A Reflection…

from Deacon Matthew Hahn

July 19, 2015

Hey…let’s get out and enjoy the summer season!

This past weekend was the celebration of America declaring her independence from Britain. What a wonderful weekend it was! The weather was fantastic, the festival over at Recreation Park was a success, and the fireworks were astounding! What a great country we live in! We have much to be thankful for in this country.

I also had the privilege of visiting the nursing home where we Deacons go and celebrate a Communion Service every Sunday morning. The usual community was in attendance, except for one. Mary…the lady who gave her opinion of my homily several weeks back was called home to eternal life with God two weeks prior to my visit. She was such a lovely person. When I first met Mary she was quite alert. Her health had been gradually declining over the past few years. Yet every time she was offered the Body of Christ, she would open her mouth and wait for Jesus.

Mary…waiting to receive the Body of Christ reminds me of very young children who come up for Communion with their parents. They have not celebrated their First Holy Communion yet, but their interest (or is it excitement?) in the Body and Blood of Christ sometimes overwhelms them! They come charging right up and want to receive Jesus along with the rest of the community. Wouldn’t it be great if we were all so excited to receive Jesus the way these youngsters are? Wouldn’t it be great if we all spent more time focusing on Jesus rather than the distractions in our lives that seem to be more important to us than Jesus? Wouldn’t it be great if we all realized that Jesus is present within each and every one of us?

As we enjoy the warm weather and all the activities we do outside, remember that God created all that is good. Bring the excitement of the fun this season has to offer to your faith life, too. Act like the child we all have inside of us. Be the carefree child of your youth this summer. Enjoy the goodness that God created for us. Get excited about God’s creation…get excited about your faith in God!

- Deacon Matthew

(A podcast of this week’s reflection is available on the St. James website and mobile website.)
Outdoor Mass—July 4, 2015

Fr. Matt Foley celebrated an outdoor Mass on Saturday, July 4th, at 8:30am.

St. James parishioners, family members, friends, and guests brought lawn chairs and gathered in front of the Church for prayer.

Thank you for joining us to celebrate our faith and freedom on this special holiday!

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**Rosary Group**
Pray the Rosary both before and after daily Mass:

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**Ministry of Praise**

The Ministry of Praise is a spiritual ministry in which members offer their prayers to God to help others in need. This ministry was developed especially for the sick and homebound so that they can experience a closer relationship with the parish. Their prayers will provide a wealth of spiritual treasures that can bring God's blessings on themselves and on the parish at large. There are no dues or meetings.

If you or a loved one is interested in participating in this ministry, please contact parishioner Marilyn Neuman at 224-345-7200 or MinistryofPraise@stjamesah.org
Vicariate I Opportunity....

Vicariate I offers the opportunity to grow in the (ILP) Instituto de Liderazgo Pastoral Program to parishioners. This is a 2-year certificate program in Spanish for our Spanish-speaking parishioners. It will develop a deeper spirituality of service, broaden the understanding of ecclesial leadership, and give lay ministers a sense of discipleship and mission.

The Training will be conducted by Mrs. Pat Farrell and me on Sunday, August 2nd from 12:30pm to 2:30pm and on Thursday, August 6th from 7pm to 9pm. Both sessions will be held in the Parish Center Chapel.

If you plan on attending either session, you must RSVP to pglipps@gmail.com.

Thank you, and God bless!
Peter Lippert, EM Coordinator

THE IMPORTANCE OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND PRAYER

The worship given to the Trinity of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit... must fill our churches also outside the timetable of Masses... This worship must be prominent in all our encounters with the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration of Christ in this sacrament of love must also find expression in various forms of Eucharistic devotion, personal prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, hours of adoration, periods of exposition - short, prolonged, and annual (Forty Hours) - Eucharistic benediction. Eucharistic processions, Eucharistic Congresses... Let us be generous with our time in going to meet him in adoration and in contemplation that is full of faith and ready to make reparation for the great faults and crimes of the world. May our adoration never cease.”

-Pope John Paul II

WHAT IS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION?

