

SAINT JAMES PARISH ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

HERE THIS WEEK INTERNATIONAL Pilgrim Virgin Statue of OUR LADY OF FATIMA

see page 3 for details

BE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST. Make Disciples of Christ. SEPT 11 2022

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Today's Readings

First Reading

Because Moses interceded, the LORD relented and did not punish the people. (Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14)

Psalm

l will rise and go to my father. (Psalm 51)

Second Reading

Paul expresses his gratitude for being appointed to the ministry. (1 Timothy 1:12-17)

Gospel

There is great rejoicing in heaven when a sinner repents. (Luke 15:1-32 [1-10])



"The Father never gives up on us, but waits for us patiently."

"What man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninetynine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it?" ~ Luke 15:2

The obvious answer to this question that Jesus poses to his disciples is that no one would do this. No sensible shepherd would risk losing 99% of his flock to save one lost sheep. He would consider it a loss and take care of the flock.

This is a rhetorical question, challenging us to consider the depth of God's love for each one of us.

In the parable of the Prodigal Son, the father never gives up on his son, even after the son as much as tells the father, "I wish you were dead."

The welcome that the father offers to this selfish son is extraordinary. The love he has for him never wavers. So it is with us. The Father never gives up on us, even when we live selfishly and hedonistically. He doesn't force himself on us, but waits for us patiently, calling us to a conversion of heart and a return to him, who is our source of life and love and salvation.

This love of the Father becomes present and real to us in the Eucharist. Jesus' self-offering out of pure love is here and tangible. Let's receive him!

God bless you,

Fr. Ed

THIS WEEK

Join the Ministry of Care

Training For New Ministers of Care this September

Ministers of Care bring the Holy Eucharist to parishioners who are unable to leave their homes or are in care homes. Ministry volunteers must complete two training sessions which are being offered in September this year. Full participation in both training sessions will fulfill Archdiocesan requirements for mandation. To register, see details below.

When:	Saturdays, September 17 and 24	
	9:00 am - 3:00 pm	
Where:	St. Francis de Sales Ministry Center,	
	Lake Zurich	
Register:	Contact Charles Perron,	
-	Ministry of Care Coordinator at St. James,	
	847-962-8778 or cperon50@yahoo.com	
Questions:	Deacon Joseph Yannotta at	
	jyannotta@stedna.org or Diane Yannotta,	

Ministry Coordinator, at dyannotta@comcast.net.

Join us for St. James

SENIOR LUNCH

Our speaker will be Fr. Paul

Wednesday, September 14

Laramie Room

RSVP THERESA 224-345-7213





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11AM-1PM

Come visit with OUR LADY OF FATIMA

The launch of the World Apostolate of Fatima's U.S. Tour for Peace is underway and coming to our parish!

The historic tour, marking the 100th Anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima, Portugal, will feature the world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue.

Any who have been in the presence of this special statue (created in 1947 based on Sr. Lucia's description of her encounters with Our Lady) know that the visit is an extraordinary occasion of healing, hope, and grace. Please join us!

Visit to St. James, 9/14:

8:35 am	Procession into nave for	
	placement in sanctuary	
8:35 am	Mass is celebrated for	
	St. James Catholic School	
	and others	
9:15 am	Procession of Blessed	
	Sacrament from Perpetual	
	Adoration Chapel	
9:18 am	Blessed Sacrament is	
	exposed in nave	
3:00 pm	Recitation of the Divine	
	Mercy Chaplet	
6:00 pm	Rosary/Glorious Mysteries	
6:30 pm	Benediction	
6:40 pm	Reposition of Blessed	
	Sacrament in the Perpetual	
	Adoration Chapel	
6:45 pm	Custodian of the Statue of	
	Our Lady Fatima speaks	
7:15 pm	Statue departs	



Oh, Queen of the Rosary, Sweet Virgin of Fatima, bring back peace to all the nations of the world so that all may be happy to call you their Queen and the Queen of Peace. Amen. UPCOMING EVENTS



SEPT. 17 after 5 pm Mass SEPT. 18 after morning Masses

PLEASE JOIN US!

