

May 21, 2023

The Ascension of Our Lord



Scripture Readings:
Acts 1:1-11; Psalm 47

Ephesians 1:17-23; Matthew 28:16-20

Prayer is the foundation of our Faith and the foundation of Stewardship. Prayer is always the first best option in any situation - not just our last resort. Pray for friends and family, and especially for those that don't treat you very well. Pray to give praise, to thank, and to ask God for help. Pray to see what God wants you to do with the gifts He has given you. Teach others how to pray. It has been said that teaching someone how to pray is the best gift you can give someone.

Liturgical Assignments – May 27/28	
	Lector
4:30 p.m.	Matthew Ball
7:00 a.m.	Volunteer needed
9:00 a.m.	Mary Jo Marek
	Altar Servers
4:30 p.m.	Evan Charboneau / Volunteer Needed
9:00 a.m.	Matthew & David Aberer
Weekday	School Servers
Money Counters	
Mary Jo Marek / Carol Hunt	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – May 13/14	
Envelopes	9,981.57
Plate	489.00
Votives	55.90
Repair/Utility Fund	267.00
Air Conditioner Coll.	250.00
Miscellaneous	225.00
TOTAL	11,268.47
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This weekend the second collection will be taken up for the annual **Tomorrow's Priests Vocation Fund**.

Next weekend the second collection will go to the annual **Peter's Pence Appeal**.

NOTE: There will be no weekday Masses at St. James this week.

Air Conditioner Update

One unit has been installed and paid for! We are waiting for an estimate on the second a/c and with your generous donations we have collected \$8,594.47 for that project. If you would still like to make a donation, place it in an envelope marked "Air Conditioner".

Special thanks to our kitchen and dining room committees for their hard work prepping for our Mother/Daughter Banquet. We are appreciative also to all who attended and shared a lovely evening of family and friendship!

St. James Altar Society

Mother's Day Memorials

Lucille Shalz by Dennis & Susie Shalz

Juanita Epperson by Dennis & Susie Shalz

Consuelo Olvera by Leo & Amelia Bravo

Norma Bravo by Leo & Amelia Bravo

June Kerr by Michelle McManus

Helen Harrison by Michelle McManus

Geniva McManus by Michelle McManus

Mary Ann Hughes by Ron Hughes

Eugenia Ann Phillips by Michelle Carpenter

Mrs. Ramona Canchola by Rita Pena

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 **Saturday, May 27th**, for **Scripture Saturdays!** Meet at St. Rose of Lima parish for **4pm Reconciliation, 5pm Mass**, with dinner and a Scripture study at **6:10pm**. 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.

St. James Seven Sisters Apostolate is Seeking New Members

The mission of Seven Sisters is to strengthen our church by ensuring that a Holy Hour is prayed each day of the week for the sole intention of our Pastor. The commitment is one Holy Hour on a specific day of the week for one year. The year begins on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, which is Friday, June 16th. Priests are very grateful to have this apostolate in their parishes. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Deb Seiter at 816-262-9256.

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES

Sunday, May 21	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am
Monday	No Confessions Legion of Mary – 8:45 am
Tuesday	No Confessions
Wednesday	No Confessions
Thursday	No Confessions
Friday	No Confessions Office Closed
Saturday	Confessions – 3:30 pm
Sunday, May 28	Holy Hour – 8 am to 8:45am

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Married Couples Retreat at St. James Parish

Retreat Introduction to Domestic Church

St. James Parish will be hosting a 2-Day Retreat for married couples on June 10-11.

This retreat is first and foremost a chance to encounter Christ together as a married couple and to enrich your spiritual life together. It is also an introduction to the Domestic Church movement which provides ongoing support and formation for married couples. The opportunity to participate in this ongoing formation at our parish will be discussed during the retreat.

The cost for the retreat is \$75 which covers meals (light breakfast, lunches, and dinner) and materials. Scholarships are available.

To learn more or register online use this link www.kcsjfamily.org/light-life.

Please pray for vocations to the priesthood.



Congratulations to our 8th Grade Graduating Class!

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, May 21

The Ascension of Our Lord

7:00 a.m. – *Pro Populo*

9:00 a.m. – *Robert Kneib +*

Sunday after the Ascension

11:30 a.m. – *Latin*

Ida Masson +

Monday, May 22

St. Rita of Cascia, Religious

8:00 a.m. – *No Mass*

Tuesday, May 23

Easter Weekday

5:30 p.m. - *No Mass*

Wednesday, May 24

Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. – *No Mass*

Thursday, May 25

St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church

8:00 a.m. – *No Mass*

Friday, May 26

St. Philip Neri, Priest

8:00 a.m. – *No Mass*

Saturday, May 27

Pentecost Sunday

4:30 p.m. – *Patty Belz Hendrix +*

Sunday, May 28

Pentecost Sunday

7:00 a.m. – *Berl Evans +*

9:00 a.m. – *Cole, Alison, & Jaxson Hansen*

Pentecost Sunday

11:30 a.m. – *Latin*

Pro Populo

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