



# SAINT JAMES THE APOSTLE Roman Catholic Church

The Lord  
is my light  
& salvation.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JANUARY 22, 2023

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## YOU ARE Welcome Here

45 South Springfield Ave,  
Springfield, NJ 07081  
(973) 376-3044

### Office Hours:

Mon-Fri 8:30AM-3PM  
(Closed 12-1PM for Lunch)

### Church Visiting Hours:

Mon-Fri: 8AM-2:30PM  
Sat: 9AM-1PM

### MASS SCHEDULE:

**Saturday, January 28:**  
5:00PM - Fr. Santos

**Sunday, January 29:**  
8:00AM - Fr. Santos  
10:00AM - Fr. Dennehy  
12:00PM - Fr. Santos

### DAILY MASS:

Mon-Fri: 7:30AM  
Saturday: 8:30AM  
U.S. Holidays: 8:30AM

### RECONCILIATION:

Saturday at 4:00PM  
or by Appointment;  
Please call the Office.

### DEVOTIONS:

**Rosary & Novena:**  
Mondays at 7:00PM in the  
Church and on Facebook  
Live

**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
Wednesday Holy Hour  
for Life at 7PM

Second Saturdays at 3PM

## PASTOR'S COLUMN



### Reflection on the Readings

Today we celebrate the Sunday of the Word of God, established just four years ago to remind us that scripture is central to our faith.

Why is scripture central to our faith? Because we believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God. We believe that the Bible contains **truth** and **power** that can not only help us to know who God is and who we are, but it can also help guide us to where God wants us to go – **HEAVEN!**

Think of the **BIBLE** as **B**asic **I**nstructions **B**efore **L**eaving **E**arth!

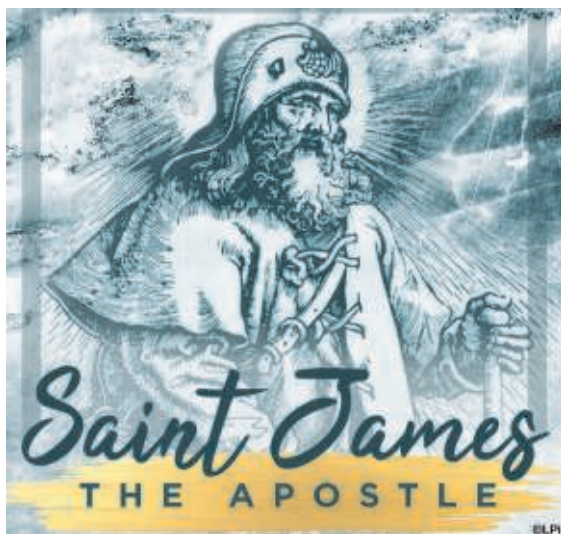
But here's the thing, it's tough for the Bible to have any real impact in our lives if we don't grow in our understanding of it through study and prayer. St. Jerome is famously credited with saying, "*Ignorance of the Bible is ignorance of Christ.*" It's kind of like when you meet somebody for the first time. And let's say you already have some familiarity with the person. Perhaps you read their bio on LinkedIn or have visited their Facebook page or seen their Instagram. Maybe someone you know has relayed a story about where they're from or where they work. Can you confidently say that you know that person? I remember as a kid how a "friend" really became a friend once my classmate or neighbor visited my home, met my parents, and saw my cool lava lamp or favorite soccer star poster. Close friends, people who really "know" us, can only claim that privilege if they've entered into our world.

By entering the world of the Bible, we spiritually enter Jesus' world. We "visit" His home, if you will, and meet His family, the apostles and the prophets. This is especially important to consider as we look to our readings this Sunday. It's kind of hard to really grasp what St. Matthew is saying if we don't have a clue about what's going on in the passage from the Prophet Isaiah that St. Matthew quotes. Put another way, not having a sense of the importance and thus the implications of Isaiah's prophecy is kind of like walking into the middle of a conversation while someone is telling a hilarious joke just as the punchline is delivered. It's hard to get the joke or fully appreciate a riveting story if you don't know what came before.

If you're like me and so many of our Catholic brothers and sisters who have struggled to read the Bible or just haven't made a serious effort to open it's pages, I recommend The Bible in a Year Podcast by Father Mike Schmitz and Ascension Press. For the past two years it's been at the top of the podcast charts. Father Mike walks you through the entire Bible in 365 episodes, providing commentary, reflection, and prayer along the way. I've taken the journey of The Bible in a Year and I invite you to take the journey as well. It's great!

