THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH

DECEMBER 30, 2018
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Happy Feast of the Holy Family!

In Gravissimum Educationis (1965), a document of the Second Vatican Council, the Church reminds all parents that they are the “primary and principal educators” of their children. Like cells to the body, the family is the basic building block of society. And for us Catholics, it is not good enough for families to be nice or kind to one another. We must be holy.

For this reason, we support all mothers and fathers as they teach their children the importance of religion, especially attending Mass every Sunday. If parents don’t go to Mass, why would their children take it seriously? The devil has declared war on the family and parents must constantly do battle. This is why the efforts you, parents, make against sin in your lives is so important. For example, the efforts you make to nurture and develop your prayer life, your union with God, is not a matter of your own individual relationship with God but also is fundamental to the stability and the tranquility of your family.

Here’s some encouragement to all mothers from the mother of St Francis De Sales on his baptism in 1567…Now my son you are the friend of the angels, the brother of Jesus, the temple of the Holy Spirit, and a member of the Church. Now, you must belong to God forever.

And some encouragement to fathers to take their role as a father seriously from a Catholic author and speaker Chris Stefanick… A family when a dad is not being a spiritual leader is like a parish without a priest. Yes, it can still go on somehow, but it is not as strong as it could be.

May God strengthen and form all of our families, in whatever structure, to be truly holy.

Wishing you a year filled with God’s blessings,
Fr Derek
**Liturgy and Worship**

**SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD**
Holy Day of Obligation

MASS on DECEMBER 31st—at 5:00pm  
MASS on January 1st  8:00am  and 10:00am

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**REMINDER**
NO Children’s Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) on Sunday, December 30 at 10:00AM Mass

**WISHING YOUR FAMILIES A MERRY**
CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!
From the CLOW Team

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**The Gallup ME25 Survey Results Are In!**
www.stjamesah.org/gallup

Thank you to all who took the time to share your opinions with us!

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**Our Lady of Fatima NEEDS YOU – will you answer her call?**
YOUR prayers WILL change the world!

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**What to do**
On the first Saturday of five successive months, do the following, all with the intention of reparations to her immaculate Heart:

- Go to confession (8 days before or after)
- Receive Holy Communion;
- Say five decades of the rosary; and
- Keep Our Lady company for 15 minutes, meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary

"See, my daughter, my Heart encircled by thorns with which ungrateful men pierce it at every moment by their blasphemies and ingratitude."  
— Our Lady to St. Lucia on December 10, 1925

For more information on the Five First Saturday’s Our Lady is requesting, please go to:  
https://wafusa.org/
Bethlehem of Judea

A little child,
A shining star.
A stable rude,
The door ajar.

Yet in that place,
So crude, forlorn,
The Hope of all
The world was born.  Author Unknown

Wishing all a Blessed Christmas
and a New Year of hope & love.
The reserve for uncollectible pledges is an estimated amount of what might reasonably not be fulfilled pledges due to changes in financial circumstances, moves, deaths, etc. of the donors. This amount increases the remaining funds needed just as cancelled pledges do. Any questions, please contact Barbara Krawczyk at 224-345-7239.

Q: WHERE DID THE STAINED-GLASS WINDOWS GO?? A: NOWHERE....

The left side of the picture shows the stained-glass windows in place. The right side of the picture shows the new clear glass windows that you can see from the outside of the building. The space in between is our new Gathering Space!
Christmas 2018 Remembrances

We thank all who contributed to our Environment & Art Ministry with a donation made in memory of a deceased family member or friend. With these contributions, we have been able to enhance our worship space with poinsettias, candles, and evergreens during this Christmas Season.

