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Stewardship

is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and neighbor.

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Happy Mother's Day Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless these women. that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we. their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Mass Schedule

Tuesday - Saturday 8:00 am

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm Sunday

8:00 am & 10:30 am

Confessions

Tuesday - Friday 7:30 - 7:45 am

Saturday

4:00 - 4:45 pm

or by appointment



The Parish Mission Statement

St. James Parish is a Eucharistic family, guided by our Catholic faith and working through a love of God and others, cultivating disciples of Jesus Christ through Hospitality, Prayer, Formation and Service.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 14 Tuesday, May 15 8:00 am Intention of Bill Spires by Geri & James Watson

Wednesday, May 16 8:00 am Intention of Fr. Michael Schemm by Patty Grande Thursday, May 17 8:00 am Intention of Renee Tarman by Glen & Patsy Mayo Friday, May 18 8:00 am †John Manlay by Herb & Pat Lowrance

Saturday, May 19 No Mass

5:00 pm †Glenda Huschka by Bill & Diana Ohman

8:00 am †Art & Irene McClure by James McClure Sunday, May 20 10:30 am People of St. James

Stewardship: "Who Are You Following?"

Today we remember Jesus' glorious return to His Heavenly Kingdom. The disciples, who might have been feeling just a bit dazed and confused, have been entrusted with a new task: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature. It was a task they could not accomplish on their own, so the Lord Jesus sent forth the Holy Spirit, which gave them the courage to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ risen. We too have been given that same Spirit through our baptism, and now, being good stewards of the gift of the Holy Spirit, we must proclaim Jesus risen. When was the last time you shared your faith? When was the last time you told the story of Jesus crucified and now risen? Pray for those opportunities and watch for them! They will come!

Nominations for the Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council is the body of parishioners set up to assist the pastor in carrying out the Parish Mission. Advisory in nature, this body of parishioners helps the pastor to recognize and respond to the needs of the parish. Those parishioners invited to serve on the council are asked to serve a three year term. At this time I am inviting the parish to nominate fellow parishioners that might be called to serve the parish on this council. Please submit your nominations to the parish office in writing. I will take this list of names and prayerfully consider the new members of the council. We would like to bring two new members onto the council this year. A special thank you to Josh Ebenkamp and Pat Perkins who will be rotating off the council this summer, they have been good and faithful servants of the Lord serving as council members.

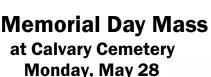


Mowing Church grounds: May 17 - May 19

Elmer Simon. Robert Reid, Dane Pletcher, Kevin Bogner, Josh Ebenkamp, James Glowaski

Calvary Cemetery mowing: Every Wednesday @ 6:00 pm





9:00 AM

On Monday, May 28, our country will celebrate Memorial Day, honoring our loved ones who have gone before us in faith. in particular remembering the men and women of our military services. Mass is scheduled for 9:00 am at

Calvary Cemetery. Bring your lawn chairs. (If it is inclement weather - in St. James Church)

Weekly Stewardship

Number of Families 483

Stewardship: April

Actual Receipts \$65,067.18 **Actual Expenses** - \$66,542.45 Tithing 10% to Diocese - \$6,506.71 -\$ 7,981.98

Year to Date

Actual Receipts \$665,168.15 Actual Expenses -\$639,310.30 Tithing 10% to Diocese -<u>\$66,516.77</u> -\$40,658.92



Meetings & Events Monday (5-14)

8:00 am White Heart Rosary 3:20 pm Little Flower Girls

Tuesday (5-15)

7:00 pm Women's Bible Study 7:00 pm Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday (5-16)

12:00 pm Harvest House 7:30 pm Knights of Columbus

Thursday (5-17)

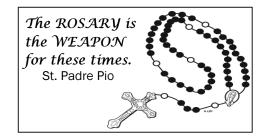
2:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul cooking 5:30 pm Stewardship Committee mtg

Friday (5-18)

5:00 pm Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary

Sunday (5-20)

9:00 am Parish Breakfast





St. Jude Guild #2 and their families to clean Church for the weekend of May 19/20. Guild Leaders:

