Go be my hands and feet to a world enslaved by fear. Go to the woman who is unexpectedly pregnant and fears the future. Go to your friend who fears reprisal at work because he takes a stand for the protection of human life. Go to your aging parent in failing health who fears being a burden. And go to others, too, for their support.

We don't need to have everything figured out. We can simply follow the guidance of Our Blessed Mother, the first disciple: "Do whatever he tells you" (John 2:5). Walk with each other. Do not be afraid to embrace God's gift of life. Whatever storms or trials we face, we are not alone. He is with us.

"Behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." (Matthew 28:20).

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The annual Walk and Mass for Life will take place in Louisville next Friday, January 22, beginning at 4:30pm at the Cathedral of the Assumption, 433 S. 5th Street, Louisville, Ky. The Walk distance is 1.5 miles. Mass with Archbishop Kurtz will be at 6:30pm in the Cathedral. Due to COVID restrictions, seating is limited to 200 people. Please notify Ed Harpring in advance, at (502) 636-0296, if you plan to attend.

Please pray for the legal protection of unborn children and for loving support for their mothers before and after their births.

Pray that all who suffer from participating in abortion turn to God's loving forgiveness.

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 Online at www.sjschoolonline.org *or call 270-765-7011.*

The Marquette Method of Natural Family Planning teaches a couple to monitor the natural signs of their fertility to aid them in planning their family.

Group Online Classes:
Tuesday, February 2nd at 7pm EST
Tuesday, March 2nd at 7pm EST
Tuesday, March 30th at 7pm EST
Private instruction available by request.

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER:
Angela Hobbs, RN, BSN
angela@giftofyourfertility.com
giftofyourfertility.com
270-735-3883

If you know homebound parishioners that would like a bulletin, let us know their name, address, and phone number. Call the parish office at 270-765-6268 or send email to parishoffice@stjames-etown.org.

Access weekly Mass online - www.stjames-etown.org
Scroll down, and click "News".

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday, the week before publication. Please email items to:
dsears@stjames-etown.org

PARISH LIFE

Our stewardship annual renewal kicks off this weekend!

Be sure to watch your mailbox for your stewardship packet. We ask that you turn in your pledge card as soon as possible to help us build the 2021-2022 budget. There are a couple of incentives being offered for those who turn in their stewardship form by Sunday, January 31, 2021.

STEWARDSHIP INCENTIVES

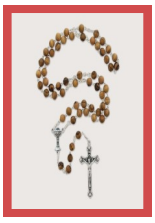
There will be two different drawings with one winner in each drawing!

1. All parishioners who return their stewardship form (hard copy or online) by January 31, 2021 will be put into a drawing for their choice of either a $200 Kroger gift card OR a $200 Amazon gift card.
2. All parishioners who turn in their stewardship form (hard copy or online) by January 31, 2021 AND sign up for automatic withdrawal will be put into a separate drawing for their choice of either a $400 Kroger gift card OR a $400 Amazon gift card.

The drawing for incentives will be held on ***Thursday, February 4, 2021.***

VERY IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE:

- *All parishioners who turn their forms in by January 31, 2021 will be entered in one, or both, of the drawings listed above.*
- *Prizes will not be purchased until winners make their respective choice.*
- *The cost of the incentives has been donated by a parishioner.*



Support our Saint James Rosary Guild: The Saint James Rosary Guild has many beautiful rosaries for sale. The prices vary starting at $25. You can purchase these rosaries in the parish office. Just drop by and see Gail Hereford in the Parish Office.

This bulletin is provided without charge through the advertisements. Please thank these sponsors by your patronage. Our sponsor of the week is:

Bill's Heating and Cooling

FAITH FORMATION

What's Happening This Month

Next Baptism Preparation Class: Sunday, February 7th, following the 10 AM Mass in the Rodney Thomas Room

Pre-registration is required. Please contact Sr. Mary Agnes for more information (srmagnes@stjames-etown.org).

1st Communion & 1st Reconciliation Preparation Classes

Parents and students will meet once a month at 9:00 AM in the Rodney Thomas Room.
The next class will be on **Sunday, January 24**.

Please contact Sr. Mary Agnes for more information (srmagnes@stjames-etown.org).

Confirmation Preparation Class (9th & 10th Grade) & Youth Group (11th & 12th Grade):

Join us on Sunday evenings from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. on the church campus!
Contact Fr. Kirby for more information (frkrust@stjames-etown.org).

Family Faith Formation (FFF):

We meet at 6:30 PM on Wednesdays on the Church campus!

- *Wednesday, 1/20 - Exploring Catholicism*
- *Wednesday, 1/27 - Prayer and Praise Night*
- *Wednesday, 2/3 - Family Team Night*

Please contact Sr. Augusta for more information (sranickel@stjames-etown.org).