It has been the consistent belief of the Catholic Church from the very beginning that the bread and wine consecrated at Mass truly become the Body and Blood of Christ; and that, furthermore, as the Catholic Catechism states, this “Eucharistic presence of Christ [which] begins at the moment of the consecration...endures as long as the Eucharistic species subsist.” (CC #1377). In other words, the Eucharistic Christ then continues to be present in our midst beyond the Eucharistic liturgy when the consecrated host is either reposed in a tabernacle or exposed on the altar.

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for Adoration in the Church at St. James every Thursday following the 7:30 am Mass until 4:00 pm. Starting at 3:00 pm, we recite the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, the Rosary, and end with Benediction.
Summer Mission Appeal

On the weekend of July 25th and 26th, we welcome Fr. Avitus Kiiguta, who will preside at our Summer Mission Appeal weekend. Fr. Avitus comes to us through the Missionary Cooperation Plan, in cooperation with the Archdiocese of Chicago, and is the Founder and Director of COCE (Children Outreach and Community Empowerment, Inc.). COCE is a charitable organization whose mission is to educate and empower needy and orphaned children in North West Tanzania, the native community of Fr. Kiiguta. Quality education of African youth stands as the best way to solve many social-economic ills. In July, 2007, thanks to generous donations, Sacred Heart Secondary School was built in Africa. The students are taught English, Kiswahili, Mathematics, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, History, Geography, Civics, Bible Knowledge, and Computer. The third graduation (91 students) took place in December of 2013. Students also participate in soccer, basketball, and volleyball, and have participated in a local league, winning several championships and trophies. Four SHSS students were finalists in a national science competition prepared by the Tanzania Young Scientist Association.

“This has been made possible through the sacrifices of many generous people. I thank and pray to God as I dedicate one daily Mass to pray for all COCE donors. May God, in return, reward them in abundance.”

- Fr. Kiiguta

ST. JAMES WOMEN’S CLUB
is sponsoring a collection of

School Supplies for Marillac House

August 8th & 9th, 2015
(after all the Masses)

Marillac House is located on the west side of Chicago. Under the direction of the Daughters of Charity, they provide: Day Care services, Recreation Programs, Adult Education, Emergency Food Pantry, Infant Nutrition Program, Child Abuse Program, Outreach to Seniors and Project Hope for teen mothers.

Your generosity in helping to assist the children in these programs is greatly appreciated! Supplies most in need are notebooks, binders, pens, pencils, looseleaf paper and backpacks. (If you would like to donate a “complete backpack”, please include: 2 folders, 2 notebooks, pens pencils a ruler, glue stick and looseleaf paper.) However, any donations are most appreciated!

Please bring donations directly to the designated cars in the parking lots behind the Church and Parish Center after the Saturday evening and Sunday Masses.

If questions, please contact Bernie Tolzien, 847-253-5396 or wbtolzi@yahoo.com
Archdiocese of Chicago Fall 2015 Basic Training for New Ministers of Care

SAVE THE DATE!

This program is designed for persons to be commissioned and mandated as Ministers of Care, who will visit and take Holy Eucharist to residents of nursing homes, the hospitalized, and to the homebound. Register through Deacon Tom Westerkamp (847-253-3090) or westerkamp17@aol.com

Attendance at each Saturday session is required...no walk-in's allowed.

Attendees must Register in advance.

Location:
St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish
411 North Wheeling Road,
Prospect Heights, IL 60070

Dates: September 12th and 19th
(Two Saturdays)

Gathering: 8:30AM
Presentations: 9:00AM to 3:00PM, each Saturday

Please bring your own brown bag lunch each Saturday, coffee and water will be provided.

If questions, please contact Deacon Tom Westerkamp at 847–253-3090.
SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2015  
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Get away from it all

Business can become its own fix, defining who we are and establishing our significance in the world. It is hardly a new phenomenon as we hear today that even the first disciples were so immersed in their work that it was “impossible to do so much as eat.” But here is the Lord’s invitation to each of us: Come and rest. The concept of the retreat has a long and rich history in Catholic tradition. If you can’t get away to a monastery or retreat center, take time to retreat from the world in the silence of a chapel, a bench in a park, or even behind the closed door of a bedroom. Do nothing but surrender the time to God and ask for nothing more.

