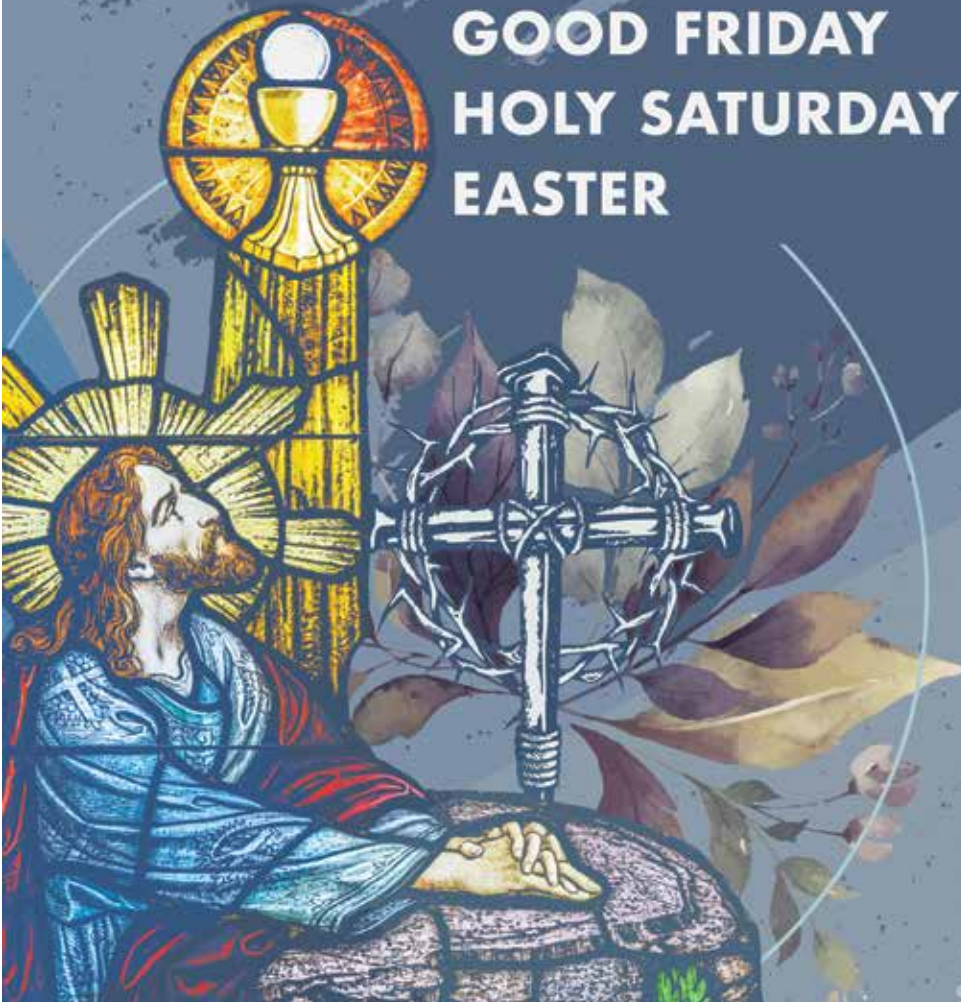




SAINT JAMES PARISH

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

HOLY WEEK
HOLY THURSDAY
GOOD FRIDAY
HOLY SATURDAY
EASTER



APRIL 2
2023

*BE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.
MAKE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.*

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

A MESSAGE FROM...

Today's Readings

First Reading:

I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard; my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting.
(Is 50:6)

Psalms:

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?
(Ps 22)

Second Reading:

He humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Because of this, God greatly exalted him.
(Phil 2:8-9)

Gospel:

The centurion and the men with him who were keeping watch over Jesus feared greatly when they saw the earthquake and all that was happening, and they said, "Truly, this was the Son of God!"
(Mt 26:54)



"Jesus emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness; and found human in appearance, he humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross."

