



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

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | MAY 12, 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 originated in response to Anglicans wanting to come into the Church with their liturgical and pastoral traditions. However, 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* | FOH = Front of Hymnal)

450 All hail the power	FOH <i>Agnus dei</i>
FOH <i>Gloria in excelsis</i>	328 Draw nigh and take
484 Praise the Lord	304 I come with joy
FOH <i>Sanctus, sanctus</i>	495 Hail, Thou once despised Jesus!

MASS INTENTIONS

8:00am	The People of St. James
10:15am	L, Kathleen Welch

PRIMARY MASS: PRAYERS FOLLOWING VIDI AQUAM (THE RITE OF SPRINKLING)

Priest: O Lord, show thy mercy upon us. Alleluia.	People: And let my cry come unto thee.
People: And grant us thy salvation Alleluia.	Priest: The Lord be with you.
Priest: O Lord, hear my prayer.	People: And with thy spirit.
	Priest: Let us pray

The priest then leads the prayer. See cream trifold for the rest of the responses and communal prayers.

ELIMINATE TIME IN PURGATORY ON PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 19

The Church uses what are known as indulgences to encourage particular devotional practices. An indulgence is backed by the Church's binding and loosing authority and removes the temporary consequences for sins that have already been forgiven. (to learn more about indulgences, scan the QR code) On Pentecost, the Church wants to especially encourage your openness to the outpouring out of the Holy Ghost, so a plenary (a full purgatorial punishment removal) indulgence is provided to anyone who sings the ancient Veni Creator hymn with devotion on Pentecost (along with the normal indulgence requirements: confession, communion, prayers for the pontiff, no attachments to sin). You will have the opportunity to do just that at St. James on Sunday, May 19.



PENTECOST POTLUCK | MAY 19 | 12:00 PM

Celebrate this great feast of the Church with us! St. James will be supplying hot dogs, brats, and buns (I also heard that one parishioner will also be bringing hamburgers 😊). You are asked to bring a side: desserts, salads, drinks, toppings (onions, chili, ketchup, mustard, cheese), etc. Volunteers needed: hot dog cookers, table setup, cleanup crew. Please sign up with Brian at the hospitality table after Mass. For questions or to sign up via email contact cathymmessina@gmail.com.

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

- CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: Sunday, June 2, 2024 at 10:15 AM Mass
- ORGAN CONCERT: Sunday, June 2, 4 PM, fun group outing | Visit stjamescc.org/events for details
- BISHOP POHLMEIER VISIT: Sunday, July 14, 2024 at the 10:15 AM Mass
- BROWN SCAPULAR ENROLLMENT: Sunday, July 14, 2024 9:15 AM
- FEAST OF ST. JAMES DINNER: Save the date! Saturday, July 27, 2024(details to be announced)

PROTECT THEM BOTH | VOTE "NO" ON AMENDMENT 4

An extremely grave amendment has been placed on the November 2024 ballot that seeks to erase pro-life protections by inserting language into the Florida Constitution banning regulation of abortion. This amendment to the Florida constitution would allow abortion up through the third trimester, including when the baby is capable of feeling pain, and would eliminate laws requiring parental consent and safety protocols for women. The Florida Conference of Catholic Bishops is working hard to oppose this dangerous and deception amendment and urges all Floridians to vote 'no' on Amendment 4. The statement of Florida Bishops in opposition of this extreme abortion amendment is available at www.flaccb.org

WHY I AM SPRINKLING PEOPLE DURING THE FIFTY DAYS OF EASTERTIDE (ASPERGIES)

The principal Mass throughout Eastertide begins with the blessing of the people with baptismal holy water. Easter, from the earliest days of the church, was the primary season for baptisms and you are sprinkled (asperged) to remind you of your baptism, your death in Christ's death, and your rising to new life through his Resurrection. The versicles chanted by the schola during the aspersion are called the "Vidi Aquam" Latin for the first words of Ezekiel 47:

*I saw water issuing out from the temple, on the right hand side, alleluia:
and all to whom that water came were saved, and they shall say: Alleluia. Alleluia.*

This vision of the prophet Ezekiel is a most wonderful image of the mission of the Church: The Holy Spirit, flowing from the altar, through the worship and out into the world for life and healing. May the grace of the Lord flow through you and out into the world as you are asperged throughout this festive season

FINANCE UPDATE — THANK YOU FOR YOUR OPEN HEARTED GENEROSITY!

- April Giving: \$11,063.82 (general \$4,335.52, capital \$6,728.30). This does not include smaller funds.
- April Expenses: \$6,034.49 Covers quarter of priest's support, half of pension, travel, liturgical supplies, music, building rent and liability insurance, advertising, bishop's tax, almsgiving, hospitality

BUILDING FAITH | NEW HOME FOR ST. JAMES — Rough Goals (numbers may change):

- Phase 1 Complete: \$126,188 raised for walls, plumbing, electrical, floors, chairs, lights. (note: low number is if we do our own painting, flooring, and trim work which saves \$35,000)
- Phase 2 Complete: \$19,620 raised for signage, counters, landscaping, sacristy, advertising,
- \$7,293.01 of \$50,000 estimate needed for phase 2: signage, kitchen, landscaping, sacristy, advertising, bathroom renovations (these numbers were last updated on January 31, 2024).
- Phase 3: \$13,634.71 of \$25,320 raised for warming oven, advertising, votive stands, vestibule décor

HOW CAN I PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE MISSION OF ST. JAMES?



- Scan the QR code with your phone *or* go to StJamesCC.org/giving
- Check payable to St. James Catholic Church and drop it in the collection plate
- Mail to: St. James Parsonage, 3725 Lilly Road N., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

Thank you for reading the bulletin. We made it just for you.—Fr. Mayer

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.