SAINT JAMES PARISH





STARTING AT 7 PM BYOB ALL MEN 21+ REGISTRATION NOT REQUIRED, BUT APPRECIATED: STJAMESAH.ORG/MSJ-KICKOFF

• EVENING SPEAKER: <

OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS



- ARE YOU CONSIDERING A CAREER IN EDUCATION OR RELATED FIELD?
- DO YOU ENJOY HELPING CHILDREN LEARN?
- DO YOU LIKE TO SHARE YOUR FAITH IN SERVICE?

ATTENTION TEENS!! 8TH-12TH GRADE

SAINT JAMES PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Religious Education serves students 1st-5th grade on most Tuesday afternoons Sept-April.

There are many opportunities to be involved, and all teens will be partnered with adult teachers.

Are you interested in learning more? contact Bethany Larson blarson@stjamesah.org - 224-345-7152









CLIFE TEEN

JOIN US THIS FALL. REGISTER TODAY. KICKOFF SEPT 18.



JUBILATION



ST. JAMES FORMALLY INVITES YOU TO:



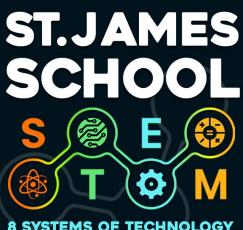
Let's come together and EMBRACE one another as we open our hearts to support our annual fundraiser which fuels St. James Parish, school advancements, tuition assistance, as well as local, national, & global humanitarian programs.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | THE MARRIOTT LINCOLNSHIRE 6PM COCKTAIL RECEPTION | 7:30 DINNER, AUCTION, & DANCING BLACK TIE OPTIONAL

Early bird tickets on sale now at: https://aesbid.com/ELP/STJ22



SCHOOL & YOUTH FORMATION



SYSTEMS OF TECHNOLOGY OUR K-8 STUDENTS LEARN SKILLS IN:

Circuitry **Computer Graphics Digital Communications** Mechanics & Structures **Robotics & Control Technology** Scientific Data & Analysis Software Engineering Sustainability





YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN

Take A Look



THE ST JAMES LIBRARY HAS A NEW HOME

Church Basement Meeting Rooms 1 & 2

Our Parish Library is open in a new location.

Find books on Jesus, spirituality, prayer, Mary, social issues, saints and much more.

Borrow items using the honor system.

Take what you like, and please return when you are finished.



Don't Miss Out on Year #5

St. James MEN'S BASKETBALL LEAGUE

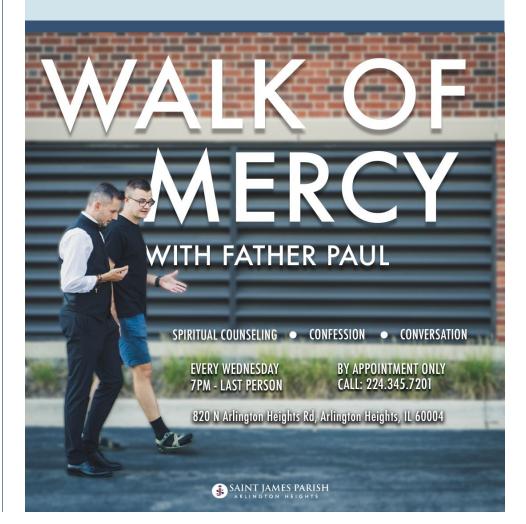
Sign up now for the St. James men's basketball league

Registration closes Wednesday, September 14

- When: Sunday nights beginning Sunday, October 9 through March 2023
- Where: Game times at 6:00, 7:00 and 8:00 in the Parish Center
- Length of Season: 10-game season and playoffs
- Who: 8 teams with 10 players per team (teams are drafted – similar to the AHYBA draft)
- Approximate Cost: \$75 (covers cost of jersey and referees)
- Must be 21 or older to participate

To sign up, fill out the google doc using the link below or contact Bill Borst at Bev51064@gmail.com

Sign Up Here: bit.ly/SJMensBBall



MINISTRY NEWS



Friday, September 30 ~ 7 p.m. St. James Church

Join us for our annual Celebrating Women event, where we gather with other women in our community and give thanks to God. Fr. Paul will be celebrating Mass, and then we plan to gather together for a reception afterward in the Laramie Room (lower level of the church).

This event is open to all adult women, so plan to bring the women who are special in your life!



