



ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

Location

12447 Mandarin Road,
Jacksonville, FL 32223
StJamesCC.org

Sunday Schedule

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

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 please see the back of this sheet.

Clergy

Parochial Administrator
Father Philip Mayer,
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Assisting Priests
Father Jim O'Neal
Father Ernie Davis

Council

Cathy Messina,
Brian Burch,
John Brown,
Nancy & Rex Setzer,
Colleen Kelley,
Lori & Paul Adelfio,
Susan Miller,
Doug & Michelle
Nesmith

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT | FEBRUARY 18, 2024

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY - A NOTE FROM FATHER MAYER

We are excited that you have chosen to experience and learn about St. James, a Roman Catholic mission of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter, a diocesan like structure established by the Vatican in 2012. This diocese 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)

S67	The Great Litany	S 159	<i>Agnus dei</i>
S 92	<i>Kyrie</i>	311	O saving Victim, opening
147	Now let us all	143	The glory of these forty days
S 115	<i>Sanctus, sanctus</i>	142	Lord, who throughout these

MASS INTENTIONS

8:00 AM † John David Sr.
10:15 AM People of St. James

REQUIREMENTS FOR LENTEN FASTING AND ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT

Abstinence from meat during the Fridays in Lent is binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. Fridays outside of Lent continue as days of penance and expiation in union with Christ Crucified. Abstinence from flesh meat is first and foremost commended though outside of Lent another penance may be substituted.

10:15 MASS BEGINS TODAY WITH PENITENTIAL PROCESSION | NO PROCESSION AT 8:00 AM MASS

The first Sunday of Lent will begin by praying the Great Litany. This is a somber and beautiful tradition which brings focus to the penitential nature of this season and turning back to the Lord for his mercy and healing.

Processions are ancient, going back to King David who processed with the Ark of the Covenant as well as to Our Lord's procession into Jerusalem, riding on a donkey. Theologically they are a sign of the Church's condition, the pilgrimage of the People of God, with Christ and after Christ, aware that in this world it has no lasting dwelling. They symbolize the Church's missionary task to go forth and proclaim the Gospel message of salvation. They also signify the changes in the lives of Christians who move forward and onward to encounter the living God.

HOW TO CONNECT WITH GOD: LEARN TO PRAY FEBRUARY 19 | 7:00 P.M.

Find that peaceful place of contentment and consolation. Father Mayer is looking forward to helping you get started in this ever deepening and enriching journey of prayer. We will be getting down to the basics, giving you the tools to sanctify time, discern God's voice, and to learn the first, second and third most powerful forms of prayer. This event will be held at Assumption Catholic Church 2403 Atlantic Blvd, Jacksonville, FL

WOMEN'S PRAYER & BREAKFAST | FEBRUARY 24 | 9:30 A.M.—11:00 A.M.

Connect and enjoy a morning out with the women in our parish. The monthly Women's Prayer and Breakfast meeting is Saturday, February 24th, 9:30am-11am at Beach Diner Mandarin, 11362 San Jose Blvd Jacksonville, FL. We'll be learning more about the life of St Gianna Beretta Molla. All are welcome! Please text or call Cathy Messina, 415-205-9705, if you can attend so we know what size table we need.

NEXT WEEK IS NAMETAG SUNDAY SO BE SURE TO GRAB A TAG | FEBRUARY 25

In order to become more connected as a community the last Sunday of the month is nametag day. Thanks for taking the time to put on a name tag as you come in and taking time after Mass to introduce yourself, connect, engage, and make other parishioners feel at home.

OTHER UPCOMING DATES: (full details available at StJamesCC.org/events)

- MASS EXPLAINED: February 19, 8 PM | Taught by Fr. Mayer at Assumption Catholic Church
- CHILDREN AND FAMILY: Sunday, February 25, 12:00 PM | Children and parents, meets monthly through May 2024. More info StJamesCC.org/children
- MOTHERING SUNDAY: March 10 | Mothering buns, honor mom and mother Church
- EXPANDED CONFESSION: March 10, 7:40 - 11:30 AM
- SOUP AND STATIONS: Friday, March 15, 6:00 PM at Mansour Home
- PALM SUNDAY: MARCH 24 | A most reverent liturgy; receive a blessed Palm
- EASTER SUNDAY LOCATION: MARCH 31, Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, 11801 San Jose Blvd

JANUARY GIVING UPDATE: THANK YOU FOR YOUR OPEN HEARTED GENEROSITY!

Giving for January: \$15,242.78 (general \$8,967.78, capital \$6,275).

January Expenses: \$6,169.91 | Covers quarter of priest's support, half of pension, travel, liturgical supplies, music, building rent and liability insurance, advertising, bishop's tax, almsgiving, hospitality

Leased Building, Rough Goals (numbers may change based on outcome of lease negotiations):

- \$10,000 average monthly giving needed to cover operating expense: Complete 😊
- \$30,000 in reserves (three months of operating expenses): Complete 😊
- \$75,000 estimate needed for phase 1 of buildout: walls, plumbing, electrical, floors, chairs, lights. Complete 😊 (note: this low number takes into account us doing our own painting, flooring, and trim work which saves us \$35,000)
- \$7,293.01 of \$50,000 estimate needed for phase 2: signage, kitchen, landscaping, sacristy, advertising, bathroom renovations.



ST. JAMES GIVING OPTIONS: CARD, BANK, MAIL, IRA, STOCKS, REAL ESTATE

Scan the QR code with your phone or go to StJamesCC.org/giving or by check by dropping it in the collection plate at Mass or mail your contribution to: St. James Parsonage, 3725 Lilly Road N., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

HELP THE ORDINARIATE THRIVE: BISHOP'S APPEAL COMMITMENT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2024



Your participation is essential to the success of the Bishop's Appeal. While regular gifts to your parish are important, your annual gift to the Ordinariate is equally important. Please join others throughout the Ordinariate in supporting this campaign which will help the Ordinariate grow and thrive! Pick up a pledge card and envelope from the Parish today, (check payable to Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter), or visit ordinariate.net/bishops-appeal to give.

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.

