SAINTHJAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

General Parish Information

Directory

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Church Office:	
School Office	
Early Learning Center:	
Convent:	
School Office	general@stjamessav.com
Website:	www.stjamessav.com
Office Hours: Mon-Thurs.: 9am-5 2nd & 4th Sunday: 8:30am-12:30r	pm; Fri.: 9am-1:00pm
2nd & 4th Sunday: 8:30am-12:30r	om

Staff

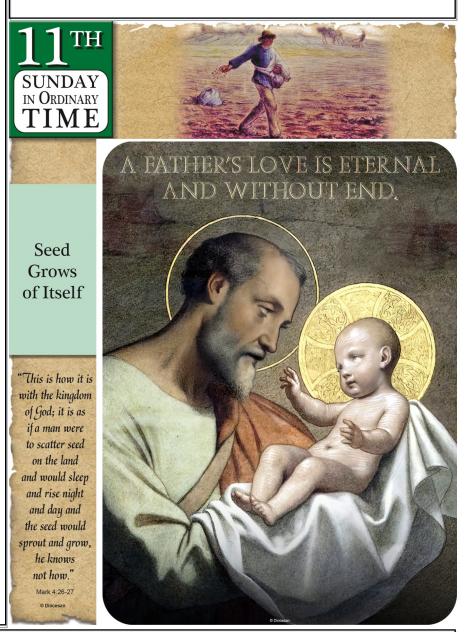
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Very Rev. Daniel F. Firmin, JCL	Pastor
Rev. Peter Lanshima	Parochial Vicar
Rev. Lewis King	Parochial Vicar
Rev. Mr. Lou Santore	Deacon
Sr. Stephanie Gabriel, IHM	Dir. of Evangelization
Sr. Joan Felicia, IHM	School Principal
Mrs. Misty Ellison-YoussefDire	ctor Early Learning Ctr
Mrs. Bonnie MacAulay	Administrative Assistant
Mr. Charles AnchetaMı	sic Director & Organist
Mr. Mark Kolbush	Director of Finance
Mrs. Susanna Powers	Receptionist
Mr. Richard Morgan	Maintenance
Mr. Matt Keck	Maintenance
	Rev. Peter Lanshima

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Mass Schedule

Mass Schedule
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00* & 11:30* am (*Nursery available)
Vigil:
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WeekdaysMonday-Friday 7:00am & 8:30am; Saturday 9am
Wednesday additional Mass at 5:30pm
Isle of Hope:
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Holy Days of Obligation:TBA
Pro-Life Holy Hour:Tuesdays 5:00–6:00pm
(Rosary, Adoration and Benediction)
Sacraments
Reconciliation: Weekdays Mon-Fri: 7:45 - 8:15am; Tues-5pm,
Saturday: 3:454:45pm, and by other times by appt.
Baptism:Please call the parish office to pre-register
Anointing of the Sick:For anointing, or in case of an
emergency, please call the parish office.
Marriage:Please contact a parish priest
Lumen Christi Perpetual Adoration Chapel24/7

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JUNE 16TH, 2024



James Church Parish Mission Statement

Saint James the Less Parish will conduct our lives in ways that illustrate our discipleship to Jesus Christ by evangelizing His Word, promoting a culture of life, embracing the richness of the Catholic Faith, use the Beatitudes to model our behaviors, and draw closer to Him through the Sacraments where we will receive courage, zeal, confidence, purpose, and the blessings of the Holy Trinity.

WELCOME, **VISITORS!** We extend a warm welcome to the individuals and families who are celebrating with us today. We invite you to register with our Parish Family. You can fill out a registration form online or at the kiosk located in the Narthex, and return it to the church office.

8412 Whitefield Avenue ~ Savannah, Georgia 31406 ~ 912.355.1523 ~ website: www.stjamessav.com



Saturday, June 29th, 2024 at 6 PM in the parish center

Pastor's Corner 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We had a successful Vacation Bible School this past week for around 50 young people! They explored and deepened their relationship with God through prayer, song, learning, crafts, and good fun! Thank you to everyone who participated and a special thanks to all the volunteers who made this week possible! We couldn't have done it without you!

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Monday, June 17, the church office will shift to summer hours and be available for people to drop in Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. In the afternoon, staff will be available by phone, but the office will be closed. Some of us may still have meetings and will be around, but we will not be receiving anyone stopping by the office in the afternoon. Please note this shift in hours.

THANK YOU!

