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Third Sunday of Lent

Jesus said, “Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up.”
John 2:19

RCIA Rite of being Sent to the Bishop on February 25, 2018
March 4, 2018

**LENTEN UPDATE:** I’d like to share with you a grace this Lent. To see it as such, you have to know something about me… I typically dread Lent. Why? Because eating is one of my top two favorite activities (tied with sleeping). To make matters worse, the Chinese culture is one focused around eating—we’re kind of like Italians just with chopsticks.

As a result, fasting on Ash Wednesday is always a rude awakening. Then, abstaining from meat on Fridays feels like the most degrading form of corporal punishment.

This year though has been different. I can’t explain why, but the pain of denying myself hasn’t been as great as past years. My initial thoughts were, Did I give up enough? Maybe I didn’t give up the right thing? Should I add something more to make myself feel more pain? But then I thought that being miserable was not the point of Lent, so I didn’t.

I honestly think it’s because I’m convinced now more than ever that the satisfaction derived from eating just doesn’t do for me what it once did. In a college Econ class, we learned the Law of Diminishing Marginal Utility. It stated that one derives the most pleasure from eating that first potato chip, but every subsequent chip provides less and less pleasure. *Could it be that I’ve hit the point where the satisfaction of the last potato chip is now just somewhat less than the spiritual pleasure of self-denial? Could it be that maximizing bodily pleasure and minimizing bodily pain outside of Lent is the very thing that has been preventing me from living true Divine Intimacy with the One who transcends the body? Maybe I’ve filled myself with so much junk food that I never really consider the Lord’s offer of “juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines” (Is 25:6)? In the words of Mother Teresa, “God can’t fill what is already full.”* 

I share this grace not to show off, only to give hope and encouragement. Fasting has a spiritual significance deeper than we know. It may open for us graces leading to spiritual renewal we never thought possible. If you haven’t yet chosen something, it’s not too late!

Praying that we all may continue to persevere together in our Lenten sacrifices,

Fr Derek

(A podcast of this week’s reflection is available on the St. James website and mobile website.)
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

Children’s Rosary Group
The Children’s Rosary Group will meet in the CHAPEL at 4:00pm each Monday afternoon. Please join us!

Holy Hour
All are invited to the 7pm Thursday Holy Hour in the Church with Deacon Matthew Hahn. This 7pm Holy Hour includes Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer, Rosary, and Benediction.

Easter Remembrances
For the Easter Season the Environment & Art Ministry invites St. James parishioners to assist in creating a tangible remembrance of their family members and/or friends by helping to fund the Easter Season décor within our worship spaces.

A donation of $25 per remembrance is suggested. The names of those being remembered will be published in the Easter Sunday Bulletin. To participate, please fill out the form below and mail it with your check (made payable to St. James Church) to St. James Parish Office, 820 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights, IL 60004. Donations may also be deposited in the Sunday Collection in an envelope marked “Easter Remembrance.” Please note that your remembrance(s) must be received in the Parish Office by March 12.

Thank you.
Environment & Art Ministry

Easter 2018 Remembrance

In Memory of:
(Please print)

Remembered by:
(Please print)
**Spiritual Life**

**Adoration of Our Lord**
Would you like to visit the holiest place on earth? Visit our Adoration. Why is it so holy? Because God dwells there in His Real Presence. Every Catholic Church and Chapel is a dwelling place for God. Stop in and visit Him. All are invited to St. James Adoration on Thursdays, from 8am-8pm in the Church. Join the SJ Adoration Team! Please contact Regina Kastner: 847-207-8893

**THE CRUX**

CRUX [kruhks] **noun**
A baffling problem.
Something that torments by its puzzling nature.
A perplexing difficulty.

Join Fr. Derek as he leads a Lenten Bible study on exploring the meaning of the cross and the person of Jesus Christ.

**LOCATION:** SJS Library (Enter at Gathering space doors)

**DAYS:** Thursdays during Lent: Mar 1, 8, 15, 22

**TIME:** 7-8 pm
Experience a Bouquet of Blessings at the St. James Women’s Christ Renews His Parish Retreat April 7 – 8, 2018

- Come join us for a special weekend!
- Reconnect with God and find your inner peace.
- Take time to reflect, pray, laugh, eat and make new parish friends!

For more information or to register, please contact Maribeth O’Dell at sjcrhp2018@gmail.com or 847-528-7276.