### Quote of the Week

Fear only two: God, and the man who has no fear of God.  
—Hasidic proverb



## SUNDAY READINGS

**First Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3**

*You have brought them abundant joy and great rejoicing, as they rejoice before you as at the harvest, as people make merry when dividing spoils.*

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 27**

*The Lord is my light and my salvation.*

**Second Reading: 1 Cor. 1:10-13, 17**

*I urge you, brothers and sisters, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree in what you say, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and in the same purpose.*

**Gospel Acclamation: Matthew 4:23**

*Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.*

**Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23**

*He said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed him.*

Visit [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) to access full Mass readings online.

# Lent

## SMALL GROUPS

### "Not By Bread Alone"

Join us as we journey together again through Lent in small groups.

Groups will meet on various days/times to reflect and discuss the Gospel for the coming Sunday. No prior experience or knowledge of scripture necessary.

- Beginning the Week of February 20
- Sign-Up Weekends: February 4/5 & 11/12
- For info, contact: [smallgroups@saintjamesparish.org](mailto:smallgroups@saintjamesparish.org)

*Jesus said to him in reply: "One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God."*



## Annual Appeal <sup>the 2023</sup>

The 2023 Annual Appeal has begun! Each year we are invited to participate in the Annual Appeal, which is an opportunity to support essential ministries and programs of our Archdiocese. Your sacrificial support makes it possible for us to carry out the important work that we are called to do as missionary disciples of Jesus.



Please consider participating in this year's Appeal to help make a significant difference in many lives within our Archdiocese.

Please make a gift online today by visiting [rcan.org/sharing](http://rcan.org/sharing), or join us for In-Pew Weekend on February 4th-5th.



## UPCOMING EVENTS



# SIP & SUPPER

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2023 AT 6:30 PM



WE INVITE YOU TO BRING  
IT BACK TO THE OLD SCHOOL WITH AN  
EVENING DEDICATED TO OLD WORLD WINES AND  
CLASSIC DISHES. MULTI-COURSE,  
FAMILY STYLE MEAL WITH  
WINES CURATED BY WINE 'EDU-TAINER'  
**SANDRA ZOTTI**

*Sofia's*  
Fine Italian Cuisine

272 MORRIS AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY

**\$90 PER PERSON (ALL INCLUSIVE)**



**RSVP BY  
JANUARY 28**

Scan the QR code to make a payment or send  
checks payable to Saint James the Apostle Parish  
and mail/drop off payment at the church rectory.

Questions to be e-mailed to [ParishLife@saintjamesparish.org](mailto:ParishLife@saintjamesparish.org)



All proceeds to benefit Saint James the Apostle Church

## MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY AT SAINT JAMES

The purpose of Saint James' new Mental Health Ministry is to educate our community about mental health and to, provide a faith-based, judgment-free support group for those struggling with a mental health issue such as stress, anxiety, or depression, or who have an actual mental illness diagnosis or are providing care to a friend or family member with a diagnosis, and end the stigma associated with mental illness.

Our success in this ministry depends on your help! It is important to address what our parish needs so we can tailor the mental health programs to those necessities. We would like to hear from parishioners of all ages through the attached survey. Please encourage all your family members, including pre-teens and teenagers to participate.

Complete this survey and tear/cut out of the bulletin or find a copy on the Wellness Ministry Information rack on the corner table in the narthex/gathering area and on our webpage on Saint James website. When completed they can be placed in the marked survey basket in the narthex/gathering area after the masses next weekend or mail it back to the rectory by Tuesday January 24, 2023. ***All responses will be anonymous.***

**NOTE:** Programs, and events and support provided by the Mental Health Ministry are strictly spiritual and educational in nature. Members of the ministry are volunteers only, not mental health professionals, and do not provide medical advice or clinical diagnoses of any kind or approaches.

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### Mental Health & Wellness Ministry Survey

What is your preferred learning environment?

- ☐ In-person events
- ☐ Virtual events
- ☐ Handouts to read at home

What topics would you be interested in for talks or support groups? Select all that applies.