- The Black & Ivanic Family
  by Carter & Pat Black

- Mary Alice Spranza and John L. Harding
  by Karen & Todd Schneider

- John McGrath
  by the McGrath & McEnery Families

- Jo F. Schatterman and Phyllis P. Schatterman
  by Tom Schatterman

- Mary Heniauer, Art Massa, Mike Flanders & Jeff Moroney
  by Lynne & Bill Luehrs

- Nick Koroulis and Dave Bozonski
  by Drew, Lynn & George Koroulis

- Charles Kosturik & Elizabeth Keyes
  by Sharon Kosturik

- Maureen C. McLoraine and John G. McLoraine
  by the McLoraine Family

- Tom Nicolson
  by Joanne Nicolson & Maloney Family

- Paul Duyckinck
  by Mary Beth White & Mark Krause

- Dr. Bernard C. Reinwald
  by LaVerne Reinwald and Family

- Jerry Maas
  by Peggy Maas and Family

- James Ryan
  by Patricia Ryan

- Joseph and Elizabeth Holzer
  by their Daughters

- Jerry Rusch and Jim Rusch
  by the Frenzer Family

- Bill and Mary Cole
  by the Hartnett Family

- The Bellock and Roche Families
  by Bob & Elizabeth Bellock

- Fred Brandstatter
  by Dorothy Brandstatter

- The Hofherr-Liszka Families
  by the Liszka Family

- Linda Mackey
  by Jim and Kevin Mackey and Kelly Allen

- James M. Rayburn
  by his Daughter

- Francisco and Arsenia Vergara
  by the Serur and Vergara Families

- Gilmour & Carmela Krogstad and Joseph & Helen Hertvik
  by Kristen, Joe, Mark, Lisa and Steven Hertvik

- Casey Youngstrom
  by Sandy & Roland Ley

- Walt Flick and Fred Bevington
  by Kathy Flick
Christmas Floral Donations

- John Glasstetter
  by the Glasstetter Family

- The Deceased Members of
  Ernst / Anderson Family
  by Mary Lou Anderson

- Tom Faciana, Julia &
  Stanley Luczak and Maria
  & Michael Faciana
  by Sharon Faciana

- David Curtis and the
  Curtis & Lange Families
  by Virginia Curtis

- Thomas Samuels
  by the Samuels Family

- Raymond J. Bieniasz, The
  Schulget and Bieniasz
  Families
  by Joan and Ray Bieniasz

- Eileen Perille
  by the Samuels Family

- Sheila Rose Anderson
  by the Denten and Anderson
  Family

- Howard & Catherine Jones
  by Patricia Fadz

- Bud Beedy
  by Rita, Maureen & Sheila

- Kevin James Houlihan
  by Jeanne, Joe, Brendan &
  Patrick Houlihan

- The Vick & Miller Family
  by Don & Marilyn Vick

- Stefan Mizerak
  by Marianna Mizerak

- Michael J. Parilla
  by Patricia A. Parilla

- Ann S. Kruse
  by Adrian F. Kruse

- Donald J. Weiss
  by Joy Weiss, Kim Weiss and
  Sharlene Landis

- Mary, Jim and Bill Griffith
  by Libby and Tom Griffith

- Roy & Virginia Hoener and
  William G. & Rosemary
  Bauer
  by Bill & Mary Bauer and Eileen,
  Bob, Claire & Mae Tuschi

- Edward and Gladys Sowa
  by Carl, Paul and Kathy Sowa

- Danny O'Neill
  by Gene & Maureen O'Neill

- Deacon Armand Ferrini
  by the Ferrini Family

- The Koch & Ferrini Family
  by Mary Ferrini

- The Laurie Family & The
  Varchetto Family
  by Dorothy Laurie Varchetto

- Bob & Florence Moroney
  and Jeff Moroney
  by the Moroney Family

- The Kordek & Kleczynski
  Families
  by John & Alice Kordek

- Jerry & Jim Rusch
  by the Rusch Family

- Bart Vanderan
  by Tom & Nancy Vanderan

- Carole Lienau, William
  Tzavos and Darryl Grutek
  by the Pham Family

- Emily Marie Serafin
  by John and Rhonda Serafin

- Carl & Catherine DeLio,
  Susan & Nello
  Antongiovanni, Patricia &
  Phyllis DeLio, Angelo &
  Ronald Antongiovanni
  by Carl & Judy DeLio