Wednesday, June 5th, I celebrated 20 years of priestly ministry with a mass and a reception. It was beautiful and elegant! I was deeply honored and encouraged by all who came and dropped notes, and just by your presence. Your love, support, and generosity touched me greatly and made a large impact on me. It shows your love and appreciation not just for me, but for the priesthood of Jesus Christ. The priesthood is a gift to us. Without it there would be no Eucharist, no Mass, no Confession, no Anointing or Last Rites. The calling to the priesthood and to serve the beautiful and holy people of God is an honor and a blessing. I would do it all over again! Thank you so much for your love, appreciation and support!

As we enter the depths of summer, may the Lord grant you abundant rest and relaxation on your vacations! May they bring about renewal and rejuvenation!

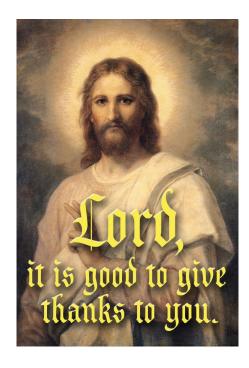
Don't forget to tend to your spiritual life as we tend to our need to slow down a bit and rest! There is no break to our relationship with Jesus!

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

We wish all of our fathers a very Happy Father's Day today! This day, may we honor and love them for who they are in our lives and the love they pour out upon us.

May the Lord Jesus bless you and your families abundantly this week!

~ Fr. Daniel Firmin



Mass Schedule & Intentions

**Please pray daily for our Priests, Seminarians & IHM Sisters

6/16 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

7:30 am	For the People ~ Fr. King
9:00 am	+ Tatyana Taura ~ Fr. Peter
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11:30 am+ John Hanzel ~ Fr. Firmin

**William Leahy, Raymond Levreault, Michael Lubinsky, Louis Lussier | Fred Wiliams

6/17 Monday

1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt 5:38-42

7:00 am + Sr. Roberta Marie Mattox ~ Fr. Peter

- 8:30 am + Frances DeWitt ~ Fr. Peter
- ** John Lyons, John R. Madden, Anthony Madanu, Esteban Mallar | Tuan Joseph Vuong | Sr. Rachael Elizabeth Wilson

6/18 Tuesday

1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16; Mt 5:43-4	1 Kg	s 21:17-29;	Ps 51:3-4,	5-6ab, 11	and 16;	Mt 5:43-48
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7:00 amSpecial Intention, Hilda Sotela ~ Fr. Firmin8:30 am+ Margie Dobson ~ Fr. Peter

** Nicholas Mansell, John Markham, Allan McDonald, William McIntyre | Gilbert Ofori Mensah | Sr. Alexis Karen Reavill

6/19 Wednesday

2 Kgs 2:1,	, 6-14; Ps 31:20,	, 21, 24;	Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

7:00 am	+ Sr. Mary Hickey ~ Fr. Firmin
8:30 am	+ John Griffith, Jr. ~ Fr. Peter
5:30 pm	+ Kristen Barnes Richsteig ~ Fr. Firmin

**Timothy McKeown, Odel Medina, Pablo Migone, Richard Minch | Stephen Owusu Dwamena | Sr. Megan Elizabeth Capurso

6/20 Thursday

Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6:7-15	
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7:00 amSpecial Intention, Alejo & Jaime Montoya ~ TBD8:30 amSpecial Intention, Richard & Josie Lee ~ TBD

**Thomas Murphy, Thomas Nellis, Kim Son Nguyen, Martino Nguyen | Benjamin Aler | Sr. Elizabeth Anne Bartholomew

6/21 Friday St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23

7:00 am + Sr. Mary C. Hall ~ Fr. Peter 8:30 am + Margaret Monfort ~ Fr. Peter

**Peter Hung Nguyen, Fred Nijem, Patrick O'Brien, Daniel O'Connell

6/22 Saturday

2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34; Mt 6:24-34

9:00 am Special Intention, Maria Montoya ~ Fr. Peter

5:00 pm Special Intention, Michael & Donna Holmes ~ Fr. King

**Paul O'Connell, Kevin O'Keefe, Paulinus Okpala | Kevin Braski

6/23 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jb 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

- 7:30 am + Cephise Harty ~ Fr. Peter
- 9:00 am For the People \sim Fr. King
- 11:30 am + Jim Routon \sim Fr. Peter

**Keith O'Neill, Barnabas O'Reilly, Brian O'Shaughnessy, Patrick Otor | Ziemowit Janaszek | Sr. Rachael Elizabeth Wilson

The Nursery is available for children 4 and under during the 9 AM and 11:30 AM Sunday Masses. The Nursery is located in the Early Learning Center, Classroom #2.

A PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father, your only son took upon himself the sufferings and weakness of all mankind; through His passion and cross He taught us how good can be brought out of suffering. Look upon our brothers and sisters who are ill. In the midst of illness and pain, may they be united with Christ, who heals both body and soul; may they know the consolation promised to those who suffer and be fully restored to health.

 \sim Through Christ our Lord. \sim Amen.

We pray for the sick of our Parish Community:

Fr. Daniel Firmin, Deacon Bob Fritz, Deacon Jerry Clark, Phin Michael, Josie Lee, Sandy Ramirez, Mary Anne Walters, Donna Katula, Marjorie Waters, Nick & Thomas Turchiano, Connie Tyler, Spyros Root, Paul Baldwin, Brian DeRouen, Monica & Pamela De Guzman, and all those listed in the book of the sick.

In order for a name to be included on the prayer list, an immediate family member must notify the church office at 912-355-1523. Names will be listed here for 4 weeks and then entered into the Book of the Sick, unless the office is notified otherwise.

A PRAYER FOR THE DEAD

Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints, grant that our relatives, friends, and benefactors, who have passed from this world, may come to share your eternal happiness in the communion of saints.

~ Through Christ our Lord. ~ Amen.

We pray for the repose of the souls of:

Jody Moran, Joe Boggs, Joseph Verwiel, Bruce Nyberg, and all our deceased family and friends.



Welcome to our new members:

Thien and Anh Nguyen Dinh & Family

Neil and Allie Putnam

	St. James Weekly Calendar
6/16 Elevent	h Sunday in Ordinary Time~ Happy Father's Day
8:00-11:15am	SJC Choir-Mercy Conference Rm
4:00~5:00pm	Eucharistic Holy Hour with Vespers-Church
7:00рт	Chosen and Cheesesteak-Mercy Conf. Rm
Please join us for the R	osary for Fr. Firmin and his continued healing daily after the 8:30am
6/17 Monday	
7:45-8:15am	Confessions-Church
9:00am	Rosary-Cry Room
6/18 Tuesday	
7:45-8:15am	Confessions-Church
9:00am	Rosary-Cry Room
5:00-6:00рт	Confessions-Church
5:00-6:00pm	Prolife Holy Hour-Church
6:00pm	RCIA Confessions-Church
6/19 Wednes	
Church office Clo	
6:20-7:30am	TMIY-PC/8ym
7:45-8:15am	Confessions-Church
9:00am	Rosary-Cry Room
6:30-8:00pm	Choir Practice-Church
6/20 Thursda	-
7:45-8:15am	Confessions-Church
9:00am	Rosary-Cry Room
6/21 Friday	
7:45-8:15am	Confessions-Church
8:00am~8:00pm	Stroke Scan-Mercy Conference Rm
9:00am	Rosary-Cry Room
6/22 Saturda	
8:30am	Rosary-Church
3:45-4:45pm	Confessions-Church
6/23	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00-11:15am	SJS Choir-Mercy Conference Rm
4:00-5:00pm	Eucharistic Holy Hour with Vespers-Church
5:00~7:00pm	Chosen and Cheesesteak-Mercy Conf. Rm

Happy Father's Day

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. 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.

SUNDAY

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PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Offertory for Sunday

June 2, 2024

\$28,683.67

YTD Offertory: July 1st through June 2nd

2022-23 Actua		 	\$1,435,824.63
2023-24 Budge	et		\$1,462,411.41
2023-24 Actua			\$1,507,082.16

2024 ACA Progress Report as of 5/30/2024

Total Given & Pledged \$153,639.09	
ACA Parish Goal:	\$134,000
% Participation:	21.67

Thank you for your generous gifts to the Stewardship of Treasure. The offertory is the primary means of support for the parish and provides programs, support, and services to our parishioners, school and community.

SIGN UP FOR ONLINE GIVING Visit our parish website at www.stjamessav.com and select the Online Giving link. If you have any questions please contact Mark Kolbush at 912-355-1523 or email: Mkolbush@stjamessav.com

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE.

Stewardship is determined by:

- * Being registered and active for at least 3 months
- * Faithful participation at Sunday & Holy Day liturgies
- * Regular and identifiable support of the parish, use of parish envelopes. Even if you can't make a donation, please use your envelopes.

