



SAINT JAMES THE APOSTLE

Roman Catholic Church

I was blind and *now I see.*

JOHN 9:25



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT | MARCH 15, 2026
www.saintjamesparish.org

YOU ARE Welcome Here

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

Office Hours:

(Closed 12PM-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, March 21:

5:00PM - Fr. Santos

Sunday, March 22:

8:00AM - Fr. Dennehy

10:00AM - Fr. Paladino

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 6:30PM
in the Church and on
Facebook Live

Eucharistic Adoration*:
Wednesday Holy Hour
at 7PM (Third Wednesday
of each month will have live
music.)

Second Saturdays at 3PM

*The First Rosary and
Wednesday Adoration of
the month are for Priestly
and Religious Vocations

PASTOR'S COLUMN

REFLECTION ON THE READINGS



Coach Lou Little once told the story of a young player who rarely made it onto the field. After the boy's father died, he asked to start in a big game—"It's what my father would have wanted." The coach agreed to let him play a few snaps, but the young man played like a star for the entire game. When the coach asked what inspired him, the boy replied, "My father was blind. Today was the first time he ever saw me play."

This Sunday's Gospel reminds us that there is more than one kind of blindness. The man born blind receives physical sight—and his spiritual sight grows as he recognizes Jesus. Meanwhile, the Pharisees, who see just fine, remain **spiritually blind because they refuse to let God's light in.**

Jesus also corrects the belief that suffering is some kind of punishment from God. **Hardship isn't proof of God's anger; rather, God stays close to us, even when we feel lost or in the dark.** Often only later do we realize He was never more than a few steps away.

Spiritual blindness happens when we refuse forgiveness, ignore someone's suffering, or avoid the parts of our lives that need conversion. But Christ desires to heal that blindness too. He wants us to see ourselves, others, and our world as God sees them.

Friends, as we continue through Lent, may we allow the Lord to open our eyes—so we may walk more confidently in His light.

Blessings on your Lenten journey,

Rev. David C. Santos, Pastor

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Start being brave about everything, driving out darkness and spreading light as well. Don't look at your weakness but realize that in Christ crucified you can do everything.

— Saint Catherine of Siena

pray **LENT** give
fast

St. James
Vocations Ministry
Pray + Talk + Encourage

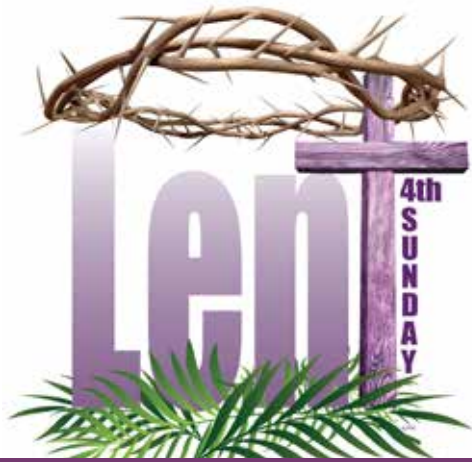
Got a Minute
to Pray For Vocations?

I have 1 minute → Pray a Hail Mary!

I have 20 minutes → Pray a Rosary!

I have 60 minutes → Pray a Holy Hour!

Discerning your vocation? We'll walk with you!
Email vocationsministry@saintjamesparish.org.



SUNDAY READINGS

FIRST READING

1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a

The LORD said,
“There—anoint him, for this is the one!”
Then Samuel, with the horn of oil in hand,
anointed David in the presence of his
brothers; and from that day on, the spirit of
the LORD rushed upon David.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing
I shall want.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 5:8-14

Brothers and sisters:
You were once darkness, but now you are
light in the Lord. Live as children of light,
for light produces every kind of goodness
and righteousness and truth.

GOSPEL

John 9:1-41 OR

John 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

When Jesus heard that they had thrown him
out, he found him and said, “Do you believe
in the Son of Man?” He answered and said,
“Who is he, sir, that I may believe in him?”
Jesus said to him, “You have seen him, and
the one speaking with you is he.”
He said, “I do believe, Lord,” and he
worshiped him.