- Richard & Mary Landgraf
  by Arleen Roberts

- Francis A. Vlazny
  by Dorothy S. Vlazny

- Jane and Edward Kapka
  by Anne Martin

- George W. Schott
  by Terry Schott

- Laura, Michael & Bea
  Pettenuzzo
  by the Ganzer Family

- Gary Tatje
  by Joan, Nicole, Todd, Dan,
  Morgan, Erik & Danielle

- Janet & Bill Ganzer
  by their Children

- Nicholas & Mary Merrill
  and Karl & Helga Palzer
  by Tom & Ann Palzer

- Chad D. Spychalski
  by the Family

- Robert Jarosz
  by Mary Jean Jarosz

- John Faerber
  by Carol Faerber

- John DeHoff, Sr.
  by Patti DeHoff
Christmas Floral Donations

- Geraldine E. Mayerck
  by Mike & Cheryl Mayerck

- Bart L. and Eleanor R. Shanley
  by Eleanor Whitehead

- Blanche & Alfred Miossi and Helen & Clarence Sturm
  by Fred and Susan Miossi

- The Biancalana, Gini & Wood Families
  by Debbie & Gary Wood and Family

- Joseph Bielat
  by Patricia Bielat

- Joseph P. Healy, Helen Bailitz, Patrick Bushnell, Kathleen Colvin, Alyssa Lindino, Kevin Leno, Rob Lindgren, Jeff Moroney, Peggy Nix, Carol Sanders and Paul Schaffhausen
  by the Patricia & Joseph Healy Family

- Dennis Smizinski
  by the Cudak Family

- Leonard & Bernadette Baloun and Edward Schafer
  by Ed, Kendall and Tessa Schafer

- Lawrence Hagene
  by Kelli & Carter McDonald

- Helen Bailitz
  by the Bailitz Family

- John & Jacquelyn Keefe
  by the Reddin Family

- Felix & Bertha Krueger
  by Phil & Adele Krueger

- Buddy & Ann Kozel
  by Phil & Adele Krueger

- August J. Mayerck
  by Mike & Cheryl Mayerck

- David Lindemann
  by Louise Lindemann

- Edward & Kathleen McCoy, Lee & Loraine King and Tom & Madeline King
  by Brian & Rita King

- Barbara A. Hanner and Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Hanner
  by Emil J. Hanner

- Rev. James Banas, CSC and Rev. Leonard Banas, CSC
  by the Louis Cellia Family

- Kathleen F. Scott
  by Jacob and Betsy Staar

- The Figliuolo and Walsh Families
  by Mary Figliuolo

- George F. & Regina C. Bieber
  by daughter Cathy & Family

- Adelaide and Lawrence Lehnis
  by Mary Jo & Mike Gotham

- Eleanore Krueger, Cathleen Krueger, Towilla Krueger and Allen Krueger
  by Victor Krueger

- Marie and John Smith
  by Mary Krueger

- Leonard P. Indovina and Joseph L. Indovina
  by the Indovina Family

- Mildred & Walter Kragh, Andrew Szott and Catherine Sabay
  by the Kragh Family

- Joe (Bud), Bill & Jack Foreman
  by Dick & Mary Ann Johnston and Family

- Thomas J. Bolger
  by Mary & Larry Zoltek

- Will Newgard and Maggie & Bill Armstrong
  by Kaki Newgard

- Jay Burger
  by Joan, Kurt and Renee Burger

- Bob Firnbach
  by the Bob Firnbach Family

- Judith Ann Tatera Perry
  by Duke Perry & Family

- Kathleen Farley
  by the Corley Family

- Celeste & Harold Clemens and Clara & Herbert Kahl
  by Judy and Dan Clemens

- Mieczysław Kosciuk, Isabella Kosciuk, John Szczepaniak and Regina Szczepaniak
  by Catherine & Ernest Kosciuk

- Jason Michael Saccone
  by Mom & Dad and Brandon & Andrew

- Chester S. Malocha
  by Evelyn A. Malocha
Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed.

— 1 John 3:2a
A JOYFUL CHRISTMAS GLORIA

Psalm Response

Sung Psalm Refrain:

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.

