



# SAINT JAMES

## CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

### General Parish Information

#### Directory

Church Office: .....912-355-1523  
 School Office .....912-355-3132  
 Early Learning Center: .....912-629-2430  
 Convent: .....912-355-6815  
 Email: .....general@stjamesav.com  
 Website: .....www.stjamesav.com  
 Office Hours: Mon-Thurs.: 9am-5pm; Fri.: 9am-1:00pm  
 2nd & 4th Sunday: 8:30am-12:30pm

#### Staff

Very Rev. Daniel F. Firmin, JCL.....*Pastor*  
 Rev. Gabriel Gberikon.....*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-Youssef.....*Director Early Learning Ctr*  
 Mrs. Bonnie MacAulay.....*Administrative Assistant*  
 Mr. Charles Ancheta.....*Music Director & Organist*  
 Mr. Mark Kolbush.....*Director of Finance*  
 Mrs. Susanna Powers.....*Receptionist*  
 Mr. Richard Morgan.....*Maintenance*  
 Mr. Matt Keck.....*Maintenance*

### St. James Catholic School

For information or tours 355-3132

8412 Whitefield Avenue ~ Savannah, GA

[www.stjameschargers.com](http://www.stjameschargers.com)

#### Mass Schedule

Sunday:.....7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 am (Nursery available)  
 Vigil:.....5:00 pm (except on Holy Saturday)

Weekdays.....Monday-Friday 7:00am & 8:30am; Saturday 9am  
 Wednesday additional Mass at 5:30pm

Isle of Hope:.....8:00 am - First Sunday only

Holy Days of Obligation:.....TBA  
 Pro-Life Holy Hour:.....Tuesdays 5:00-6:00pm  
 (Rosary, Adoration and Benediction)

#### Sacraments

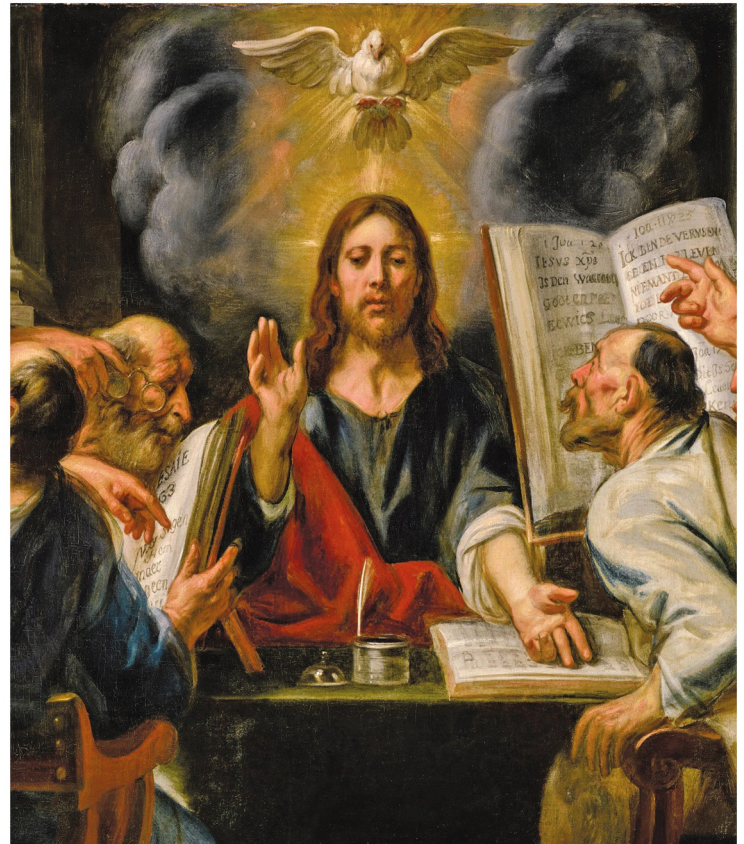
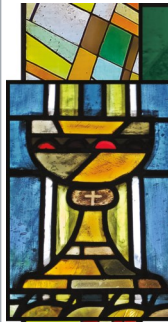
Reconciliation:..... Weekdays Mon-Fri: 7:45 - 8:15am; Tues-5pm,  
 Saturday: 3:45-4:45pm, and by other times by appt.  
 Baptism:.....Please call the parish office to pre-register  
 Anointing of the Sick:.....For anointing, or in case of an  
 emergency, please call the parish office.  
 Marriage:.....Please contact a parish priest  
 Lumen Christi Perpetual Adoration Chapel.....24/7