Full Mass readings can be accessed at usccb.org



FAMILY FAITH 2025-2026

We hope everyone enjoyed the session we had last Sunday to make up for our February session that was cancelled due to snow.

Our **next Family Faith session** is next
Sunday, March 22.

We will be learning about the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

We can't wait to have all the families
together again next Sunday!!

This **Saturday**, the 44 children preparing to receive the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist for the first time this May, gathered together for their **Eucharistic Retreat.**

We ask that you please keep them and
their families in your prayers.
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Our Confirmation preparation groups
will be meeting on:

Confirmation Year 1 group – this Tuesday,
March 17th (St. Patrick's Day) from 7PM to 8:30PM in
Church. (Don't forget to complete the reflection
on Season 1, Episodes 6 & 7 of The Chosen
prior to the session.)

Confirmation Year 2 group – Tuesday,
March 24th from 7PM to 8:30PM in Church.
(Don't forget to complete the reflection on Season 2,
Episode 6 of The Chosen prior to the session.)
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2026 Theme



This July, we are once again organizing a trip to the
Steubenville Youth Conference at
Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio.

When: July 10 – 12, 2026

All high school students including graduating
8th graders and graduating 12th grades are able and
invited to attend. Feel free to invite your friends.

It is a high energy youth conference where teens are
invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic
speakers, engaging music, the sacraments, small group
discussions and fellowship with other teens from all
over the United States and Canada.

It is a life changing experience!!

If interested or need more information,
please reach out to Mrs. Prescott.

If you already know you want to attend,
please use the QR code to register and
save your spot.



Ana Serra-Prescott | Family Faith Formation Office
(973) 376-2061 | aprescott@saintjamesparish.org

HOLY WHYS: DEACON HUGH REPLIES



Dear Deacon Hugh:

Why is Christmas on the same day each year, but the date for Easter keeps changing?

Tom
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Dear Tom:

Great question especially for people who like science. The two great dates for Christianity are Christmas and Easter, but they are tracked using different calendars. Christmas is tracked using a solar calendar. Easter is tracked using a lunar calendar. Technically, then, each holiday is on the same "day" each year. Christmas is on the 25th day of December or 4 days after the winter solstice.

Since the Council of Nicaea (325 AD) Easter is observed on the Sunday after the first full moon (the Paschal Full Moon) occurring on or after the vernal equinox. For example, the 2026 vernal equinox is on March 20. The first Sunday after this (Easter) is April 5, 2026. Easter, then, appears to shift only if you look at the solar calendar.

Thank you for your question.
Deacon Hugh

If you have a question you would like to ask, please email Deacon Hugh at hkeffer@saintjamesparish.org.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are **raising funds** to support our group of young teenagers who want to attend this summer's Steubenville Youth Conference.

We hope that many young people will be able to join this life-changing experience and these funds we raise will ensure that the cost will not be a barrier for any teen wanting to participate.

Please prayerfully consider supporting our teens who want to take part in this amazing opportunity to grow in their faith by hearing from engaging and inspiring Catholic speakers, attending the sacraments, and building friendships with other teens who like them are excited about their faith.

No donation is too small.

Donations will go directly towards this trip. If interested in donating, please use the QR code below or contact

Mrs. Serra-Prescott. If using the QR code, you will be able to select for your donation to go to sponsor a specific participant or to the general cost, which will first help any teen in need of financial assistance to attend and then pay for any other expenses to make the trip happen.

Thank you for your generosity and for your prayers for our teens!

