# St. James the Greater Catholic Church

*Growing the Church by the use of*




## Our Mission

At Saint James Catholic Church, we joyfully proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and embrace our mission of evangelization—living, sharing, and embodying the message of Christ in all we do. As a vibrant and growing parish within a diverse community, we recognize that evangelization is not just a program or initiative, it is at the heart of everything we do.

It shapes our worship, guides our ministries, and inspires our outreach. We are called to extend a loving invitation to those who feel distant from the Church, to engage in meaningful dialogue with people of other Christian traditions and faiths, and to nurture and pass on the gift of faith to future generations. Whether you're new to the Catholic faith or returning home, we warmly welcome you. We invite you to grow with us in faith, community, and love.

## Mass Schedule

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| *Tuesday* | *9 am (English)* |
| *Wednesday* | *7 pm (Spanish)* |
| *Thursday* | *9 am (English)* |
| *Friday* | *9 am (English)* |
| *Saturday* | *5 pm (English)* |
| *Sunday* | *10 am (English)*<br>*12:30 pm (Spanish)* |
| *Adoration* | *Thursdays, 9:30–10:30am* |
| *Reconciliation* | *Saturdays, 4–4:30pm* |

## Come Visit us

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(252) 438 – 3124

*Rev. William H. Rodriguez, Pastor*
*Rev. Deacon Felix Saez, Jr.*

***Parish Secretary:*** Ashleigh Trumbull
***Office Hours****:* Monday- Friday, 8am – 1pm
***Faith Formation Director****:* Tuesday, Thursday-11am- 5pm
Sunday: 8am-2pm

### *Baptism/Bautismo*

Please call the office to make arrangements.
Por favor llame a la oficina para hacer arreglos.

### *Marriage/Matrimonio*

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.
Contacte al Pastor con el menos 6 mes de anticipación

## Daily Mass Intentions

**Saturday** **October 24**
5 pm People of the Parish

**Sunday** **October 25**
10 am Maria Auxiliadora Pineda

12:30 pm Maria Auxiliadora Pineda

**Tuesday** **October 27**
9 am People of the Parish
**Wednesday** **October 28**
7 pm Feligreses de la Parroquia
**Thursday** **October 29**
9 am People of the Parish
**Friday** **October 30**
9 am People of the Parish

*Pray for those who are sick*

Craig Bailey
John & Carter Bierman
Mercedes Brush
John Camara
Jose Crespi Bravo
Jose Claudio
Elidia Cruz Armas
Logan Darensburg
Bill Davenport
Kim Dean Wade
Ricky Mosley
Mayra Estrada
Delaney Erwin
Jan Fairweather
Sam Ferguson
Ann & Joe Fonseca
Quiana Fisher
Charles Frazier
Jim Gaul
Elizabeth Gwenn
Bernie Haefner
Marilyn Hardy
Ellie Henderson
Alma Patricia Hernandez
Robert Kelly
Norma Klepacki
Linda Harsh
Frances Larch
John Lazar
Betty Lewis
Celeste Liggett
Mary Marshall
Susan Marie
Susan Marlette
Mary Meyer
Brunilda Moreno
George Mydosh
David Parliman
Jamie Pekow
Peggy Piccioli
Chase R. & Martha Richardson
Mary Roberson
Iluminada Sta. Maria
Nancy Snediker
Margie & Tim Sullivan
Johnny Sutkowski
Ken & Tibby Plants
Robert & Anna Mae Toth
Barbara Vaeth
Katherine Vaughan

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

*Pray for those in the Military*

***Army***
Chrizel June Maghanoy
Danilo Morales
Carl Rocher
Victor Rosario
William Jordan Taylor IV
***Air Force***
Ashley Mosley
Walter Newman
Javier Nunez
Kyle F. Steame
***Marines***
Alejandro Fabian Currin
Katie Currin
Elias Estrada
Joseph Johnson
Aaron Renuart
***National Guard***
Benjamin Varela
***Navy***
Philip Brewer

## Announcements

**Join the St James Storage Project**
Funds are being raised to build 4 new sheds to better organize parish grounds and support growing ministries. Donations are gratefully accepted in the Narthex donation box or at the Parish Office.

***¡Únase al Proyecto de Almacenamiento de St. James!***
*Estamos recaudando fondos para construir 4 cobertizos nuevos, organizar mejor la parroquia y apoyar a nuestros ministerios en crecimiento. Puede depositar su donación en la caja de la entrada de la iglesia (nártex) o llevarla a la Oficina Parroquial.*

**Knights of Columbus**
The knights of Columbus are having their annual raffle it will be a 50/50 raffle. Support the Knights and get a chance to win. The more tickets that are sold the bigger the prize. Tickets are $5 each. The drawing will be in December at breakfast with the Knights. Get your tickets after Mass. Thank you for your support.