TODAY'S READINGS: Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:1-10; Mark 6:30-44 (105). “Come by yourselves to an out-of-the-way place and rest a little.”

MONDAY, JULY 20  
FEAST OF APOLLINARIUS, BISHOP, MARTYR

Take root in tradition

Though there are Catholics in Turkey, their numbers are few—about 35,000 in all, fewer than in many smaller U.S. cities. Having said that, what they lack in numbers they more than make up for in variety. Though all are united with the pope, Catholics worship in the Latin, Byzantine, Armenian, and Chaldean rites. Turkey is indeed a crossroads of the world, with ancient links that go back to a likely disciple of Saint Peter named Apollinaris, born in Antioch. The church’s roots are both deep and broad. Root your own faith in this long and rich tradition.

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 14:5-18; Matthew 12:38-42 (390). “At the judgment the queen of the south will arise with this generation and condemn it.”

TUESDAY, JULY 21  
FEAST OF LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI, PRIEST, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Speak across boundaries

One of the most remarkable qualities of 17th-century Franciscan Lawrence of Brindisi was his amazing knack for languages. Such a gift allows one not just to understand the words of “foreigners” but break down the borders between peoples. As an emissary of the pope, Brindisi traveled to many countries where his gifts served him well. Many of us speak only English, but perhaps you could broaden your own capacity to serve by learning another language or by tutoring others endeavoring to learn English. “Not so much to be understood, but to understand.”

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 14:21-15:1; Matthew 12:36-50 (250). “Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him and we will come to him.”

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22  
FEAST OF MARY MAGDALENE

Beauty is in the eye of the beholder

The image of Jesus held in his mother’s arms after his death is captured famously in Michelangelo’s marble sculpture, the Pieta. But the great Renaissance artist also made another pieta, this one adding the figures of Mary Magdalene and Nicodemus. Known as the Florence Pieta, its ability to draw beholders into the experience of Jesus’ death and the depth of love of the mourners is remarkable. Like this masterpiece, art has the capacity to help us enter into the stories of our faith. What kinds of art help you engage more deeply with God?

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 16:1-5; John 20:1-2, 11-18 (603). “Mary Magdalene went to the disciples, I have seen the Lord.”

THURSDAY, JULY 23  
FEAST OF BRIDGET, RELIGIOUS

Parenting: a path to sainthood

At the end of a long day, parents might quip that their children are preparing them for sainthood. With eight children, Saint Bridget of Sweden may have felt that sometimes. It’s all part of the sacred vocation of parenthood. In the Second Vatican Council’s Pastoral Constitution, Gaudium et Spes, the church recognizes parents as “cooperators with the love of God the Creator, and ... interpreters of that love.” Bridget allowed her love for God to overflow into her family life, the church, and the entire world. Let us thank God for parents and pray that we too may allow God’s love to overflow in our lives!

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 19:1-2, 11-16; Matthew 13:10-17 (299). “To anyone who has, more will be given.”

FRIDAY, JULY 24  
FEAST OF SHARBEL MACHLUF, PRIEST

Wisdom from the east

Pope John Paul famously said of the eastern and western branches of Catholicism that the church has two lungs and must learn to breathe with them both. Though Saint Sharbel, born in a Lebanese village, never traveled far from home, his legacy reminds us of the west of the great diversity of the church worldwide. When Sharbel was canonized in 1977, Bishop Francis Zayek, head the U.S. Diocese of St. Maron, wrote: “Saint Sharbel is called the second Saint Anthony of the Desert . . . the honor of our Aramaic Antiochian Church, and the model of spiritual values and renewal. Sharbel is like a Cedar of Lebanon standing in eternal prayer, on top of a mountain.” Give thanks for holy witnesses in far-off places.