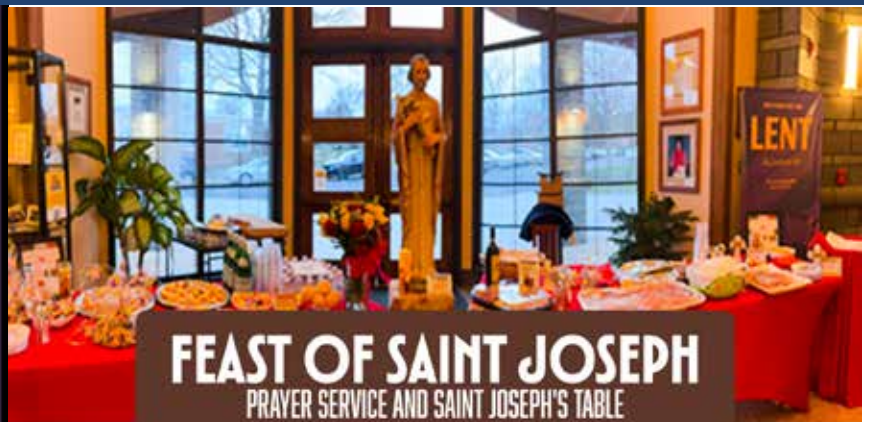
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NEXT WEEK AT SAINT JAMES!

LENTEN
PRAYER SERVICE WITH
INDIVIDUAL
CONFESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18
7:00 P.M.



FEAST OF SAINT JOSEPH
PRAYER SERVICE AND SAINT JOSEPH'S TABLE

MARCH 19, THURSDAY, 7:00PM

MORE HAPPENING AT SAINT JAMES!



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

EVERY FRIDAY OF LENT
6:30 PM

LED BY THE DEACONS AND PARISH MINISTRIES

WEEKLY MINISTRY LEADERS:

- FEBRUARY 20 : Marian Devotion & Baptism Prep
- FEBRUARY 27 : Bereavement Ministries
- MARCH 6 : Catechists & Parish Youth
- MARCH 13 : Saint James Lectors
- MARCH 20 : Men's Ministry & Marriage Prep
- MARCH 27 : Saint James Choir

MARCH 6:

Pizza will be served in the Narthex after Stations.

MARCH 13: Fish Fry Takeout

Sign up required and pick up starts at 6:00PM.

Every Friday, we will collect **diapers** and **wipes** as part of a parish Lenten almsgiving activity. Please drop off donations in the Narthex.



Breakfast with the EASTER BUNNY

Continental Breakfast & Fun Activities

Saturday March 21
10am - 12pm

Springfield-Hillside Elks
80 Springfield Avenue, Springfield NJ



\$15 per person.

Children under 3 are free.

Children must be accompanied by an adult

Reserve your seat by March 14
Scan the QR code to register and pay online

ENCORE BOOK DISCUSSION

"The Forgotten Way" by Matthew Kelly

Great book for Lent!

**Monday, March 23
at 7PM in the Church**
(Following the Rosary)



If you didn't receive a book at Christmas, you can find it on the Dynamic Catholic Website or the Kindle version on Amazon. You can also just come for a good conversation about this off-ignored passage from the book of Saint James.

Hosted by the Adult Faith Formation Team

Saint James the Apostle Church

MEN'S MINISTRY

invites all men to a

MINI TWO SESSION LENTEN REFLECTION

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

Immediately after the Stations of the Cross from 7:30^{PM} to 9:00^{PM}

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

9:00^{AM} - 10:30^{AM}

Both sessions will be centered around a discussion of "The Forgotten Way" booklet. Copies will be made available after masses on the weekend of March 20.

Light refreshments will be provided in the church narthex following each session.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

MEN'S Ministry



The men of the Parish are invited to gather for hospitality and discussion of the Sunday gospel readings.

This is a great opportunity for men to grow in their faith, meet new folks, and share their experiences of their faith journey.

The next meeting will take place

Saturday, March 21 at 9am

(after 8:30am Mass)

in the lower conference room in the Rectory.

You are encouraged to attend the Mass, but it is not required.

