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Summer Backyard Masses
A Reflection...

from Fr. Matt Foley, Pastor

July 27, 2014

Backyard Field Masses

Jesus said to his disciples:

“The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure
buried in a field,
which a person finds and hides again,
and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and
buys that field.”

MT 13:44

At St. James we have many treasures in the homes
and yards of our parishioners. Through our St. James
Summer Road Trip, families have shared many stories
of faith and hope for the kingdom. By celebrating Masses
in the confines of parishioner’s homes, pearls of wisdom
have been shared by praying and celebrating together.

Home Masses allow me to respect the old truths of
our faith while living in the new realities of our time.
A reality of our time is that parishioners on Sunday,
right after Mass, are moving to the next scheduled
activity. By gathering around the Word and Eucharist,
into smaller groups in back yards, I find families staying
after the final hymn to get to know each other.

I am grateful that nearly 40 families have invited our Priests to celebrate the Eucharist this summer.
The faith that has been shared and the welcome that has been offered have been treasured experiences.
All the Masses and gatherings have been unique in their gifts and a reflection of the kingdom’s all-encompassing
reach.

Your Servant in Christ,

Fr. Matt

(Reprinted with permission from Extension magazine.)
(A podcast of this week’s reflection is available on the St. James website and mobile website.)
Our Mission Statement

The St. James family is a welcoming Catholic community sent forth from our celebration of the Eucharist to walk in faith, live in hope, and act in love.

As disciples of Jesus Christ, we are committed to justice and peace through Prayer, Education, Evangelization, and Stewardship.

We Remember,
We Celebrate,
We Believe

Stewardship

July 20, 2014

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Parish Envelopes

We are so blessed that you are part of St. James Catholic Church. In the spirit of stewardship along with our awareness for the environment, St James is working to update their parishioner envelope distribution list.

If you want to discontinue receiving your envelopes or if you would like to update your records, please contact us via one of the following three options by August 1st:

- Phone (224-345-7207) or email (cdesmond@stjamesah.org) or
- send us a letter to: 820 N. Arlington Heights Rd, Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Thank you for helping us update our records.

Thank you!

Dear Friends at St. James Church,

We gratefully acknowledge your recent food donation to CEDA Northwest Self-Help Center, Inc. Our Food Connection Program provides much needed food to area families in urgent need.

Your gift empowers our vulnerable neighbors in the northwest suburbs to survive in difficult times. Thanks to you, our economically disadvantaged families may be assured that they can feed their families.

On behalf of everyone who depends on our Food Connection Program to make ends meet, thank you for showing compassion to your neighbors in need. Your gifts change lives.

Sincerely, Ron Jordan, Executive Director, CEDA Northwest
Travel in India with Dr. Geetha and Tom Chitta-January 2015

Greetings to you! We would like to invite you to visit India to see the work of FCN and to visit your sponsored individual or volunteer for a few days. It will be an incredible experience. If you would like to join this mission trip, please e-mail Tom Chitta at tomchitta@hotmail.com by the end of August or early September 2014. FCN will organize a trip each year in January or February. If you cannot join this year think of future trips. We invite you to enjoy the reflections written by some of those who have been to India by visiting the “sponsors visit to India” on our website. Looking forward to hearing from you.

With Prayers and Much Gratitude,
Dr. Geetha and Tom Chitta

Travel with Tom and Geetha, co-founders of FCN; January 17-31, 2015
January 17 depart from Chicago or any other city
18: evening or late night arrival at Hyderabad, India
19: rest and sight-seeing at Hyderabad
20: Hyderabad – sight-seeing and visit to FCN Projects
21: Hyderabad – sight-seeing and visit to FCN Projects
21: night train to Kadapa (9 hours)
22-25: Porumamilla - Visit to FCN projects
26: train to Chennai (six hours)
27: sight-seeing at Chennai
28: flight to Delhi-rest
29: Taj Mahal, Agra
30: sight-seeing at Delhi
31: early morning return journey to U.S.

The ticket from Chicago to Hyderabad and from Delhi to Chicago will be approximately $1400 or $1500. It may be cheaper if there are any sales. The ticket from Chennai to Delhi will be approximately $100. The train tickets from Hyderabad to Kadapa and from Kadapa to Chennai will be approximately $40.