~ Philippians 2:7-8

These are words of the Philippians hymn, the second reading of today's Mass, from the letter of St. Paul to the Christians of Philippi in Greece. It is a fitting beginning of this Holy Week, as we walk with Jesus and His disciples and His mother through the awful and beautiful events of that week.

This week we remember so many things which are at the heart of our faith: the Eucharist and Christ's priesthood, His sacrificial death on Calvary, and then, finally, His glorious resurrection on that first Easter Sunday.

The Philippians hymn ends with the proclamation of this glory:

"Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus

every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."

Please join us as we pray through these holy days.

God bless you,

Fr. Ed

THROUGH HIS PASSION AND BEYOND



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday: April 6

Triduum Morning Prayer
7:30 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper
7:30 p.m.

Good Friday: April 7

Triduum Morning Prayer
7:30 a.m.

Traditional Stations
12:00 p.m. (in the church)

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
3:00 p.m.

Good Friday Taizé and
Veneration
7:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday: April 8

Triduum Morning Prayer
7:30 a.m.

Easter Vigil
7:30 p.m.
(reception to follow, join us!)

Easter Sunday: April 9

In the Church:

8:00 a.m. Mass
10:00 a.m. Mass
12:00 p.m. Mass

In the Parish Center:

8:15 a.m. Mass
10:15 a.m. Mass

ENCOUNTER

**APRIL 18
AT ST. JAMES**

**DINNER AT 5 PM
FORMATION AT 6 PM**

**EVENING TOPIC:
HOPE AND HEALING IN
THE EASTER SEASON**



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FOR DETAILS!

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SAINT JAMES PARISH
WILMINGTON HEIGHTS

**EVENING SPEAKER:
WoSJ MEMBER TINA HAISMAN**

MEN AND WOMEN

WOMEN'S WELCOME RETREAT

A ONE DAY RETREAT

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THE GLORY OF THE LORD HAS DAWNED UPON YOU
Isaiah 60:1

REGISTER TODAY



bit.ly/womens-welcome-23

Welcome.

SAINT JAMES PARISH
ARLINGTON, NEBRASKA

MEN OF SAINT JAMES

7PM | 04.14.23

GUYS, GAMES, GIN

JOIN MSJ FOR AN EVENING OF GAMES AND A EUCHER TOURNAMENT
MEETING IN THE LARAMIE ROOM

BYOB ALL MEN 21+

REGISTRATION NOT REQUIRED, BUT APPRECIATED:
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EVENING SPEAKER:
FR. ED

SAINT JAMES PARISH
MEN OF SAINT JAMES



CHILDREN

Join us as we come together to
Shine Jesus' Light

VBS 2023
JUNE 12-16, 2023
PK-5th Grade



**REGISTRATION
NOW OPEN!!**



**ADULT & TEEN
VOLUNTEERS
WELCOME!!!**

Teens: Grades 6-12



Need more info!?!?

stjamesvbs@stjamesah.org



SAINT JAMES PARISH
MUSIC MINISTRY

**Children's Choir
Open House**

Sunday, April 16 * after 11:30 Mass



Does your child love to sing?

Find out what makes our children's choir special! On Sunday, April 16 come hear the choir sing at the 11:30 Mass. Afterward, head downstairs to join us in the music room. Meet the director, Natalie Conseur, speak to current choir families and play a musical game.

Come see if the choir might be a good fit for your family next school year.

RSVP: **sjkidssing@stjamesah.org**
so we can plan accordingly.



Fifth graders are invited to preview EDGE on either April 23 or May 7 at 3:00 pm.

At St. James, our Confirmation Preparation (EDGE) is from 6th-8th grade. Youth will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in 8th grade.

Middle school is a great time of transition for our young people. They are met with new challenges, changes, and are beginning to mature and become ready to dive deeper into their faith.

These 3 years of preparation will give middle school students the best chance at gaining and developing a lifelong relationship with Jesus.