If you are interested, please email John Prescott at

MensMinistry@saintjamesparish.org



Bereavement Support Group

Thursday nights 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

April 9, 16, 27, and 30

May 7 and 14

Meetings will be in the parish rectory at
45 South Springfield Avenue, Springfield

Participation is FREE but registration is required. Please email Bereavement@saintjamesparish.org or contact the parish office at (973) 376-3044.

Let us be your companions for the journey.
Our goal is to provide a process for healing within a safe and supportive environment.



Women, Wine, & Wisdom SPRING GATHERING

Join us for an evening of faith and fellowship featuring a talk and music from the **Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal**

Friday, April
17 at 7PM
Church &
Narthex

Sweet & Savory Snacks,
Wine, Soft Drinks

Please sign-up on Flocknote
and send questions to:
adultfaith@saintjamesparish.org



In imitation of St. Francis of Assisi, the Sisters seek to follow in the footsteps of Jesus, as a prophetic witness that life is a pilgrimage to the Father of faith, hope, and love of God and neighbor.



Sip & Supper

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2026 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**



272 MORRIS AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY

\$100 PER PERSON (ALL INCLUSIVE)



RSVP BY
APRIL 3

Reserve your seat today! Scan the QR code to purchase it online. We have a limited availability of tickets, so please make sure to get yours soon! If you have any questions, please send an email to ParishLife@saintjamesparish.org



All proceeds to benefit Saint James the Apostle Church

ST. JAMES LENTEN EVENTS & SCHEDULE



EVENTS

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

Thursday, March 19
7:00PM Prayer Service



Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

Saturday, March 21
Elks Springfield/Hillside Lodge
10:00AM - 12:00PM

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

Parish Family Day of Service

Saturday, March 28, 9:00AM - 12:00PM
Individual Confessions in Church
10:00AM - 4:00PM



LENTEN SCHEDULE

Penance Prayer Service with Individual Confessions

Wednesday, March 18 • 7:00PM

Lenten Holy Hour

Wednesdays • 7:00PM
Except February 18 & March 18

Stations of the Cross

Fridays • 6:30PM
Except April 3

Holy Rosary & Novena

Mondays • 6:30PM

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

AARP Smart Driver Course hosted by Knights of Columbus

SAFER DRIVING MAY SAVE YOU MONEY

Take the AARP Smart Driver™ classroom course and you could save money on your car insurance!*

- Refresh your driving skills and knowledge of the rules of the road.
- Learn techniques for handling left turns, right-of-way and roundabouts.
- Discover proven driving methods to help keep you and your loved ones safe on the road.

JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOR A 2-DAY SMART DRIVER COURSE AT ST. ROSE

DATES & TIMES

2-DAY COURSE (Both days are required)

Tues March 24 10 AM - 1 PM
Wed March 25 10 AM - 1 PM

REGISTER NOW

Call Vince Nascone to register:
(973) 544-5270

LOCATION

St. Rose of Lima Church
Ryan Hall
50 Short Hills Avenue
Short Hills, NJ



**Knights of
Columbus**
St. Rose of Lima Council #6386

COST

\$20 for AARP members
\$25 for non-members

TO FIND ADDITIONAL COURSES

Visit aarp.org/driving36
or call 1-888-773-7160

*Upon completion, you may be eligible to receive an auto insurance discount. Other restrictions may apply. Consult your agent for details.



P R E P A R E

for the Death of Our Lord Jesus!



From the birthplace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Christian community is seeking your love and support through obtaining their handmade olive wood religious articles. These items will be displayed at the church after all masses the weekend of March 21st and 22nd. Your help can and will make a difference in the lives of your brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

GOD CHOSE YOU FOR ME

A life-changing experience for married couples.

WHY ATTEND?

- Rediscover your desire. Build a daily prayer life as a couple. Deepen your love.
- A NEW WAY TO PRAY**
Prayer will become a daily expression of love between you and your spouse - a way to invite God deeper into your relationship.
- A NEW WAY TO CONNECT**
Share, listen, and reflect together to deepen your emotional and spiritual connection.
- A NEW WAY TO ENCOUNTER GOD'S LOVE**
By seeing your marriage through the lens of faith, you will discover how your love reveals the presence of Christ in your everyday life.

