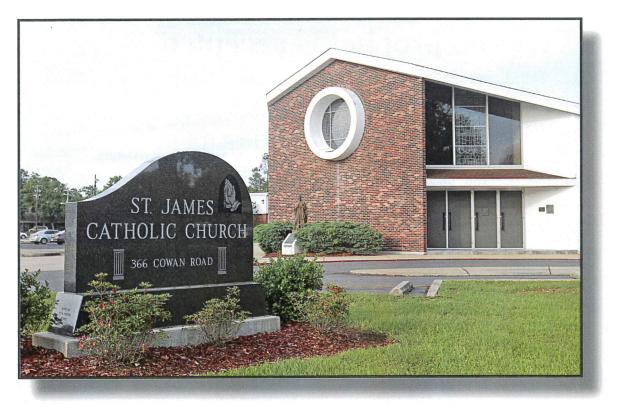
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time — November 13, 2022



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MASS SCHEDULE

4:00PM
9:00 & 11:00AM, 5:30PM
7:00 & 8:30AM
6:00PM
7:00PM (XLT Praise & Worship)
8:30AM
7:00AM & 12:00PM (Noon)
8:30AM

Saint James Catholic Church

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CONFESSIONS SATURDAY: 3:00 PM CONFESSION BEFORE & AFTER EACH MASS OR BY APPOINTMENT

If you or anyone in your family is ill, at home or in the hospital and would like us to visit, please contact the parish office @ 896-6059. If in the hospital, be sure to notate which hospital and provide a room number.

SAINT JAMES MINISTRIES

K.C.'S - 1st & 3rd Thursday 7:00PM

ST VINCENT de PAUL - Quarterly Meetings

RCIA - Wednesday 7:00PM, in the Church

LEGION OF MARY - Monday 9:30AM

LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY - 1st Thursday 1:00PM

USHER SOCIETY - 4 times a year, plus meetings two weeks before Easter & Christmas.

*If you are interested in any of the above, please call the Parish Office for more detail

CHILDREN'S CHOIR: 9:00AM Mass on Sundays (Must attend rehearsal 8:30AM in Parish Center) **ADULT CHOIR:** 4:00PM Saturday (Practice at 3:00PM in Parish Center) 11:00AM Sunday (Practice at 10:30AM in Parish Center)

BULLETIN DEADLINE: All announcements for the bulletin must be received in the Parish Office in writing by Monday noon.

BULLETIN ADVERTISING: Call the Parish Office at 228-896-6059 (All ads are annual)

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS: Thank our Advertisers for supporting St. James Church



Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Convent Chapel

LO, THE DAY IS COMING, BLAZING LIKE AN OVEN, WHEN ALL THE PROUD AND ALL EVILDOERS WILL BE STUBBLE.

MALACHI 3:19

THE WORK OF DISCIPLESHIP

It is easy to go through life non-reflectively, living the routines of our days and weeks without giving much thought to the larger questions of meaning, purpose, and calling. We may know we need to change but put it off, thinking we'll love, serve, and care more in the future. We may face trial personally and be weary of trying to live as we know we should. We witness discord, violence, and division and it may feel that it is the end of the world. Today's readings urge us to put laziness, fear, or distraction aside and get about the work of discipleship with the assurance that the Lord will provide what we need as we do so.

THE SUN OF JUSTICE WILL ARISE

It may seem as though Jesus is talking directly to us in today's Gospel. While it is always true that the Gospel speaks across time and space, today's message feels particularly appropriate as we near the end of another year that has been filled with pandemic, political division, international tension, and economic concerns. Christ reigns over all these things, and as Christians, we hold firm in the belief that we will as well. We must take the long view—the truly long view of eternity—as we meet the challenges of our time. The sun of justice will arise. All will be well.

NOT A HAIR ON YOUR HEAD WILL BE DESTROYED. PERSEVERE.

The message of the Gospel is not abstract, nor are we distant hearers of its message. We face choices every day about how we will live, what we will or won't do, how seriously we will take Christ's call to live the truth of the gospel. At times, the choices we face seem inconsequential: will we sit on the sofa night after night, or choose to spend time with family or serve in our parish? Will we get up for Mass on Sunday morning ready to praise God and be part of our faith community, or drag ourselves there, grumbling every step of the way (or not go at all)? Choices such as these are of consequence of course, not only because each decision matters, but the patterns we establish in our lives are rooted in the cumulative weight of the choices we make. We may be

called upon to make harder choices and must be prepared to do so. Jesus tells us to persevere. By doing so, we will secure our lives.

