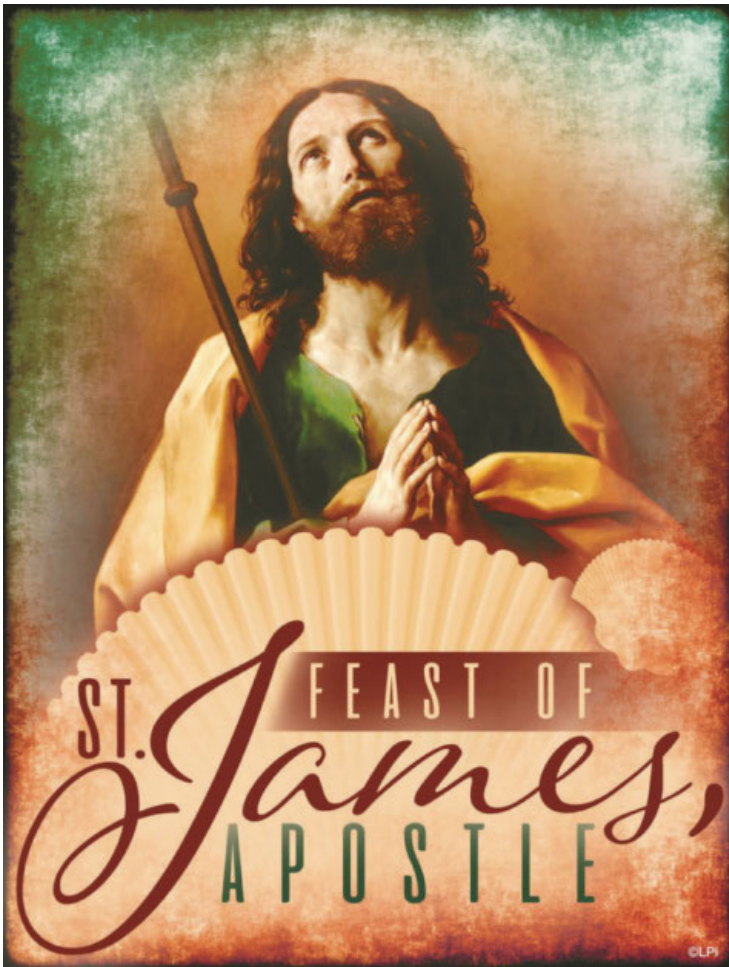


July 27, 2025



This weekend we honor St. James, the patron Saint of this parish. His feast day was July 25.

St. James Parish is here to help all people experience meaning and purpose in life.

Lord's Day Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

(through Labor Day Weekend)

Weekday Masses in the Historic Chapel

Wednesday & Friday at 8:00 am

Individual Reconciliation

Reconciliation Room, Saturday's 3:45 pm - 4:15 pm

Eucharistic Adoration in the Historic Chapel

Tuesday's 8:30 am - 7:00 pm

Saturday's 7:00 - 8:00 am



Saint James Parish

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Parish Staff Directory

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Enter NW side door of Church

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OUTREACH

Sussex Food Pantry

N64 W23760 Main Street 262 246-9860

Mondays 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Wednesdays 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Saturdays 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Donations can be dropped off:

Mon - Fri between 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

St. Vincent de Paul 262-251-3944

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Feast of St. James the Greater July 25

St. James, brother of St. John, is called the “Greater” because he followed Christ before the other apostle of the same name. St James was the first of the Twelve to be martyred by order of Herod Agrippa I in 44 AD. He is venerated at Compostella Spain. He is the patron of pilgrims, of Spain, Guatemala, Nicaragua, and our parish community. St. James the Greater pray for us.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Wednesday, July 30

8:00 am †Ruth Hencik (Family)

Friday, August 1

8:00 am †Ruth Youngbauer (Mike & Kathy Gotthardt)

Saturday, August 2

4:30 pm St. James Parishioners

Sunday, August 3

9:00 am †Grieb Family & Friends (Grieb Family)

†Kasmer Klimas (Family)

†Helen Vetter (Don & Dee Ooton)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 (3a)/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

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Stewardship: July 20, 2025

Stewardship:	\$ 19,080.00
Offertory:	\$ 989.52
Prior Year Assessment	\$ 30.00
Line of Credit	\$ 375.00

Total: \$ 20,474.52

Thank you for your support of St. James

To make an online contribution: Text: 73256 Message is: STJMF

**SCAM
ALERT**

If you ever receive an email or request that *appears* to come from Fr. John or a member of St. James staff with a discreet or urgent request, **do not reply and do not click any links.** PLEASE do not respond, send money, or purchase anything!

If you receive this type of email, please call the parish office at 262-251-3944 to speak with us directly.

Reverse Collection

Reverse Collection tickets will be handed out next weekend at Masses on August 2nd & 3rd. Each ticket lists 4 specific food items the Sussex Food pantry has requested.

If you are unable to donate on August 9th & 10th, your donations can be dropped off at the food pantry, Monday through Friday between 10:00 AM and noon, or you can leave the donations in the barrels at Piggly Wiggly and Pick N Save.

