

St. James Vocation Ministry Team

If you would like to be a part of our Vocation Ministry Team to promote and raise awareness for the need of vocations to the priesthood and religious life at St. James, please contact Fr. Davis or the parish office!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Saturday, February 28:

4:30PM - † Mary Janorschke
 Sunday, Mar 1:

9:00AM - † Selle, Tepel, Maag, and Schack Families
 12:45PM - † Kathy Miller
Monday Mar 2:
 8:00AM - † Edwin and Mary Obermier

Wednesday, Mar 4 (St. Casimir)

8am - † Stefan and Waleria Szczepanik

Thursday, Mar 5

8:00AM - † Charles and Betty Kovak, Sean Kovak

Friday, Mar 6

8:00AM - Murray and Korte Families, living and deceased

Saturday, Mar 7 (Sts. Perpetua and Felicity):

4:30PM - † John and Sophia Obermier

Sunday, Mar 8:

9:00AM - For the People
 12:45PM - †Cathy Baker

If you become hospitalized, please contact the office

Welcome to Saint James Catholic Church!

You may register at the parish office or email office@saintjamescatholic.church

Lector and Server Schedule

| Mass Date | 3/07 | 3/08 |
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| Lector | Bernie Stevenson | Holy Name |
| MC | Matthew Cline | Matthew Aberer |
| Acolyte 1 | Brian Daughtry | Jude Welchert |
| Acolyte 2 | Connor Pearce | Charlie Bartulica |
| Thurifier | Josh Green | Evan Wohletz |

The Parish office will now be open Monday-Friday 9am-4pm

Please join us for a Lenten Day of Reflection on March 28th at 10AM-430PM.

More information forthcoming and on Facebook. Registration required. Lunch provided.

2026-2027 MoScholars Scholarship Applications Now Open!

Applications for the 2026–2027 school year are now open for grades K-12.

New Applicants: If you want your child to get a **Catholic education at no cost** please visit brightfuturesfund.org and complete the pre-qualification form. If eligible, you will then be given a link to FACTS. (Note: this is a new link for 2026–2027; you cannot apply using a previous FACTS application.) Current Recipients (2025–2026): You do not need to reapply. If you are applying for a sibling, you will need to remove the current recipient’s information from the student section of the new application.

The Legion of Mary

is for the welfare of the one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church, doing every form of social service and Catholic action with the guidance of the parish priest. Join our meetings on Wednesdays at 9AM in the Casper Erk Room!

Prayer to Saint Michael

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

St. James Youth Group and Bible Course

When: Every Tuesday 6:30PM-8
 Where: St. James Church basement
 Who: 12-17 Year olds
 What to bring: A Bible, a notebook, and an open heart. For more information:



Missionary Sisters
 Servants of the Word
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Giving Summary

Totals were not available at the time of printing.

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Giving summaries for 2025 were emailed to those whose emails we have in Flocknote. If you need a summary for tax purposes, please contact the office.

A second adorer is needed for the 1-2pm slot on Monday Adoration. Please contact the office to sign up.

Thoughts by Father Jonathan Davis

On this second Sunday of Lent we hear the story of Christ’s Transfiguration on Mount Tabor. In the Transfiguration Christ reveals His Divinity to his apostles Peter, James, and John in a visible way. “While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white.” (Luke 9:28) In the Mass, the removal of the chalice veil at the offertory represents the stripping off of the garments of Christ on Good Friday. This is a very significant part of the Mass. We remember how when the soldiers removed Christ’s garments, pieces of His Flesh which adhered to His garment, were torn off His Body also. In this part of the Mass, we are entering into the mystery of Christ’s Passion. In the Mass we are called to an interior participation in the Passion of Christ and to meditate on His sufferings. During His Passion, Christ took on all of our sins in His Body. In His terrible sufferings, we can see the reality of sin. The glory of His Divinity was veiled by His humanity and His sufferings, but before His Passion, Christ manifested His glory to His apostles in His Transfiguration, becoming bright as the sun, in order to strengthen their hearts and give them hope after they saw His horrible suffering and death. The Transfiguration is a revealing of the Divinity of Christ. In our lives, when we might pass through difficult times, let us remember the glory of the light of the Transfiguration, because Christ our light will be with us to lead us through the darkness and into His wonderful light. The fruit of this mystery of the Transfiguration is a desire for holiness. We are called to that same glory, to be radiant like the sun forever in Heaven. May we always desire this goal and work to grow in holiness.

The School Sisters invite all parishioners to attend the Stations of the Cross with the students at 2:30 on the following days 3/6, 3/12 (Thursday). and 3/27

Young Women’s Lenten Retreat

Women aged 18-39 are invited to take time at the beginning of Holy Week for prayer and renewal with the Sisters of St. Francis of the Holy Eucharist. This retreat will be based on the Little Office of the Passion of St. Francis of Assisi and will help you enter into the Paschal season in the spirit of St. Francis. Retreat begins on March 27 and concludes after Mass on March 29. Cost is \$125. Scholarships available for those with financial need.

Contact Sister Colette with any questions sr.colette.marie@gmail.com Register at osfholyeucharist.org/events or call 816-838-1403

The Saint Monica Club, founded in 2021 to pray for priests, vocations, and those away from the Catholic Faith. Join us in praying the Rosary and Litany of the Saints on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month from 6:20-6:45PM at St. James Church.

Stations of the Cross

Friday’s at 4:30

Fish Fry Dates

Location: Gym Time: 5:30pm
 Feb. 20, 27, March 13, and 20th.
 Price: \$15 adults, \$6 kids.

MIR HOUSE - Adorers needed!

-Wed. 1-2am. -Every other Friday 12am-1am, 1am-2am -Saturday 10am-11am Sign up: mirhouseofprayer.weadorehim.com/en/signup

Or Call Ellen Johnson at 816-383-0445 or Scan



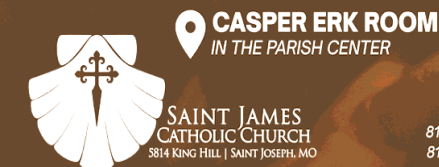
BIBLE STUDY

Bring: bible, notebook & an open heart

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS **4:30 PM**

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EVERY SUNDAY **4:00 PM**



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February Prayer Intentions

Holy Father: Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

Bishop Johnston: For an end to human trafficking and for the rescue and healing of its victims.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

- Gina Smith Justine Schroff
- Joseph Thiltges Joyce Thomas
- Dianne Pulley Vanessa Dozjer
- Judith Reed Josie Gilbert Ezra Penney
- Steve Steiner Susan Zuptich Karen Unzicker
- Richard Coleman Denice Weinmann
- Henry Saulan Patricia Saulan Ron McDaniels
- Rex Smith Melissa Riches



Praise to the Holy Face of Jesus!