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

## 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You shall love the Lord your God  
 with all your heart, with all your soul,  
 with all your mind, and with all your strength."

PH 12:30



### Saint James 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.stjamesav.com](http://www.stjamesav.com)



October 14, 2024

Dear Friends in Christ,

Last year's Called by Name campaign was a tremendous success! With your help, we identified hundreds of young men and women in our diocese who may be future leaders, perhaps even Priests or Religious Brothers or Sisters.

From among those identified, about 70 young men gathered with me at the Cathedral Basilica of St. John the Baptist for a special Holy Hour and dinner. I was deeply impressed with their faith and devotion. We have some truly amazing young Catholics in the Diocese of Savannah!

**This year, we are holding our Called by Name campaign on November 9-10, 2024.** I invite you to think deeply about the teens and young adults in your parish who you believe could be faithful leaders in the Catholic Church of the Diocese of Savannah. These young people do not necessarily need to desire to become Priests or Sisters; we also need leaders in the vocation of marriage. They need to desire Jesus Christ! They need to desire to bring others to Him.

Please submit the names of at least one (but hopefully several!) faithful young people you know. **You can use the card provided at Mass or online at [savannahvocations.org](http://savannahvocations.org).** If you submit the name of a person under age 18, please include the names of his or her parents.

This initiative is near to my heart, and I ask you to please participate thoughtfully so that it will bear much fruit throughout the diocese. I also ask you to join me in praying that the Lord will raise up many new leaders for the future of the Church!

May we meet each day in our prayers and *Rejoice in the Lord always!*

In Christ,

+ *Stephen D. Parkes*

Most Reverend Stephen D. Parkes

*Bishop of Savannah*

**DIOCESE OF SAVANNAH † OFFICE OF THE BISHOP**

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# Celebrating the *Feminine Genius*

**January 25,  
2025**

**9 am to 4 pm**

**Benedictine  
Military School  
Savannah, GA**

## National Speakers



**Lisa Cotter**



**Danielle Bean**

### *Day Includes*

Mass with Bishop Parkes;  
Four talks; Adoration &  
confession; Light breakfast  
& lunch; Local vendors

## Registration

\$45 per person until Nov. 25

\$50 per person Nov. 26 - Jan. 25

Three (3) ways to sign up!

- Online at [StJamesSav.com/womens-conference/](http://StJamesSav.com/womens-conference/)
- Scan the QR code at right ~or~ paper forms in Parish Office



*Questions? Call the St. James Parish Office at 912-355-1523.*



# Parish Thanksgiving Dinner

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2024**

**6:00 PM - St. James Parish Center**

Join us for a special Thanksgiving feast, featuring turkey and all your favorite sides!

Dinner is \$14 per person, children ages 5 & under eat free.

We ask each family to bring a dessert to share, if possible.

Volunteers are needed to help with setup, serving, and cleanup!

Dinner catered by Cracker Barrel!

Thanksgiving Dinner - November 13, 2024 - Please RSVP by November 5!

\$14 per person - Kids 5 & under free!

