



SAINT JAMES THE APOSTLE

Roman Catholic Church

THE
Kingdom of God
IS AT HAND.

MARK 1:15



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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT | FEBRUARY 18, 2024
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YOU ARE Welcome Here

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Office Hours:

(Closed 12-1PM for Lunch)

Mon-Tue 8:30AM-3PM

Wed 8:30AM-7PM

Thu-Fri 8:30AM-3PM

Church Visiting Hours:

Mon-Fri: 8AM-2:30PM

Sat: 9AM-1PM

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday, February 24:

5:00PM - Fr. Dennehy

Sunday, February 25:

8:00AM - Fr. Santos

10:00AM - Fr. Paladino

12:00PM - Fr. Dennehy

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 at
7PM

Second Saturdays at 3PM

PASTOR'S COLUMN



REFLECTION ON THE READINGS

Today's prayers and readings have a lot to say to us as we begin this Lenten season. For example, the Opening Prayer (Collect) that the priest offers before we hear the readings has us praying:

*Grant, almighty God, through the yearly observance of holy Lent, that we may grow in **understanding** of the riches hidden in Christ and by worthy conduct pursue their effects.*

As a worshipping community, in our Opening Prayer, we ask to grow in understanding. Now...who can't use an increase in *understanding*?

I truly believe, that at some level, each of us desires to understand God more; we want to understand to a greater extent who God is and what God is doing in our lives and in the world.

There is something about our human nature that longs to understand – to comprehend the mysteries of God. I would even venture to say that a lot of what we pray for has, in some way or another, to do with “**understanding**.”

Lord, help me to understand myself.

Lord, help me to understand my spouse.

Lord, help me to understand my illness.

Lord, help me to understand why this happened or that happened...

And the difficulty comes when no response is heard.

When our prayers seem to go unheard and unanswered.

The crippling effect of which can lead us to **doubt**.

Well, what do we do then?

I think that in today's Gospel, Jesus shows us “the way” in the journey he personally makes into the desert.

- Though Satan tempted Jesus, **it was the Spirit who was guiding Jesus into this experience.**

Friends, today we are reminded that Lent is a journey into the “desert” for each of us. The desert is an uncertain and uncomfortable place because it's a place of **vulnerability**...and with **vulnerability** comes **doubt**. And with **doubt** – especially when it comes to the questions of God – things can get **confusing** and **frustrating**.

Friends, just as courage is persisting in the face of fear, so **faith is persisting in the presence of doubt**.

You see, Faith becomes a **commitment**, a **practice** and a **pact** that is sustained by belief. When it comes to faith, doubt is not just agitation or a vulnerability, it's not even a **weakness**; **doubt can be a strength**.



Fr. David C. Santos, Pastor

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

This is the reason for our hope: that God never tires of waiting for us. When we turn away, he comes looking for us; when we fall, he lifts us to our feet; when we return to him after losing our way, he waits for us with open arms.

—Pope Francis



SUNDAY READINGS

FIRST READING

Genesis 9:8-15

"See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you: all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals that were with you and came out of the ark. I will establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed by the waters of a flood; there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 25

Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

SECOND READING

1 Peter 3:18-22

Beloved: Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit.

GOSPEL

Mark 1:12-15

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

Full Mass readings can be accessed at usccb.org

SAINT JAMES MINISTRIES



Family Faith Formation

Confirmation preparation **Year 1** and **Year 2** groups – Our next session will be all together on **Tuesday, February 20th at 7PM in the Church**. Fr. David will be our presenter and he will be walking us through every step of the Mass. We know the Mass is very important and is the center of our Faith. We know we must go to Mass on Sundays and that we have the opportunity to go on a daily basis. We know the responses, when we stand, when we kneel, but do we know what it all means? Fr. David will help us better understand what happens at each step of the Mass so that we can live it more fully and appreciate it even more than we already do. **Each candidate must attend with at least one of your parents.**

Our next Family Faith session will be held on **Saturday, February 24th at 3PM in the Church** for all families (there will only be one session). It will be a walkthrough the Mass taught by Fr. David Santos. For those families with children in the Family Faith Formation program and the Confirmation process, since all the Confirmation candidates must attend their walkthrough of the Mass on **Tuesday, February 20th at 7PM in the Church**, please plan to attend the Tuesday session instead. This way you will be able to experience the session with all your children at the same time instead of having to come to two sessions.