If you are not able to pick up a Reverse Collection ticket, listed below are the items on the tickets.

Canned spaghetti/ravioli	spaghetti/	Oatmeal
Hamburger Helper		Jelly/Jam
Canned Vegetables		Canned Fruit or Applesauce
Pasta Sauce		Bottled Juice
Sides: Pasta, Rice, or Potato		Deodorant
Stuffing Mix		Shampoo
Chunky Soup		Conditioner
Sloppy Joe Sauce		Toothpaste
Canned Chicken		Dish soap
Cereal: Life, Honey Nut Cheerios, Special K, Chex		



Thank you for your generosity and willingness to help Sussex Food Pantry help our neighbors in need.

**REGISTER FOR 2025-26
CHRISTIAN FORMATION
CLASSES**

It's that time to get your children signed up for 2025-26 CF Classes! To register go to the CF page on the St. James website. Class times fill on a first come first serve basis so don't delay.

Catechists are needed for the 2025-2026 school year. To learn more call the Christian Formation Office 262-251-0897.

Please join us after all Masses next weekend August 2 & 3, for Fellowship, hosted by Christian Formation

Enjoy a few treats and the fellowship of our parish family.

Chat with our mission trippers about their experiences, and meet Maggie our new Youth Ministry Coordinator.

New Hearing Assist System

St. James is pleased to announce we have a new Hearing Assist System available for your use in the church. WaveCAST can be accessed through a cell phone and ear buds, your own Bluetooth enabled Hearing Aid, a separate unit with an earpiece or a lanyard that can be worn around the neck (Both available in the Ushers Room, please ask an usher for assistance).

Perhaps the easiest way to take advantage of this listening aid is through your cell phone. Below are a few simple steps to utilize this new system.

- Download the *WaveCast Audio Receiver* app from the Apple app store or wherever you get your apps.
- When you arrive at church open the Settings on your cell phone and then click on the WI-Fi icon.
- **St. James Guest** should appear as an option for networks. Select that network. A password is not needed.
- Close out of Settings and open the WaveCast icon on your phone.
- Select **St. James Guest** network.
- Be sure your cell phone Bluetooth is connected to your earbuds or hearing aids with Bluetooth capabilities.

Please remember to always silence the ringer on your phone while at church.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- Sunday, July 27** **Mass at 9:00 am**
St. James Feast Day Ice Cream Social | 10:00 am
- Monday, July 28**
VBS | 9:00 am
- Tuesday, July 29**
Adoration | 8:30 am
VBS | 9:00 am
CF Staff Meeting | 1:00 pm
- Wednesday, July 30** **Mass at 8:00 am**
VBS | 9:00 am
- Thursday, July 31**
VBS | 9:00 am
- Friday, August 1** **Mass at 8:00 am**
VBS | 9:00 am
- Saturday, August 2** **Mass at 4:30 pm**
Reconciliation | 3:45 pm
Reverse Collection Ticket Distribution | during Mass
Fellowship after Mass | 5:30 pm
- Sunday, August 3** **Mass at 9:00 am**
Reverse Collection Ticket Distribution | during Mass
Boy Scout Troop 175 Meeting | 6:00 pm
Fellowship after Mass | 10:00 am

St. James website has the current calendar for the entire year.



Operation Backpack



The members of the Cooperating Churches of Sussex are sponsoring **Operation Backpack 2025**. This is a way to ensure that every child in the Sussex area receives some of the necessary school supplies to get the school year off to a great start. You can help by donating needed school supplies. There will be a collection bin at your church or Sussex Outreach until **August 4**. Suggested items include:

- New, sturdy backpacks
- **Wide-ruled** notebooks
- **Wide-ruled** loose leaf paper
- Folders
- Pens (black, blue, red)
- Markers (fine and broad tip)
- #2 pencils
- Colored pencils
- Highlighters
- Pencil Boxes
- Black Sharpie Markers
- Protractors
- Post-It Notes
- Rulers
- Compasses
- Calculators (basic 4-function)
- Watercolor paints
- Dry erase markers
- Erasers (pencil cap and regular)
- School glue
- Glue sticks

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Again this year, supplies can be donated using one of our online wish lists.

Just click on a logo or scan a QR code and start shopping!

TARGET



Distribution of supplies will be **Thursday, August 14th** from 10:00am–noon and 5:00pm–7:00pm at **Sussex Outreach Services, N64 W23760 Main Street**. Children will choose a pre-filled backpack and some additional supplies. If you or someone you know is in financial need of school supplies, register at: <https://www.sussexareasos.org/Operation-Backpack>. Please contact Tracy at SOS (262-347-3562 or info@sussexareasos.org) with questions. To be eligible for the supplies, students must attend a school in the Hamilton School District or attend one of the Cooperating Churches of Sussex (Christ Our Savior Lutheran, Lisbon Presbyterian, Redeemer United Church of Christ, St. Alban's Episcopal, St. James Catholic, Sussex United Methodist, St. John's United Church of Christ in Merton) and have a financial need.

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