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ST. JAMES IS A VIBRANT, WELCOMING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY JOURNEYING TOWARDS THE FULLNESS OF THE KINGDOM OF GOD THROUGH WORSHIP, FORMATION, AND SERVICE.

LORD'S DAY MASS TIMES

SATURDAY 4:30 PM
SUNDAY 8:15 & 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses in the Historic Chapel
Wednesday & Friday at 8:00 am

Individual Reconciliation
Reconciliation Room, Saturdays 3:30 - 4:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration in the Historic Chapel
Tuesdays 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Saturdays 7:00 - 8:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday - November 4
8:00am | † Jerome Hemsing (Michelle Galante)
Friday - November 6
8:00am | † Beloved Deceased Family Members (Aucena Kuether)
Saturday - November 7 Fr. John (PDL)
4:30pm | † Sr. Angela Behen (John & Louise Vos)
Sunday - November 8 8:15 - Fr. Kim (PDL) | 10:30 Fr. John (PDL)
8:15 am | † Deceased Members of St. James
10:30 am | † Irene, Dennis & Doug Nolde & Judy Alcorn (Ken & Sharon Gilpin)

The presider listed was accurate at the time of publishing. The presider subject to change. PDL = Dcn. Lance is preaching

STEWARDSHIP OCTOBER 25, 2026

Stewardship:	$	8,282.00
Line of Credit:	$	385.00
Prior Year Assessment	$	110.00
Offertory:	$	1,469.00
Total:	**$**	**10,246.00**

Thank you for your support of St. James!
To make an online contribution
TEXT: 73256 Message is STMF

PRAYER NETWORK



If you have a prayer request, please email Terri Grimmer at: tmg1123@yahoo.com

If you would like to help us in praying for these requests please contact Terri so she can add you to her email list.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday - November 1 **Masses 8:15 & 10:30 am**
No Christian Formation classes
No Confirmation classes
Handling the Holidays after Loss Presentation | 9:15am
Monday - November 2
Tuesday - November 3
Eucharistic Adoration | 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday - November 4 **Mass 8:00 am**
Human Concerns Committee Mtg. | 5:00 pm
Anti-Trafficking Group Mtg. | 6:00 pm
Thursday - November 5
Sheepshead | 12:30 pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal | 6:30 pm
Friday - November 6 **Mass 8:00 am**
Men's Group | 6:30 am
SOAL | 9:00 am
Saturday - November 7 **Mass 4:30 pm**
Individual Reconciliation | 3:30 pm
Anointing of the Sick | 5:30 pm
Blood Pressure Screening | 5:30 pm
Fellowship | 5:30 pm
Sunday - November 8 **Masses 8:15 & 10:30 am**
Christian Formation Classes 3K-5K | 8:15 am
Christian Formation Classes Gr. 1-5 | 9:30 am
OCIA | 9:30 am
Baptism Prep | 11:45 am
Christian Formation Classes Gr. 6-10 | 4:30 & 6:00 pm
Confirmation Classes | 11:30 am , 4:30 & 6:00 pm



WEEKLY READINGS

Week of November 1, 2026

Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/ Mt 5:1-12a
Monday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/ Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11/Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32/ Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Phil 3:17-4:1/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/ 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



Adoration is held in the historic chapel.
Tuesdays from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Saturdays 7:00 - 8:00 am
There will be no Adoration the following dates: Saturday, November 21 and Tuesday, November 24th.

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

The Survivors

"I'm no saint."

We hear people say this all the time, and what they usually mean is this: "I've made mistakes." Well, congratulations! You have taken that first crucial step to sainthood. You're well on your way!

A saint is not a person with fewer-than-average mistakes. A saint is a person with greater-than-average hope.

What is hope? Hope is certainty in the promises of God over the merits of man. Hope is what makes a Christian rejoice when he hears the litany of earthly trials described in the Beatitudes, because hope makes him see not the trials but the grace promised through them.

Hope remembers, always, that God is in the business of bringing life from death.

"These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress." (Rev. 7:14) This is how we hear the saints described in the Book of Revelation. We do not hear: "These are the ones who were perfect. These are the ones who had no faults. These are the ones who made good choices."

No — these are the ones who survived.

We are all buried in the rubble heap of sin and death. Many of us despair and cry, "We cannot climb out!" The saint is the one who has the hope to answer, "But Someone is coming. Just wait." The saint is the one who looks for the sliver of light, who reaches for it even when everyone else dismisses it as illusion.

