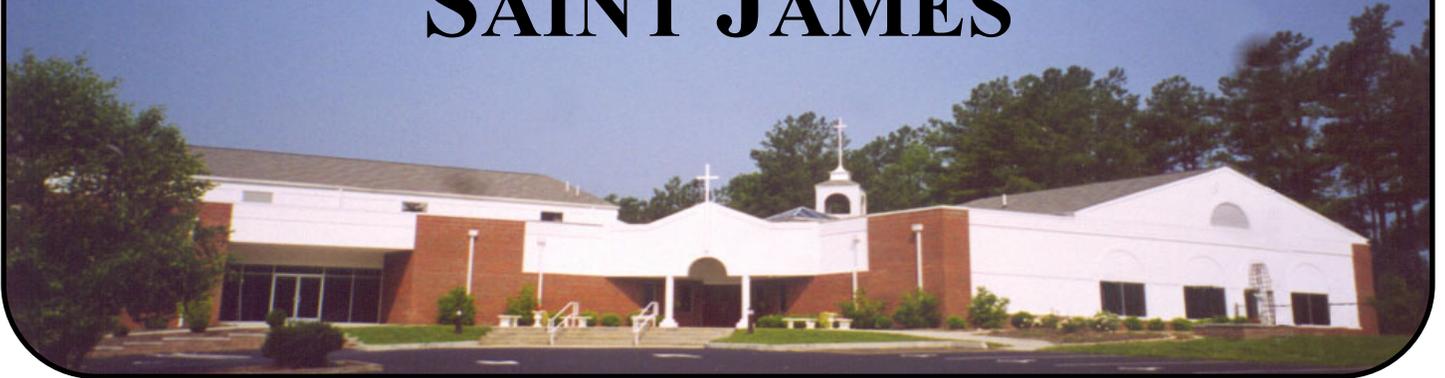


# CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF SAINT JAMES



*Growing the Church by the use of stewardship,  
evangelization and example*

## St. James Parish

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## Mass Schedule

<b>Saturday</b>	5:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	10:00 a.m.
Hispanic Liturgy	12:30 p.m.

**For Weekday Mass Schedule see inside the  
bulletin**

**Reconciliation**  
Saturday 4:15 - 4:45 p.m.

## Baptism

Please call the office to make arrangements

## Marriage

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance

## *Parish Mission Statement*

*At Saint James Catholic Church, we exist to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As we strive to proclaim the gospel, we remain aware and committed to evangelization: living, manifesting and embodying the message of Jesus Christ and of His Church on a diocesan, parish, and personal level. Evangelization relates to everything we do as we respond to a growing and diverse Catholic community.*

*We must reach out to the many alienated and un-churched among us, as well as work for Christian unity through ecumenical/interfaith partnerships. We must work to develop appropriate means to pass on the gift of faith to succeeding generations. Evangelization permeates all of our goals.*

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>July 15</b>
5:00 pm	+James Young (The Amrhold Family)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>July 16</b>
10:00 am	+Rich Szczeny (Tom & Helen Englehart)
12:30 pm	People of the Parish
<b>Monday</b>	<b>July 17</b>
9:00 am	Thomas Watson (Mary Roberson)
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>July 19</b>
9:00 am	People of the Parish
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>July 20</b>
9:00 am	People of the Parish
<b>Friday</b>	<b>July 21</b>
9:00 am	People of the Parish

*Altar Flowers are in Memory of  
Agnes Sheridan & Family  
And  
Ruth Derby & Family  
requested by Family & Friends*

**Pray for those who are sick...**

Phyllis Averett	Jonathan King
LaVerne Bernard	Hamilin Landis
Nancy Bernard	Frances Larch
John Bierman	Roger Liggett
John Camara	Mary Meyer
Ann Christian	Ricky Mosley
Bill Davenport	Lisa Oswald
Barbara Dean	Victoria Oswald
Delaney Erwin	Jamie Pekow
Mayra Estrada	Kim Renuart
Jeffery Ferrell	Chase R. Richardson
Ann & Joe Fonseca	Elaine Sibbersen
Charles Frazier	Illuminada Sta. Maria
Donna Gaul	Chuck & Margie Sullivan
Austin & Joseph Gwinn	Tim Sullivan
Bernie Haefner	Al & Anna Mae Toth
John Henry	Andy Toth
Vicky Hines	Barbara & Jim Vaeth
Rose Mary Ison	Katherine Vaughan
Lori Jessup	Judy Williford
Patrick Kane	Scott Willstaedt
Robert Kelly	Lucie & Nick Zanon

...and all members of our community who are in need of our prayers.

**Pray for those in the military...**

Please keep in your prayers **active military** friends and family members of our parish...