Living Stations 2018

SAVE THE DATE: March 30th

Who: Junior High and High School Youth
What: Junior High youth act out the Stations of the Cross, while the High School youth narrate the stations.
Why: An amazing way to share your gifts, talents, and honor the Passion of Jesus!
When: Living Stations happen every year on Good Friday. Good Friday this year falls on March 30th, which is during Spring break for a couple of schools. Please make sure you’re in town if you would like to participate in the Living stations.
How: Email Christina Hudson, chudson@stjamesah.org if you are interested.

More details to come. No Acting experience needed, all are welcome!
~ The Facts of Life ~

When it comes to making decisions about matters of life…
what’s your biggest challenge, frustration, or problem?
What don’t you understand?

The Gift of Human Life: Begotten Not Made

Have YOUR questions answered by

Fr. Tad Pacholczyk
Director of Education
National Catholic Bioethics Center

Ethical Decision Making in Sickness and End of Life Situations

St. James Parish Center
820 N Arlington Heights Rd
March 18, 2018
2:00 – 4:00

THE BEGINNING OF LIFE
from the moment of conception

THE END OF LIFE
until natural death

For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven:
a time to be born, and a time to die;
Eccl 3:1-2a

St. James Respect Life Ministry
~ Free Will Offering ~
Human Concerns

Join St. James Community in this interactive, hands-on simulation that engages parishioners physically and emotionally in the refugee experience. The goal of this experience is to provide us with insight into the challenges and struggles that refugees face on a daily basis. There will also be time to reflect on this experience in light of our own Lenten journeys.

The simulation will take place in the Parish Center and other rooms and includes boats, tents and border security experiences. Keeping in mind Pope Francis’ call to Share The Journey (sharejourney.org), don’t miss this opportunity to “Share” the journey of refugees.

Sat, Mar 10th, 9:30 - 11a.m.

Register by email: peaceandjustice@stjamesah.org
Include: Family Name, # of adults 18 & over, # of children under 18, plus best email & phone # for event reminder.
Have questions before registering? Email same address or leave a message with the parish office staff. (we’ll ask Liz to email person’s name & # to return the call)

St. James Peace & Justice
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY TO JUST HAITI COFFEE SALE AND SUPPLIES COLLECTION FOR VIATOR HOUSE OF HOSPITALITY

Just Haiti coffee as a cash crop significantly raises the standard of living for growers and positively impacts the economy of the communities in which they reside. The dignity of having some measure of control over their destiny allows them hope for a brighter future. Your additional donations support the Scholarship Fund and the no-interest Loan Fund JustHaiti.org

Viator House of Hospitality provides a safe home for young immigrant men seeking asylum in the U.S.
vigatorhouseofhospitality.com

Excerpts from Joint Letter to Congress on the 2018 Farm Bill by The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Charities USA, Catholic Rural Life, and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Domestic Hunger and Nutrition: Food is a basic need and a fundamental human right. Therefore, food production ought to be a critical national concern. Most people hope that economic recovery will eventually help those struggling with food insecurity. However, when faced with tens of millions still unsure about how they will put food on the table, robust funding of programs that feed hungry families must be prioritized.

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP), the Commodity Supplemental Food program (CSFP) and other similar initiatives are critical to meeting the needs of hungry people. SNAP not only helped feed more than 43 million people last year but also lifted over 4 million Americans above the poverty line. It is responsive to increased periods of need and continues to have one of the lowest fraud rates for federal programs. Congress should oppose efforts to weaken efficiency or access to this important part of the social safety net, and instead strengthen SNAP by improving outreach, streamlining enrollment, and including case management in efforts to align state employment and training activities to improve access to living-wage jobs.

Email peaceandjustice@stjamesah.org
St. James Parish Stewardship Grant Request
Application for Funding 2018

The St James parish community seeks to transform the lives of others through service as Christ’s missionary disciples. The Stewardship Fund presents the opportunity for St James to support charitable organizations that share this mission: organizations who respond to Christ’s Gospel call, recognize the dignity of all life, and stand in solidarity with our brothers and sisters on the margins.

To apply, please complete the information below. Return the completed application to the St. James Parish Office at 820 N. Arlington Heights Road, or email it to stewardship@stjamesah.org. The application deadline is March 12, 2018.

Grant Applicant Information:
- Name of organization:
- Contact name, title and email address:
- Tax exempt number:
- Address:

Mission and Service Details
- Describe the organization’s mission or purpose. Please include details on religious affiliation.
- What services does the organization provide? Who are the primary beneficiaries of the services? What is the primary service area? What is the total number of people served each year?
- How does your organization share in the St James mission to transform the lives of others through service as Christ’s missionary disciples? How does your organization respond to Christ’s Gospel call, recognize the dignity of all life, and stand in solidarity with our brothers and sisters on the margins?