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.

Holy, Holy

Gospel Acclamation

Advent/Christmas Gospel Acclamation

Refrain: 1st verse: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Al-le lu ia, al-lo lu ia. Al-le lu ia, al-le lu ia.

*Verses 1-4 Cantor

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All

to Refrain

1. You are the joy of ev’ry human heart, Lord Je-sus, come!
2. You are Lord, our justice and our mercy. Show us how to live:
3. Eternal light, and sun of justice, shine in all our darkness:
4. Emmanuel, the joy of all nations, come to us and save us:

*Verses 5-7 Cantor

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All

to Refrain

5. Born today, our justice and our mercy, Lord Je-sus Christ!
6. You are light that shines in the darkness, star to guide the nations:
7. You are born of water and the Spirit, fountain of our dreams:

*Verses 1-4, Advent; verse 5, Christmas; verse 6, Epiphany; verse 7, Baptism of the Lord.

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Order of Worship

Memorial Acclamation

When We Eat This Bread

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-
claim your Death, O Lord, un-til you come a-gain.

Great Amen

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

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the
world, have mercy on us.

Last time

Lamb of God, grant us peace.

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Hannah conceived, and at the end of her term bore a son whom she called Samuel (1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28) or Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14.

Psalm — Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord (Psalm 84) or Psalm 128.

Second Reading — See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God (1 John 3:1-2, 21-24) or Colossians 3:12-21 [12-17].

Gospel — The boy Jesus remained behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. They found him in the temple, in the midst of the teachers (Luke 2:41-52).


READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-13; Jn 1:1-18
Tuesday: Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
Thursday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29-34
Friday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1-1; 7-9; Jn 1:35-42
Saturday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Jn 1:43-51
Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Our Charity

During this month of December, our charity is the Retirement Fund for Religious, one of our yearly Archdiocesan appeals.

There are more than 32,000 senior Catholic sisters, brothers and religious order priests living in the United States. Through prayer, love and sacrifice, they established Catholic schools, hospitals, and more. Yet years of serving for little or no pay have left a shortage in retirement funding. Your donations help their religious communities with necessities such as medications and nursing care. Thank you for your generous donations.
Angels We Have Heard on High

1. Angels we have heard on high Sweetly singing o'er the plains, And the mountains in reply strains prolong? Say what may the tidings be.

2. Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why your joyous angels sing; Come adore, on bended knee, which inspire your heavenly strains.

3. Come to Bethlehem and see Him whose birth the angels praise; Mary, Joseph, lend your aid, Christ, the Lord, the newborn King.

4. See him in a manger laid, Whom the choirs of angels back their joyous strains. While our hearts in love we raise.

Gloria in excelsis Deo, Glor-
Order of Worship

Communion Song

Child of Mercy

Refrain
Child of mercy, child of peace, Jesus, Bread of life,
food to fill our longing. Child of justice, child of light,
Jesus, saving cup, Emmanuel, God with us.

Verses
1. All who walk in darkness have seen a great light, to
2. A child is born to us, a son is given us, upon
3. We name him: “Wonder, couns’lor, hero, mighty God,” The
4. We proclaim good news to you, great tidings of joy: To

those who dwell in fear, a light has shone!
on his shoulder glory rests!
Holy One for ever: Prince of peace!
you is born a savior: Christ the Lord!

Coming soon!

MULTI-PARISH MISSION
Save the Dates – January 14th-17th, 2019
7:00 pm each evening
TOGETHER AT THE CROSS:
Connecting Your Faith to Real Life
Featuring Fr. Peter Schavitz, C.Ss.R.
At Our Lady of the Wayside with St. James, St. Edna, St. Mary
Today’s passage from Luke is the only story about Jesus in the Gospels that occurs between Jesus’ infancy and his adult ministry. Luke uses the story to weave these elements together.

This story, like all the infancy passages, emphasizes that Jesus was born Son of God. Jesus’ first spoken words in Luke conclude with “I must be in my Father’s house.” God is his Father, and Jesus speaks as God’s Son.