Anyone who is not able to attend the Saturday session at 3PM, please plan to attend the Tuesday session at 7PM, and vice versa. There will be a QR code to sign in on both days, so that attendance can be taken that way.

Confirmation Candidates, As stated in my email about Lent activities, next weekend there is a need for candidates to help at the **Fish Fry on Friday, February 23 from 5:45PM to 7:45PM** (which would count as a parish event in which you participate). Also, on **Saturday, February 24 at 5:15PM and Sunday, February 25 at 10:15AM and 12:15PM**, there is a need for volunteers to help bring the food collected before each Mass for Family Promise from the Church to the School and help sort through them (this would count as part of your "volunteer hours" and would probably take no more than 30 minutes). If interested in any of these, please email me so that I can give your names to the people in charge of the events.

Ana Serra-Prescott, Director of Family Faith Formation
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St. James Prayer-Line Ministry

Members of this ministry pray for people who are ill, in the hospital, undergoing surgery, or who have been in an accident, are grieving the loss of a loved one, or "Special Intention".

If you know of someone in need of prayers, or if you would like to become a member of this ministry, please contact Maureen Bernor by e-mail: Prayer-LineMinistry@saintjamesparish.org

RESERVE YOUR MEAL TODAY



THE PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE



**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 AT 6:00 PM
SAINT JAMES SCHOOL GYM**

Cooked on premises by The Chippery of Union. Cost is \$25 per person and includes 2 pieces of cod, chips, cole slaw, bottled water, and dessert.

BYO beverage (bottled water available).

Please RSVP with payment

• *Take Out Dinners available* •

Use the QR code or send payment to the rectory. Make checks payable to Saint James the Apostle Parish with memo: 'Fish Fry.'



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
CONTINUED GENEROSITY**



RESPECT LIFE

Office of the Archdiocese of Newark
171 Clifton Avenue • PO Box 9500 • Newark, New Jersey 07104

February 5, 2024

St. James Church
Attn: Jill Vecchione
45 South Springfield Avenue
Springfield, NJ 07081

Dear Jill & Parishioners,

The Archdiocese of Newark Respect Life Office has gratefully received a generous donation of Christmas gifts for Mercy House.

Thank you for your donation. Your gifts enabled many struggling families to enjoy a brighter Christmas season this year.

Since 2018, with the opening of our first Mercy House in the South Ward of Newark, our ministry has grown and continues to grow with the addition of Mercy Houses now open in Elizabeth and Jersey City. Your donations are part of our success in helping those who are underprivileged and living within our surrounding communities.

May God bless you as well as the staff and parishioners of St. James Church in Springfield for your contribution to Mercy House.

In Peace,

Cheryl A. Riley

Join Us For



Stations of the Cross

Fridays at 7:00pm during Lent

SIGN UP FOR HALLOW TODAY

HE LEADETH ME

LENT

Dive deeper into prayer
this Lent with **Hallow**

*"I have prayed for a guide during Lent and
I have found it! Thank you Hallow!"*

Daily Prayers
Start your day with the Daily Gospel, Rosary, Examen, or one of over 10,000 sessions, including daily meditations, homilies, reflections, and Bible studies.

Family Content & Kids Challenge
Pray as a family with weekly Mass Prep, and guide your little ones through the season with our kid's challenge.

Bible Stories & Sleep Content
Close your day with Christ with an Examen, Night Prayer, or a Rosary with guests like Bishop Barron, Mark Wahlberg, and Jonathan Roumie.

Your parish has gifted you
Hallow access through Easter!
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2024 LENTEN REGULATIONS

1. The days of both Fast and Abstinence during Lent are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily His Resurrection. The other Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence.

On a day of Fast, only one (1) full meal is permitted, and two (2) smaller meals, which, if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity.

Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast.