- ☐ Understanding the difference between Mental Health and Mental Illness
  - ☐ Spirituality and Mental Health
  - ☐ Coping with Anxiety
  - ☐ Suicide
  - ☐ Coping with Depression
  - ☐ Improving Mental Wellness.
  - ☐ Coping with Psychosis
  - ☐ Mental Illness during Covid
  - ☐ Coping with Loneliness
  - ☐ Addiction and Mental Illness
  - ☐ Alcoholism
  - ☐ Drug Abuse
  - ☐ Parenting and Stress
  - ☐ Family and Stress
  - ☐ Caretaker Stress
  - ☐ Managing Stress
  - ☐ Stress and Aging
  - ☐ Family Dealing with Mental Illness
  - ☐ Family Dealing with Addiction
  - ☐ Living with Adult Children with Mental Illness
  - ☐ Having Power and Control Over Your Life
  - ☐ Dealing with Behavioral Problems at Home
  - ☐ Post-Traumatic Stress
  - ☐ Improving Communication Skills
  - ☐ Practicing Self-Care to Reduce Stress and Promote Mental Health
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This is an optional section to answer. Please place a check mark in the ☐ symbol if it applies to you.

Have you or a member of your family in the past or present ever delt with the following?

<input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Manic Depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Suicidal Thoughts	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Suicide	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Post Traumatic Stress (PTSD)	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Drug Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Anger Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Childhood Mental Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Teenage Mental Health Issues	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Compulsive Thoughts (OCD)	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Self Harm Thoughts or Actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Negative Self Thoughts	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Schizophrenia	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Personality Disorder	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing Stress	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Eating Disorder Type: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Disruptive Behavior/Dissocial Disorder	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Dementia / Alzheimer's Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Autism	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Psychosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Paranoia	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Loneliness leading to depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Past	<input type="checkbox"/> Present	<input type="checkbox"/> Self	<input type="checkbox"/> Family Member

Is there anything not stated above that you would think would be beneficial when it comes to addressing mental health in the parish? \_\_\_\_\_

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**If you would like someone from Saint James the Apostle Catholic Church Mental Health Ministry to contact you, please provide your contact information below.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred method of contact: \_\_\_\_\_

## MORE MINISTRIES AT SAINT JAMES

### SAINT JAMES THE APOSTLE CHURCH OUTDOOR MINISTRY



St. James the Apostle Church has grown in strength and endurance through its centennial journey. It has now reached a memorable milestone. Let's celebrate by challenging our bodies to do the same.

The Outdoor Ministry invites you to **trek 100 miles** over the next 9 months, beginning **Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>** and ending **Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>**. You won't need your car keys at all.

Here are the different ways you can travel to accumulate your miles:

<b>Walking</b>	<b>Treadmill</b>
<b>Jogging / Running</b>	<b>Stationary Bike</b>
<b>Biking</b>	<b>Elliptical</b>
<b>Rowing</b>	<b>Hiking</b>

You can achieve all 100 miles using one, or a combination of any of these options.

There are two ways to track your progress

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#### ***Strava***

A free app for tracking physical exercise along with a social network feature. You'll be able to see fellow parishioners' progress alongside your own.

#### ***Downloadable Spreadsheet***

An electronic log to keep track of your progress, which is also downloadable if you choose to print and write in your miles.

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For more information on how to register and track your progress, please visit our website at [saintjamestheapostle.org](http://saintjamestheapostle.org) or send an e-mail to [OutdoorMinistry@saintjamesparish.org](mailto:OutdoorMinistry@saintjamesparish.org).

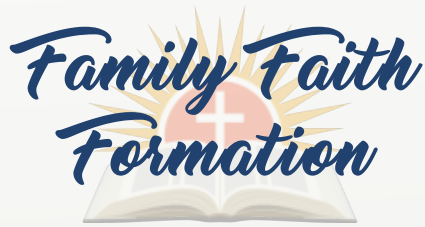
If you participated in the "5K for Thanks" this past November you may log up to 3 miles as a bonus head-start on your tracking sheet! The Outdoor Ministry hopes to organize some group activities in the upcoming warmer months to help you to accumulate miles alongside your fellow parishioners. Keep an eye out for information in future bulletins, social media, and our parish website.

***We hope you will consider being a part of this exciting challenge.***

*"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7*

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**OFFICE PHONE: (973) 376-2061**

Yesterday the children preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time attended a special retreat which included coloring, videos and a special craft while the parents had an activity of their own centered around the sacrament. Please continue to keep these children and their parents in your prayers.

This week, 8th grade meets on Tuesday night in the Church for class. Next Sunday, Family Faith families will gather for our next session. Mr. Jim Choma, RCIA Coordinator from Saint Bartholomew, has graciously agreed to come and engage our parents in discussion.

I know it's early in the year but it's never too early to think about the summer! Please see the Saint James Vacation Bible Camp information for students entering Kindergarten through 4th Grade elsewhere in the bulletin. Registration information will be provided soon! Call the Religious Education Office with any questions.