Luke connects the future ministry of Jesus with the scene at the temple with the teachers. Jesus’ listeners are astounded at his wisdom. This anticipates similar scenes as an adult. Luke also subtly hints at Jesus’ resurrection, with details such as the question “why were you looking for me?” similar to “why do you seek the living one among the dead?” Luke invites us to see his Gospel as an integrated whole, weaving together Jesus’ birth, life, death, and resurrection.
Parish Life

OUR MISSION
To be disciples of Christ and make disciples of Christ.

OUR VISION
That each member of our community encounters the fire of God’s love; then with hearts burning brightly, shares that love with others.

OUR VALUES

**Divine Intimacy**
…cultivating a deep and abiding relationship with Jesus Christ centered on prayer and the Eucharist.

**Education**
…seeking to learn the teachings of the Catholic Church.

**Respect**
…honoring the dignity of each human person.

**Generosity**
…giving selflessly and abundantly of our time, talent, and treasure.

**Hospitality**
…creating an atmosphere of joy and welcome.

Adopted May 20, 2018
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: ElizabethMinistry@stjamesah.org or www.stjamesah.org

Grief Support Group
The Group meets on Tuesdays (during session times). Next session: There are no sessions scheduled at this time. The groups offer support through sharing, listening, and learning from each other’s loss. 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. carolserraninanderson@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.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Are you looking to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation? Contact Fr. Derek Ho at 224-345-7201 Email: fderekh@stjamesah.org or Jim Hamman at 847-347-1368 Email: jhamman@rcgdirect.com

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.

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 Aft.

Sexaholics Anon. at 630-415-0341
A fellowship with a solution to the problems of lust, sex and pornography addiction. Meeting list available on the chicagosa.org website.

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 or call 312-534-5254

NAMI—National Alliance on Mental Illness—847-899-0195

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, please call 847-222-9227 or email info@etsnw.org

St. Mary’s Services - Offers free, confidential counseling to assist women with an unplanned pregnancy as well as postpartum depression, grief and loss over a miscarriage, stillbirth, post abortion, and/or adjustment to motherhood. Our baby closet is available for all receiving counseling. Please call at 847-870-8181 to make an appointment or to volunteer.

Special Events
Join Sister Barbara Mass, SLW for a prayer experience of Winter Blessings: “Bless the Lord, Snow and Ice,” on Wednesday, January 16, 2019 from 10–11:30AM or 7–8:30 PM at the Living Word Center, 800 North Fernandez Avenue, Arlington Heights, Illinois. RSVP by January 10 to bmass329@gmail.com.

You are cordially invited to attend a monthly series “On Care for our Common Home: Laudato Si: The Encyclical Letter of Pope Francis on the Environment” led by Sister Colette Fahrner, SLW on the last Sunday of the month in 2019 at the Living Word Center, 800 North Fernandez in Arlington Heights, Illinois from 2–4 PM. We can all work together to create a sustainable future for Mother Earth. We will meet in 2019 on Sundays January 27, February 24, March 31, TBD in April, May 26, and June 30. Come to all, any or even one session; a different chapter is discussed each week.

Bellarmine -Jesuit Retreat House

World Wide Marriage Encounter—Don’t miss out on the upcoming enrichment for married couples and religious on February 8-10, 2019 at the Wyndham Garden Hotel in Elk Grove Village, IL. The enrichment begins with a private weekend experience including 11 presentations about practical tools for growing in loving relationships and provides ongoing enrichments after the weekend from the Worldwide Marriage Encounter community. For information on applying, please go to wwmechicagoland.org and say yes today, to God’s call to love one another! (* For informational brochures and postcards, please call WWME at 630-577-0778 or e-mail us at applications@wwmechicagoland.org.)
Please pray for our sick...
Fr. Tomas Marin, Nikki Carso, Joan McGrath, Christopher Avell, Barbara O’Brien