Financial Details
- Dollar amount requested for 2018:
- If the requested amount is awarded, what percentage of your total budget would it be? What percentage of funds will be used for administrative purposes and/or fundraising? What is your number of paid employees? Please attach an annual report if you have one.
- If St. James Stewardship Funds are awarded, how will they be used?
- Has your organization received financial support (donations, grants or in-kind contributions) from St James in the past? If so, please briefly describe them.

Opportunities for Collaboration
- In addition to providing funding, St James hopes to partner with grant recipients to increase its community outreach. In what ways could St James, as individual parishioners and as a whole, help your organization in meaningful ways moving forward?
- Have any St James parishioners participated in your organization this past year? If so, please describe.
- Please describe your organization’s volunteer opportunities for youth, families and adults. How many full- and part-time volunteers serve in this organization each year?
During the Lenten Season, there is no Opening Hymn or Gloria. Our sung prayers reflect the solemn nature of the season. The moments of silence in our liturgies heighten the music already present in the Mass.

Confiteor
I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Apostles Creed
I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Sung Psalm Refrain:
Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

10AM Mass (First Scrutiny): If today you hear God’s voice, harden not your hearts.

Lenten Gospel Acclamation

Save Us, Savior of the World
Save us, Savor of the World, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.
Order of Worship

Amen

Amen

A-men, a-men, a-men.

Lamb of God

AGNUS DEI

Agnus De-i, qui tol-lis pec-ca-ta mun-di: mi-se-re-re no-bis.

Agnus De-i, qui tol-lis pec-ca-ta mun-di: do-na no-bis pa-cem.


Communion Hymn

Deep Within

Refrain

Deep within I will plant my law,
not on stone, but in your heart.

Follow me, I will bring you back, you will be my own, and I will be your God.

Verses

1. I will give you a new heart, a new spirit within
2. Seek my face, and see your heart, for I will be your hope.
3. Return to me, with all your D.C.

Text: Jeremiah 31:33, Ezekiel 36:26, Joel 2:12; David Haas, b.1957
Tune: David Haas, b.1957; arr. by Jeanne Cotter, b.1964
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I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

1. I heard the voice of Jesus say, “Come
   unto me and rest; Lay down, O weary
   hold, I freely give The living water;
   am this dark world’s light; Look unto me, your

2. I heard the voice of Jesus say, “Be
   one, lay down Your head upon my breast.” I
   thirsty one, Stoop down, and drink, and live.” I
   morn shall rise, And all your day be bright.” I

3. I heard the voice of Jesus say, “I
   came to Jesus as I was. So
   came to Jesus, and I drank Of
   looked to Jesus, and I found In

weary, worn, and sad; I found in him a
that life-giving stream; My thirst was quenched, my
him my star, my sun; And in that light of

resting place, And he has made me glad.
soul revived, And now I live in him.
life I’ll walk Till travelling days are done.

Text: Horatius Bonar, 1808-1899
Tune: KINGSFOLD, CMD; English; harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958
An Invitation for New Parishioners

We’re happy that you’ve chosen St. James Parish as your faith community! To become better acquainted, we’d like to invite you to our New Parishioner Welcome Event hosted by Fr. Matt and Fr. Derek. If you’ve registered in the past year at St. James and have not yet attended a Welcome Event, we look forward to hosting you and your family.

This casual Welcome Event will be held at the St. James Rectory on Sunday, March 4 after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. The rectory is the red brick building just to the north of the Church. You'll have a chance to meet other new parishioners and enjoy appetizers, sweets, beverages, and activities for children.

Please join us! RSVP to your Parish Ambassador or fmb57@sbcglobal.net. We look forward to welcoming you.