TODAY'S READINGS: Exodus 20:1-17; Matthew 13:18-23 (299). “The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit.”

SATURDAY, JULY 25  
FEAST OF JAMES, APOSTLE

Which ladder will you climb?

James’ request (along with his brother John) to sit at Jesus’ right and left in the Kingdom show him to be anything but sheepish. In fact, his ambition was outrageous even to Jesus: “You do not know what you are asking!” This wasn’t lost on the other disciples either, angry that James was seeking higher status. Jesus corrects them all by reminding them that authority is not lording it over others from one’s lofty prestige, but to be down on one’s knees washing feet. “Fire in the belly” can be a noble quality, but it’s thorny for a Christian. When was the last time you acted out of ambition? Was service even a part of your motivation?

TODAY'S READINGS: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28 (605). “Do you know what you are asking?”
When a friend or loved one says

- I’m a good person, but right now going to Mass isn’t doing it for me.
- Weekend Mass? Only if it doesn’t mess up my schedule.
- I’m into enjoying life. I don’t need a God who might not even exist

What Can You Say?

A new series called “The Alpha Course” is coming to St. James in the fall and it has been very well received by over 24 million people in 169 countries. There’s a “Come & See” day (Wed., Sep. 9, 9:30AM or 7-8:30pm) that’s like a “meal and a movie” & it’s a great way to find out what “Alpha” is about. I’m going. Why don’t you come with me?

The Alpha Course
Got Questions?
Get Answers here
StJamesah.org/Alpha
Coming Soon

Do you want help turning your passion into action at St. James?

Do you want to make an existing St. James ministry even better?

Do you just love St. James and want to help make our parish even more vibrant?

Yes?

Then plan to attend a Faith Hub at St. James this summer!

What is a Faith Hub? It is a new opportunity at St. James that provides a structure for collaborative and action-oriented small group conversation. Parishioners who have a call, question or project will be able to connect with others to gain new insights and/or work on putting their ideas into action.

Three Faith Hubs will be held at St. James this summer—attend one or all three!

Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m. – June 25, July 30, and August 27
St. James Parish Office – O’Brien Room (820 N. Arlington Heights Rd.)

Questions? Contact JoAnne Mullen-Muhr at jmullenmahr@stjamesah.org. RSVP not required, but if you know you will attend, please email JoAnne.
A speaker series for YOUNG ADULTS in their 20’s and 30’s

**Theology on Tap 2015**

**Sunday, July 12, 7:15 pm** St. Emily Parish, 1400 E. Central Rd, Mt. Prospect  

**Wednesday, July 15, 7:00 pm** St. Edna Parish, 2525 N Arlington Heights Rd, Arl Hghts  
Christina Bax, “Livin’ on a Prayer: 5 Questions to Strengthen Your Prayer Life”

**Sunday, July 19, 7:15 pm** St. Emily Parish, 1400 E. Central Rd, Mt. Prospect  
Wayne Smith, “From Judaism to atheism to Catholicism”

**Wednesday, July 22, 7:00 pm** St. Paul Chong Hasang, 675 Dursey Ln, Des Plaines  
Fr. Ed Shea, “The Four Commandments of Contentment”

**Sunday, July 26, 7:15 pm** St. Emily Parish, 1400 E. Central Rd, Mt. Prospect  
Jesse Weiler, “Four Harmonies: How we can reconcile our Relationship with God, Self, Others, and Creation”

**Wednesday, July 29, 7:00 pm** St. John the Evangelist, 502 S Park Blvd, Streamwood  
Dr. Daniel Olsen, “Dating: More Blessing than Curse”

**Sunday, August 2, 7:00 pm** Village Bar and Grill, 48 Raupa Blvd, Buffalo Grove  
Keith Strohm, Topic TBD

**Wednesday, August 5, 7:00 pm** St. James Parish, 820 N Arlington Heights Rd, Arl Hghts  
Bill Johnson “Catholicism in the Real World...How to Believe In It, Live It, and Share It”

**Wednesday, August 12, 7:00 pm** St. Thomas of Villanova, 1201 E Anderson Dr, Palatine  
Darius Villalobos “Jesus & the Avengers: Superheroes, the Bible, & the Greatest Team-Up Never Told”

YAM-NW is hosting a Summer Picnic for Young Adults on August 22 at Bock Park in Schaumburg! Contact yamnw.suburbs@gmail.com for more information.