MEETING MENTAL HEALTH WITH GRACE

988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline

988 has been designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will route callers to the new Suicide & Crisis Lifeline which is now active throughout the U.S.

When people call, text, or chat 988, they will be connected to trained counselors who will listen, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary for any mental health emergency.

Loved ones can also call 988 for support in helping a person in need. If you or someone you love are thinking of ending your life, please know you are not alone. Help is out there.



If you think someone might be considering suicide... **#BeThe1to:**

Ask

Ask directly, "Are you thinking about killing yourself?"

Be there

Listen to their reasons for feeling hopeless and in pain. Listen without judgment and with compassion and empathy

Keep them safe

Separate them from anything they are thinking of using to hurt themselves.

Help them connect to resources

Help them build a support system, including 988, Text: HELLO to 741741, family, friends, clergy, coaches, co-workers or therapists.

Follow up with them It can make all the difference.

https://www.bethelto.com

stjamesah.org/mentalhealthresources/

SAINT JAMES PARISH

OUR PRAYERS AND INTENTIONS

In Loving Memory

Donald Roer Marcin Bukowski

Please Pray for Our Sick

Norine Naselli Joan Maher Barbara Cygan

Rose for Life

The Blomquist Family in loving memory of Elizabeth Arens on the 16th anniversary of her death.

Recent Baptisms

Camila Rose Rodriguez, child of Jose Rodriguez & Magdalena (Gnatek) Rodriguez

Theodore Peter Krams, child of Nicholas Krams & Jessica Krams

Lucas Charlie Hernandez, child of Juan Hernandez & Luz Hernandez

Upcoming Weddings

III.	Hunter Scott and Melissa Biestek (Sept. 17)
II.	Ramdon Magpayo and Alyssa Giannini (Sept. 24)
I.	Cameron Korab and Erin McLoraine (Sept. 29)
I.	Nicholas Meersman and Nicole Borst (Oct. 1)

I. Matthew Galloway and Maria Giovinco (Oct. 1)

Celebrant Schedule

5:00	Fr. Paul
7:00	Fr. Dan Lydon
8:30	Fr. Dan Lydon
10:00	Fr. Ed
11:30	Fr. Ed
5:00	Fr. Paul

Weekly Readings

Monday:	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10	
Tuesday:	1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17	
Wednesday:	Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17	
Thursday:	1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28;	
	Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35	
Friday:	1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3	
Saturday:	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15	
Sunday:	Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]	

Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 11 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:30 am Walter Zettlmeier Shannon Hodges Bill Roller
 10:00 am Fred & Bernice Konopasek Cathy Colleran Jerry Wiffler Gerry Farrell
- **11:30 am** For all the people of the parish

Monday, September 12 The Most Holy Name of Mary

7:30 am Gottfried Winter John F. Kordek George Kneck Elizabeth Zeman Rita Nemeth

Tuesday, September 13 St. John Chrysostom

7:30 am Linda Mackey Alice Matthews

Wednesday, September 14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

7:30 am David French (1st Anniv.) Jack French Marsha Clark Joan Resch Jeannie Schmitt Patricia Rago Robert Lyman

Thursday, September 15 Our Lady of Sorrows

7:30 am Diane Westerkamp Theresa Goudie

Friday, September 16 Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian

7:30 am Kevin James Houlihan Mary Aileen & John Pelrine

Saturday, September 17 St. Robert Bellarmine; St. Hildegard

7:30 am Carmen Swanson Marilyn Wegner

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PARISH MINISTRIES

Earth Shepherds Provides opportunities to learn about the relationship between Scripture, Catholic Social Teaching and our responsibility to be stewards of God's Creation. **sjearthshepherds@gmail.com**

Grief Support Ministry Is about overcoming your grief. Are you struggling with a loss? Having a hard time coping? We meet twice per month. Please email the address below for more details. **griefsupport@stjamesah.org**

Men of St. James Provides opportunities for Christian fellowship through social, spiritual and service activities for men of the parish at least 21 years of age. **msj@stjamesah.org**

Mental Health Ministry Provides support, education and awareness to our parish communities on issues related to mental health. Strives to provide resources of support, education and hope. **tsherva@gmail.com**

Ministers of Care Bring the Holy Eucharist to parishioners who are unable to leave their homes or are in care homes. Ministry volunteers must complete a mandatory training session and follow Archdiocesan guidelines. **ministryofcare@stjamesah.org**

Ministry of Praise Gives members the opportunity to offer their prayers to God for special intentions to help others in their need. **ministryofpraise@stjamesah.org**

Moms Plus Provides support and fellowship to Catholic moms. This group is part of Women of St. James. **momsplus@stjamesah.org**

Over 50 Social Club Provides social outings, game days, cards, speakers, parties, current events/news and spirituality to any parishioner over the age of 50. **stecstan@sbcglobal.net**

Parish Pastoral Council Provides parishioners' voice to the Pastor and Parish Administration.