These criteria are used to verify parishioner status for: Sponsorship, participation in sacraments, education, pastoral and social ministries, and Catholic School verification.

FORMED.ORG

A revolutionary online platform featuring some of the best Catholic videos, audio talks, eBooks and movies. This is a wonderful resource for personal faith formation.

To sign up FREE visit formed.org and click on "sign up" and then click "Sign up as a parishioner" then enter Parish Code: NHNFN2 or St. James Savannah. Enter your email and create a password (You will use this to login later). You can get Formed on your phone, tablet, Roku, Amazon Firestick, AppleTV.

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ABUSE HOTLINE... To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline at 888-357-5330 or the Office for Protection of Children & Young

people at 912-201-4073. To read the policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to www.diosav.org/childyouthprotection.



THANK YOU!

To all, named & anonymous, who made Vacation Bible School a positive, faith-filled week!

Muller Family

Marie Goulet

Michael Bandy

Rex & Gony Pe

Ruby Weitzell

Mia Braddy

Logan Cate

Joanne Jenkins

Tim Kean

Donors

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Robin Olson

Pat Signs

Iris Smith

Jen Baldwin

Angie Beck

Tia DeBlieux

Eileen Holliday

Beth Buttimer

Maureen Simmons

Maryce Cunningham

Larry Schmitz Vogt Family **Brion Ehret Tirao Family Youmans Family** Holly McBride Maria Montoya **A'Raina Smalls** Ashley Taylor Anna Rubio

Perez Family Jennifer Selig Elizabeth Shiring Andrew Steighner Eileen Buchner Cathy Robinson Janet Hendrix Sandy Pearle **Bartholomew Family Muller Family**

Volunteers

Campbell Dorroh Emma Fitzgerald Serena Gamboa Michelle Harrison Anne Marie Head Hannah Huber Sophia Lay **Bo Little** Whitney Mitchell Kai Niederwanger **Joseph Nyberg**

Eric Nyberg **Annabelle Paquette Max Pretorius Olivia Shingler McKinley Tate** Reagan Tate Jack Walker **Madeleine Sherman** Lillian McDonald **Lilly Beringson**



KNITTERS, CROCHETERS, AND QUILTERS!! CCW makes lap blankets, shawls and hats for cancer patients, the home-bound, nursing homes and others in need. Please contact the church office for more information. If you know someone in need please alert a CCW member or the parish office. Yarn and knitting needles or crochet hooks can be provided, as well as instructions. Lap blankets (40"-50" square or rectangle) and shawls cannot have fringe (due to wheelchairs/electronic chairs). Donations of yarn, knitting needles, crochet hooks, quilting fabric, etc., are appreciated. Please drop your donations at the church office.

St. James Church Food Pantry Ministry News

Our next Food Pantry **will be July 20th** in the school cafeteria from 10:00 am – 11:30 am. For more information, please call the Food Pantry line at 912-800-9006. If you would like to volunteer, please call the church office at 912-355-1523. **We CANNOT accept any items in glass containers or that have expired**. St. James Food Pantry in Urgent Need of Items to Restock the Shelves. Shelf stable complete meals: Beef stew, or chunky soups (preferably cans with pull tops), healthy snacks including nuts, granola bars, pancake mix, canned pork & beans, shelf stable milk, toothpaste & toothbrushes, laundry detergent.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS ALWAYS NEEDED

Oatmeal Canned chicken Tuna fish Jelly & Peanut butter Dry macaroni Spaghetti sauce Breakfast bars Breakfast cereal Canned fruits Kleenex Toilet paper Low sodium soups & Veg



The Martin de Porres Society of Savannah A Local 501- C (3) Non- Profit Organization. Serving Savannah's Children and Families Since 1985 Dr. George L. and Mrs. Yolanda S. Negron, Founders



The Martin de Porres Society Of Savannah and Congregation Mickve Israel Hosts Their Sixth Annual Jazz Benefit Concert For Camp Lighthouse.



An exciting Jazz Benefit Concert in support of Camp Lighthouse will be held on Sunday, June 30, 2024, at Congregation Mickve Israel, 20 East Gordon Street, at 4:00 PM. Performances will be given by renowned Teddy Adams and Sextet featuring the extraordinaire Jazz Soloist Husxie Scott.



Dr. George L. and Mrs. Yolanda S. Negron Legacy Of Service Award will also be presented to longstanding supporters of Camp Lighthouse at the concert.