Phillip Brewer ~ Navy  
Joseph Johnson ~ Marines  
Krizzel June Maghanoy ~ Army  
Danilo Morales ~ Army  
Walter Newman ~ Air Force  
Aaron Renuart ~ Marines  
Ericka Stokes ~ Navy  
Timothy Toppin ~ Army

*Anyone in the hospital, in a nursing home or ill desiring Holy Communion or to have your friend or family military member included on the above lists please contact the office.*

**Choir Members**

There will be **NO** choir rehearsal on Wednesday night during the month of July. It would be appreciated if the members of the choir would come earlier on Saturday and/or Sunday to rehearse the hymns for that particular day. We will resume Wednesday Night rehearsals in August.

Sing praise to God! Sing praise!

**Gift Shop News:**

Remember to stop by the Gift Shop and discover the books on display. There are adult faith formation books, prayer books, children's books as well as a wide assortment of religious articles. Also consider the Care & Prayer Notes for only \$1.00 each. The Gift Shop is a ministry and it is our hope that you will benefit as we grow in our faith and knowledge.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Two centuries ago, Archbishop John Carroll worried that Americans would not appreciate the linguistic veil over our worship, and asked that the liturgy in the new United States be in English, not Latin. How did our liturgy come to be in Latin in the first place? In the first century, the dominant language in the regions where the church first flourished was Greek. Today in much of the world, almost everyone speaks at least a bit of English. Recently, the European Union even considered making English its official language, a curious proposal since only two English-speaking countries are members.

Just as English is a unifying language today, it was hard to function in the ancient world without a smattering of Greek. Even the word "Eucharist" comes from the Greek for "thanksgiving." For a long time, Greek was the language of worship, even in Rome. Slowly, society in the west shifted to a bias for Latin and against Greek. Latin first appeared in public prayer at the end of the second century, in the colonial outposts of North Africa. Soon, Latin became the language of culture, and so as fixed prayer forms were written, they were transmitted in Latin. From Rome and Africa, over the next four centuries, the new liturgical language of Latin spread north to Gaul and Britain.

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**Hispanic Kermes Fundraiser**

The Hispanic Community will be hosting a fundraiser to benefit St. James on **July 30th** after the 12:30 Mass. Tickets will be \$1.00 each. Food items will be purchased with tickets with the cost of items varying.

Please join us for a delicious Mexican Buffet.

**The Altar Society** of St. James is inviting our fellow parishioners to join us in providing flowers for the altar. A contribution of \$35 is suggested. Envelopes for the contributions are located on the table in the narthex. The envelope provides a place for the name of the person/event being honored or remembered, the person(s) donating and their phone number and the date the person(s) donating wishes for the flowers to be acknowledged in the bulletin. These envelopes can be placed in the offering baskets.

Please allow three weeks' notice before the date on which you wish to donate funds for altar flowers. We hope you will join us in our efforts to provide a beautiful setting for our worship together.

Thank you,  
*The Altar Society*

**Social Concerns Ministry  
ACTS**

Continuing need are volunteers especially on Mondays and Fridays to help at the Soup Kitchen. Anytime between 8:00 am to 1:00 pm to help prepare and or serve the meal. Any and all help is appreciated. To schedule the time you are available call the director, Lee Ann Peoples, at 252-492-0231.

ACTS is always in need of non-perishable food items. In particular; canned meats (chicken, Vienna sausages, tuna, salmon); canned greens (collards, mustard and turnip greens); mayonnaise, sweet pickle relish, brown sugar and paper towels.

**Electronic Bulletin**

If you are away from home or unable to attend Mass, the bulletin is now available electronically through our publishing company. Send your email address to the Parish office and it will be forwarded to the publisher. You will receive the bulletin weekly.



**July 2**

Offertory	\$3,569
Maintenance	1051
Father's Day	25

**July 9**

Offertory	\$2,470
Maintenance	30

**Readings for next Sunday  
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st Reading ~ Wisdom 12:13, 16-19 (106A)  
Responsorial Psalm ~ Psalm 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16  
2nd Reading ~ Romans 8:26-27  
Gospel ~ Matthew 13:24-43

**Spiritual Resources for Homilies**

The following are excellent resources to preview each Sunday's gospel. These catholic websites often provide the homily on the Wednesday prior to coming to church on Sunday. By previewing the gospel and different approaches to homilies, you can deepen your understanding of the Word of God.

Saint Vincent Arch Abbey is a Benedictine monastery in Pennsylvania  
[www.saintvincentarchabbey.org](http://www.saintvincentarchabbey.org)

Auxiliary Bishop Robert Barron of Los Angeles  
[www.wordonfire.org](http://www.wordonfire.org)

Creighton University (also has daily reflections)  
**Creighton U Daily Reflections—Online Ministries**  
St. Louis University Center for Liturgy-go to link for Sunday Website

If you would like to learn more about your catholic faith, **The University of Notre Dame** is offering online courses. The course catalog can be viewed by going to [STEP@Notre Dame](mailto:STEP@Notre Dame).

**LISTEN**

Listen and attend with the ear of your heart.  
—St. Benedict

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