



ST. JAMES CATHOLIC Church

REVERENT WORSHIP, HELPFUL TEACHING, DEDICATED COMMUNITY
NEWEST ROMAN CATHOLIC MISSION IN JACKSONVILLE

Location

12447 Mandarin Road,
Jacksonville, FL 32223

Sunday Schedule

Confession: 7:40 & 9:40
Mass: 8:00 & 10:15 AM
Morning Prayer 9:10

Receiving Communion

Communion at St. James is normally through intinction and is administered on the tongue while kneeling (signal by touching your chin if you would like to receive in the form of bread only). However, the Church also permits you to receive in the hand, standing, or kneeling. If you are not properly prepared to receive communion or are not Catholic (see back of this sheet), you may come forward during communion and cross your arms to receive a blessing.

Priests

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Council

Robin, John, Stephen
Ashley, Carol, Cole

THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD, DECEMBER 24, 2022

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY

STJAMESCC.ORG

St. James is a Roman Catholic mission of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter, a diocesan like structure established by the Vatican in 2012 which is becoming known for bringing unity among Christians fervent preaching the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, the evangelizing power of poetically beautiful and reverent liturgy, and bringing together a dedicated community of believers. Though originally established in response to Anglicans wanting to come into the Church with their liturgical and pastoral traditions, it is now composed of Catholics of all backgrounds and has been thriving and has established over forty missions and parishes and counting throughout North America. The Ordinariate is led by Bishop Steven J. Lopes, who was appointed by Pope Francis in 2015. St. James has been in Jacksonville since 2019. Thank you for being here today. Please join us afterwards to socialize with coffee and refreshments.

HYMNAL (find tri-fold liturgy guide tucked inside)

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| 83 | O come, all ye | FOH | <i>Agnus dei</i> |
| FOH | <i>Krie</i> | 81 | <i>Lo, how a Rose</i> |
| S 204 | <i>Gloria in excelsis</i> | 107 | Good Christian friends |
| 79 | O little town | 87 | Hark! The herald angels sing |
| FOH | <i>Sanctus, sanctus</i> | 111 | Silent night, holy night |

MASS INTENTIONS

12/24 People of St. James
12/25 Jane Edney

CATHOLIC BELIEFS WITH FR. MAYER: EVERY OTHER MON. EVENING, JAN 2 – FEBRUARY 20

Obtain an in-depth understanding of the story of salvation. Learn about the origin of creation, evil, angels, Jesus, Mary, the Holy Spirit and the founding and structure of the Church, the communion of saints the afterlife, heaven, hell, purgatory, the great tribulation and the return of Christ among other topics. This class is a great opportunity to clarify many misunderstandings of the Church. Class Location: Assumption Catholic Church (2403 Atlantic Blvd). More info StJamesCC.org/events

PICK UP YOUR BLESSED CHALK TO BRING A BLESSING UPON YOUR HOME: JANUARY 8, 2023

In remembrance of the three kings who visited Jesus in his first home, Christian homes and households traditionally receive the Three Wisemen or Epiphany Blessing by using blessed chalk to write above the main door of the home the year and the initials of the Three Wisemen who visited the Holy Family: 20 + C + M + B + 22. Join us on January 8, 2023 when the chalk will be blessed and given out on Epiphany, Sunday.

WELCOME DINNER FOR NEW ATTENDERS AND CURIOSITY SEEKERS: JANUARY 15, 2023

Sunday, January 15, 5-8 PM come and hear about the history and vision of Saint James and where you fit in. Get to know Father Mayer and his story as well as other parishioners. Dinner will be served. More info online: StJamesCC.org/events Please RSVP by January 12, 2023 for dinner address: office@StJamesCC.org or 904-999-1423 (text or call).

ALTAR FLOWER PRAYERS AND REMEMBRANCES

Thank you to all those who gave toward our altar flowers so that we might most joyously celebrate the birth of our Savior. The flowers were given in memory of:

~ Dan & Patricia Shea ~ ~ Roseanna O'Leary, Keith Patrick Kelley, Patricia Bogart Kelley ~

UPCOMING DATES AT GLANCE (even more dates at StJamesCC.org/events)

- CHRISTMAS EVE CAROLS SING ALONG: December 24, 3:50 PM
- CHRISTMAS MASSES: Saturday, December 24, 4:30 PM; Sunday, December 25, 10:15 AM
- SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD: Sun, January 1. Plenary indulgence available
- CATHOLIC BELIEFS CLASS: Every other Monday, 7-9 PM, January 2 – February 13, 2023
- BLESSED EPIPHANY CHALK: Sunday, January 8, 2023, pickup chalk to dedicate your house for 2023
- PRAYER AND POTLUCK: Sunday, January 8, 2023, 4 PM at Robert and Cathy Messina's Home
- NEW ATTENDER DINNER: Sunday, January 15, 5:00 PM Learn history and vision of St. James

PRAYER AND POTLUCK AT A MESSINA HOME, JANUARY 8, 2022 AT 4:00 PM

Experience one of the treasures of the Ordinariate: Praying the Daily Office Evening Prayer while having fun and eating food with your favorite people at the Messina home (6233 Oleta Way, Jacksonville)! Potluck signup online at StJamesCC.org/events or see Brian Burch after Mass to write down your dish on the paper signup



EASY CREDIT CARD GIVING

Scan the QR code with your phone or go to StJamesCC.org/giving to easily make a contribution. Thank you for your continued support of our mission of evangelization.

THE MISSION OF ST. JAMES IS HEALTHY AND GROWING FINANCIALLY!

Giving for November: \$5,339.67 | Monthly Average Giving for Past Twelve Months: \$6,891.81 (average giving at this same time last year: \$3,747.50)

November Expenses: \$5,383.00 | Covers quarter of priest's income, half of pension, travel, liturgical supplies, music, building rent and liability insurance, advertising, bishop's tax, almsgiving, hospitality

Capital Fund Balance: \$37,731.86 | Used for long term purchases, buildout when St. James is ready to move into long term leased facility, or to purchase property.

ORDO CALENDARS HAVE ARRIVED

These calendars are a great devotional tool to help you know about upcoming saint days and other liturgical celebrations in 2023. They cost \$5 each and will be available this Sunday. Please see Brian Burch to pick up your calendar.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE: SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023, 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Experiencing our Extraordinary God in Ordinary Life. National Speakers: Rachel Balducci & Lisa Hendey. \$30 per person (\$35 at door). Includes breakfast and lunch, talks, adoration, confession, daily Mass and vigil Mass for Sunday. Hosted by St. James Church, Savannah GA. Learn more StJamesSav.com/womens-conference.

AM I ALLOWED TO PARTAKE OF HOLY COMMUNION?

CATHOLICS

All Catholics who are not conscious of grave sin and who have fasted for at least an hour, are welcome to receive communion. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession.

FELLOW CHRISTIANS

We welcome you to the celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in this Eucharist will draw us closer to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions which separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they may all be one" (Jn 17:21).

Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion.

NON-CHRISTIANS

We also welcome those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ. While we cannot admit them to Holy Communion, we ask them to offer their prayers for the peace and the unity of the human family.

