

January 15, 2023

**Second Sunday  
In Ordinary Time**



Scripture Readings:

Isaiah 49:3-6; Psalm 40

1 Corinthians 1:1-3; John 1:29-34

*“Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb...”* Isaiah 49:5

God has given each of us different gifts. In order for God’s plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don’t let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

Liturgical Assignments – January 21/22	
	Lector
4:30 p.m.	Susan Przybylski
7:00 a.m.	Nancy Vanover
9:00 a.m.	Shane McDonald
Altar Servers	
4:30 p.m.	Josh Green / Volunteer Needed
9:00 a.m.	Peter & Charlie Bartulica
Weekday	School Servers
Money Counters	
Mary Jo Marek / Carol Hunt	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – January 7/8	
Envelopes	10,128.65
Plate	463.00
Votives	50.45
Repair/Utility Fund	351.87
Miscellaneous	25.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,018.97</b>
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

This weekend the second collection will go to the annual **Catholic Home Missions & Black and Indian Missions.**

Congratulations to **Charles Mikail Rix**, son of Shane and Derya Rix, who was baptized here on January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Congratulations to **Paige Perry**, who signed a National Letter of Intent to join William Jewell’s Dance Program.

Happy Belated Birthday to **Charles “Spud” Stumpf** – January 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Tax Statements**

It’s tax time again. If you would like a contribution statement for 2022, please call the parish office. No statement will be sent unless you request it. Plan ahead and allow time for your statement to be ready.

Congratulations to our winners of the **Knights of Columbus poster contest, “Keeping Christ in Christmas”.**



THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES	
Sunday, January 15	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am RCIA – 10:05 am – Church Tour CCD – 10:05 am, School
Monday	Confessions – 7:30 am Legion of Mary – 8:45 am, C. Erk Rm <b>Office Closed</b>
Tuesday	<b>Confessions – 5 pm</b> <b>Mass – 5:30 pm</b>
Wednesday	Confessions – 7:30 am <b>Office Hours – 10:30 am to 2:30 pm</b> God Is! Mtg. – 6 pm, MMHall
Thursday	Confessions – 7:30 am 1 <sup>st</sup> Confession Parent Mtg. – 6:30 pm., Erk Rm
Friday	Confessions – 7:30 am <b>Office Closed</b>
Saturday	Confessions – 3:30 pm
Sunday, January 22	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am RCIA – 10:05 am – C. Erk Rm Confirmation – 10:05 am, School CCD – 10:05 am, School

**God Is! Day of Renewal – SAT, Feb 25<sup>th</sup>**

Participants will experience informative talks, inspirational personal witness, sacramental renewal, prayer, Adoration and Mass. Deadline for registration is FEB 11<sup>th</sup>. Forms are in the back of church.

**St. Serra Club of St. Joseph #531 "Promoting Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life"** invites you to their Re Charter Celebration, Wednesday, January 18, 2023 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Mass at 6:00, Celebrant Bishop James Johnston, dinner and program to follow. All are welcome to join us if you would like to be a part of this important work to support vocations.

*Coram Deo* is a Eucharistic-centered Catholic group which exists to meet the needs of young adults in the St. Joseph area and to provide opportunities for spiritual growth and fellowship. *Coram Deo* is meeting on **Monday, January 16th**, for ***Mondays on the Bluff!*** Meet at the Cathedral of St. Joseph parish at **6:10pm** for a walking rosary to River Bluff Brewing, where we will enjoy food, drinks, and fellowship! All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. We hope to see you there! Questions? Please contact Ally Gabler at [allygabler@gmail.com](mailto:allygabler@gmail.com).

**The St. Monica Club prays for all souls away from the Catholic Faith.** All are welcome to join us on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Group prayers from 6:45-7:15pm. Quiet prayer available until 8pm. Additionally, all 2nd and 4th Wednesday 6pm Masses will be offered for all souls away from the Faith. Text @saintmclub to 81010 for more information or reminders.

**St. Joseph Catholic Academy Prayer Breakfast Fundraiser – WED, FEB 1<sup>st</sup> – 8 am, SFX Parish Center**

Guest Speakers – Bishop James Johnston and Dr. Ed Kammerer

To buy tickets or a sponsorship go to

<https://www.stjoecatholicacademy.com>

**Annual Catholic Appeal Update for St. James**

Households: 47 Current \$9,375.00

60% of our goal

This year’s goal for our parish is \$15,750.00.

Please make sure you mark St. James in St. Joseph as your parish when you send in your check or donate online.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sunday, January 15**

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 a.m. – *Pro Populo*

9:00 a.m. – *Robert Pitts +*

**Second Sunday after Epiphany**

11:30 a.m. – Latin

*Arlen Roach +*

**Monday, January 16**

**Votive Mass of the Most Holy Trinity**

8 a.m. – *Shirley Cox +*

**Tuesday, January 17**

**St. Anthony, Abbot**

5:30 p.m. – *Bill Sanger +*

**Wednesday, January 18**

**Votive Mass of St. Joseph**

8 a.m. – *For the Intercession of All Saints and Angels*

**Thursday, January 19**

**Votive Mass of the Most Holy Eucharist**

8 a.m. – *Miller Family +*

**Friday, January 20**

**St. Sebastian, Martyr**

8 a.m. – *Jennifer Cox Johnson +*

**Saturday, January 21**

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:30 p.m. – *Larry Hunt +*

**Sunday, January 22**

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 a.m. – *Lois Shipps*

9:00 a.m. – *Lori Redmond +*

**Third Sunday after Epiphany**

11:30 a.m. – Latin

*Pro Populo*

(A cross indicates that the Mass intention is for a deceased loved one.)