In Loving Memory
Mary Crane, survived by her husband Jim Crane; her children Mary Crane, Elizabeth Crane and Patrick (Kathy) Crane; her grandchildren Patrick Crane, Jack Crane, Maggie Crane and Lindy Crane; her sister Sr. Florence Norton; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Baptisms
Blake Edward Margis, child of Albert & Kimberly (King) Margis
Austin McKinley Vasquez, child of Brian & Mallory (Snitker) Vasquez
Violet Ellen Hickman, child of Adam & Lynn (Klopp) Hickman
James Richard Garza, child of Ryan & Christyn (DiMaso) Garza

Rose for Life is donated by The Helminski family in loving memory of their son and brother, Jeffrey, on the 14th anniversary of his death.

Remembrances
Saturday Evening/Sunday, December 30
John Glueckert, Sr., John J. Senerchia, Sr., Shirley Barbara, Kathy Caillouet, Joan McLaughlin, George Mulcahy, Peter A. Ruddy, Jr., Angela Biasiello, Vito Quaranta (8th Anniv.)

Monday, December 31
Joan Brauweiler

Tuesday, January 1
Marco & Anna Sblendorio and Family, John & Mary Gannon and Family, Joseph P. Sblendorio, Mary Ann Foley, Edward L. Gehrke

Wednesday, January 2
Arthur Joseph Pape, Patrick Kett

Thursday, January 3
Joan Brauweiler

Tuesday, January 1
Marco & Anna Sblendorio and Family, John & Mary Gannon and Family, Joseph P. Sblendorio, Mary Ann Foley, Edward L. Gehrke

Saturday, January 5
James Coy, Sharon Lynn Seiler Scanlan, Donald Seiler, Patricia Cooper

Saturday Evening/Sunday, January 6
Shirley Barbara, William Mullen, Jose Jimenez, Sr., Donald Weiss, Anna Caselton, Mary & Paul Gilstrop, Santo Vavacqua, Carol Sanders, Carole Parek, Kathleen Walberg, Ellie Haney

Weekly Intentions
Dear Father Matt, December 17, 2018

Thank You
St. James Parish.....

A heartfelt thank you to St. Edna’s, Jewel and all the many volunteer’s that made the December 13th Producemobile at St. Edna’s a success. Despite the chilly weather approximately 40 volunteers served over 6,700 lbs of fresh produce to 168 households representing 576 individuals.

The next St. James Produce Distribution will on May 9th, I promise warmer weather so please save that Thursday morning on your calendar.

Dear Father Matt, December 17, 2018

Faith Community Homes is again overwhelmed by the generosity of The Women of St. James. Seven different Guilds provided an abundance of Christmas presents and gift cards for the parents and children in our program. These families, who live on lean budgets with non disposable income, will have a memorable Christmas.

These gifts will provide much needed encouragement and support to the adults in our program as they work towards their goal of financial stability. Working full-time, plus taking care of the kids, plus keeping house, all the while worrying about every penny, can be lonely and exhausting. These parents will find hope in knowing that there are prayerful women in the community who believe in their hard work.

Thank you, Women of St. James, for opening your hearts to our neighbors in need, and for affirming our mission -- To Strengthen working, low-income families to achieve financial stability and independence through mentoring and rental assistance. We are blessed to have you support and, most importantly, your prayers.

With Gratitude,
Sarah Harte, Program Manager
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## Human Concerns

**St. James Respect Life Ministry**

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you..." Jeremiah 1:5

**Two Ways to Stand for Life**

**The WARM WAY** – Join our priests, deacons, and parishioners by signing onto the Daily Herald Annual Life Ad (to be run on January 13).
- Respect Life Ministry members will collect names and $5 donations (to pay for the ad) along with your name (optional) at all masses on January 5th & 6th.
- Or, by noon Monday January 7th, you may submit your name and a $5 donation to the parish office as follows:

  Place your donation in an envelope and print your name on it as you want it to appear in the Daily Herald ad: (name optional)

**The CHILLIER WAY** – Join parishioners from all local Catholic parishes at the March for Life Chicago on Sunday January 13th at the Federal Plaza (50 W. Adams St. in Chicago). In spite of the winter weather, this prayerful, joyous witness for life will warm your heart!