Scan here to RSVP Online!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

How Many Attending? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Will you bring a dessert to share? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you able to help set up/serve/clean up? \_\_\_\_\_





# Thanksgiving Food Pantry Donations

## November Needs:

**These non-perishable items are needed to assist in providing Thanksgiving dinner to those experiencing food insufficiency in our community**

Boxed Stuffing Mix

Instant Mashed Potatoes

Canned Cranberry Sauce

Turkey Gravy

Dry Macaroni

Cornbread Mix

Canned Yams

Canned Cranberry Sauce

Canned Pumpkin

Canned Veggies

(Green Beans, Corn, Peas)

Fruit Pie Filling

Pie Crust Mix

### Other Essential Needs:

Paper Products

Hygiene Products for All Ages

Canned Fruit

Cereal

**Our next food pantry distribution will be November 16th from 10 AM to 11:30 AM. If you would like to volunteer please contact Susanna Powers at [spowers@stjamesav.com](mailto:spowers@stjamesav.com).**



*We cannot accept any items in glass containers or that have expired.*



**PASTOR'S CORNER**  
**31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS AND THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL SOULS**

The beautiful duo of holy days came again this past Friday – All Saints Day and All Souls Day! On All Saints Day we celebrate ALL our brothers and sisters in the faith who are in heaven! Many of them have their own feast days – like St. James the Less on May 3<sup>rd</sup> or St. Francis on October 4<sup>th</sup> or Pope St. John Paull II on October 22<sup>nd</sup> or St. Cecilia on November 22 – but the majority of people in heaven do not have dedicated days and they didn't have their banner on the façade of the Basilica of St. Peter in Rome for their canonization! These are the souls remembered on All Saints Day, too! We know that our parents, our fellow parishioners, our siblings, our brother priests and religious and our fellow faithful disciples of Jesus Christ who have died and have been prayed for many times over are in heaven. We celebrate their example of Christian virtue and discipleship lived so well in their lives on earth that by now, they are in heaven. Thank you, Jesus, for our brothers and sisters in heaven who give us good examples of the Christian life, who inspire us to be faithful to you, and who intercede for us and encourage us in our own discipleship of You!

The day after – All Souls Day – we remember all who have died and are still in Purgatory needing our prayers. We pray for them so that they will soon enjoy union with God forever in heaven. These are our relatives and friends, our colleagues and fellow Christians who died with still some attachment to sin or vice that needs to be purged away before entering the glory and happiness of heaven. We know many people who are virtuous, holy, men and women of prayer who die but who are not saints. They still have work to do. They are in Purgatory and need our prayers. We should pray for them often for it is a holy and pious thought to pray and make atonement for the deeds of the dead as it says in the 2<sup>nd</sup> book of Maccabees 12:45-46 (read the whole context in that chapter).

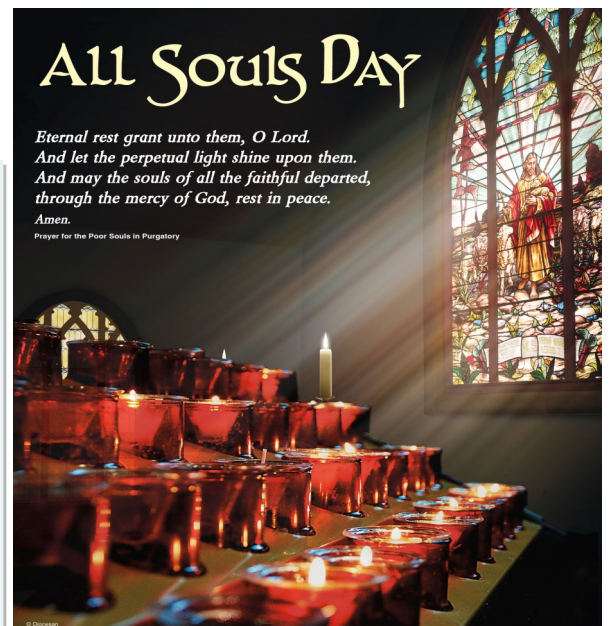
PS...we human beings do not become angels when we die! We should not say when someone dies that there is another angel in heaven or that so and so is our angel in heaven. Human beings remain human beings in heaven. Our souls are separated from our bodies for a short time until the coming of our Lord at the end of time when they will be reunited.