For more information on Theology on Tap in Lake County, contact yamlakecounty@gmail.com.
Learn How to Create Safety and Build Trust through Listening

Do you want to invite others into a closer relationship with Jesus?
Do you want to create small group environments where people feel heard and encouraged?

Whether your small group is your family, Bible study, classroom, or parish ministry, please plan to join us on Saturday, Sept 12 to hear from corporate trainer Beth Racine on effective listening.

Effective listening is one of the most valuable tools we can use to help people experience the power of Christ’s love.

When we effectively listen, we...
1) Communicate that we genuinely care
2) Create more safety in discussions
3) Help create trust and mutual respect
4) Have a clearer understanding of why someone feels the way that they do

Sat. Sept. 12  8:45am – 12:00pm
St. James Parish School Resource Room
820 N Arlington Heights Rd.
Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Training will include:

- How Bad Listening Habits Affect the Small Group Experience
- How to be an Effective Listener
- How to Create an Environment of Trust through Listening
- Interactive Discussion

There is no cost for the training but please reserve your spot with an RSVP to JoAnne Mullen-Muhr, Director of Faith Formation, at jmullenmuhr@stjamesah.org or (224)345-7215
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stjamesRE@stjamesah.org

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St. James School offers PK3-8th grade.

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This changes EVERYTHING!
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Learn God’s ways of handling money with Dave Ramsey’s Financial Peace University!
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more info

When: September 10th - November 5th
(Thursdays 7-9pm)
Where: Saint James Catholic Church
daveramsey.com/fpu/locations/class/279765

St. James contact: Anthony Redel
anthony.redel@usmcd.com
daveramsey.com/findaclass
Get Ready for another elegant transformation when Jubilation at James hosts

Top Ten Reasons Not to Miss the Party on November 7

10. Because sometimes you don’t need a reason to party if it’s for a Good Cause!
9. Seeing in Believing….the Decorating will have you believing you are in Spain!
8. “Shake It Off” dancing at the after-party!
7. Enjoy a sit-down dinner of fabulous cuisine and an open bar with all of your favorite cocktails and Sangria!
6. Where else are you going to wear that Flamenco Dress, Ruffled Skirt or those Red Stilettos in your closet?
5. Silent Auction Bidding on your smartphone beginning before Jubilation so you can outbid your friends without them knowing it!
4. “Fund-A-Need” by raising your paddle!
3. See who wins the Live Auction Raffle and Grand Raffle – it could be you!
2. Because you don’t want to “Wait till Next Year”!
   ………and the #1 reason to attend Jubilation at James…..
1. What else would you want to do on a Saturday night but get out and support your parish’s biggest fundraiser of the year?

Invitations will be mailed in September…
Plan to attend now!
COME FLY AWAY WITH US THIS SUMMER!

St. James Theatre Presents

July 10th, 11th, 12th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 23rd, 24th and 25th, Showtime’s – 7:30 PM and Sunday’s 2 PM matinee

Tickets are available for online purchase - please go to www.stjamestheatre.org and purchase from the ticket tab. The Box Office (in the Parish Center gathering space) is open after Saturday night mass at 5:45pm and Sunday 10:45 AM until 11:30AM. Other box office hours are listed under the ticket tab.

Tickets are $17.00, $15.00 and $12.00. Seating charts will show during the purchase process online.

ALL Saturday show seats are $5. These seats can ONLY be purchased in person at the box office with cash or a check.

Saturday the 11th and 18th are FAMILY Shows with activities an hour before show time. On Saturday, July 25th closing night awards ceremony starts immediately after our final bows.

Cast lists and information about opening and closing casts can be found on our website.

Please call the theatre hotline at 224-345-7200 ext. 8514 to leave a message with your questions.