Jane Heise @ 775-5878 or Donna Gerstenkorn @ 775-3167



Altar Servers

Monday, May 14

No Mass

Tuesday, May 15 8:00 am Kateri Mosier, Kirsten Sims

Wednesday, May 16 8:00 am

Kateri Mosier, Kirsten Sims

Thursday, May 17 8:00 am

Kateri Mosier, Kirsten Sims

Friday, May 18 8:00 am Kateri Mosier, Kirsten Sims

Saturday, May 19

No Mass

5:00 pm

Brandon Mosier, Anastasia Mosier, Samuel, Mosier, Laura Mosier

Sunday, May 20 8:00 am

Jason Standfast, Marie Standfast, Grace Standfast, Aaron Standfast

10:30 am

Riley Beckley, Dylan Beckley, Juan Miranda, Julissa Miranda

Liturgy Assignments

Saturday, May 19 5:00 pm

Hospitality: Jacki Conrady, Pat Terick, Bob Hirschfeld, Jamie Tullis,

Briant & Ellen Lewis

Lector: David Smith

Host: Liana Torkelson. Faye Danler, Linda Williams

Sunday, May 20 8:00 am

Hospitality: Harry Funke, Robert Reid Diana Burress, Jay & Michelle Poore

Lector: Don Gerstenkorn

Host: Jennifer Husselmann-R3,

Jerry & Stacy Lipscomb, (Kathi Martinez-R1)

10:30 am

Hospitality: Anne Mosier,

Don Otto Family

Lector: Penny Mosier

Host: Mike Hughes, Allan Smeltzer,

James Watson

Precious Blood: Karen Hughes, Mike & Lucy Clifton, Barb Ratcliff

REMEMBER

If you are not able to serve your scheduled time, please find a substitute.

Mass Cancelled

The Mass on Saturday, May 19 @ 8:00 am will be cancelled as Father Schemm will be going to the Cathedral for the Ordination Mass.

Augusta Community Caring Center

St. James is responsible for the Community Caring Center the week of May 14.

Monday, May 14 - 4:00-6:00 pm Wednesday, May 16 - 1:00-4:00 pm Friday, May 18 - 1:00-4:00 pm

If you are able to work, call Susan @ 775-7946 or Angie @ 775-3067



Harvest House News:

Harvest House will meet Wednesday, May 16 @ 12 noon. Lunch will be a catered roast beef dinner by Con Otto for \$5.00 (Harvest House will pay the remaining portion). Please come join the fun, fellowship

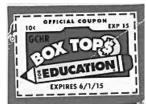
and a great meal as this will be our last gathering until next fall. RSVP to church office @ 775-2155 before Friday, May 11...



Breakfast & Silent Auction

The St James Youth Mission Group is offering a breakfast after the Breakfast Masses on Sunday, May 20th. The menu includes biscuits and

gravy, eggs, sausage, pancakes of different varieties, fresh fruit and drinks. We will also have a silent auction of new toys and miscellaneous items after the Masses on May 19th/20th. All money raised will help with van rental and gas.



Box Tops

During the period of November 2, 2017 to March 1, 2018, St. James School collected \$324.90 for Box Tops. Please continue to collect and turn in so that we can collect more \$\$'s. Thank you to all who have donated your time and energy to collect these little items off of your packages.



Midwest Catholic Family Conference

Join radio and television host Dr. Ray Guarendi at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 3-5 while he talks about how laughter can help your family overcome trials.

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Parish/School Auction Report

On Saturday evening March 3rd, St. James held it's 17th annual Parish/School Auction. The approximate net proceeds are around \$ 63,611.58 raised. However, we still have income coming in and a couple of invoices outstanding. The final amount may exceed the 2017 parish/school auction which was the highest net ever at \$65,354.14. More details will be sent out in May.

Volunteers needed:

St. Dismas Ministry to the Incarcerated is a Ministry of the Catholic Diocese of Wichita where volunteers work within the prisons and jails in our Diocese and assist the incarcerated by attending Mass, offering Bible Studies and RCIA classes and other various activities. We currently serve at El Dorado Correctional Facility, Hutchinson Correctional Facilities (Central, East and South Units), Winfield Correctional Facility, Oswego Correctional Facility, Sedgwick County Jail (men and women), Butler County Jail (men and women) and Sumner County Jail. Please contact Jennifer Bugner @ 316-269-3900 ext. 165 for more information on volunteering.



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