Newly Registered Parishioners

Conrad & Julie Bar Family
Catherine & Peter Gripper Family
Carljul & Mary Ann Mercado Family
Kristine Gruzewski Family
Emily Wine Family
Kevin & Jennifer Burke Family
William & Joan Boodro Family
Margherita & Ungaro Family
Thomas & Karen Galazka Family
Jennifer Abbs Family
David & Anne Powers Family
Timothy & Mayona Kirschner Family
John & Bridget Krause Family
Jennifer Haub Family
Corinne Irwin Family
Nancy Murray Family
Michael & Victoria Fabos Family
Tim & Holly Barrett Family
Deborah Habernegg Family
Kevin & Melissa Senopole Family
Allison Heissel Family

Jason Schauer Family
Charles Vinyard Family
Amy Vinyard Family
Ryan & Michelle George Family
Michel & Jaclyn Garcia-Cortez Family
Dustin & Lauren Herbert Family
Sreven & Melissa Semerau Family
Tracie & Jeffrey Pretet Family
Edward & Elizabeth Steinbach Family
Matthew & Danielle Schroeder Family
Tanya Mena Family
Jay & Alyse Simpson Family
Marius & Karina Oprea Family
Andrea Miller Family
Ben & Danielle Miller Family
Paul & Coleen Tuscher Family
Kevin & Danielle Kuhn Family
Nick & Rosa Mueller Family
Russell & Stefania Svejnoha Family
Patrick & Annette Mc Kian Family
Thomas & Lauren Holland Family
Mark & Bozena Chmura Family
Jay & Courtney Brizzolara Family
St. James Parish Presents:
Wearin’ of the Green- 2018
Family Friendly St. Patrick’s Day Party

Friday, March 16, 2018
6:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
Dinner Served 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

St. James Parish Center
820 North Arlington Heights Road
Arlington Heights, IL

Adults $20  Children $10
(After 3/1/18 - Adults $25  Children $15)
Sorry, no tickets sold after March 12th, or at the door.

8:00 p.m.
Trinity Irish Dancers

9:00 p.m.
Shannon Rovers

Live Music by Mulligan Stew
Best Irish Soda Bread Contest
Shannon Rovers Pipe Band
Traditional Irish Dinner
Kids Entertainment
Irish Dancers
Green Beer!

*Cornded Beef, Cabbage, Carrots, and Irish Soda Bread
Kid’s Meal: Macaroni & Cheese and Chicken Fingers
Cash Bar Serving Guinness, Green Beer, Wine, & Soft Drinks

*To allow us to enjoy the Corned Beef Dinner, Fr. Matt asks that in the spirit of the Lenten Observation we refrain from eating meat on Saturday, March 17th.
For information or to volunteer, contact Beth Cloud at emb552@yahoo.com or 773-819-8986

Wearin’ of the Green- 2018

_____ Adult Ticket(s) @ $20 each ($25 after 3/1/18)
_____ Children Ticket(s) @ $10 each ($15 after 3/1/18)

Purchase Tickets online at:
https://membership.faithdirect.net/events/details/1428

Or, make checks payable to Saint James Church and mail to:
820 North Arlington Heights Road
Arlington Heights, IL 60004-5699
ATTN: Wearin’ of the Green
or, send them through St. James School mail

Name: __________________________
Address: _______________________
City: ___________________________
State: ___________ Zip: ___________
Phone: _________________________

Tickets will only be sold until March 12, 2018!
Sorry, no tickets will be sold at the door.
St. James Tuesday Men's Golf League

The St James Tuesday MEN'S Golf League has openings available for the upcoming 2018 season. The 9 hole league plays on Tuesday afternoons at the Buffalo Grove Golf Course, with tee times ranging between 3:15 and 5:00 pm. Players of all handicaps are able to participate. The season generally runs from mid-April to the end of August. While there is team competition, the league focus is for all participants to enjoy the camaraderie of all fellow players. If you have an interest in joining a league, or if you have any questions, feel free to contact league president Tom Wilkes at 847-401-1947, or Andy Devery 847-970-0365, 847-253-1754, Chuck Frankiewicz 847-368-1012, and finally, Deacon Pierce Sheehan 847-259-1743.

Donate Blood Next Week—The Need is Great!

Join us next Sunday, March 11th, at the St James / Souders Memorial Blood Drive. LifeSource Blood Services will be in the cafeteria of the Parish Center from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. For more information on donating or to make an appointment, you can call our LifeSource Representative at 877-543-3768. Walk-ins are always welcome. Be sure to have a good breakfast and drink plenty of water to make your donation go smoothly. Also bring a picture ID. Remember one donation can change the lives of up to three people! To see how, visit "St. James/Souders Memorial Blood Drive" on Facebook.

St. James Divorce Ministry

The St. James Divorce Ministry is offering the Divorce Care program. Divorce Care is a 13-Session journey aimed to provide education, support, and healing. This free video seminar presented over multiple sessions meets on most 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. Attend one or all sessions. Our ministry is geared toward supporting those who are separated / divorced / annulled to provide healing and renewal.