The fruit of this program is harvesting! Youth are leaving EDGE with a relationship with Jesus Christ, ways to continue to live their faith out enthusiastically and passionately, and make faith-filled friends for the journey! Don't let your youth miss out on this experience.



Lenten Outreach

The Foundation for Children in Need Home

The F.C.N. Home for the Destitute is the dream project of Foundation for Children in Need. It's an hour drive from the city of Hyderabad. This home was built four years ago with generous donations from many in the United States.

Presently there are forty elderly and physically challenged people who reside in the home free of charge. There are four nuns who are the administrators.

Other activities that take place at F.C.N. Home include:

- Opportunities for sponsors and volunteers from the U.S.A to visit F.C.N. Home and see the work of F.C.N. firsthand.
- Coordinating cleft lip and cleft palate surgeries.
- Tailoring training for girls from villages who come for a six-month training program. Right now, there are eleven girls in this program.
- Training and meetings for F.C.N. Sponsorship Project Coordinators.
- Sponsorship letter writing and opportunities to serve the needy for F.C.N. sponsored college students.
- Distribution of notebooks, dictionaries, school bags, inspirational books, clothing, and blankets to school children.
- Distribution of clothing and blankets to elderly in the villages.
- Distribution of sewing machines to needy women which gives them economic independence.
- Relief work in response to natural disasters.

Please visit our website to learn more. www.fcn-usa.org
Call 847-670-1145 or email tomchitta@hotmail.com



Residents of the F.C.N. Home

YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN...



Calling all Cowgirls!

Registration is open for LNO's Gone Country, which will be on Friday, April 28!

All are welcome to attend this event in the Parish Center. Admission is \$45 and includes a BBQ dinner and live music by Nashville Electric Company. The event is BYOB.

Guests will have access to our online auction site one week prior to the event and prizes include gift cards, designer bags and so much more!

Join in on the fun!

Register at

<https://www.aesbid.com/ELP/LNO23>

Questions? Email lnostjames@gmail.com

ST. JAMES THEATRE PROUDLY PRESENTS



Auditions:
April 18th and 19th
from 6:30-9:30
in the Parish Center

Performances:
July 13th through 23rd

For more info, please visit our website:
www.stjamestheatre.org



PARISH UPDATES

MEETING
MENTAL HEALTH
WITH GRACE



SAINT JAMES PARISH
MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY

Introducing the Grace Prayer Circle

Do you or someone you love need prayers for a mental health concern? Often, when mental health is the issue, we hesitate in seeking prayer support. The Mental Health Ministry team would like to change that. We would like to pray for you and with you.

On the first Wednesday of each month, the Ministry Team will host a **Grace Prayer Circle**. You can join us as we pray or simply submit a name.

Prayer requests can be submitted to the ministry voicemail: 847-253-5390 or email: mentalhealthministry@stjamesah.org. Requests can be vague or specific. You could simply submit a person's first name. All requests will be kept confidential.

All are welcome to join us as we pray:
Wednesday, April 5th from 7:00 - 7:30 pm
St. James School Chapel
820 N. Arlington Heights Road

Check out our **Mental Health Ministry** webpage at stjamesah.org/mentalhealthresources/ for resources and education

IS ANYONE
AMONG YOU
SICK?
LET HIM CALL FOR
THE ELDERS
OF THE CHURCH,
AND LET THEM
PRAY OVER THEM

- JAMES 5:14

Morning of Recollection

Wednesday, April 19

*"May you seek Christ. May you find Christ.
May you love Christ"*
-St. Josemaria Escriva

On the third Wednesday of each month, a Morning of Recollection for women is provided here at St. James.

On Wednesday, April 19, please join us at 10 a.m. for meditations, reconciliation, and Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

This time of prayer helps deepen the connection between life and faith in an atmosphere of quiet reflection.

For any questions please email:
Knorrhouse7@gmail.com

Feed the Hungry

The Loaves & Fishes Ministry is seeking help during April.