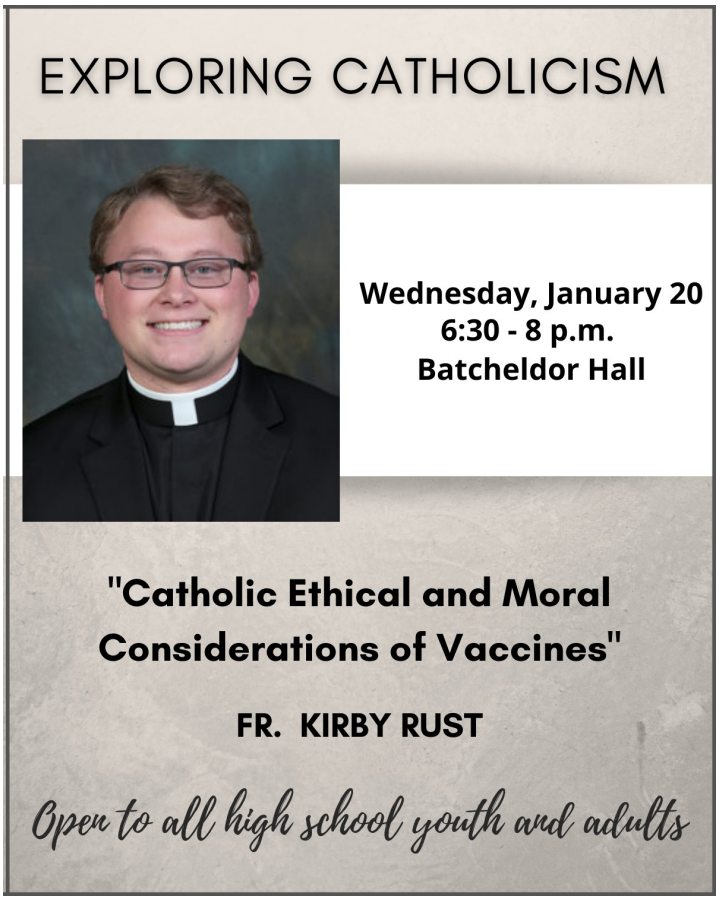
Meets weekly in the Parish Office basement after the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday.

Contact Sr. Augusta for more information (sranickel@stjames-etown.org).

Please keep those in RCIA at our parish in your prayers!

Catechumens: Kaleb Adams & Joey Dixon

Candidates: Ryan Flowers, Marilyn Johnston, Callie Lopez, Heather Parisi, and PJ Postma.



Congratulations to our Confirmandi on their reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation this Saturday.

Jack Ballard
Gavin Breunig
Abigail Clark
Sarah Clark
Makenna Cox
Matthew Crum
Andrew Dawson
Mary Dawson
Luz Delgado
Nathan DeMuth
Katelyn Ditto
Damian Esparza
Jai Garris
Kyle Getler
Paola Gomez
Pablo Hernandez
Averie Housh
Nathaniel Jarboe
Kassidy Jent
Anna Lewis
Chase Moreman
Taryn Mudd
Emma Musgrave
Alex Nelson
Bryan Oliveras
Jaime Parra
Grace Peak
Parker Phillips
Sally Polin
Jonathon Reilly
Eric Torres
Litzy Torres
Nolan Stith
Jose Juan Vasquez
Lucas Wheatley
Cina Claire Whelan
Madison Wortmann

THIS WEEKEND'S READINGS

The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3b-10
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20
Gospel: John 1:35-42

"When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the LORD came and stood there, calling out as before: Samuel, Samuel! Samuel answered, 'Speak, for your servant is listening'." (1 Samuel 3:9-10)

Today we hear Samuel respond eagerly, "Here I am" each time the Lord calls him. A steward must be listening for the call of God in one's life and be ready to respond like Samuel, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

NEXT WEEKENDS' READINGS

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jonah 3:-5, 10
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31
Gospel: Mark 1:14-20

Are you interested in a daily devotional for 2021? Saint James Church is in the process of placing an order for Magnificat - a Catholic daily devotional. The next order placed will run from May 2021 - April 2022. The deadline to place an order is **February 25th**. The annual cost for Magnificat is usually $36 per subscription. The number of parishioners participating has increased, therefore our new price for this year is only $32 for the 2021 subscription. If you would like to be included in the Saint James Magnificat order, contact Gail Hereford in the parish office. **Please note: Checks are due at the time of your order and should be made payable to Saint James Catholic Church.**

Forever Young Club - Change in officers!

We are in need of a President for 2021.

IF YOU COULD VOLUNTEER TO BE PRESIDENT FOR THE FOREVER CLUB IN 2021, please call Sandy McClain at 270-766-2307. We hope to meet in March.

The dues from 2020 will be carried over to 2021. Please stay safe so we can meet again as a group.

Stewardship of Treasure

Weekend of January 9th / 10th

Amount Collected	$24,307.82

**NOTE: Collections that are paid through automatic withdrawals are drafted on the last business day of the month.*

¿Está interesado en un devocional diario para 2021? La iglesia de Saint James está en proceso de realizar un pedido de ***Magnificat***, un devocional católico diario. El próximo pedido a realizarse será desde *Mayo del 2021 hasta Abril del 2022*. La fecha límite para realizar un pedido es el ***25 de febrero***. El costo anual del Magnificat suele ser de $36 por suscripción. El número de feligreses que están participando ha aumentado, por lo tanto, nuestro nuevo precio para este año es de solo $32 para la suscripción del 2021. Si desea ser incluido en la orden de Saint James ***Magnificat***, comuníquese con Jackie Ortiz. Tenga en cuenta: los cheques se deben pagar en el momento de su pedido y deben hacerse a nombre de *Saint James Catholic Church.*

REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS - Saint James Parish is in great need for volunteers to be door greeters at the weekend Masses to ensure those entering are wearing masks and sanitizing hands. The greeters will also keep count of the number of attendees to ensure we maintain our proper attendance number. Once the attendees are inside the church, the ushers will escort them to a seat. Greeters should arrive at least 30-45 minutes prior to the start of Mass in order to count all attendees as they enter. Help is needed at all weekend Masses. Sanitizer and a hand counter are provided for your use. Please pray about volunteering your time for this important ministry. If you would like to volunteer, please contact:
Shirley Morton at 270-737-3562 or
shirleymorton49@gmail.com

Parishioners who want to advertise in our bulletin should contact our bulletin rep., Adam West, at 614-867-1396 or awest@diocsean.com.