Peace & Justice Ministry Educates the faithful on the Catholic social teachings, supports and complements parish ministries and empowers people to transform lives and society, both locally and globally. Meets the last Tuesday of each month. **peaceandjustice@stjamesah.org**

Respect Life Ministry Strives to transform society into a Culture of Life where every human being is valued and protected from the moment of conception until natural death. **mschoney@wowway.com**

Stepping Stones Raises awareness, understanding, and the prevention of domestic violence by educating our community and supporting the victims and survivors of emotional, financial, physical and sexual abuse. **terrimcdonnell79@gmail.com**

St. Vincent de Paul Provides emergency, short-term financial help for parishioners and others living within the parish boundaries. For information on volunteering for or using this service, call the Parish Office followed by x8517. Please leave a message and one of our volunteers will call you back. Be assured that all requests for assistance are handled with care and confidentiality. **parishoffice@stjamesah.org**

Wheels to Worship Drives people to church and shares in the Mass with St. James parishioners who cannot drive themselves. **wheelstoworship@stjamesah.org**

Women of St. James Provides support to Catholic women who are committed to growing and sharing their faith through sisterhood and service. **wosjministryleads@gmail.com**

NEWS & EVENTS FROM OUR MINISTRY PARTNERS

Is Your Marriage Tearing You Apart?

Retrouvaille may be the answer. If your marriage has become troubled or stressed, unloving or uncaring, or if your relationship has grown cold or distant, if you are thinking of separation or divorce, or if you are already separated or divorced, but you want to try again – then Retrouvaille is the program that can help you.

Upcoming Retreat: Oct. 14 – 16, Marytown Retreat Center, Libertyville, Illinois. For more information, call 224-534-9235 or go to the website www.helpourmarriage.org.

Please be assured that all names are kept in the strictest confidence. No group discussions. Hope is only a phone call away!

This Weekend - Knights of Columbus Fundraiser at St. James

The Knights of Holy Rosary Council 4483 and their friends will be collecting donations after the Masses on September 10 &11 to help those in our parish with intellectual disabilities.

100% of the funds collected at those Masses will be donated back to the Special Religious Education Ministry (SPRED) at St. James. Please remember to grab your loose change or a few dollars to drop into our containers.

If you are willing to assist in our street or storefront collections, please come to The KC Hall, located at 15 N. Hickory Ave., on September 16 and 17 (Must be 18 years + to work at intersections). To donate online, visit: KofC4483.org and select Tootsie Roll Drive. Parish Contact: Bob Gedmin 847-577-7629.



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Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00 pm	St. James Collective
Sunday	7:00 am	Cantor and Organ
Sunday	8:30 am	Traditional Choir & Organ
Sunday	10:00 am	Contemporary Choir
Sunday	11:30 am	Contemporary Choir
Sunday	5:00 pm	Praise & Worship Ensemble

WEEKDAY MASSES Monday – Saturday Mass at 7:30 am

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm **Saturday & Sunday** 9:00 am - 1:00 pm The office will be closed on weeknights until further notice. Thank you for your patience.

Sacraments & Devotions

Baptism - Please call the Parish Office with preferred date at least one month in advance.

Marriage - At least six months prior to your wedding date, please contact the Parish Office about setting a date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - in the church Tuesday – 6:00 - 7:00 pm Saturday – 8:00 - 9:00 am following daily Mass

Holy Hour - Thursday 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the church for procession of the blessed sacrament, evening prayer, rosary.

Perpetual Adoration Chapel - 24 hours a day for committed adorers with access code. All are welcome! adoration@stjamesah.org

TO STAY UP TO DATE AND BE INSPIRED DAILY

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