***Los Caballeros de Colón***
*Los Caballeros de Colón llevarán a cabo su rifa anual 50/50. Apoya a los Caballeros y tendrás la oportunidad de ganar. Mientras más boletos se vendan, más grande será el premio. Los boletos cuestan $5 cada uno. El sorteo se realizará en diciembre durante el desayuno con los Caballeros. Consigue tus boletos después de la misa. ¡Gracias por tu apoyo!*

**Mass Collection/Donations Now Online**
Online giving is now available! Please visit our Parish website and click the "Give Online" button or scan the QR code below. Thank you for generosity and support to our parish!

***Colectas/Donaciones Ahora En Línea***
*¡Ya está disponible la donación en línea! Por favor visite el sitio web de nuestra parroquia y haga clic en el botón "Donar Ahora" o escanee el código QR que se encuentra a continuación. ¡Muchas gracias por su generosidad y apoyo a nuestra parroquia!*

**Pray for** the Catechists as they plan and teach the lessons of our Faith.

**Pray for** our students and their families.

**Pray for** our Director of Religious Education, Ricardo Veloz and for Father William, who guides and instructs us all

**Singers and Musicians Needed for English Masses!**
Singers and Musicians are needed for both the 5pm mass on Saturdays and the 10am mass on Sundays. If you are interested in joining the music ministry, please contact Mary Smith at (315) 521-9094 or Joe Leahy (252)213-1901. Thank you!

**Cleanup Volunteers Needed**
We are looking for cleaning volunteers to help keep our church beautiful! Cleaning takes place every Monday morning, starting at 8am. If you would like to help or have any questions, please contact the Parish Secretary. We truly appreciate your time and assistance!

***Se Buscan Voluntarios de Limpieza***
*¡Estamos buscando voluntarios de limpieza para ayudar a mantener nuestra iglesia hermosa! La limpieza se lleva a cabo todos los lunes por la mañana, comenzando entre las 8:00 a.m. y las 8:30 a.m. Si desea colaborar o tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con Claudia Gomez (984-259-8314). ¡Agradecemos mucho su tiempo y ayuda!*

***Bishop's Annual Appeal***
Our parish has reached our Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA) goal of **$27,101.13**. A big thank you to everyone who helped us reach our goal.

***Llamado Anual del Obispo***
Nuestra parroquia logramos nuestro meta de **$27,101.13** establecida para la Campaña Anual del Obispo (BAA, por sus siglas en inglés). Muchas gracias a todos los que nos ayudaron a lograr nuestro objetivo.

## *Faith Formation*

For more information, please contact the director:
Para más información, por favor comuníquese con el director: Ricardo Veloz (919) 548-7160
Office hours: Tuesday, Thursday-11am- 5pm
Sunday:8am-2pm
faith.formation@SJHNC.org

## *Weekly Offering*

10/18 1ST Collection (Offertory) – $ 3,226
2nd Collection (World Mission) – $6 29

## *Parish Calendar*

**October**

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| 24 | Reconciliation | 4-4:30pm |
| | English Mass | 5pm |
| 25 | English Mass | 10am |
| | Spanish Mass | 12:30pm |
| 26 | *No Mass* | |
| | Choir Practice (Spa.) | 6:30pm |
| 27 | English Mass | 9am |
| | Divine Mercy Chaplet | 9:30am |
| | Emaus Hombres | 7pm |
| 28 | Spanish Mass | 7pm |
| | Jude Ministry | 8pm |
| 29 | English Mass | 9am |
| | Adoration | 9:30-10:30am |
| | Emaus Mujeres | 7pm |
| 30 | English Mass | 9am |
| 31 | Reconciliation | 4-4:30pm |
| | English Mass | 5pm |
| 1 | English Mass | 10am |
| | Spanish mass | 12:30pm |
| 2 | *No Mass* | |
| | Choir Practice (Spa.) | 6:30pm |
| 3 | English Mass | 9am |
| | Divine Mercy Chaplet | 9:30am |
| | Emaus Hombres | 7pm |
| 4 | Spanish Mass | 7pm |
| | Jude Ministry | 8pm |

## *Happy Birthday!*

10/26 Penny Jenks

## *Next Week's Reading – Year A*

**Sunday**

1st Reading ~ Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14
Responsorial ~ Psalm 24: 1-6
2nd Reading ~ 1 John 3:1-3
Gospel ~ Matthew 5: 1-12