### **SAVE THE DATE!**

## ***Vacation Bible Camp*** **at Saint James the Apostle Church**

Monday, June 26 - Friday, June 30, 2023  
8:00AM-2:00PM Each Day

for children entering Kindergarten-4th  
Grade in September 2023.

Call: (973) 376-2061 or email:  
ncaputo@saintjamesparish.org

- Cost is \$250 for the 1st child, 10% discount for the 2nd child (\$225.00) etc.
- Children must bring their own lunch and water bottle.
- Mrs. Annie ("Q") Quagliato is this year's Camp Coordinator. The Registration Form will be available soon!

## **SACRAMENTS**



### **BAPTISM**

Please call the Rectory to schedule your child's Baptism: (973) 376-3044

### **RECONCILIATION**

4:00PM on Saturdays or by appointment.

### **ADULT SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION & RCIA**

Please call the Rectory for information concerning the RCIA process. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process where individuals who seek to receive the Sacraments of Initiation or who have never been baptized enter into full communion with the faith.

### **VOCATIONS**

Thinking Priesthood? Are you being called? Visit the Archdiocese of Newark Office of Priestly Vocations.

Call: 973-313-6190. Email: [info@newarkpriest.com](mailto:info@newarkpriest.com).  
Social media: @NewarkPriest. Web: [newarkpriest.com](http://newarkpriest.com)

### ***Do you know someone who...***

**Was never baptized, or was baptized in another Christian denomination, and has expressed interest in becoming Catholic? Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?**

Saint James the Apostle Church offers an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for adults and for children/youth. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm, accepting setting.

***For more information, please contact the Religious Education Office at (973) 376-2061.***



# MASS INTENTIONS, PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 21

5:00PM **Helen & Donald Reedy**  
*r/b Eugenia Reedy & Family*  
**Ritchie Misini**  
*r/b Famiglia Postigliene*

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

8:00AM **Thomas O'Mahony**  
*r/b Linda & Bob Donnelly*  
10:00AM **Amelia Montana**  
*r/b Janice Montana*  
**Stanley Wickham**  
*r/b Camille Mitarotonda*  
12:00PM **James Carney**  
*r/b Patty & John Carney*  
**Debbie Rouse**  
*r/b Karen & Walt LaShuk*

## MONDAY, JANUARY 23

*Day of Prayer for Legal Protection of Unborn Children*  
7:30AM **Carl Quick**  
*r/b Theresa & Michael Quick*

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 24

*Saint Francis de Sales*  
7:30AM **Carl Quick**  
*r/b Theresa & Michael Quick*

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25

*Conversion of Saint Paul*  
7:30AM **Carl Quick**  
*r/b Theresa & Michael Quick*

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 26

*Saints Timothy & Titus*  
7:30AM **John J. Vassallo**  
*r/b Linda & Bob Donnelly*

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 27

7:30AM **Martin DeMarzo**  
*r/b Beverly DeMarzo*

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 28

8:30AM **Christina Ward**  
*r/b Michael & Ann Higgins*  
5:00PM **Susan Chan**  
*r/b Wolcott Family*

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

8:00AM **Kevin Morris**  
*r/b Dennis McNany*  
10:00AM **Carmine Apicelli**  
*r/b Lorraine Graziano*  
**Maria Agostino**  
*r/b Rita, Angela & Pasquale*  
12:00PM **Ernest Reedy**  
*r/b Wife & Children*  
**Kristin Sherwood**  
*r/b Baranda Family*

*Lord, Hear Our Prayer.*



## SANCTUARY LAMP:

Jim McElroy  
*r/b Family*

## BREAD & WINE:

Jim McElroy  
*r/b Family*

*To memorialize the Sanctuary Lamp by the Tabernacle or the Bread and Wine, please call the Rectory Office.*