March 6, 2018—7pm
Session 13: Moving On, Growing Closer to God

March 20, 2018—7pm
The Annulment Talk

April 15, 2018—7pm
Closing Session/Mass/Social

O’Brien Room, St. James Parish Office
Contact Deacon Jim Bannon for more information: 224-345-7200  jamesrbannon@sbcglobal.net
Community Groups and Events

St. James Parish Groups

Elizabeth Ministry—A ministry of women reaching out to other women in their childbearing years. We offer prayers and support regarding pregnancy, infertility, miscarriage, child loss, adoption, NFP, and other issues. Visit the Rosebud Display in the Parish Center Gathering Space or connect with us: Elizabeth.Ministry@stjamesah.org or www.stjamesah.org

Grief Support Group
The St. James Grief Support Group meets on Tuesdays (during session times) from 7pm-8:15pm in the Parish Office. Next session: Jan. 23, 30, February 6, 13, 20, 27th. Meeting in conference room 1. 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. For information, call MaryJo at 224-345-7200, ext. 8512 and leave a message.

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.

Wheels to Worship
If you need a ride to Mass or wish to be a volunteer driver, please call Carol at 847-253-4680. carolserranianderson@yahoo.com

Stepping Stones
Everyone deserves to be in a safe, healthy relationship. If you or someone you know may be in an abusive relationship, a path to safety exists. Get help. Call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800-799-SAFE, or locally, contact WINGS 24-hour Hotline at 847-221-5680.

St. James Parish Groups

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

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 information.

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.

Community Resources
Alcoholics Anon. 312-346-1475
Alanon/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—847-899-0195

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

Escorted Transportation for Seniors
Escorted Transportation Services Northwest (ETS/NW) - is a service available to those 60 and over in our community who are in need of rides to medical and dental appointments. It is a multi-denominational outreach to the elderly. If you are in need of such assistance, or if you would like to volunteer to serve seniors in our community as a part of this outreach team, please call Gia at 847-222-9227 or gias@etsnw.org

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. Information is available on the Internet at www.cancer.org

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

Jazz Brunch: The Sisters of the Living Word invite you to a Jazz Brunch on Sunday, April 22 from 11:30-3:30 PM. It’s an afternoon of Jazz, a prime rib brunch, silent auction, and raffle benefiting the Sisters of the Living Word ministries. The Jazz Brunch is at Chevy Chase Country Club, 1000 N. Milwaukee in Wheeling. Tickets are $85 per person; call 847-577-5972 or www.slw.org. This year’s Jazz Brunch is dedicated to the memory of Michael Robbins, St James parishioner and longtime Sisters of the Living Word supporter.

Retreat/ workshop for widowed
Have you reached a crossroads? Are you at a turning point? Do you want to move forward with your life while still treasuring your memories? The Joyful Again! program brings understanding and hope to help you on your new life’s journey.
Dates: April 21 & 22, 2018
More information on our newly updated website: www.joyfulagain.org
Phone: 1-708-354-7211
Email: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

Knight of Columbus Friday Fish Fry
During Lent at the KC Hall, 15 N Hickory, AH. Hours: 5:30—7:30 pm. Cost: Adults $10 Children $5 Help support parish youth ministries and Special Olympics.
Please pray for our sick...
Pamela Gramith, Michael Klawitter

In Loving Memory

Kyra Helene Skowronski...survived by her husband Mitch Skowronski; her daughter Samantha Skowronski; her sister Marlo (Curtis) Russom; her nephew Trey Russom and by her mother.

Gaetano ‘Tom’ Facianna...husband of Sharon M. Hamick Faciana (nee Luczak); father of Jolie K. (Vijay) Patel, Michael (Angela) Faciana; stepfather of Timothy J. (Jenn) Hamick and Jennifer S. (Todd) McCuaig; grandfather of eleven; uncle of many by nieces and nephews.

Baptisms
Nora Colleen Powers, child of David & Anne (O'Brien) Powers

Wedding Banns
March 17, 2018
Stuart Shores & Hillary Reynolds

March 24, 2018
Nicholas Benninger & Catherine Lis

Rose for Life
This week’s Rose for Life is donated by Diane Dillon in gratitude for the miracle of Charlie Roselle on his 8th birthday, March 9th.

Remembrances
Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, March 4
Joseph Mariano, Kevin Houlihan, John Glueckert, Sr, Dana Mangi, Mary Heybrock, Joyce Rodriguez

Monday, March 5
Patricia Cooper (1st Anniv.), Karen Massa (1st Anniv.), Mary Kozinski

Tuesday, March 6
Robert Repplinger (1st Anniv.)