## *Lecturas de la Próxima Semana – Año A*

**Domingo**

Primera Lectura ~ Apocalipsis 7:2-4, 9-14
Salmo ~ Salmo 23:1-6
2nda Lectura ~ 1 John 3: 1-3
Evangelio ~ Mateo 5:1-12

## *Prayer Resources*

### Spiritual Resources for Homilies

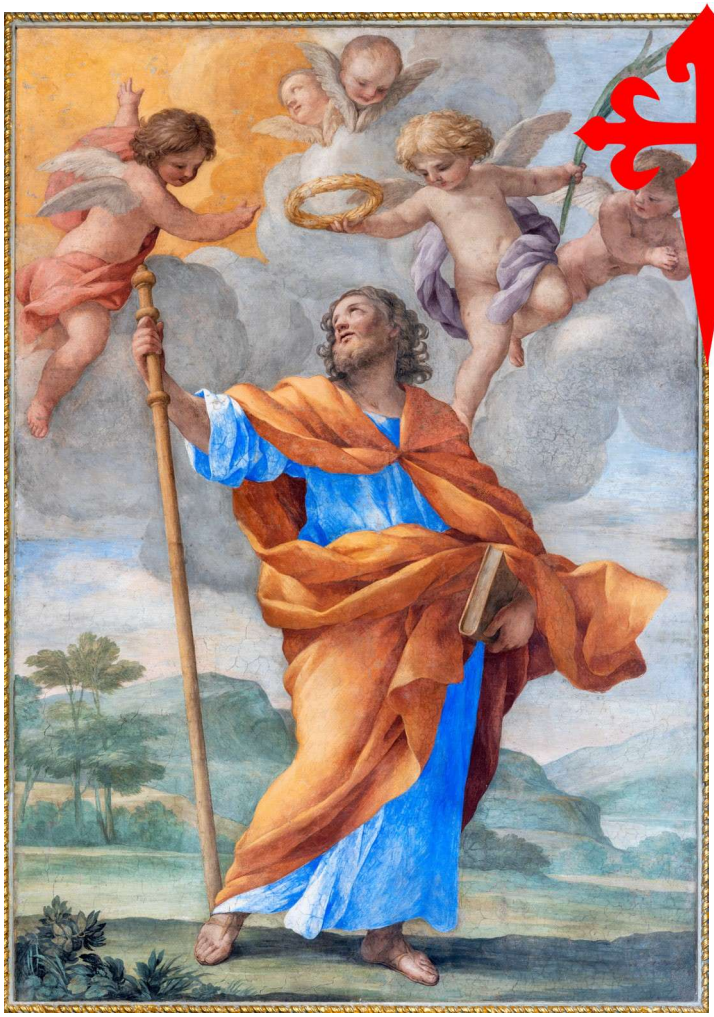
Saint Vincent Archabbey La is a Benedictine monastery in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. It was the first Monastery in the US.

**www.saintvincentarchabbey.org**

Auxiliary Bishop Robert Barron of Los Angeles.

**www.wordonfire.org**

Creighton University (also had daily reflections)



St. James the Greater
– Giovanni Francesco Romanelli (1610 – 1662)

## *Reminders*

### Wedding Anniversaries and Birthdays

If you would like your wedding anniversary or a family members birthday noted in the bulletin, call the office or email the office@sjhnc.org. The anniversaries will be announced at the beginning of each month.

### Digital Copy of the Weekly Bulletin

Great news! Now you don't have to log into your email to get the parish Sunday Bulletin. If you want a digital copy of the weekly bulletin, you can scan the QR code posted in the Narthex using your phone.

### Quinceañeras

Si están interesados en planear una celebración de quinceañera para su hija, les pedimos que hagan la reservación con anticipación. Las quinceañeras únicamente se programan los sábados a la 1:00 p.m. Para más detalles sobre el proceso, por favor pasen a la oficina parroquial.

Pope Leo's October Intention is For Mental Health Ministry Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illness.

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary The first message of Our Lady of Fatima to the children - and to us - was "Pray the rosary every day to obtain peace for the world and the end of war." During her eighteen apparitions at Lourdes, Our Lady always held a rosary in her hands and led Bernadette in praying the rosary. There, the first message she gave to the world was one of "Prayer and Penance."
In his recent visit to Lourdes, Pope Leo echoed this message saying "Pray the rosary every day and perform acts of Penance and Mercy."

"The Rosary is a weapon for these times."
Padre Pio

*– Shared by Sandra Shorkey*