**KNEELING, STANDING, OR SITTING**

While we are worshipping in the Parish Center on Sundays and in the Mercy Conference Room on weekdays for mass, our posture during the Eucharistic Prayer and, in particular, the Consecration should be as follows. If you can kneel at the normal times, please do so. If you cannot, please stand during the Eucharistic Prayer. Another option would be to stand during the Eucharistic Prayer and kneel for the Consecration (from the epiclesis through the Doxology – a bit of homework for you this week...what parts of the mass are those?). If you cannot stand or kneel because of physical issues please be seated. I don't want anyone to pass out or hurt themselves!

St. James the Less, pray for us and all our endeavors and plans!  
May the Lord Jesus bless you and your families abundantly this week!

~ Fr. Daniel Firmin



*The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed*

**The annual Blessing of Graves** will take place at the Catholic Cemetery on Wheaton Street on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 3:00PM. In commemoration of All Souls Day, the names of those who have died during the past twelve months will be read, the rosary will be recited, and the graves will be blessed. The program takes place at the Bishop's and Priests' lot of the Magnolia (front) section of the cemetery. All are invited to attend as we take this opportunity to remember deceased bishops, priests, family members, and friends. Please bring your own chair, if needed.

## Mass Schedule & Intentions

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

### 11/3 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6, Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

7:30 am Special Intention, Mary Lou Johnson ~ Fr. Gabriel  
9:00 am + Mitsue Miyagi Monterola ~ Fr. King  
11:30 am For the People ~ Fr. Firmin

\*\* Jason Adams, Theodore Agba, Jacob Almeter, Fredy Angel | Jared Miller | Sr. Rachael Elizabeth Wilson

### 11/4 Monday Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:12-14

7:00 am Special Intention, Eleanor Farkas  
8:30 am + Robert O'Neill

\*\* Samuel Aniekwe, Emmanuel Antwi, John Ariko, David Arnoldt | Justin Motes | Samantha Scharf

### 11/5 Tuesday

Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32; Lk 14:15-24

7:00 am + Frank & Elizabeth Jacobi  
8:30 am + Gerry Brofft

\*\* Christopher Awiliba, Tomas Beroch, Godfred Boachie-Yiadom | Noah Pace | Sr. Alexis Karen Reavill

### 11/6 Wednesday

Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33

7:00 am + Nguyen Thi Nghiep  
8:30 am + Mary Ann Walters  
5:30 pm + Robert Brannen

\*\* Brett Brannen, Joey Buencamino, Anthony Phong Bui, Juan Carlos Castillo | Fred Williams | Sr. Megan Elizabeth Capurso

### 11/7 Thursday

Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 15:1-10

7:00 am + Paul Herbert  
8:30 am + Joyce Egan

\*\* Michael Cerrone, Robert Chaney, Douglas Clark, Casey Cole, William Cook | Stephen Owusu Dwamena | Sr. Rachael Elizabeth Wilson

### 11/8 Friday

Phil 3:17-4:1; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5; Lk 16:1-8

7:00 am + Sr. Mary Sharon Obrimski  
8:30 am + Joyce Egan

\*\* Gabriel Cummings, Benjamin Dallas, Matthew Ericksen, Rafael Estrada | Gilbert Ofori Mensah | Sr. Stephanie Gabriel

### 11/9 Saturday Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

9:00 am + Peter Kaufman, 1st Anniversary  
5:00 pm Special Intention, Matt & Nan Keck

\*\* Romanus Ezeugwu, Eric Filmer, Daniel Firmin, Luis Fonseca, Mariusz Fuks | Benjamin Aler | Sr. Joan O'Reilly

### 11/10 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or Mk 12:41-44

7:30 am + Gerry McManus  
9:00 am Special Intention, Fr. Lewis King  
11:30 am For the People

\*\* Francisco Gamboa, Gabriel Gberikon, George Gonzalez, Alfonso Gutierrez | Benjamin Harper | Sr. Catherine McElroy

## 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.

~ Through Christ our Lord. ~ Amen.