Tom and Geetha will host you at Hyderabad and Kadapa and will provide you accommodation in our homes. Sight-seeing expenses will be about $150 for a week both in Hyderabad and Kadapa. In Delhi and Chennai we will stay in social service centers. In these places you will pay as you go along for food, accommodation and transportation expenses. It will cost about $50 for food and travel per day including simple accommodation.

Geetha and Tom will receive you at Hyderabad and travel with you the entire trip.

Visiting India is a life time experience. We welcome you to join us on this great trip. Please call or email as soon as possible, if you would like to take this trip. You are welcome to come and learn more about this trip on August 28 at 7 pm in the Board Room.

Tom: 847-903-9892 E-mail: tomchitta@hotmail.com
ST. JAMES WOMEN’S CLUB is sponsoring a collection of

School Supplies for Marillac House

August 9th & 10th, 2014
(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 OR Marianne Dilsner at the Parish Office, 224-345-7203.
WHO ARE THEY?

It is a nearly 3,000-mile journey from Southern Honduras to the southernmost tip of Texas, a region called the Rio Grande Valley, where most unaccompanied migrant children from Central America enter the United States. Over 50,000 children have already arrived in 2014. Most children begin their journey by bus, often accompanied by a coyote, or human trafficker, which costs a few thousand dollars. They stop at safe houses along the way that are usually crowded. An unaccompanied child is one who lacks immigration status, is under 18, and who is present without a parent or legal guardian. The average age is dropping: children under age 10 are now making the dangerous journey predominantly from El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras and Mexico.

WHY ARE THEY COMING?

Honduras and El Salvador, where there are more gang members than police officers and extreme violence, cannot adequately protect children, who are left extremely vulnerable (93% of crimes perpetrated against youth go unpunished). Many children leave for the possibility of family reunification and or in search of educational and economic opportunities. Mexico has no foster care system for asylum-seeking children and a lack of children’s shelters. The children are often left in detention centers with adults or they seek deportation to try again.

FACTS

- 48% of children are affected by violence such as cartels, gangs, and the state
- 21% of children survived abuse and violence in the home
- 38% of children from Mexico are exploited in the criminal human smuggling industry
- Up to 72% of children may have more than compelling reasons to receive asylum

WHAT ARE THEY RISKING TO COME HERE?

The journey north to the border finds children in danger of drug traffickers, human traffickers, corrupt law enforcement, and gang activity. Girls are routinely raped on the journey and gang violence along the route is common. The children who are able to cross into the United States are being held in detention centers at the border and at other federal facilities, such as military bases. Immigration policy does not require the state to supply an attorney, often leaving children dealing with trauma to represent themselves in deportation hearings.

Sources: PBS’s article No Country for Lost Kids, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Charities, Catholic Legal Immigration Network Inc., VERA Institute of Justice, Bishop Mark Seitz testimony, USCCB.

TAKE ACTION: (1) Pray for the children and their families, and (2) Join with the Archdiocese of Chicago in supporting the response of Catholic Charities in these border states to the needs of the children. The Archdiocesan Office for Immigration Affairs, working in collaboration with the Priests for Justice for Immigrants in Chicago, are gathering financial donations to send to Catholic Charities in San Antonio. Please make checks to Office for Immigration Affairs, and send to 3525 South Lake Park Ave., Chicago IL 60653. Please be sure to write on the envelope and check: “for unaccompanied children.”

For additional resources on unaccompanied children, visit our website at www.catholicsandimmigrants.org.

Office for Immigration Affairs and Immigration Education,
Archdiocese of Chicago

Jesus said to them, “Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs.”

Mark 10:14
Rosary Group
Pray the Rosary both before and after daily Mass:

Monday: Human Life
Tuesday: Military
Wednesday: Marriage
Thursday: Priests and Religious
Friday: Sick
Saturday: Souls of the Faithful departed

Fr. Matt’s Monday Family Prayer and Adoration
All are welcome!
2nd Monday of each month, at 4:00 pm in the Church.
(August 11th)

Sacristans Needed!
Come and join the St. James Sacristan Ministry. Two or three parishioners are needed to join our Sacristan Ministry to help with some chores in the Church and Parish Center. Please contact Norma Aguila at 847-630-1647, or email Norma at norma.aguila@yahoo.com

Duties of Sacristans:
Mondays: Washing of purificators, towels, altar cloth, etc.
     (alternate duty)
Fridays: Taking care of church cleanliness:
     Helping clean up in Church:
     1. Changing holy water
     2. Cleaning candle holders
     3. Changing candles for altar and tabernacle
     4. Helping other ministries during the Christmas season and Holy Week.