On a day of Abstinence, no meat may be eaten. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged by the law of abstinence.

2. The obligation to observe the laws of Fast and Abstinence "substantially", or as a whole, is a serious obligation.
3. The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.
4. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty*) extends from the **First Sunday of Lent, February 18 to The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, May 26, 2024.**

**Canon 920, §1. All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year.*

How can parishioners sign up?

- Start on the Registration Page:
hallow.com/holyday
- Type in the name or address of your parish
- Follow the instructions on the screen
- Download the Hallow app from the app store
- Log in with the same email address and password you used to create your account on the registration page (do not click Google/Apple/Phone!!)



SIGN UP FOR A RETREAT!



WOMEN'S AFTERNOON RETREAT

Beloved

GUIDED BY LOVE ON EVERY
STEP OF OUR LIVES

How has our image of God changed since we were children? Has our relationship with God remained the same or developed as we have matured? The Lenten season is the perfect time to reflect and renew our prayer life. This presentation will focus on what it means to be beloved, and how to deepen our relationship with God.

Our afternoon retreat will include: presentation, prayer, time for questions.

SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2024

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

SAINT JAMES THE APOSTLE CHURCH

45 SOUTH SPRINGFIELD AVE., SPRINGFIELD, NJ



Register online using the QR code or go to
saintjamestheapostle.org/womens-retreat-2024.



Presenter
Dr. Kathleen Detlet

Kathleen Detlet, D.Min. is a certified spiritual director and graduate of the An Croi' Spiritual Guidance Program, receiving a diploma in Spiritual Guidance from the Jesuit Milltown Institute in Ireland. Kathy has taught on all levels of education and now enjoys offering retreats, days of prayer and journeying with others as a spiritual guide. She holds a Masters in Liberal Studies from Wesleyan University, a Masters in Education from Seton Hall University, and a Doctorate in Ministry from Drew University. Dr. Detlet is Co-Director of the Lumen Center, sponsored by the Caldwell Dominicans, and is on the Sacred Thread Ministries Retreat Team founded by Fr. Peter J. Krebs, S.T., Ph.D.

If you have any questions, contact
Nancy Caputo at 973-376-2061

MEN'S CORNERSTONE RETREAT

CALLED TO SERVE

FRI. MARCH 8TH AT 6PM - SAT. MARCH 9TH AT 8PM

Scan the QR Code
to Register



CELEBRATE LENT & EASTER AT SAINT JAMES



EVENTS

Lenten Fish Fry Dinner School Gymnasium

Friday, February 23
6:00PM
Take Out Available

Women's Retreat

Saturday, March 2
1:00PM - 4:00PM

Feast of Saint Joseph Prayer Service & St. Joseph's Table

Tuesday, March 19
7:00PM Mass

Lenten Individual Confessions

Wednesday, March 20
7:00PM
Every Saturday, 4:00PM



Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

Saturday, March 23
9:00AM - 12:00PM

*Join us for breakfast with the Easter Bunny.
We have games, crafts, and face painting.*



LENTEN SCHEDULE

Anointing of the Sick Mass

Saturday, March 2 • 12:00PM

Parish Mission Radical Love

Presenters: Fr. David Santos & Fr. John Paladino
March 4, 5, & 6 • 7:00PM

Lenten Holy Hour

Wednesdays • 7:00PM
Except March 6th

Stations of the Cross

Fridays • 7:00PM

Holy Rosary & Novena

Mondays • 6:30PM
Except March 4th



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2024

All events take place in the Church except where noted

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

MARCH 23
Saturday 5:00PM

MARCH 24
8:00AM, 10:00AM & 12:00PM

*All masses will begin in the Narthex of the
Church for Blessing of Palms*

DAILY MASS

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday - 7:30AM

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

MARCH 25
Chrim Mass 8:00PM at the Cathedral Basilica of
the Sacred Heart in Newark

EASTER TRIDUUM

HOLY THURSDAY

MARCH 28
Morning Prayer - 9:00AM
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30PM
Night Prayer at the Repository - 10:00PM

GOOD FRIDAY

MARCH 29
Morning Prayer - 9:00AM
Children's Stations of the Cross - 10:00AM
The Lord's Passion - 3:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY

MARCH 30
Blessing of Easter Food - 10:00AM
No Reconciliation and No 5:00PM Mass



EASTER VIGIL

MARCH 30, 7:30PM
This special vigil Mass begins in front of the Church
with the blessing of the New Paschal Candle and Fire

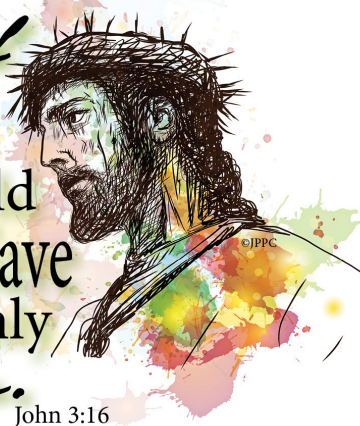
EASTER SUNDAY

MARCH 31
8:00AM, 10:00AM & 12:00PM

 Livestream

For *God*
So Loved
The World
That He Gave
His Only
Son.

John 3:16



ROSARY AND NOVENA

Every Monday at 7:00 PM



Join St. James parishioners on Monday nights as we pray the Rosary and the Miraculous Medal Novena.

7-7:20 in the Church.

If you are unable to join us in person, the Rosary and Novena are livestreamed on the parish Facebook page.

O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you.

MOTHER SETON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL THE FUTURE IS HERS

**March Enrichment Saturdays
for 6th, 7th & 8th grade girls**

March 9th, 16th, and 23rd

\$40 per session

Session I: 8:45am - 10:15am

Session II: 10:30am-12:00pm

Choose from:

Engineering, Culinary Arts,
Fashion Design, Volleyball,
Creative Writing and Multimedia Art

Register online:
[www.motherseton.org/apps/
forms2/?f=42725](http://www.motherseton.org/apps/forms2/?f=42725)

St. Bartholomew Academy HSA Presents

**SBA 5K RUN & WALK
Saturday, March 23, 2024**

8:00am - 11:00am

Oak Ridge Park
136 Oak Ridge Road, Clark, NJ

Early Bird (Before 3/1/2024):
\$30 Adult/\$20 under 18 years

After 3/1/2024:
\$35 Adult/\$25 under 18 years

Online registration required:
www.raceforum.com/sba

SACRAMENTS



BAPTISM

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

RECONCILIATION

4:00PM on Saturdays or by appointment.

VOCATIONS

Thinking Priesthood? Are you being called? Visit the Archdiocese of Newark Office of Priestly Vocations.
Call: 973-313-6190. Email: info@newarkpriest.com.
Social media: @NewarkPriest. Web: 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 call
(973) 376-2061*

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.

MASS INTENTIONS, PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

5:00pm **Alex Melleno**
r/b Children
Kathleen Telesca
r/b Ralph & Chris DeCicco

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

First Sunday of Lent

8:00am **Kathleen Telesca**
r/b Botte Family
Pat Morris
r/b Dennis McNany
10:00am **Donna Madrigal**
r/b Hyman Family
Hansi DeLank LaValle
r/b Al Pavoni
12:00pm **Janet Skinner**
r/b Rossomando Family
John & Bertha Misdorn
r/b Lesniewski Family

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Presidents' Day

8:30am **Aurora & Ceferino Gozo**
r/b Ave Gozo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

7:30am **Matthew Klein**
r/b Lisa, mom

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

7:30am **Dorothy & Edward Conway**
r/b Elaine Conway

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle

7:30am **Maria Zotti**
r/b Grandchildren

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23

7:30am **Michael A. Abidelli**
r/b Dina Mastrini

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

8:30am **James Carney**
r/b Marc Ginsberg
5:00pm **Anthony Graziano**
r/b Family
John Walsh
r/b Bob & Linda Donnelly

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Second Sunday of Lent

8:00am **Mary & Vincent Inneo**
r/b Inneo Family
Pat Morris
r/b Carmen Lombardi
10:00am **John Collins**
r/b Roethlin Family
Teresa Bianchini
r/b Maria Bruno
12:00pm **Janet Skinner**
r/b Walsh Family
Daniel & Angela Raimondo
r/b Evelyn Raimondo Kaiser &
Marianne Van Volkenburgh