St. James Loaves and Fishes Ministry has been operating for over 30 years feeding the men and women in the uptown neighborhood of Chicago. Loaves and Fishes provides soup, bread, and a sack lunch for approximately 100 men and women.

We also provide a warm evening meal for the men currently housed in a motel. This ministry operates every Saturday from October through the end of April.

Once you have signed up for a specific volunteer activity, you will receive an email on the Monday prior to your assigned time with detailed instructions.

To volunteer or ask questions:

Kevin and Geralyn Walsh, 847-338-1234 or
847-361-1480 or email stjameslandf@gmail.com

Volunteer sign-up: <https://bit.ly/StJamesLF22>

DIVINE MERCY

Our Lady of The Wayside, St James, St Edna, and St Mary, invite you to

The Multi Parish Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16th at Our Lady of the Wayside

1:30 PM

Adoration and Reflection by Fr. Marat

2:00 -3:00 PM

Confession and Psalm Recitations

3 :00 PM

Chaplet of Divine Mercy & Benediction

The Divine Mercy Novena begins Good Friday, April 7th
Hosted at 3 pm each day by Our Lady of The Wayside
Reflection by Deacon Paul Onischuk



Schedule for Divine Mercy Novena

April 7th, following the Good Friday Liturgy of the Word
April 8th, Easter Vigil/ Saturday, at 3 PM
April 9th, Easter Sunday at 3 PM
April 10th, Easter Monday at 3 PM
April 11th through the 15th at 3 PM

Our Lady of the Wayside
434 W. Park, Arlington Heights, IL 60005

OUR PRAYERS AND INTENTIONS

In Loving Memory

Errol Espinoza
Nunzio Truppa
Kenneth Anderson
Barbara Anne Kieca
Lorraine Kelly

Please Pray for Our Sick

Norine Naselli

Rose for Life

Donated by Marilee Cripe in thanksgiving for her son, John.

Recent Baptisms

Amelia Marie McDonald, child of
Maxwell McDonald and Allison (Mallon) McDonald

James Samson Lestina, child of
John Lestina and Jennifer (Samson) Lestina

Beck August Ried, child of
Christopher Ried and Chistine (Birn) Ried

Carter William Gritt, child of
Ryan Gritt and Melissa (Cecala) Gritt

Len Ajani Ali, child of
Hussain Ali and Stefanie (Zeihen) Ali

Nathan James Mucia, child of
Gregory Mucia and Katie (Kuksuk) Mucia

Wedding Banns

Il. Russell Haywood and Megan Froehlicher (April 15)

Main Celebrant Schedule for Holy Week April 6-9

Holy Thursday, 7:30 pm	Fr. Paul Stein
Good Friday, 3:00 pm	Fr. Paul Barwikowski
Holy Saturday, 7:30 pm	Fr. Ed Pelrine

Easter Sunday:

CHURCH

8:00	Fr. Paul Barwikowski
10:00	Fr. Ed Pelrine
12:00	Fr. Paul Stein

PARISH CENTER

8:15	Fr. Paul Stein
10:15	Fr. Paul Barwikowski

*Other priests will concelebrate some Holy Week liturgies.
There is no 5:00 pm Mass on Easter Sunday.*

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 1

5:00 James Moran
Richard Lyons

Sunday, April 2 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8:30 Caryn Michals-Quesada
Father of Trinidad Saucedo
10:00 Bob & Andy Jarosz
Barbara Cygan
Roland Ley
Jim Hahn

11:30 Jim Forrester
Rina Botta
Mariann Pertchi

5:00 For the people of the parish

Monday, April 3

Marcin Bukowski
Patricia Cooper
John Heinz
Judith Klimas
John F. Kordek

Tuesday, April 4

Alfred E. Bolger (23rd Anniv.)
Therese Dalton (1st Anniv.)
Margaret Trampf
Gene & Phyllis Young