Don't miss this transformative experience!

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2026
St. Mary Church
Parish Hall
17 Monsignor Owens Pl.
Nutley, NJ 07110
9:30 AM to 6 PM
(ends with Mass at 5 PM)
\$75 per couple
(includes light morning refreshments, catered lunch, workbooks, and all supplies.)
Registration Deadline:
March 14, 2026

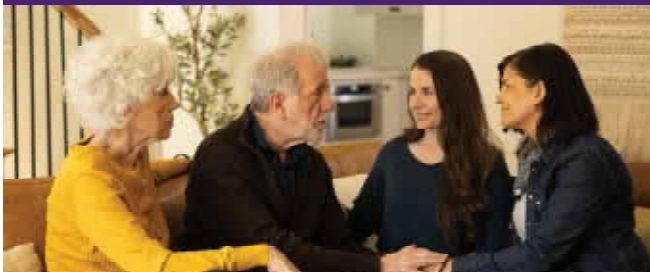
CLICK HERE OR SCAN THE QR CODE FOR DETAILS AND REGISTER TODAY!



MORE AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

THE EMPOWERED CAREGIVER SERIES BUILDING FOUNDATIONS OF CAREGIVING

An education program presented by the Alzheimer's Association®



Caring for someone living with dementia brings a unique set of challenges and rewards. With the right help and support, you can empower yourself to provide quality care while managing your own well-being.

Topics in the program include:

- » The role of a caregiver and changes you may experience.
- » Using a person-centered care approach.
- » Building a support team.
- » Managing caregiver stress.

Hosted by



Monday, March 30
12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Church of the Little Flower
290 Plainfield Ave
Berkeley Heights, NJ 07922
To register, call 800.272.3900
or visit
<https://action.alz.org/mtg/733740006>

This Lunch and Learn will take place inside the Parish Center of the Church.

Visit alz.org/CRF to explore additional caregiver education programs in your area.

 ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION
Greater New Jersey Chapter

2792460

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 about the priesthood? Are you being called? Reach out to Father Patrick Seo and the Office of Priestly Vocations for the Archdiocese of Newark! Visit www.NewarkPriest.com, email NewarkPriest@rcan.org, follow @NewarkPriest on social media, or call (973) 313-6190.

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 & OCIA

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) 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. Please call the Rectory for information concerning the OCIA process.



2026 Retreat Dates

April 10-12, 2026
September 25-27, 2026

For more details, contact Cheryl Riley, Director of the Respect Life Office by phone at 201-912-3272 or email at Cheryl.riley@rcan.org

Hope... Healing... Forgiveness

MASS INTENTIONS, PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

5:00pm **Claire G. Butler**
r/b Mark and Claire Bernstein
Florence Impellizzeri
r/b Theresa and Michael Quick

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00am **Jane White**
r/b Family
For the People of Saint James

10:00am **Joseph Fusco**
r/b Carmela Fusco
Nico Lombardi
r/b Ramiro Martinez and Family

12:00pm **Gerardo Di Leo**
r/b Marie Clark
Bob Goergen
r/b Marianne Conte

MONDAY, MARCH 16

7:30am **Catherine Scheider**
r/b Angela Ragonese

TUESDAY, MARCH 17

7:30am **Deceased Members of the
Sullivan Family**
r/b Pat Sullivan

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

7:30am **Giuseppe Mazzacuva**
r/b Angela and Pasquale
Mazzacuva

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

Saint Joseph
7:30am **Jose Garcia**
r/b Ramiro, Connie, and Family

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

7:30am **Maria Martinez**
r/b Ramiro, Connie, and Family

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

8:30am **Vincent Policarpio**
r/b Rita Policarpio
5:00pm **Karen Sanders**
r/b Barbara Dlugosz
Herbert Mason
r/b Lago Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00am **For the People of Saint James**