Your tax-deductible contributions from this event will assist in providing positive summer camp experiences for youth in underserved areas of our community. Camp Lighthouse has been providing unique camp summer experiences for Savannah's youth since 1997.

Tickets are \$50.00 for adults and \$20.00 for youth and college students. They may be purchased at Congregation Mickve Israel, Saint James Catholic Church, Longhorn Restaurant (Abercorn Location), and Saints and Shamrocks. Purchase your tickets as soon as possible, due to limited seating. Upon receipt of your funds, we will include your name(s) on our guest list. You may also consider sponsoring one youth at a \$150.00 sponsorship level, four youths at a \$600.00 sponsorship level, or eight youths at a \$1, 200 sponsorship level. Sponsorships are due by Tuesday, June 18, 2024, to be listed in our printed program booklet. Donations are also very much appreciated.

Cash App is available at: \$martindeporres (Remember to add your name and indicate if it is for a ticket(s), sponsorship, or donation. At Eventbrite search for Martin de Porres Sixth Annual Jazz Benefit Concert.You may also mail in your contributions to The Martin de Martin de Porres Society Of Savannah, 3807 Skidaway Road, Savannah, Ga. 31404. Attention: Mrs. Gail G. Brown. Dress Attire: Semi- Formal. For additional information, please contact Mrs. Gail G. Brown at (912) 358-8887 or gailbro2@yahoo.com or Rabbi Haas at (912) 233-1547, rabbihaas@mickveisrael.org.

Thank you so much for your generosity and for your investment into the lives of our youth. Mrs. Gail G. Brown and Rabbi Robert Haas, Committee Chairpersons.

Today, a Representative will be attending all Masses to announce the ultrasound screening event. Pre-registration will be held after each Mass for the ultrasound screening event that is scheduled for June 21st, 2024 in the Mercy Conference Room.



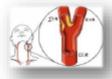
Vascular & Organ Wellness Ultrasound Screenings St. James Catholic Church on Friday, June 21st

Please call 832-437-7355 for your appointment.

Do You Have Any of These Risk Factors?

High Blood Pressure High Cholesterol Family History of Stroke, Heart Attack, Aortic Aneurysms or Cancer Diabetes Atrial Fibrillation Obesity

The first symptom of a stroke IS a stroke! Early detection helps to save lives. Manage these controllable risk factors: smoking, unhealthy diet, physical inactivity, excessive weight, and alcohol consumption.



Stroke Risk Screening Ultrasound of the carotid artery looking for plaque or blocked arteries.



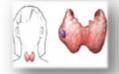
Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening Ultrasound of the abdominal aorta looking for an aneurysm.



Liver Screening Ultrasound looking for physical lesions such as masses or tumors.



Kidneys (2) Screening † Ultrasound looking for physical lesions such as cysts, masses, and stones.



Thyroid Screening † Ultrasound looking for physical lesions such as nodules or cysts.



Gallbladder Screening † Ultrasound looking for physical lesions such as polyps, stones, and sludge.

Total Discounted Package: All 7 Ultrasounds for \$169

Appointments: 832-437-7355; † No substitutions or discounts allowed

Additional Testing Available*

(not included in package cost)

- A1c (Diabetes) \$25
- Lipids/Cholesterol \$25
- VTD (Vitamin D) \$45
- PSA (Prostate) \$45
- TSH (Thyroid) \$45
- CRP (Cardiac/Inflammation) \$45
- COR (Cortisol/Adrenal Glands) \$45
- GGT (Liver Enzyme) \$45
- CRE (Kidney Creatinine Serum) \$45
- TTE (Testosterone) \$45
- Bone Density (T-Score) \$25

*Bloodwork may not be available in all regions.



Screening Preparations Wear a two-piece comfortable outfit, no dresses.

- No food or caffeine 4 hours prior to screening.
- · If you are diabetic, make sure to eat a light snack.
- No chewing gum before the exams.
- 8 hours fast if having the cholesterol test.
- If you are taking medication, continue to take it.

For blood package pricing, open phone camera, hover over QR code and tap the link.

Saving Lives Since 2001!



Results read by a Board-Certified Radiologist and mailed directly to you in 3-4 weeks. Life threatening results expedited. Unless you are symptomatic, typically, your doctor will not order diagnostic versions of these screenings and insurance companies may not pay for them. Please note that there is a 350 lb. weight limit on the medical screening tables. Stroke Scan Plus www.strokescan.com (ENG 060423)



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