## A TIME TO HEAL

Pat Anelli, Dolores Battiato, Jackie Belitti, Anita C. Bentz, Barbara Bentz, Severina Bion, Marie Boin, Victoria Burns, Gerry Campagnola, Enid Cabot, Dolores Cardillo, Thara Chandran, Helen Chelis, Lena Chromowski, Phyllis Colosimo, Celine Correia, James Curry, Maureen D., Beverly DeMarzo, Carmela DeSarno, Robert Devon, Jr., Marguerite Duchantier, Victoria Egner, Alfredo Fernandes, Berta Franco, Ann Graziano, Carole Griner, Steven Hensle, Joan Hobson, Laura Hughes, Eddie Jenna, Dana Kelley, Dexter Kennedy, Art Kistler, Irene Kurpieski, Camille LaTouche, Dina Ledogar, Maureen Le Goff, Lucille Lerner, Andy Lindgren, Angelina Lipski, Chenoa Lipski, Richie Lipski, Menotti Joseph Lombardi, Jr., Marian Lordi, Richard Lorenzo, Barbara Ludolph, Erica Luther, Toni Ann Marabello, Maria Martino Fender, Angie Mazzarisi, Leonard McGinley, Stan Mickham, Richard Miele, Andres Montero, Timothy Morgan, Martin Muguerza, Ive Mureny, Christian Murphy, Cassidy Musson, Carol Muzacs, Michael Neer, Mary O'Connor, Rafaelina Oliviero, Anna P., John Reiss, Ben Rumer, Anthony S., Richard Salort, Alice Serrao, Jack Silbert, Ray Slater, Stephanie Toth, Tracy Tuten, Erin Wade, Anne Wallis, MaryEllen Warren, Elisa Warshall, Christopher Waryn, Peggy Wysock

*Please Note: For privacy reasons and HIPAA regulations, names may only be added by members of the immediate family after they have received permission of the one who is sick. In the event of serious illness or hospitalization, the rectory should be notified. Visits to the sick and home-bound are made by the priests, deacons and ministers of the Eucharist. It is not necessary for someone to be "gravely ill" to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.*

## A TIME TO BAPTIZE

Carter Montano  
Dominico Montano  
William Ernest Wambold IV

## A TIME TO DIE

Lorraine Marsh  
Reverend Brendan H. Quinn

## A TIME OF WAR AND PEACE

Tim Arentz, Lance Corporal Kevin Bernor, Brian Braine, Sean Curran, Capt. Sean P. Eadie, Stacy Enyeart, David Fenton, Shane Fenton, Luis Fonseca, LCPL Christopher P. Garrigan, 2LT Christopher W. Impellizzeri, Cpt. Brian Jacobs, 2LT Andrew Kerwin, LCPL Kyle Thomas Lynaugh, Stephen Patricco, Aric Patten, Phillip Patten, Aaron Pluto, 2nd Lt. John Rogacki, Capt. Stacia Rogacki, Cpt. Steven Rogacki, 2LT Raymond Williamson

## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

### DO YOU LIVE IN UNION COUNTY AND NEED HELP WITH:

**Housing Insecurity?**  
**Rental Assistance?**  
**Legal Representation?**  
**Credit Counseling and more?**

Please contact JOE CORREA immediately:  
[jcorrea@thewaterfrontproject.org](mailto:jcorrea@thewaterfrontproject.org)

[www.thewaterfrontproject.org](http://www.thewaterfrontproject.org)

A nonprofit organization dedicated to assisting economically disadvantaged people – the working poor, seniors, veterans, and those living with disabilities – to address their civil legal issues and concerns.

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

### Collection Totals Weekend of January 14/15

Regular Collection	\$ 5,717
Online Giving	\$ 3,160
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 8,877</b>

*Christmas Totals:* \$ 63,061

*We accept online credit card donations. Parishioners wishing to mail-in or drop off their weekly contribution in the Rectory mail slot are welcome to do so.*



### ONLINE GIVING

To sign up for Online Giving, please visit [saintjamesparish.org](http://saintjamesparish.org) or scan the QR code with your smartphone.

***Thank you for your generosity!***

**FRAUD ALERT:** Please be aware that emails are being sent out by scammers claiming to be members of the Saint James parish community, including Fr. David Santos. Please disregard any emails from anyone claiming to be associated with Saint James, including Fr. David Santos, with solicitation to purchase gift cards or offer any other cash donations. In any event, please feel free to call the parish rectory to confirm any and all solicitation before contributing. We have contacted the local authorities to make them aware.



**FINANCE**  
Parish Finance Council

## FINANCE COUNCIL CORNER

The 2023 Annual Appeal has launched. As you consider your gift amount, please remember the funds you give assist the mission of our parish as well as the archdiocese.

Will you prayerfully consider making a gift to the 2023 Annual Appeal today?

**Please consider supporting  
Saint James through:**



Saint James has partnered with Amazon Smile! Please remember that while you shop and consider using [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com). The Amazon Smile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases to our church. It's no additional cost to you! Choose Saint James the Apostle via this link: [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) and start shopping or scan the QR code below with the camera on your mobile device. Thank you for your support!



## OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY:

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Deacon Jerry Bongiovanni  
*Please call the rectory to reach Dcn. Jerry*

### **PERMANENT DEACON**

Deacon Hugh A. Keffer  
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### **WEEKEND ASSISTANT**

Father John Dennehy

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