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. 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

Eucharistic Adoration
Adoration takes place from 8am to 4pm every Thursday in the Church.
Contact: Jo Jozwik at 847-259-2433.

ALL DAY AND ALL NIGHT  
Eucharistic Adoration

In honor of Our Blessed Mother’s Assumption into Heaven—body and soul
Thursday, August 14th beginning at 8:00 am
through Friday, August 15th at 6:00 am
at St. James Church

To honor Mary, we will hold a continuous Eucharistic Adoration for 24 hours beginning on the eve of her Assumption into heaven.

While the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the monstrance for Eucharistic Adoration, He should never be left alone. We would like two or more adorers at all times. As part of the St. John Paul II Eucharistic Adoration Society, we follow their guidelines. Please use the sign up sheet at the back of the Church to sign up for one hour or contact JoJozwik, jojozl@me.com or 847-259-2433 to ensure there are sufficient adorers at all times.

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.
R.C.I.A., Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, is a process for those adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith in order to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

This process is for adults who:
- are not baptized
- were baptized in another Christian denomination
- or were baptized Catholic, but have not received the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation

Every year we have people of all ages and from all walks of life come to the R.C.I.A. They come for many reasons, such as engagements, marriages, having children, personal losses or spiritual longing. But whatever the reason, they come to the program because they are listening to God’s call.

R.C.I.A. will start meeting on Wednesday nights this fall, beginning on September 24th. The first two months of the process are called the Inquiry Phase, where you will learn more about the Catholic faith by listening to presentations and personal reflections by a team of parishioners, by sharing scripture, and by participating in group discussions.

After the Inquiry Phase, you will discern for yourself if this feels right for you. You then decide if you wish to receive further instruction in order to receive Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil next spring. Persons baptized in other Christian denominations would only receive Confirmation and Eucharist as the Catholic Church respects these baptisms.

For more information, contact Fr. Joji in the Parish Office or Jim Hamman at 847-506-1368 or email jhamman@rcgdirect.com

St. James Youth Ministry Mission Team heads to Michigan…..

St. James Youth Ministry Mission Team at Catholic Heart Work Camp in Michigan. Summer, 2014
Classes begin in September
There are two class times offered:
Tuesday 6:30-7:45pm
Wednesday 4:30-5:45pm

Registration forms and information can be found on the parish website [www.stjamesah.org](http://www.stjamesah.org).
Registrations are taken on a first come first serve basis.
You can pay online using GiveCentral.

Questions?
Please email St James at parishoffice@stjamesah.org or call 224-345-7200.

Stop by for Coffee!
Please join us for COFFEE...

after the Masses (except 7am) on the weekend of August 2nd & 3rd, sponsored by the St. James Faith Formation Team.

Come and meet the new leaders of the Faith Formation Team and learn about the opportunities available for St. James children and youth.

Register for Religious Education and Confirmation.

Catechist Celebration Mass & Dinner Sunday August 17th, 5PM Mass

All Catechists are welcome to attend a special mass in recognition of your dedication to the children/youth of St. James. Who is a Catechist? Anyone who teaches our faith including, Religious Education, Home School Religious Education, Sunday School, and CLOW Catechists, St. James School Teachers, and Youth Ministry/Confirmation Leaders.

A celebratory dinner will be held afterwards on the north lawn of the Church. For more information please contact the Religious Education Department: stjamesRE@stjamesah.org.
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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

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A Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

Visit www.stjamesschoolah.org for further information and to begin the application process for your child.

St. James School offers PreK-3 through 8th grade.

We are currently accepting applications!

Saint James School
820 N. Arlington Heights Road
Arlington Heights, IL 60004-5699
Ph: 224.345.7145
HELP!!
St. James
Theater Ministry
Needs Your Help!

Do you or someone you know have an empty garage or storage facility near St. James which can be donated for our ministry? We are in need of a place to store our lumber (2 x 4’s, 2 x 6’s, plywood sheets, etc.) from the end of July until early May. Each year we disassemble our sets and reuse the lumber to help keep costs down; however, we have lost our space due to the selling of the property. We need approximately 500 square feet or a decent size garage. If you can help, please contact Robert Sanetra at 630-247-4687.

