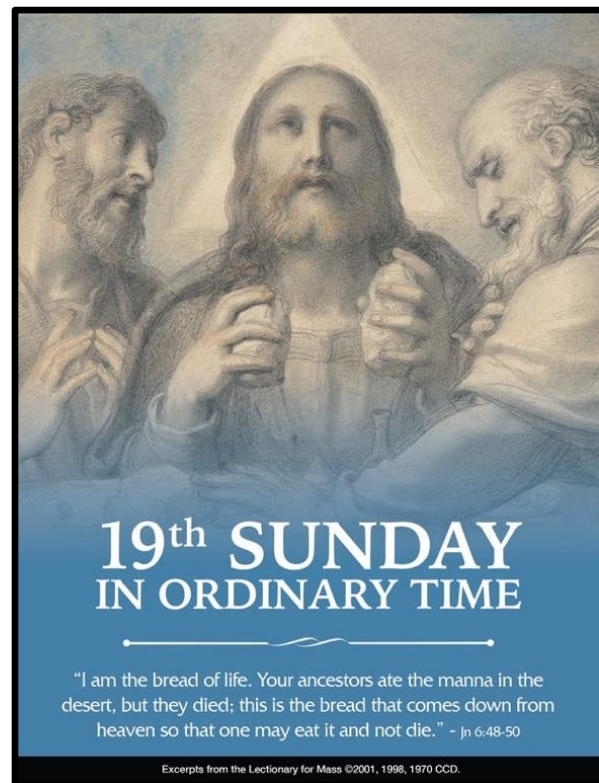


ANNOUNCEMENTS



Mass Hymns this Weekend
St. Michael Hymnal
 Entrance Antiphon
 Opening: #407 - All Creatures of Our God and King
 Gloria: #106 - Missa De Angelis
 Offertory: #601 - Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence
 Mystery of Faith: #102 - Missa De Angelis
 Communion Antiphon
 Communion: #447 - Be Thou My Vision
 Marian - #738 - Salve Regina
 Closing: - #492 - Crown Him with Many Crowns

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If you'd like to be an adorer, please
 contact Rose @ 816-520-4009

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES	
Sunday, August 11	Confessions – 8:30 am Mass – 9 a.m. Confessions – 1:00 p.m. Mass – 1:30 pm
Monday	Confessions – 7:30 a.m. Adoration/Confessions – 6pm
Tuesday	NO MASS
Wednesday August 14	Holy Day of Obligation-The Assumption vigil 5PM @ St. James (English) 6:30PM – at St. Patrick (Spanish)
Thursday August 15	6:45 AM at St. Patrick (English) 8AM at St. James (English) 5:30PM at St. Patrick (English) 6:00PM at St. James (Latin)
Friday	
Saturday	5:45 Men's Group – 6 am, MMHall Confessions – 3:45 p.m. Mass – 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, August 18	Confessions – 8:30 am Mass – 9 a.m. Confessions – 1 pm Mass – 12:30 pm

If you would like to provide altar flowers for any week in honor/memorial of someone or event, please contact Kelly Bachman or the parish office.

Please pray for vocations to the priesthood.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 10
Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr
 4:30PM – Rev. Evan Patrick Harkins†

Sunday, August 11
 9:00AM – For the People
 12:30PM – Rev. Evan Patrick Harkins†

Monday, August 12
Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious
 8:00AM – John Pugh †

Tuesday, August 13
Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs
NO MASS

Wednesday, August 14
Saint Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr
 5:00PM @ St. James (English)
 6:30PM St. Patrick (Spanish)

Thursday, August 15
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 6:45AM St. Patrick (English)
 8AM-St. James (English)
 5:30PM – St. Patrick (English)
 6:00PM- St. James


Friday, August 16
Saint Stephen of Hungary

Saturday, August 17
 4:30PM – Phillip Zuptich †

Sunday, August 18
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:00AM - Michael & Frances Hernandez and MaryAnn Ellis†
 12:30PM – Augustine Klingele (Special Int.)

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Gina Smith
Joseph Thiltges



(If you or someone you know would like to be placed on this list, please call the parish office.)

Thoughts by Father Benjamin Fenton

Laziness, one of the seven deadly sins, is probably the most underrated of all of them. Most of our sins, vices and struggles come from lazy habits acquired in our early childhood, when we did not struggle sufficiently to live a life of sanctity because we had no idea what was going on, and because we already had the bad influence of concupiscence on us.

Laziness is usually mistaken for not doing anything, however, often times it manifests itself in a flurry of activity that deep down we know is misguided or useless. It is for this reason that laziness enslaves us to do more work, busy work, mindless work or repetition, with no goal, or no spiritual offering attached to it. We literally need to work smarter, not harder – or more accurately, work deeper. Remember that we become Holy not by doing good things, but by doing the good things that God asks us to do.

If laziness is a cancer in our soul, then acedia is the metastasis. Acedia is spiritual laziness, the belief that things have to be the same, that I cannot improve, that I will not even try to move from where I am. Don't talk to me, don't tell me, I don't want to hear it, this is the way I am and this is who I am, and I cannot change.

No! You can change, your family can change, the Church can change, the world can change. Do not let the enemy convince you otherwise and make today the day when you take the first step towards that radiant sanctity you will find at the end of time.

Scripture Readings:
 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (9a)/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51

Liturgical Assignments – August 10/11	
Lector	
4:30 p.m.	Susan Pryzbylski
9:00 a.m.	Holy Name Society
Altar Servers	
4:30 p.m.	Josh Green / Volunteer Needed
9:00 a.m.	Matthew and David Aberer
Weekday	
MONEY COUNTERS	
ROSIE KOVAC / ERIN ROCHA	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – July 29 – Aug 4	
Envelopes	\$9,230.00
Plate	590.00
Votives	40.43
Repair/Utility Fund	0.00
Miscellaneous	1,948.01
TOTAL	\$11,808.44
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00