Enjoy the show!

Listen to Weekly 10:00 Homilies online and on demand!

Do you ever wish you could remember the exact words you heard during a Sunday homily? Are your friends or neighbors talking about the homily from last Sunday? Were you away visiting another Parish but want to be inspired by the message preached at St. James?

We have you covered! Did you know that you can now listen to weekly homilies online?

Just visit www.stjamesah.org/homilies on your computer or phone while on the go and listen to recorded weekly homilies!
Community Groups and Events

Respite Care—Gero Solutions
Gero Solutions has trained volunteers who are available to provide up to 3 hours of respite care per week for family members caring for an older adult in their home. This free service is available by calling the Gero Solutions Office at 847-705-2123.

Lunches by Catholic Charities
Luncheons are served daily for seniors 60 and older at Arlington Heights Senior Center, 1801 W. Central. Suggested donation of $4.00 on a reservation basis. Call 847-797-5354 for reservations.

Mended Hearts - a national non-profit support group for cardiac patients and families meets monthly at Alexian Bros. Hospital in Elk Grove Village on the first Tuesday of each month in 2015. Call Jack Hanahan at 847-398-0791 for the schedule, information and support.

Senior Health Insurance Program
Volunteers trained by the Illinois Department of Insurance offer a free counseling service to help you compare alternative Medicare, Medicare Supplement, Medi- care Drug, HMO or Long Term Care Insurance Plans and to assist in processing billing or appealing denied claims for these plans. Call 847-253-5532 for an appointment.

Community Resources
Alcoholics Anon. 312-346-1475
Alateen 847-358-0338
Narcotics Anon. 708-848-4884
Families Anon. 847-795-8320
A self-help program for family and friends of those with substance abuse and/or behavioral problems. Meets regularly at 7:30pm on Wednesday evenings at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Arlington Hts.

NAMI—National Alliance on Mental Illness—Family support group, meets at 7:00pm, the third Wednesday of the month at Alexian Brothers Center for Mental Health, 3436 N. Kennicott, Arlington Hts. 847-899-0195

Encouragement and Support
The group meets monthly to share successes and challenges in the support of an older adult. Call Richard Nagengast at 847-732-0970 to register.

Escorted Transportation
Escorted Transportation Services Northwest (ETS/NW) - is a service available for older adults in our community who are in need of rides to medical or dental appointments. It is a non-denominational outreach service to seniors. If you are in need of such assistance, please call Kelly at 847-222-9227. To volunteer to drive and be a part of this outreach team call Kelly at 847-222-9227.

Annulment Support Ministry
Richard Nagengast 847-732-0970

AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) - meets in the old St. James School Basement, 821 N. Arlington Heights Rd. (east side of Arlington Hts. Rd.) every Monday and Wednesday evening. (Monday is a Men’s Meeting.) Both the Monday and Wednesday meetings start at 8:30pm. Enter through Door A5. AA is a self-help group for people with a drinking problem.

Cancer Research Network
The American Cancer Society has Cancer Information Specialists available 24 hours a day, seven days a week - call 1-800-227-2345. These specialists can provide: Information about your cancer, tools to help with your treatment, help finding lodging and transportation, help with financial and insurance questions, answer prescription questions, provide clinical trials matching service, assist in finding support groups, identify online community for cancer patients and their families, and offer cancer education classes. Information is available on the Internet at www.cancer.org. You may also call Ron Marwitz, the ACS parish contact, at 847-870-1862.

For Post-Abortion Counseling Help:
Project Rachel - Catholic Charities: 312-337-1962
http://www.hopeafterabortion.com

Office for Protection of Children and Youth www.archchicago.org 312-534-5254

St. Vincent de Paul - is an emergency source for food and short-term financial help for parishioners and those living within the parish boundaries. Please call 224-345-7200, ext. 8517. Requests will be handled with care and confidentiality.

