

ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 28, 2024

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Scripture Readings:

2 Kings 4:42-44; Psalm 145:10 -18
Ephesians 4:1-6; John 6:1-15

“There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?” JOHN 6:9
The miracle of the Loaves and Fishes carries two important messages. First, no matter how little we have, we always have enough to share. Second, Christ can take our humble gifts and do great things with them if we are just willing to let Him. Nothing is impossible with God. All of our gifts, big or small, were given to us for a reason. No gift is too small or insignificant!

Liturgical Assignments – August 3/4	
	Lector
5:30 p.m.	Monica Purdy
9:00 a.m.	Mike Aberer
	Altar Servers
4:30 p.m.	Evan Charboneau / Volunteer Needed
9:00 a.m.	Charlie & Peter Bartulica
Weekday	
Money Counters	
Rob Kneib / Mary Kneib	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – July 20/21	
Envelopes	7,421.12
Plate	342.25
Votives	51.00
Repair/Utility Fund	433.00
Miscellaneous	0.00
TOTAL	8,247.37
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00

Mass Hymns this Weekend

St. Michael Hymnal

Opening - #514 - For the Fruits of His Creation
Offertory - #603 Let All Things Now Living
Communion - #667 – O Living Bread from Heaven
Marian - #738 - Salve Regina
Recessional - #638 – Now Thank We All Our God

This weekend the second collection will go to the repair/utility fund.

Knights of Columbus Mtg. on AUG 5 is cancelled.

Next weekend, Fr. Etienne Huard, OSB will be to make an appeal for the work of the **Alliance for International Monasticism**. AIM USA has formed an alliance between 140 US and Canadian monasteries with over 450 Benedictine and Cistercian monasteries in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean and Latin America and Eastern Europe.

Congratulations to **Lane Kemp and Madison Dittmore** who were married here last weekend.

The School Sisters Return Soon– Help Stock the Pantry!

It has been a tradition at St. James to welcome the sisters back with stocked shelves to start the year off. If you would like to make a donation, please contact the parish office or Joleen Aberer. You can also put a donation in the collection basket next weekend in an envelope marked “School Sisters”.

Memorial Mass for Fr. Angelo Bartulica

Saturday, August 10th, 10 a.m. at St. James

All are invited. A reception/luncheon will follow in the parish gym.

The Altar Society is hosting this luncheon for the Bartulica family. We are expecting a big crowd. Please call Mary Jo Marek or the parish office if you can lend a hand.



From the Desk of the Principal

The 2024-2025 school year will be beginning in a few weeks and as many of you know Mr. Hosler will not be returning as principal. I have accepted the position as interim principal and look forward to working with the parish, parents, staff, and students for the upcoming year.

This will be my 32nd year in education with 31 of those as a teacher. I am excited to accept this new challenge as principal. I feel confident that with the professional staff at our school we will strive for the success of all students.

There will be an open house on Monday, August 19th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. I would like to extend an invitation to all members of the parish to visit our school and meet the staff.

I know with your prayers and support this will be one of our best years for all the children.

Yours in Christ, Ms. Carol Anderson

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES

Sunday, July 28	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	
Wednesday	Legion of Mary – 9:00 a.m., C. Erk Rm Bible Study – 1:30 p.m., C. Erk Rm
Thursday	
Friday	Parish Office Closed Fiesta Night in St. James Gym
Saturday	5:45 Men’s Group – 6 am, MMHall Confessions – 3:45 p.m. Mass – 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, August 4	Confessions – 8:30 am Mass – 9 a.m. Confessions – 1 pm Mass – 1:30 pm

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Companions in Shipwreck

In the era of cancel culture and shunning of our neighbors, we should look back at how friendship should be integrated into our lives. It may be as simple as getting to know someone, or going further and visiting them regularly. What can we learn of the true principles of friendship? Who can we learn it from? Look no further than the life of famed author and Catholic, J.R.R. Tolkien. The relationships he exhibited are a wonderful example for all of us to follow, especially with those we may disagree with. As Tolkien described marriage, it’s all about being “companions in shipwreck.”

Follow your host, Fr. Daren Zehnle, as we take a trip to Tolkien’s home of Oxford, and hear wonderful interviews from esteemed people, including author Joseph Pearce, Dr. Mark Atherton - both experts on Professor Tolkien

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The **MIR House of Prayer** is celebrating 25 years of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in St. Joseph! Please join us in the Chapel of the Holy Rosary for First Friday Mass at 7 pm on August 2, and First Saturday Mass at 8 am on August 3. Both Masses are being offered for all living and deceased adorers.



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.

St. Patrick Fiesta at St. James!

Friday, August 2, 5 to 10 p.m. in Rupp Gym
Coronation Dance, Silent Auction, Tex-Mex Favorites, and music by DJ Vicana. Free entry
Saturday, August 3, the Fiesta moves to the grounds of St. Patrick Church, 5 to 10 p.m., with kid’s activities, traditional food favorites from Latin America, and Live Cultural Dancing at 8 p.m.

Please pray for vocations to the priesthood.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 27

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 p.m. – *Charles & Mary Hanway +*

Sunday, July 28

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. – *Doug & Mary Cox*
1:30 p.m. – *Matthew Scozzare*

Monday, July 29

Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus
8:00 a.m. – *Richard and Faith Girard*

Tuesday, July 30

St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
NO MASS

Wednesday, July 31

St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
NO MASS

Thursday, August 1

St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
NO MASS

Friday, August 2

St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
NO MASS

Saturday, August 3

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:30 p.m. – *Charisse Widener +*

Sunday, August 4

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 a.m. – *Robert Kneib +*
1:30 p.m. – *Joseph Thiltges*

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