Wednesday, April 5

Alfred Mayer (1st Anniv.)
Jim Hahn
Carl William Gilmore

Thursday, April 6 Holy Thursday

Helena Jochaniewicz

Friday, April 7 Good Friday

Saturday, April 8 Holy Saturday

James Moran

Readings for the Week of April 2

Sunday: Mt 21:1-11/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11/
Mt 26:14-27:66

Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 16-16bc, 17-18 (see 1 Cor 10:16)/1 Cor
11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 (Luke 23:46)/Heb
4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday: Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2 Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 (30)
Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/
Ex 14:15-15:1/ Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b)/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2,
4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Bar 3:9-15,
32-4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5;
43:3, 4 (42:2)/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Mt 28:1-10

PARISH & COMMUNITY UPDATES

Month of March 2023 Collections

Sunday Collections			
Month of March 2023	Budgeted	Actual*	Variance
	\$194,358.00	\$167,036.15.00	\$(27,321.85)

*\$64,895.23 from envelopes and
\$102,140.92 from Faith Direct
online giving.

SELECTED 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

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

PADS Outreach provides safety, temporary shelter and services to the unhoused. st.james.pads@gmail.com

Parish Pastoral Council serves as a representative body of the St. James parish community, guided by the Holy Spirit.
PPC@stjamesah.org

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@astound.net

Stepping Stones raises awareness, promotes understanding and prevents relational violence by educating communities and providing referrals to victims and survivors of emotional, financial, physical and sexual abuse. (IL Domestic Violence Helpline: 877-863-6338), steppingstones@stjamesah.org

St. Vincent de Paul provides emergency, short-term financial help. Call the Parish Office followed by x8517. Please leave a message and one of our volunteers will call you back. All requests kept confidential.

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

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

Healing Mass in Palatine, April 24

St. Theresa Church (455 N. Benton Street, Palatine) will host a healing Mass on Monday, April 24. Rosary and confessions begin at 7:00 pm with Mass at 8:00 pm. All are invited to attend this event with families, friends and neighbors; stand in for those who are unable or too sick to attend. Father Chris Krymski, OSM & Fr. John Fontana, OSM from the National Shrine of St. Peregrine, Our Lady of Sorrows Basilica, are the celebrants. Receive individual blessings (with first-class relic of St. Peregrine) after Mass. For more information call Diane (847) 204-5610 or Jean (847) 496-5970.

LOSS Group Meeting in Lake Zurich, April 19

The Catholic Charities LOSS group will meet on Wednesday, April 19 at St. Francis de Sales Parish and Ministry Center (135 S. Buesching Road, Lake Zurich) from 6:00-8:00 pm. Anyone who has lost a loved one to suicide is invited to attend. The group meets on the third Wednesday of each month. Please register if you are new to this program by calling (312) 655-7283 or go to catholiccharities.net/loss. No matter how recently or long ago you experienced loss by suicide, all are welcome. Any questions, please call Tish Guinter (847) 293-4332.

DON'T FALL BEHIND

STAY CURRENT WITH THIS WEEK'S EVENTS
AND WHAT'S COMING UP AT ST. JAMES

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Holy Week Schedule

HOLY THURSDAY: APRIL 6

Triduum Morning Prayer - 7:30 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY: APRIL 7

Triduum Morning Prayer - 7:30 a.m.

Traditional Stations - 12:00 p.m.

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - 3:00 p.m.

Good Friday Taizé and Veneration - 7:30 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY: APRIL 8

Triduum Morning Prayer - 7:30 a.m.

Easter Vigil - 7:30 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY: APRIL 9

In the Church: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. & Noon Masses

In the Parish Center: 8:15 a.m. & 10:15 a.m. Masses

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Please Note: The parish office will close April 6 at Noon and reopen April 8 at 9:00 am.

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.



Perpetual Adoration Chapel - In preparation for Triduum, the chapel will close at 3:30 pm on Holy Thursday after the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm. The chapel will then re-open following the Easter Vigil Mass on Saturday night at 10:00 pm.

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