Help Needed:
Bellarmine Jesuit Retreat House is seeking support staff in a variety of positions. Come and find meaningful work in a quiet and peaceful setting, located in Barrington, IL. A positive demeanor, can-do attitude and desire to work in a spiritual environment is essential.

Housekeeping Support—part-time, 2-3 days per week. To inquire, please call Helen at 847-381-2693

Dining Room Servers—part-time, 2-3 evenings/week, including Sat. Call Steve K at 847-381-1366.

Cook or baker—To inquire, call Steve K, at 847-381-1366.

SHARE
Job & Networking Ministry
Are you in transition or looking for a better job? At each meeting, we have a speaker on various topics, followed by networking.
Our Lady of the Waysides
343 W. Park St., Arlington Hts.
For information about upcoming meeting dates, please contact: Jim Pekarek at 847-767-7859, or Beth Ann Finis at 312-813-9162.

Grief Support Group
The St. James Grief Support Group meets from 7:8:15 pm in Conference Room 1 at the Parish Office.

The group offers support through sharing, listening, and learning from each other’s story of grief and loss. You do not need to commit to all of the sessions, but may attend as many as you find helpful. The next session will run from July 21-August 25th. For information, call Mary Jo at 224-345-7200, ext. 8512 and leave a message.

Games for FUNds
A Misericordia Heart of Mercy Benefit
August 8, 2015
Cost: $60 per person after July 15
Includes live band, professionally catered BBQ Buffet with complimentary beer, wine, soda. Raffle, fun people, etc. Games: Bags, Trivia, Tru-Golf Simulator and more.
2:00pm—8:00pm, at One Arlington Apartments, 3400 West Euclid. For information: Dan Goelz—224-735-7703
dgoelz@gmail.com—or 312-285-4726 or Steve & Sharon Rickerson 847-870-8161 or 847-366-8605
Sharon126@aol.com

SAVE THE DATE!
SALUTE EVENT
Home Stretch for Heroes Annual 5K Run/Walk
Wednesday, August 12th
6:30pm
Arlington Park
Finish on the track!
Register now at Saluteinc.org
Please pray for our sick...
Cherie Edwards, Edna O. Martin, Julie Abbs, Ann Metzger

In Loving Memory

Richard T. Behnke...husband of Arlene; father of Tom (Laura)
Lorraine (Rick) Aubry, Mike (Pamela), Richard (Judith), Amy
(Michael) Joyce, Joe, Cathy (John) Kapp, Jill (Nate) Hines,
and the late Barbara and Raymond; grandfather of twenty-six
and great-grandfather of five

Catherine (Kay) Young...mother of Jay (Craig)
Thuneman, Jim (Diana), Dan, Jeff (Teri), Doug (Cindy), and
Debbie (Glen) Dunteman; grandmother of sixteen; great-
grandmother of nine

Donald Seiler...husband of Josephine; father of the late
Sharon Scanlan; grandfather of four; cousin of Janet
Gianelli

Baptisms
Arlo Anthony Amanola...son of Anthony & Jacqueline
(Winters) Amanola

Henry George Szewczyk...son of Brian & Terri (Overall)
Szewczyk

Emily Rose Glen...daughter of Ryan & Kim (Johnson) Glen

Camden Matthew Rosecrans...son of Matthew &
Sarah (Marek) Rosecrans

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51st Wedding Anniversary
July 18, 2015

Stewardship

July 12, 2015

Weekend Masses — 606 Envelopes $28,764.00
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July 12th Total Collection $33,910.00

Rose for Life
This week's Rose for Life is donated by Julia and
Robert Bruett, in loving memory of their Moms,
Josephine Chierici and Dorothy Bruett.

Wedding Banns

August 1
Timothy Marchel & Jessica Borbely
Mark Laskowski & Emily Ericksen

August 8
Bart Tyszkowski & Amy Campbell
Gavin Roszkowiak & Cindy Koerner

Remembrances

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, July 19
Bernard Suchomski (1st Anniv.), Dana Mangi,
Michael Vincenzo, Mary Cadigan (1st Anniv.),
Albert O’Donnell (1st Anniv.), Cornelius Vanderwiel, Jr.