Follow the saints. They know how to survive. ©LPi

POPE LEO'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER

For the proper use of wealth. Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and the solidarity of those who have less.

IS GOD CALLING YOU?



The Knights of Columbus are holding a fundraising event at the Pizza Ranch located on Townline Rd. on ***Thursday, November 5,*** from 4:00-8:00 pm ***10% of sales and 100% of cash tips*** will be donated to support the work the St. James Knights of Columbus does within our community.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament of healing appropriate not only for those in immediate danger of death but also for those suffering from chronic illness or preparing for surgery. The individual receives from the Holy Spirit the graces of "strengthening, peace, and courage to overcome the difficulties that go with the condition of serious illness or frailty of old age.
CCC 1520

Anointing of the Sick will take place at St. James immediately following 4:30 Mass next Saturday, November 7th. Parishioners will be invited to remain in their seats following Mass if they wish to be anointed. If you are unable to attend next Saturday we will have anointing Sunday, November 15th after both Masses.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

The American Heart Association reports that nearly half of all Americans over age twenty have high blood pressure, which increases their risk of heart attack, stroke, and other health threats. High blood pressure usually has no symptoms, so it is important to have your blood pressure checked regularly.
Blood Pressure Ministry volunteers will be available in the Great Room to check your blood pressure following 4:30 Mass next Saturday, November 7. If you are unable to attend next Saturday we will have blood pressure screenings Sunday, November 15th after both Masses.



REQUEST FROM SUSSEX OUTREACH SERVICES

Sussex Outreach is looking for donations of clean warm winter gear that is in good condition for both children and adults. These items can be dropped off at the Sussex Food Pantry.



FELLOWSHIP

Join us for Fellowship, hosted by the Finance Committee, after all Masses next weekend, November 7 & 8.
This is an opportunity to visit with fellow parishioners and learn more about the work of the Finance Committee and ask questions.

GRIEF SHARE: SURVING THE HOLIDAYS

Will be held at St. Gabriel in Hubertus November 10, 9:15 - 11:00 am or December 3, 6:30-8:00 pm.
Register at www.griefshare.org.

BABY BOTTLE RETURNS

Please return all Baby Bottles by next weekend November 7 & 8. There are boxes by the entrance doors to return the baby bottles. All money collected goes to Life's Connection.

HOLLY DAYS

SATURDAY DECEMBER 5TH
4:00 - 7:00 PM
SUNDAY DECEMBER 6TH
8:00 AM - NOON

HOLLY DAYS 2026 – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
IT TAKES A PARISH

We're excited to kick off another festive season with St. James Holly Days, and we need your help to make it magical! We're looking for volunteers to assist with:

- 🎄Set-up & Clean-up
- 🎄Baking
- 🎄Decorating
- 🎄Event Staffing

Various time slots are available to fit your schedule.

📍 Sign-up sheets will be available in the Gathering Area throughout November, or you can sign up online using this link: https://tinyurl.com/hollydays-signup26 or scan this QR code

CALLING ALL BAKERS!

It's time to dig out your favorite recipes for the **Holly Days Bake Sale**! If you bake it, we'll take it—whether it's:

- 🎄Cookies & bars
- 🎄Cakes & pies
- 🎄Candy
- 🎄Chex Mix or other treats

🗓️ **Bakery donations are needed for Saturday and Sunday.** 📦 **Drop-off begins Saturday, December 5th at 9:00 AM.** Please **label your items clearly** and **specify if they contain nuts**. Let's make this year's Holly Days the sweetest one yet!

HOLLY DAYS DONATION BOXES WILL BE OUT THROUGHOUT NOVEMBER

The following items are needed:

Secret Santa Workshop: New items for men, women, teens & children. We also need gift bags and tissue. Santa's Workshop gives children the joy of choosing their own special gifts for parents and family members. We especially need gifts for men and teens.

Used Books: Books, CDs, DVDs. Please no encyclopedias, magazines or VHS tapes.

Theme Basket Donations: We need colored paper shred and large and jumbo size CLEAR basket gift bags to create the Theme Baskets this year in addition to donations to fill the baskets. Please donate new items that we can combine with other donations to create our much loved Theme Baskets. **If you are donating alcohol or a complete basket, please deliver it to the Parish Office.

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