TODAY'S READINGS

Malachi 3:19–20a Psalm 98:5–6, 7–8, 9 2 Thessalonians 3:7–12 Luke 21:5–19



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SANCTUARY FLOWERS: We are accepting donations for sanctuary flowers. If you would like to have flowers placed in front of the altar for a week in honor of a birthday, anniversary or other celebration, or in memory of a deceased loved one, please contact Linda Hartfield (228-697-3420) or Josie Six (301-751-2988). Donations start at \$75 and must be scheduled at least two weeks in advance.



MASSES: NOVEMBER 12 - NOVEMBER 19

Sat.	4:00PM	Kathy Lizana (Special Intention)
Sun.	9:00AM	骨Christopher Bruni
	11:00AM	People of Saint James
	5:30PM	骨Rose Gunard
Mon.	7:00AM	骨Barbara Monson
	8:30AM	骨Dennis Bourgeois
Tue.	6:00PM	†Adrienne Conwill
Wed.	8:30AM	骨Kathy Smith
Thur.	7:00AM	†Sidney Arbour
	12:00PM	骨Troy Fleming
Fri.	8:30AM	⊕Christopher Bruni
Sat.	4:00PM	∜Mary Sparkman

LECTORS SCHEDULE

	Nov	ember 12/13	
Sat.	4:00PM	Frank Morton	
Sun.	9:00AM	Joey Beattie	
	11:00AM	Thomas Owen	
	5:30PM	Michelle Pisciotta	
		ember 19/20	7
Sat.	4:00PM	Gaines Cleveland	



Sat. Sun.

9:00AM

5:30PM

11:00AM

<u>ovember 19/20</u> Gaines Cleveland Tom Collins Arthur Jaramillo Sarah Rhodes

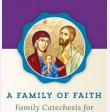
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

	<u>November 12/13</u>				
Sat.	4:00PM	Connie O'Neal, Beverly Moore,			
		Barbara Levine and Josie Six			
Sun.	9:00AM	Jennifer & Steve Broadus, Ann			
		Edwards and Mary Ellen Edwards			
	11:00AM	Bridget & Russell Weatherly,			
		Kirsten Owen and Julie & Alan Black			
	5:30PM	Deanne Goulet, Rochelle Cleveland,			
		Isabella Cruthirds and			
		Caroline Dellenger			
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	<u>November 19/20</u>				
Sat.	4:00PM	Mary Pecoul, Connie Pucheu,			
		Josie Six and Debbie Bazzone			
Sun.	9:00AM	Gretchen Ellis, Don & Sherry Alfonsos			
		and Susanne Chandler			
	11:00AM	Butch Plitt, Mary Anne Oberlies,			
AS.		Becky Graves and Stephanie Guirola			
		(Erik Hosler, if needed)			
	5:30PM	Yolanda Edwards, Danique Freeman,			
Wind	WW	London Lafferty and Ashlie Moran			

FAITH FORMATION Linda Hebert - lindahebert@saintjameschurchms.com

DECEMBER CATECHETICAL GATHERING



Our Parish

For those participating in a Family of Faith, our next Catechetical Gathering is on Wednesday, December 7. 5:45PM St. James Catholic School Cafeteria

SAINT J YOUTH GROUP GRADES 6-12 Sarah Rhodes & Bridgett Bermond youthminister@saintjameschurchms.com

SUNDAY

LifeTeen and Edge

6:30 - 8:00PM | Parish Center Gymnasium

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study | 5:30 - 6:15PM | Bosco Room LEAD Team | 6:15 - 7:15PM | Bosco Room

ACH & ONLINE GIVING CONTRIBUTIONS

There are two options for ACH Giving - <u>one</u> draft to be made on the Monday following the first Sunday of the month, or <u>two</u> drafts to be made on the Monday following the first and third Sunday of the month. Please contact the Parish Office

for more details.

Venmo donations may be made at @St James GPT.



SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend's second collection will be for Church Property Insurance. Next weekend's second collection will be for

the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

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November 05/06	US .
WEEKEND COLLECTION	
Sunday Offertory via mail/collection basket	\$10,630
Sunday Offertory via ACH/on-line giving	\$13,916
Weekly Total	\$24,546
Weekly Budget (amount needed)	\$16,560
YTD Actual-Week #19	\$325,121
YTD Budget-Week #19	\$314,640
YTD % of Budget	103%
2nd Collection - Archdiocese for Military Service	es\$986
All Saints Day Collection	\$1,839

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Faith Black, Teresa Blum, Jerry Boudreaux, Joan Boudreaux, Tina Bradshaw, Hope Broadus, Sonia Bucman, Isabel Bullard, Charlotte Jean Buras, Joan Burwell, Paul Gavin Carter, Maren & Pete Casano, Dick & Martha Chapin, Theresa Charleton, Bernard & Dannie Chevalier, Nick Christovich, Rhonda Clark, Andrew Cooper, Ashley Garrett Couture, Jean Crawford, Jason Creel, Mimi Davis, Dorothy Deschaine, Mary Ann Donald, Marie Donald, John Harrison Doucet, Kathy Dufrene, Shellie Ely, W.C. Fore, Theresa Frontz, Gene Gaddy, Joseph Neil Gilly, Roberta Lechner, Loretta Hahn, Ivy Hebert, Jessi Hebert, Louis Helwick, Stephanie Hennessey, Whitney Henriquez, Addie Hitchcock, Sumner Holland, Timmy Holliday, Taylor Hopwood, Robin Humphrey, Vivian James, Gertrude Johnson, Mary Johnson, William Joyce, Allison Kane, Sheena Khalifeh, Doug Kirk, Fr. George Kitchin, Marvin Koury, Brenda Landrum, Josie Lindsey, Chuck Loftis, Don Marsh, Lily McCabe, Carolyn McClellan, Tanya McClellan, Mary McCusker, Steve McDaniel, Msgr. James McGough, Carolyn Messer, Braleigh Moak, Buddy Moore, Richard Moran, LuLu Mount, Ethelyn Mozingo, Albert Necaise, Dominic Nguyen, Uyen Nguyen, Judy Northrop, Linda Olsen, Butch Oustalet, Debbie Postler, Etaw Robb, Claudetta Rosetti, Barbara Russo, Gladys Salvador, Joan Sample, George Schloegel, Dane Shepherd, Karen Siegismund, Donnie Skinner, Evelyn Smutzer, Delcan Sowell, Jennifer Stolarski, Lee Tingle, Bob Usey, Ferdie Walker, Jeanne Welsh, James Wetzel Sr., Wally White, Teresa Whiteside, Jack Williamson, Ronnie Williams, Mary Ann Young, and D.J. Zigler.

PRAY FOR OUR BELOVED DECEASED

bLena Collier, Benjamin Torres, Antonie Villareal and all of the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY ARMED FORCES

Protect all military at home and abroad, especially: Major Ryan Bridley, Lt. Ryan Capdepon, Pat Cook, Robert Bodisch Sr., Robert Bodisch Jr, Kenneth Bodisch, Michael Brooks, Clarke Copponex, Kalvin Daniels, Capt. Graham Ernst, Greg Hammontree, Nicholas Hansen, Peter Hansen, Eric Heitkamp, Morgan Jackson, Gean Johnson, Joel Johnson, Capt. Eddie Langford, Paul Polito, Marc Mallard, Col. Michael McCullough, Jennifer Ross, Edwin Andrew Smith, S/Sgt. Drew Spradley, Claude Shimer, Patrick Taylor, Thomas Buhner, Scott & Stephanie Lanier, S/Sgt. Jeanne Rhoads, Mark Wright, Nicholas Williams, Chuck Wright, Mike Shepard, & Corporal Charles Winsor. Watch over them & their families.

TAGS FOR LIFE

The Diocese of Biloxi Pro Life Ministry is proud to announce our very own Pro Life Billboard license plate! The sale of these plates will help support the Pro Life Ministry. You may purchase the plate by downloading an application on the Diocesan website at biloxidiocese.org or scanning the code below.



RCIA

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes will be offered for those interested, baptized and unbaptized, in learning about the Catholic Faith and/or those cradle Catholics who have never been confirmed. RCIA meets on Wednesdays at 7:00PM.
For details, contact: Deacon Henderson (a) 228-209-6960

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"Time spent in prayer is never wasted, however urgent the duties that press upon us from every side."

ADORERS ARE NEEDED!

Tuesday 4:00PM - 5:00PM, Wednesday 4:00AM - 5:00AM and Saturday 10:00PM - 11:00PM

Second Adorers needed for all hours. <u>Second or Third Adorers are always</u> <u>needed in each hour for a substitute system.</u> If you can help or substitute with any of these hours, please call or leave a message in the Parish Office at 228-896-6059 or with Ralph at 228-539-2434.