St. James-fest 2014
The First Annual St. James-fest…the ‘World’s Smallest Block Party with the Most Fun’

When: Saturday, August 9th, right after the 5:00 PM Mass till about 10:30 PM.

Where: The grassy area between the Church and the Rectory.

What: Block party food and beverages…hamburgers, hot dogs, water, beer, wine. Movie for the kids after dark; bags tournament, conversation, live music and a DJ.

Who: All St. James Parishioners. Be sure to bring a chair!

Why: Just to get together before the summer ends and the kids start school again…come on out and spend time with each other!

Cost: Not much! This isn’t a fund raiser…minimal costs for beer and wine…just to break even.

Exodus Trekker
One of Our Deacons Who Left His Comfort Zone for Us….

On the office wall of Deacon Paul Schmidt hangs a sketch of a beached and battered rowboat whose sole reason for being there is: The boat is empty. He looks at this boat now and then to remind himself of those simple fishermen who were called by Jesus to be his disciples and who immediately left the “comfort zone” of their boat to follow him.

“This empty boat reminded me years ago to get out of my comfort zone and do something for people,” said our 72-year-old Deacon. And so there came a year of fire fights as a U.S. Marine Corps. sergeant in the Viet Nam war, six months of marriage counseling, and—two years ago—a liver and kidney transplant so severe that Deacon Schmidt said he was looking forward to dying. Still more challenges were to come….

…..To read about those challenges he related in an interview last December, go to your computer’s address bar and type: “http://exodustrekkers.blogspot.com/” or go to our parish webpage at “stjamesah.org” and type “Exodus Trekkers” in the “search window.” This EXODUS TREKKER interview will run the entire week of July 27. The regular EXODUS TREKKER blog will resume at the end of September.
Join us for Las Vegas style gambling, a dinner buffet, cocktails, and live entertainment. Celebrate 20 years of supporting our St. James charities.

**Saturday, September 6, 2014**
6:00pm-11:30pm
St. James Parish Center

Admission per person: donation of cash or item worth $50 or more that will be auctioned off at Jubilation’s Emerald Ball!

RSVP to Mary Lynn Massa by August 28th:
mmassa@stjamesah.org
224.345.7209
CALLING ALL SEASON TICKET HOLDERS AND GOLFERS!

To donate your tickets, or your Company’s tickets for one game of the season or a round of golf, simply go to www.stjamesah.org and scroll down to the Jubilation at James box. Then, select donation form and return it to the Parish Office c/o Jubilation at James by September 12. Since Jubilation is on Nov. 8, we will accept tickets or golf for the following season or any games after Nov. 8. You may donate tickets on a “mutually agreeable date” or on a “date to be determined by donor”. On the night of the auction, the winning bidder will get your completed donation form, and the tickets will not be exchanged until the actual tickets are sent to you. And remember, the value of your tickets is tax deductible! It’s that simple!

Jubilation at James presents “The Emerald Ball” - November 8, 2014

Don’t miss the fun...and join us as we celebrate supporting St. James Charities, including Tuition Assistance for students enrolled at St. James School and in our Religious Education Programs. Also supporting PADS, St. Vincent DePaul and other worthy causes here and oversees. Questions? Call 224-345-7208, email lchalk@stjamesah.org or visit www.stjamesah.org.
Eucharistic Minister and Lector Workshops

Archdiocese of Chicago—Vicariate I—DEF

2014 Fall Basic Training and Formation for New Ministers of Care

This program is designed for persons to be commissioned and mandated as Ministers of Care who will visit and/or take the Eucharist to residents of nursing homes, the hospitalized, and the homebound. (Registration at each of the six sessions listed below is required.)

St. Edna Church
(Doherty Center)
2525 N. Arlington Heights Road
Arlington Heights, IL 60004

SATURDAYS, SEPTEMBER 6 and 13
Gathering 8:30am Presentations 9:00am-3:00pm

Saturday, September 6
9:00am—10:45am Spirituality of the Ministry
Speaker: Marlene Sweeney
(Break—15 min.)
11:00am-12:30pm Prayer in Care Ministry
Speaker: Greta Rusk
(Lunch 30 min.)
1:00pm-2:30pm Theology of the Eucharist
Speaker: Fr. Michael Ahlstrom

Saturday, September 13
9:00am—10:45am Pastoral Communication Skills
Speaker: Amy Florian
(Break—15 min.)
11:00am-12:30pm Ministerial Procedures
Speaker: Ron Frost
(Lunch 30 min.)
1:00pm-2:30pm The Experience of Suffering
Speaker: Sr. Jane Schlosser
2:30pm Closing Ceremony

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

Pre-Registration is required.