SANCTUARY LAMP:

Lawrence Kaufherr
r/b Lisa, Wife

BREAD & WINE:

John Mannarino
r/b The Mannarino Family

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

A TIME TO BAPTIZE

Victoria Cuadra

A TIME TO HEAL

Pat Anelli, Jackie Belitti, Anita C. Bentz, Barbara Bentz, Severina Bion, Deacon Jerome Bongiovanni, Victoria Burns, Gerry Campagnola, Enid Cabot, Dolores Cardillo, Thara Chandran, Lena Chromowski, Phyllis Colosimo, Celine Correia, James Curry, Diane Deitz, Jean DePasquale, Carmela DeSarno, Robert Devon, Jr., Marguerite Duchantier, Victoria Egner, Luca Favia, Alfredo Fernandes, Berta Franco, Ann Graziano, Carole Griner, Steven Hensle, 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, John Mannarino, 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., Erin Pado, John Reiss, Ben Rumer, Anthony S., Richard Salort, Alice Serrao, Jack Silbert, Ray Slater, Stephanie Toth, Tracy Tuten, Anne Wallis, Elisa Warshall

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 homebound 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 DIE

Leo Donohue

A TIME OF WAR AND PEACE

Tim Arentz, Lance Corporal Kevin Bernor, Brian Braine, Sean Curran, Maj. Sean P. Eadie, Stacy Enyeart, David Fenton, Shane Fenton, Luis Fonseca, LCPL Christopher P. Garrigan, 2LT Christopher W. Impellizzeri, Capt. Brian Jacobs, LCPL Kyle Thomas Lynaugh, Stephen Patricco, Aric Patten, Phillip Patten, Aaron Pluto, 1LT John Rogacki, Capt. Stacia Rogacki, Capt. Stephen Rogacki, 2LT Raymond Williamson



Lord, Hear Our Prayer

REMEMBER THE PARISH IN YOUR WILL.



Most adults do not have a legal will. Write your will today by visiting MyCatholicWill.com.

This Lent, protect those you love most in under 15-minutes through the online, easy-to-use form.

Leave a legacy of faith by including the parish in your will.

www.MyCatholicWill.com
Use code: **PARISH20** to save 20%



Have you signed up for our Flocknote yet? As part of our effort to communicate more effectively with you, we have launched an e-newsletter through a platform called Flocknote. The newsletter will contain parish news, event updates, and much more. Here's how you can sign up:

- Text **NEWSLETTER** to **84576**
- Visit saintjamestheapostle.flocknote.com

If you signed up but haven't received emails or found the newsletter in your spam folder, be sure to add mail@flocknote.com to your email contacts list and/or choose the option "Mark as Not Spam," or similar when you open the email.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Collection Totals Weekend of February 10 & 11

Regular Collection:	\$	7,097.00
Online Giving:	\$	4,038.00
Total:	\$	11,135.00

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 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

Did you know?... Lent is so much more than what you "give up." During this Lenten Season, think of what you can give not just what you can give up.

The 2024 Annual Appeal is in full swing. As you consider your gift amount, please remember the funds you give support essential ministries and programs within our Archdiocese and assist the mission of our parish. And... If we exceed our 2024 Annual Appeal stretch goal the parish will be eligible for a rebate and assessment rate reduction. Pledges made by June 30th that exceed the stretch goal will be eligible for a rebate. And, if we meet or exceed our stretch goal in funds collected by June 30th the parish will be eligible for a 2% assessment rate reduction.

Will you help St. James reach our parish goal with a gift to the 2024 Annual Appeal today?

*Remember...
Nothing great is ever achieved without much enduring.
– St. Catherine of Siena*

ST. JAMES BOUTIQUE

Be sure to visit the online boutique for Saint James the Apostle Parish commemorative apparel and items. We have hoodies, quarter-zips, polos, and more!

Scan the QR code to check out all of our merchandise!



OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY:

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