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January 14, 2024

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MASSES:

Saturday Sunday

Diocesan

5:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. (Spanish)

HOLY DAYS: Please see bulletin for details.

DAILY MASSES: Monday: 6:00 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday 8:00 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.* *The parish office is closed for lunch from Noon - 1:00 p.m.

PHONE NUMBERS:

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270-765-6268
270-982-3303
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EUCHARISTIC ADORATION HOURS:

Monday 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:

Monday at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday - Thursday at 12:00 p.m. Friday at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:

Monday 6:45 p.m. Saturday 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. or by appointment

BAPTISMS:

Expecting a baby? Call the parish office to begin the process for preparation of baptism.

MARRIAGE:

Couples must contact the parish office at least six months prior to anticipated wedding date.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC OR

JOINING OUR PARISH? Please contact the parish office at 270-765-6268 or parishoffice@stjames-etown.org.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY 9:00 a.m. + Bill Howard and

+ Deacon Bob Caspar

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16

- 7:00 a.m.* + Theresa Reesor
- 8:00 a.m. + Mary Ellen Bryan

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

Saint Anthony, Abbot 8:00 a.m. MASS AT SCHOOL In thanksgiving, and for the safety of our U.S. military men and women

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18

+ Joseph, Joan & Gloria 7:00 a.m.* 8:00 a.m. + Edmondson & Greenwell families

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

7:00 a.m.* + Bill Smith

8:00 a.m. + Susan Ondo

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Saint Sebastian, Martyr

8:00 a.m. + Marilyn & Jason Johnston

5:00 p.m. + Margaret Elizabeth Cecil

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

THIRD	SUNDAY	IN ORDINARY	TIME

- 8:00 a.m. + P.J. Hartlage 10:00 a.m. + Caroline Godfrey 12:00 p.m. + Father Bill Miller and + Father Stan Osborne 3:00 p.m.** Parishioners of Saint James + Denotes deceased
- *Convent Mass

** Mass in Spanish

PARISH WEEKLY PLANNER

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

Saint James School and the parish office are closed for the holiday. Please note on this day that the Mass time has changed and that adoration and confessions will not be available.

6:45 p.m. Adult Bible Study Evening Session, Bacheldor Hall (BH)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16

- 8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church
- 9:00 a.m. Zumba Fitness Class, Bacheldor Hall (BH)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17

- 9:00 a.m. Catholic Women of St. James (C.W.O.S.J.), RTR #1 9:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church 11:15 a.m. Ora et Ambulora, (Pray & Walk), BH 12:00 p.m. Finance Meeting, Parish Office Basement (POB) 6:30 p.m. Family Faith Night, Saint James School (SJS) Knights of Columbus Meeting, BH **THURSDAY, JANUARY 18** 8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church 8:45 a.m. Adult Bible Study Morning Session, RTR #1 6:00 p.m. Adoración, Iglesia Fraternus, BH 7:00 p.m. Confesiones, Iglesia
 - Catholic in Recovery, Loretto Center

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20

- 8:30 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration, Church
- 8:45 a.m. Men's Study Group, POB
- 9:00 a.m. Women's Study Group, RTR #2 & #3
- 3:00 p.m. Confessions, Church

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

- 10:00 a.m. Baptism, Church
- 2:15 p.m. Confesiones, Iglesia
- * A funeral Mass may alter this weekly schedule

THIS WEEKEND'S READINGS

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Second Reading: Gospel:

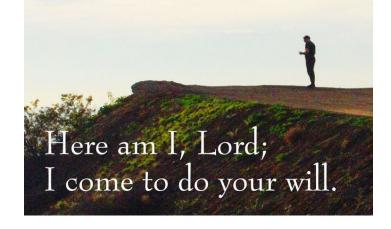
1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20 John 1:35-42

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Gospel:

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



Sunday, January 14, 2024

Saint James Catholic Church Elizabethtown, KY

SAINT JAMES CHURCH AND SCHOOL

Confirmandi 2024

Owen George Best Allison Therese of Lisieux Bochert Gwyneth Dymphna Catherine Bock Morgan Carlo Acutis Gabriel Bock Ava Teresa of Calcutta Cantu Anya Maria Goretti Carson Kevin Jerome Chavez Grant Thomas Aquinas Coen Christian Jude Thaddeus Diaz Antero Pedro Calungsod Garris Alec Teresa Hobbs Marin Kateri Tekakwitha Hobbs Samuel Damien Hobbs

Please pray for our Confirmandi as they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Noon mass.

Franklin Pio Jardim Mary Therese of Lisieux Jurus Cassidy John Kucan Carson Pio Messenger Olivia Joan of Arc Minor Paul Thomas Sebastian Minor **Carson George Nichols** Raymundo Perez-Hernandez **Brock Peregrine Randlett** Evan Sebastian Shepherd Jack Francis of Assisi Stevenson Yaritzza Maria Goretti Summerville Chayse Kateri Tekakwitha Thompson Joseph Sebastian Whelan

Come, January 14 at the Holy Spirit!