10:00am **Matthew Noah Bernstein**
r/b Mark and Claire Bernstein
Elba Circelli
r/b Carmela Fusco

12:00pm **Samuel Furner**
r/b Barbara Jean Delnero
Antonio Soares
r/b Family

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Phyllis Soto
r/b Anne and Tony Mannarino

BREAD & WINE:

Phyllis Soto
r/b Anne and Tony Mannarino



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

A TIME TO HEAL

Pat Anelli, Barbara Bentz, Severina Bion, Gerry Campagnola, Enid Cabot, Thara Chandran, Lena Chromowski, Phyllis Colosimo, Celine Correia, Joseph Covino, Marie Crosby, James Curry, M.D., Ronald D'Angelo, Diane Deitz, Jean DePasquale, Carmela DeSarno, Robert Devon, Jr., Marguerite Duchantier, Victoria Egner, Luca Favia, Alfredo Fernandes, Alberto Fernandez, Berta Franco, Steven Hensle, Laura Hughes, Eddie Jenna, Kevin Keating, Dana Kelley, Art Kistler, Dina Ledogar, Lucille Lerner, Andy Lindgren, Angelina Lipski, Menotti Joseph Lombardi, Jr., Marian Lordi, Richard Lorenzo, Barbara Ludolph, Erica Luther, Toni Ann Marabello, Maria Martino Fender, Angie Mazzarisi, Thomas McGarvey, Stan Mickham, Richard Miele, Lucy Miller, Andres Montero, Timothy Morgan, Martin Muguerza, Ive Mureny, Christian Murphy, Carol Muzacs, Michael Neer, Mary O'Connor, Anna P., Jonathan Rheinhardt, Ben Rumer, Anthony S., Alice Serrao, Jack Silbert, Joseph Sioenza, Ray Slater, Phyllis Soto, 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 OF WAR AND PEACE

Tim Arentz, Lance Corporal Kevin Bernor, Brian Braine, First Lt. Jonathan Canny, 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



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

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.



Keep up-to-date with parish news, event updates, and more!

Text **NEWSLETTER** to **84576 OR**
Sign up on the website: saintjamestheapostle.flocknote.com

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Collection Totals

Weekend of March 7 & 8:

Regular Collection:	\$ 6,019.00
Online Giving:	\$ 4,692.00
Total:	\$ 10,711.00

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!

REPORT FINANCIAL MISCONDUCT CONFIDENTIALLY: If you suspect financial misconduct, use **EthicsPoint**, an independent and confidential reporting tool that helps the Archdiocesan community address issues while promoting positive parish, school and workplace environments. Visit www.rcan.org for the hotline and reporting link.

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

Giving Made Easy!

Are you tired of writing checks each week? Are you tired of searching your purse and pockets during the collection? If so, we've got you covered.

Go to the parish website and click 'Give'

or;

Scan the QR code in the bulletin for 'ONLINE GIVING'

You can make a **one-time gift** or set up **recurring donations** – because generosity should be as consistent as your morning coffee.

Thank you for helping us grow our community with faith, love, and a little tech-savvy flair!

If you have any questions, contact the rectory office and they will connect you with a member of the Finance Council.

Remember...

Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops.

- Proverbs 3:9

SAINT JAMES BOUTIQUE

Visit our online boutique for St. James the Apostle Parish apparel and more!



OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY:

PASTOR

Rev. David C. Santos
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Dcn. Michael DeRoberts (Retired)
Dcn. Hugh Keffer
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Rev. John Dennehy

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Men's Ministry: MensMinistry@saintjamesparish.org

Prayer Line: prayerlineministry@saintjamesparish.org

Ministers of Hospitality: MOH@saintjamesparish.org

Altar Servers: altarservers@saintjamesparish.org

Liturgical Ministers: liturgicalministers@saintjamesparish.org

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