There is a bus to the March leaving from St. Theresa in Palatine ($10) leaving at 12:15 p.m., sponsored by NorthWest Families for Life – for more information see [http://northwestfamiliesforlife.weebly.com/2019-march-for-life-chicago.html](http://northwestfamiliesforlife.weebly.com/2019-march-for-life-chicago.html).

- **Saturday, Jan 12 – 3rd Annual Chicago Rose Dinner** ([www.marchforlife-chicago.org](http://www.marchforlife-chicago.org))
- **Jan 14 until Jan 22** – Pray the USCCB 9 Days for Life Novena ([www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/january-roe-events/join-9-days-for-life.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/january-roe-events/join-9-days-for-life.cfm))
- **Friday, Jan 18 – March for Life in Washington D.C.**

For details of these events, contact mschoney@wowway.com or (847) 392-5506.
Glorious Lives - Cardinal Francis George Film

Sun Jan 06, 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm - There will be a special public screening presented by Shalom World - Glorious Lives Cardinal Francis George "His Life and... Learn More>> on our website.

Multi-Parish Mission at Our Lady of Wayside

Mon Jan 14, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Coming soon!
Together at the Cross: Connecting Your Faith to Real Life - Featuring Fr. Peter Schavitz, C.Ss.R. for four nights... Learn More>> on our website.

CRHP 2.0 Women's Retreat WELCOME.

Sat Jan 19, All Day - Through fellowship, faith sharing, hospitality, music, Mass and more, participants have the opportunity to reflect on their lives and spiritual... Learn More>> website.

Fr. Derek to present "Catholic For A Reason" Series

Wed Feb 06, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm - Join Fr. Derek and Ben Rahimi as they explore ways to have religious-based conversations guided by the Holy Spirit. Second... Learn More>> on our website.

CRHP 2.0 Men's Retreat WELCOME.

Sat Feb 23, All Day - Through fellowship, faith sharing, hospitality, music, Mass and more, participants have opportunity to reflect on their lives and spiritual journey.... Learn More>> on our website.

Cyber Guide for Parents - Presentation by Detective Wistocki

Wed Feb 27, 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Detective Wistocki will teach parents how to have technology talks with their child, parental responsibility, trending crimes, reporting incidents, collecting... website.

The St. James Over 50 Social Group Invites you to a show and dinner.

We are going to the Metropolis Performing Arts Center, 111 W. Campbell, Arlington Heights, to see and hear the famous Lira Polish Dancers. Date: Saturday January 19 at 3:00 pm. We will be going to Qulinarnia Polish Restaurant for dinner at 1730 W. Golf Rd., Mt. Prospect.

Meal selections choice of: Beef Golash, Polish Plate, Breaded Pork Chop, Chicken Soup or Mushroom Soup, Deserts, and coffee included. (drinks not included)

Meet by Metropolis by 2:30 pm. Cost: $50 for show and dinner.

RSVP to Kathy at 847 506-9295. Make checks payable St. James Over 50 marked Polish Dancers and take to the Parish Office.

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Website: www.stjamesah.org
St. James Parish Council Contacts:
Catherine Meyer and Mike Smigiel - PPC@stjamesah.org

Weekend Masses - During our church renovation, Mass will be in the Parish Center
Saturday Evening  5:00pm  Cantor
Sunday Morning  7:00am  Cantor
Sunday Morning  8:30am  Traditional Choir
Sunday Morning  10:00am  Contemporary Choir & Children’s Liturgy of the Word
Sunday Morning  11:30am  Contemporary Choir
Sunday Evening  5:00pm  Choir

Weekday Masses (Parish Center)  820 N. Arlington Hts. Rd
Monday – Friday. . . . . . .  7:30am Mass
Saturday. . . . . . . . . . . . . . .  8:30am Mass

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

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
Parish Fax Number: 224-345-7220
St. James School Number: 224-345-7145

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

Marriages  - Congratulations on your engagement! At least six months prior to your wedding date, we 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 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.

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