Wednesday, March 7
All deceased members of St. James

Thursday, March 8
Mary Zoltek (1st Anniv.), Robert Repplinger, Thomas Bolger (1st Anniv.), James Michael Rodgers, Clarence Tranpf, Jill Stengren

Friday, March 9 Carmen Kaba (1st Anniv.), Patrick Kett, Abdallah Kaba, Ethel Huff, Carson Clark

Saturday, March 10
John Roth, Laura Coda, Virginia Wrzepski

Saturday Evening/Sunday Morning, March 11
John Roth, Kevin Houlihan, John Glueckert, Sr., Karen Masterton, Frank Zielinski, Richard Baron, SueAnn Grenning (1st Anniv.), Caroline Lombardi, Jeanette Smith, Margaret D. Kelpitsch

Weekly Intentions

Our Charity
Aid for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe

During the month of March, our charity is the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Those living in Central and Eastern Europe often face poverty, infrequent pastoral care, and lack of spaces for worship, presenting challenges as they try to live a life of faith. Your support of the Church in Central and Eastern Europe helps provide grants for projects to restore the Church and build the future in these areas.

(United States Conference of Catholic Bishops National Collections.)

Stewardship

February 25, 2018
Weekend Masses- 507 Envelopes $23,760.77
Online Donations - 135 Donations $19,824.00

February 25, 2018 Total Collection $43,584.77
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### Dear Parishioners

Your Pastor, Fr Matt Foley, is participating in the Catholic 360 Leadership Review Process. This is a regular required review process for all diocesan priests. The Archdiocese requires the review approximately every 5 years. The process is an opportunity for Fr. Foley to identify his talents and grow to become a better priest and pastoral minister. One part of the process is the opportunity for lay leadership and parishioners to recognize Fr Matt’s gifts and to share their sentiments about his ministry.

We are providing a parish wide survey so you can be part of Fr Foley’s review. The survey can be easily accessed on the Archdiocese website by doing the following:

- Go to Chicago Archdiocese website: [https://www.archchicago.org/](https://www.archchicago.org/)
- Click on **Office and Ministries** on the top panel toolbar. This will bring to an alphabetical listing of offices
- Under “M” click on **Ministerial Evaluation**, you will be directed to the Ministerial Association Webpage.
- In the middle of the page, you will find “360 Catholic Leadership review for priests.” Survey is offered in several languages.
- Please click on the word “link” next to your appropriate language to access the survey.

All are welcome to complete the survey. Should you not have a computer, paper copies of the survey are available in the parish office. Please complete the survey NO LATER than March 6th.

Thank you in advance for your willingness to participate and provide constructive information.
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Fr. Bill Lenten Talk on March 7th
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm. O'Brien Room - Fr. Bill will use the Pope Francis
booklet "Renew Your Hearts", available at the talk for a donation of
$1.00.
Respond to Gerry 847 398-2097

St. Joseph Day Luncheon on March 20th
Giacomo's Restaurant - 740 North Wolf Road (Wolf and Central
Road) Des Plaines, IL 60016

TIME: 11:30 am Cost; $20 Family style- Egg Plant Parmigiana
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Weekend Masses
Saturday Evening 5:00pm Parish Center (Cantor)
Sunday Morning 7:00am Church (Cantor)
Sunday Morning 8:30am Church (Traditional Choir)
Sunday Morning 10:00am Parish Center Contemporary Choir & Children’s Liturgy of the Word)
Sunday Morning 11:30am Parish Center (Contemporary Choir)
Sunday Evening 5:00pm Parish Center (Teen Ensemble)

Weekday Masses (Church) 831 N. Arlington Hts. Road
Monday – Friday 7:30am Mass
Saturday 8:30am Mass

Holy Day Liturgy
Please refer to publicized special schedules for Holy Days.

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

Marriages
Congratulations on your engagement! At least six months prior to your wedding date, we warmly welcome you to contact the Parish Office. Our Office Manager will explain the process of preparing for a Christian marriage and assist you in selecting a date for your wedding liturgy.

Reconciliation
Saturdays 3:30—4:30pm
In the Chapel—820 N. Arlington Hts. Road, or you may call for an appointment anytime at 224-345-7200.

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Thursday 9:00am—8:00pm
Friday 9:00am—6:00pm
Saturdays 9:00am—1:00pm
Sundays 9:00am—1:00pm

Parish E-mail Address: parishoffice@stjamesah.org
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