"The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus waits for us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease." - Pope Saint John Paul II. You have a special hour with the Lord waiting for you.

<u>ADORATION TESTIMONIES WANTED</u> Has God been working in your life? There are sheets in the Adoration Chapel to share answered prayers, graces and miracles that you have received. Share with your parish family how prayers and your time spent in the Adoration Chapel has blessed your life.

Please put my name down as an Adorer in the Adoration Chapel

I would like to commit to one hour per week ______ I would like to commit to alternate week ______ I would like to commit to substitute 1 hour per week Name:

Address:_____ Phone#:

e-mail:

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HELP OUR ST. VINCENT DEPAUL CONFERENCE

We challenge each family to bring at least one of the following non-perishable items to Mass every week, and to place it in the "Food Drop Box" at the back of the church. When you are shopping and select your



items for the week, select an item for the poor and thank God for the ability to provide adequately for your own family, and take time to pray for those less fortunate. Choose from these items based on the first letter of your last name:

A-E: BOXED DINNERS - Hamburger, Chicken Helpers, Rice Dishes, instant potatoes (especially mashed potatoes).

F-I:CANNED FOODS - Ravioli, soups, tuna, Spam, fruit, vegetables, etc. **J-N: HEALTH CARE ITEMS** - Shampoo, soap, toothpaste, deodorant, lotion, disposable razors, shaving cream, cotton balls, etc.

O-S: PEANUT BUTTER/JELLY/ JUICE - Any brand, or type of jelly/ peanut butter is appreciated.

T-Z: BOXED CEREAL - Instant oatmeal, grits, crackers, spaghetti rice, macaroni & cheese etc.

BABY ITEMS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED - Baby wipes, diapers, etc. **MOST NEEDED ITEMS -** Fruit juice, macaroni & cheese, peanut butter, cereal, and health care items

TEXT SJCC

Keep up with our parish happenings Stay updated on news and announcements

SMS

- text SJCC to 57838



"Right is right if no one's doing it; wrong is wrong even if everyone is doing it." St. Augustine





11TH GRADE PARENTS

PREP INFO

One of the requirements for 11th graders to be confirmed is to attend an overnight retreat. We are planning a LifeTeen retreat Dec. 2-4 at Paul B Johnson State Park; however, if you are unable to attend our retreat, you may choose from several others: Search Retreats (Jan. 6-8 & Feb.3-5) and a Boy's LIFT Retreat (Mar. 3-5) at the Dedeaux Retreat Center. Of note - the Search retreats are co-ed and preference is given to 12th graders.

Retreat flyers and forms can be found on the homepage of the Saint James website. Questions? Contact Linda Hebert @ 228-896-6059 or 228-297-5126

THEY'RE A HUNGRY BUNCH!

(AND THIRSTY, TOO)



Saint | Youth Group has 191 registered members and is always in need of donations of individual servings of chips and cookies. Mini/small sized bottled waters, soft drinks and Gatorade/Powerade are also needed. Please kindly bring your donations to the Parish Office.

COMING IN 2023

Saint J Youth will once again present their Live Stations of the Cross on Good Friday. However, our teens are in need of costumes; so we are looking for donations of material (to include clean, old sheets and curtains) that can be used to make Biblical-period costumes, such as Roman guards, apostles, Blessed Mother, Pontius Pilate, Jesus and others. Seamstresses will also be needed. If you're interested in volunteering to help sew costumes, please contact Linda Hebert. Unwanted costumes from the "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" musical production presented by St. James Catholic School this past spring will be gladly accepted, as well.



Save the Date

The only Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be Thursday | November 24 | 9:00AM



SAT | 19TH NOVEMBER 2022 | 6PM **Reminder** | RSVP was required





There are only two weeks left in our liturgical year. The first Sunday of Advent is November 27; so it's time to begin making plans on how we'll prepare our hearts and homes for the Feast of Christmas. Resources can be found at: https://www.usccb.org/prayer-worship/liturgicalyear/advent



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YOUTH MINISTRY'S BOUNTIFUL BAGS FOR THANKSGIVING DINNER

Saint J Youth will be assembling Thanksgiving Dinner Bags in conjunction with our St. Vincent de Paul Conference that will be providing gift cards for perishable items, such as turkey, ham, dairy products, rolls and a dessert.



If you or someone you know needs assistance in gathering food for Thanksgiving Dinner, please contact Mary in the Parish Office by November 16. Your request will be held in strict confidence. Thanksgiving Dinner Bags will be available for pick up on November 22.