Please call Deacon Tom Westerkamp at: 847-253-3090 for details or if questions.

Ministry Steering Committee: Deacon Larry Smith, Mary Hoffman, Deacon Michael Filipucci, Patsy Rhinehart, Deacon Tom Westerkamp, Kathy O’Neill

Eucharistic Minister Workshops

These free workshops will offer the education and training to become a mandated Eucharistic Minister (EM)

Questions? Contact Mary Pietro at: marypietro@aol.com

This workshop preparation session will focus on:
♦ The Ministry of Eucharist—Our Baptismal call to Ministry
♦ A Theology of Eucharist as Celebrated in the Roman Catholic Tradition
♦ Rooted in Scripture and the early Church, through the Second Vatican Council
♦ Historical aspects of our celebration of Eucharist in practice and devotion
♦ Review of the Liturgy of the Eucharist and how our ministry as EMs “fits”
♦ Questions and Answers

Lector Workshops

Attend a workshop and sign up to be a lector at your Church. Questions? Contact Mary Pietro at marypietro@aol.com

This training will provide the skills and self-confidence needed for those who wish to become lectors in their own parish or for newer lectors who would like a “refresher course.”

To register for Lector or Eucharistic Minister, please contact the Parish Contact below:

August 23, 2014
At St. Cecilia Church—700 S. Meier Rd. Mt. Prospect
9am-12:00Noon Registration and Hospitality at 8:30am
CONTACT: Mary Catherine Meek—847-437-6208 x120 or mcmeek@stceciliamtprospect.org
EM Workshop—Bernardin Room Trainer: Sandy Book
Lector Workshop—Church Trainer: Denise Thompson

September 13, 2014
At St. Mary of Vernon Church—236 U.S. 45, Indian Creek, IL
9am-12:00Noon Registration and Hospitality at 8:30am
CONTACT: Sue Matousek 847-223-0010
SMatous@stmota.org
EM Workshop: Trainer: Fr. Ron Gollatz
Lector Workshop: Trainer: Denise Thompson

October 11, 2014
At St. Theresa Church—455 N. Benton, Palatine, IL
9:00am-12:00Noon Registration and Hospitality at 8:30am
CONTACT: Marie Paul 847-358-7760 x 119 or mariep@sttheresachurch.org
EM Workshop—Chapel Trainer: Fr. Ron Gollatz
Lector Workshop—Church Trainer: Deacon Allen Tatara

EM Workshops—A follow-up workshop will take place in your own parish that will include a practicum on the particular practices for distribution of the Eucharist. This training meets the Archdiocesan requirements for mandation and remandation.
T3: MATTHEW
THY KINGDOM COME
An Eight-Part Bible Study Featuring Mark Hart

DATES, TIMES, LOCATION
ST. JAMES PARISH
O’BRIEN ROOM (ENTER DOOR B1)
8 CONSECUTIVE SUNDAYS
BEGINNING SUNDAY JUNE 22-AUGUST 10, 2014
6:30-8PM

COST/REGISTRATION
FREE! MATERIALS WILL BE PROVIDED. OPEN TO ALL TEENS 13 AND OLDER.

TO SIGN UP PLEASE CONTACT SONIA WERBA AT (847) 368-0956
OR EMAIL HER AT SONIAWERBA@YAHOO.COM

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CONTACT SONIA WERBA (INFO ABOVE)
or JO ANNE MULLEN-MUHR, DIRECTOR OF FAITH FORMATION ST. JAMES PARISH AT (224)345-7215

Matthew picks up where T3 left off, as Mark Hart takes your teens on an in-depth journey into the heart of God. Enter into the drama of Christ’s family tree, the birth of our Savior, His duel in the desert with Satan, and the life-changing truths of His Sermon on the Mount. Experience Jesus’ ministry unfold through His miracles and parables. Be there as our Lord triumphantly enters into Jerusalem on His way to the cross, tomb, and resurrection.