Monday, July 20
Branimir Kucera

Tuesday, July 21
Clarence Trampf, Dana Mangi

Wednesday, July 22
Stanley Tuska, Irene Augustyn

Thursday, July 23
Diane Caruso

Friday, July 24
Edward J. McCoy, Caroline Lombardi, Jack Coyle,
Carmen Swanson, Dana Mangi

Saturday, July 25
Joan Brauweiler, Jerry Lunkes, George Winkas,
Susan Comfort

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, July 26
Catherine Lyons (8th Anniv.), Mary M. Cozzi,
Vaugh Dnan, Rev. Thomas Muster, Joyce Bowes,
Stephen Thomas Patterson

Market Day
For years, our parish families have supported St.
James Parent's Club through the monthly Market Day pur-
chases. On June 26, 2015, World's Finest Chocolate acquired
Market Day Corporation and put an end to the on-site grocery
program. For those who would like to continue to support St.
James through grocery purchases, Gordon Food Service
(previously known as GFS), will continue to offer some of the
Market Day items and St. James will continue to earn 1%-10% profit on all purchases at their stores. We thank you for
all of your support.

For more information contact Cathy Waltz at
847.577.3565
Liturgical Ministers for the Weekend of July 26, 2015

Presiders
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm Fr. Avitus Kiiguta
Sunday:
7:00 am Fr. Avitus Kiiguta
8:30 am Fr. Gilbert Mashurano
10:00 am Fr. Joji Thanugundla
11:30 am Fr. Gilbert Mashurano
5:00 pm Fr. Joji Thanugundla
(A signer will be present at the 5pm Sunday Mass.)

Altar Servers
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm E. Barton, G. Bentz, A. Beck
Sunday:
7:00 am W. & S. Michelini, M. Leno
8:30 am J. Curtin, E. & M. Martin
10:00 am A. & G. Zimmerman, I. Kennedy
11:30 am A. & R. DiMarco, C. Chambers
5:00 pm C. Coleman, G. Hoffman, J. Imhoff

Lectors
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm J. Fleming, D. Geising
Sunday:
7:00 am B. Kragh, J. Ruane
8:30 am G. O' Neill, C. Jarosz
10:00 am M. Lombardi, J. McDonagh
11:30 am R. Klicki, S. Sykes
5:00 pm A. Noascono, J. Lee

Eucharistic Ministers (B Team)
Saturday evening: Parish Center
5:00 pm S. Garlick, T. Johnston, M. Meissner, N. Nordin, M. Opon, S. Resch, G. Stec, S. Stec, L. Trzesniewski, C. Williams, B. Jaffe, J. Cruz
Coordinators: S. Bobowski, R. Cruz, J. Garlick

Sunday:
Church
7:00 am M. Cripe, G. Roller, J. Shrade, J. Shrade
Coordinator: M. Walsh, Jr.
8:30 am E. Cahill, P. Cahill, L. Holland, T. Holland, V. McQueeney, K. Newgard, K. Parus, M. Philips, B. Scullion, T. Stengren, M. Vandenwiel, L. P. Martin, L. Miossi, Coordinator: F. Miossi, D. Varchetto

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Scripture Readings
READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF July 19th

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dn 3:52-56; Mt 13:10-17
Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23
Saturday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28
Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

How Are We Praying?
Your Liturgy Board is interested in hearing about your experience of prayer and worship at St. James.
We welcome your evaluation of Mass in the Church and Parish Center and your ideas about things we are doing well or ways we can improve our experience of...
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Weekend Masses
Saturday Evening  5:00pm  Parish Center (Cantor)
Sunday Morning  7am  Church (Cantor)
Sunday Morning  8:30am  Church (Traditional Choir)
Sunday Morning  10am  Parish Center (Contemporary Choir
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Sunday Morning  11:30am  Parish Center (Contemporary Choir)
Sunday Evening  5:00pm  Church (Teen Ensemble)

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mal date at least one month in advance.

Marriages
Congratulations on your engagement! At least six months prior
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