FEBRUARY 3RD, 2024



Grand Prize EZ-GO Valor Golf Cart or \$10,000 cash option





2023 - 2024 Parish Pastoral Council Members

Reverend Michael Wimsatt · Pastor Reverend Loi D. Pham · Associate Pastor Lorna Vertrees · Chair Greg Schreacke · Finance

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You may contact the Parish Pastoral Council via email at parishcouncil@stiames-etown.ora

Saint James School is selling raffle tickets after all masses the weekend of January 20-21 in the vestibule of church. The grand prize is an EZ -GO Valor golf cart (sponsored by Extreme Motorsports) or \$10,000 cash option. Tickets are \$20.00 each and only a maximum of 2,000 will be sold. Our goal is to sell 1,850 raffle tickets this year and we are only 25% of the way to our goal.

Through this and other fundraisers, we are able to offset core school expenditures such as

teacher salaries, student and faculty resources, athletics, and extracurricular activities. This keeps our tuition affordable, provides students with unique opportunities, and enhances the quality of education we are able to provide.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to sell additional tickets (businesses welcome), please stop by the table in the back for additional information. You may also contact the Raffle Chair, Courtney Fleck at Courtney.r.fleck@gmail.com.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

FAITH FORMATION



Catholic in Recovery



Meetings located in the Lo	retto Center
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Catholic sacramental recovery and fellowship for those seeking freedom from addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments.	

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PARISH LIFE



The 2024 Kentucky March For Life and "Love Them Both Rally" will take place in Frankfort on Tuesday, January 23rd. For details, please use the Quick Reference Code to the left or enter the following into your web browser:

https://kentuckymarchforlife.org

Pro-life Words from Hollywood

"Indeed the tragedy of abortion haunts women from all walks of life. Abortion advocates are spending millions to package their tired rhetoric and half-truths in cutting-edge advertising campaigns targeted to young women... The early feminists were pro-life. And really, abortion is a huge disservice to women, and it hasn't been presented that way." --Emmy winning actress, Patricia Heaton, from *Everybody Loves Raymond*

The most powerful way to draw the pro-life theme from today's readings is to build on Paul's declaration to the Corinthians, "You are not your own" (second reading). The battle cry of "pro-choice" is "my body, my life, my decision" – in other words, the idea that we are indeed our own. The idea is that we are each the captain of our own ship, and nobody can tell us what to do.

Christianity changes and challenges all that. Because of what Jesus Christ did, we are no longer our own. He owns us – yet not to oppress or enslave us, but to incorporate us into His Body. Nobody owns himself, and nobody owns anyone else. In Christ, we go beyond merely the natural concept of the "common good" (which also challenges the "pro-choice" mentality). Rather we enter into a new humanity and a level of love and unity with one another (including the unborn) that could never be achieved by human effort alone.

A striking contrast to this teaching is the way the late Dr. James McMahon, an abortionist from Southern California who performed partial-birth abortions, answered the question posed to him by the American Medical Association news regarding how he justified doing what he did. He said, "After 20 weeks (4-½ months) where it frankly is a child to me, I really agonize over it. ... On the other hand, I have another position, which I think is superior in the hierarchy of questions, and that is: 'Who owns the child?' It's got to be the mother." -- Abortionist James McMahon, interview with American Medical News, July 5, 1993. ~ *Priests for Life* ~.

It's still not too late to add your name and support to the 2024 Right to Life Memorial ad in the January 25th edition of The Record.

Please follow this link by January 17th to do so: <u>https://rtllou.org/24prolifead/</u> OR CALL: (502)897-5433



Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Segundo domingo del tiempo ordinario, una vez más, los textos bíblicos nos sorprenden. Tres palabras podrían titular cada uno de estos textos por su contenido: llamada (1Sam 3, 3b-10.19); cuerpo (1 Cor 6, 13c-15.17-20); encuentro (Jn 1, 35-42). Tres palabras que hablan de lo que somos y cómo serlo.

"...; glorificad a Dios con vuestro cuerpo!" (1 Cor 6, 20). Esta es nuestra realidad. No andemos con dicotomías: ahora soy cuerpo, ahora soy espíritu, sería un juego irresponsable, justificación de las incoherencias. Como afirma Louis-Marie Chauvet, "lo más espiritual no sucede sino por mediación de lo más corpóreo". ¿No sabéis que vuestro cuerpo es templo del Espíritu Santo, que recibís de Dios y habita en vosotros?" (1Cor 6,19).

Y para tomar conciencia de la propia realidad se precisa de los demás. La llamada del hermano, del otro, confirma y afirma quién soy, soy otro, necesidad de esa llamada para esa identificación. El texto de Samuel relata el hecho de la llamada del Señor y de la respuesta de Samuel: "Habla, que tu siervo escucha" (1Sam 3, 10). "Samuel crecía, y el Señor estaba con él" (1Sam 3, 19) ¿Tiene algo que ver el hecho de ser llamado y el hecho de crecer? Tiene que ver. Nos realizamos, crecemos, en la relación, la convivencia, el compartir con los demás. Cada uno es alguien, y cada alguien tiene su nombre. El que llama reconoce la presencia del llamado, la singularidad. La diferencia es riqueza de la humanidad. Vivir en armonía la diferencia y así profundizar en lo más humano. Caminar juntos al encuentro del Hijo de Dios, la Nueva Humanidad. "Rabí, ¿dónde vives?" (Jn 1, 38)

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Stewardship of Treasure Weekend of January 6th & 7th

TOTAL: \$31,479.05

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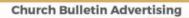
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