“Mark Hart is wonderful with youth. He makes Bible study enjoyable. It’s not like a lecture. He makes it fun and worth listening to. And he teaches you a lot about the way God thinks.”

—Derek R., Indianapolis, IN

Visit BibleStudyForCatholics.com to learn more!
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. 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, Medicare 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
Alanon/Aalateen 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

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.archicicago.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.

Stepping Stones
Stepping Stones is a St. James ministry dedicated to increasing parish awareness and understanding of the problem of domestic violence and to serving victims and survivors of emotional, financial, physical or sexual abuse by a spouse or intimate partner. For information and referrals by compassionate, trained responders - always confidential - call 224-345-7200 x 8535, or email: steppingstones@stjamesah.org

LOSS
Loving Outreach to Survivors of Suicide is a free, non-denominational program offered by Catholic Charities to support individuals grieving the loss of a loved one to suicide. 312-655-7283 or www.catholiccharities.net/loss for info.

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. Wednesdays 7-9 pm (Hurley Center) St. Edna’s Parish 2525 N. Arlington Hts. Rd. For information about upcoming meeting dates, please contact Tom Mannard, tmannard@aol.com or leave a message at 847-398-3362.

Grief Support Group
The St. James Grief Support Group meets from 7-8 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. The dates of the next session are August 19-Sept. 23.

The Women’s Center
Women who think they are pregnant and are in difficult situations come to us for help, an ultrasound and counseling. The Women’s Center is privately funded and each year our counselors help approximately 4,000 women and their families. In our almost 30 years of service we have enabled over 37,000 mothers to give birth to their babies and provided them material and emotional help. The Women’s Center is in need of volunteers in various areas, as well as donated baby supplies and furniture. Baby items must be delivered to the Women’s Center, unless accompanied by furniture. For information about the items needed, of where volunteer services are requested, please call: 773-794-8807 or 773-794-1313.
Please pray for our sick...
Marlene Pfeifer, Ellie Grant, Martha Wrobel, Julia Jachec, Stanley Jachec, Virginia Robinett, Bill Glass, Roberta Dolos, Baby Maxwell John

In Loving Memory

Bernard A. Suchomski...
husband of Bernadette; father of Robert (Debi) Suchomski, Kenneth (Lorie) Suchomski, Donald (Debbie) Suchomski, and Debbie (Harley) Mensching; grandfather of 17 and great-grandfather of 10.

Moira Ellen Ford...
wife of Jon; mother of Seamus, Sean, and Corey; mother-in-law of Tracey and PattiAnne sister of Mary Ternus

William Vannelli...husband of Margaret

Lucille M. McArthur...
mother of Jack (Mary); grandmother of Kelly (Luke) Sauter, Kara, and Shannon

Baptisms

Ashley Stephanie Conn...daughter of James & Cassandra (Kopec) Conn II
Katherine Therese Dugan...daughter of Corey & Kristen (Reisel) Dugan
Lily Grace Sokol.....daughter of Randy & Jill (Cory) Sokol
Leo James Kempski.....son of Kent & Cynthia (Quiroga) Kempski

Rose for Life
This week’s Rose for Life is donated by Marilee Cripe in loving memory of her son, Timothy.

Wedding Banns

August 2, 2014
Joseph Brundage & Jillian Valentino
Michael Clarke & Allison Brinati

August 8, 2014
Benjamin Johnson & Eleanor O’Neill

August 16, 2014
Michael Cantal & Melissa Slisz

Remembrances

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, July 27

Monday, July 28
José María Guzmán, Helen Sturm (2nd Anniv.), Phyllis Annand (6th Anniv.), Jadwiga Nagengast, Dr. Antonio Reyes Peñaloza, Jr., Josefina Peñaloza, Tuesday, July 29
Joan Vanni (1st Anniv.)

Wednesday, July 30
John “Jack” Barrett (1st Anniv.), Frank Brennan, Michael Vincenzo (3rd Anniv.), Jim Trausch
Thursday, July 31
Emma Kelley (1st Anniv.), Thomas Rothfus, Nancy L. Fisher Kubkowski
Friday, August 1
Dick Kozak, Robert Prenzno (1st Anniv.), Marie Walsh, Dana Mangi

Saturday, August 2
Sharon Scanlan, Norberto & Florencia Peñas, Walter “Doc” Powers, James E. Murphy, Janice A. Murphy, Madison Angus, Joe Burns, James O’Brien

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, August 3
Dana Mangi, James F. Wärnken, James O’Brien, Louise M. Pan克拉茨, Mary Therese Payntor, Richard and Catherine Lyons, James Phillips O’Brien

The Quigley Scholars Program
For High Schoolers Who Want to Learn More about Becoming a Priest

Quigley Scholars can choose to come to either St. Joseph College Seminary or Mundelein Seminary for a monthly session from September through April. We pray together, attend Mass, have dinner and attend a faith sharing session with the college seminarians focused on considering the priesthood.

Scholarships Are Available
Scholars who attend Catholic high may apply for an annual $2,500 scholarship to help offset the cost of high school tuition. However, the program is open to all teens in Catholic and public high schools as well as homeschoolers at any grade level.

Learn More To learn more about applying and to watch a short video, visit our website:
www.QuigleyScholars.org
Presiders
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm  Fr. Gilbert Mashurano

Sunday:
7:00 am  Fr. Matt Foley
8:30 am  Fr. Gilbert Mashurano
10:00 am Fr. Matt Foley
11:45 am Fr. Matt Foley
5:00 pm  Fr. Gilbert Mashurano

Altar Servers
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm

Sunday:
7:00 am  Servers:
Please watch your email for
your new schedules!
8:30 am
10:00 am
11:45 am
5:00 pm

Lectors
Saturday evening:
5:00 pm  B.Magni, N.McShane

Sunday:
7:00 am  J.Ruane, B.Kragh
8:30 am  K.Sowa, C.Jarosz
10:00 am A.Brown, D.Chengary
11:45 am D.Greising, R.Cormier
5:00 pm  J.Schmidt, P.Farrell

Eucharistic Ministers
(A Team)
Saturday evening: Church
5:00 pm  G.Sherva, M.Dolan, E.Duque, E.Jarosz, L.Madden, M.Nugent, C.Stansbury, S.Szott, T.Szott
Coordinators: D.Duque, T.Gallagher

Sunday: Church
7:00 am  J.Van Eck, C.Jensen, D.O’Grady, K.O’Grady, T.Panzica,
Coordinator: M. Walsh, Jr.
8:30 am  C.Burke, J.Burke, E.Crittenden, MJ.Jarosz, L.Poelking,
K.Rayburn, I.Roller, T.Talbot, E.Turney, E.Martin, D.Turney,
Coordinator: F.Miossi, D.Varchetto
10:00 am  K.Imhoff, K.Kelly, S.Lindemann,
J.Lippert, P.Lippert,
T.McDonnell, B.Nielsen,
B.Nielsen, M.Purtell, S.Reiss,
D.Vlazny, B.Young, S.Moeykens,
M.Young, J.Anderson
(choir) M.Massa, R.Becker, V.Curtis,
S.Gaske, S.Hussey, J.Lippert,
J.McDermott, R.McDermott, M.Rutkowski
Coordinators: D.Adam, T.Adam
11:45 am  L.Behls, M.Byrne, B.Gedmin,
S.Sharer, A.VandenAvont,
C.Van Den Avont, S.Van Den Avont,
M. Van Den Avont, M.J.DeShon
Coordinators: M.Brock
5:00 pm  C.Christophe, P.Farrell, G.Farrell,
J.Sykes, P.Reilly, G.Hamilton, C.Starr
Coordinator: P.Farrell

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 praying together.
E-mail us at:
stjamesliturgyboard@yahoo.com

Scripture Readings
READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF July 27, 2014
Monday: Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13;
Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-4, 10-11, 17-18;
Mt 13:44-46
Thursday: Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-6ab; Mt 13:47-53
Friday: Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34;
Mt 14:11-12
Sunday: Is 55:1-3; Ps 145:8-9, 15-18;
Rom 8:35, 37-39; Mt 14:13-21
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Saturday Evening   5:00pm   Parish Center
Sunday Morning     7am & 8:30am    Church
Sunday Morning    10am & 11:45am Parish Center
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Please refer to publicized special schedules for Holy Days.

Sacramental Celebrations

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Parishioners must notify the Parish Office of preferred Baptismal date at least one month in advance.

Marriages
Congratulations on your engagement!
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Parish Office Hours
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