## We pray for the sick of our Parish Community:

Fr. Daniel Firmin, Josie Lee, Paul Baldwin, Julia Strickland, Leigh Nelson, Vicky Reyes, Dick Buchner, Maria Polito, Thomas Turchiano, Brian DeRouen, Noelle Franklin, Carlos Vindel, Sean McGahey, 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:

Joe Morgan, Jr. Joe Harty, Nick Turchiano, Joyce Egan, Robert Murphy, Paula Horn, and all our deceased family and friends.



## *Welcome to our new members:*

Tony and Elena Ballew & Family

Jason and Allison Medica & Family

Anthony Robertson

John & Cynthia Shealy

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



## St. James Weekly Calendar

**11/3 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Vocation Awareness Week**  
 8:00-11:15am SJC Choir-Mercy Conference Rm  
 10:15-11:15am PREP-SJS  
 3:00pm Blessing of the Graves-Catholic Cemetery  
*Please join us for the Rosary for Fr. Firmin and his continued healing daily after the 8:30am*

**11/4 Monday**  
 7:45-8:15am Confessions-Fr. Gabriel -Office  
 9:00am Rosary-PC/gym  
 1:00-2:30pm Contemplative Prayer Group-MCR  
 3:00-8:00pm SJS BB -PC/gym  
 6:30-8:00pm CCW Meeting-MCR

**11/5 Tuesday**  
 7:45-8:15am Confessions-Fr. King -Office  
 9:00am Rosary-MCR  
 3:00-5:00pm SJS Faculty Mtg-MCR  
 3:30-5:00pm SJS BB -PC/gym  
 6:30-8:00pm RCIA-Mercy Conference Rm

**11/6 Wednesday**  
 6:20-7:30am TMIY-PC/gym  
 7:45-8:15am Confessions-Priest Office  
 9:00am Rosary-MCR  
 9:30-11:00am Bible Study-Mercy Conference Rm  
 3:00-8:00pm SJS BB -PC/gym

**11/7 Thursday**  
 7:45-8:15am Confessions-Fr. King- Office  
 9:00am Rosary-MCR  
 3:00-4:00pm SJS Children's Rosary-MCR

**11/8 Friday**  
 7:45-8:15pm Confessions-Fr. Firmin -Office  
 9:00am Rosary-MCR  
 3:00pm Mass Setup-PC/gym

**11/9 Saturday**  
 8:30am Rosary-MCR  
 9:45am-1:00pm Franciscan Workshop-SJS Comp Lab Rm  
 10:30am-2:30pm Prison Ministry Gift Assembly- MCR  
 11:00am Baptism-IOH Chapel-Fr. Brennan  
 1:00pm Wedding Blessing-IOH Chapel-Fr. King  
 3:45-4:45pm Confessions-Priest Office

**11/10 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00-11:15am SJS Choir-Mercy Conference Rm  
**No PREP**

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

### Offertory for Sunday

October 27, 2024 \$28,994.66

### YTD Offertory: July 1st through October 27th

2023-24 Actual \$454,116.19

2024-25 Budget \$457,335.01

2024-25 Actual \$442,856.76

### 2024 ACA Progress Report as of 10/25/2024

Total Given & Pledged \$174,308.09

ACA Parish Goal: \$134,000

% Participation: 22.27

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.stjamesav.com](http://www.stjamesav.com) and select the *Online Giving* link. If you have any questions please contact Mark Kolbush at 912-355-1523 or email: [Mkolbush@stjamesav.com](mailto:Mkolbush@stjamesav.com)

St. James Catholic School

# Science Fair Judges Needed!

(Science background preferred)

Judging will be held

Thursday, Nov 21 from 3:30-6 PM &

Friday, Nov 22 from 7:30 AM-3 PM

Judges may come at any time during one of those windows.

Please contact Stephen Hotard at [stephenho@sjcs-savannahga.org](mailto:stephenho@sjcs-savannahga.org) if you would like to judge some projects!



The Bethlehem Christians is a group that represents 200 Christian families who live in Bethlehem, the Holy Land, and make their living as wood carvers. The Little Bethlehem group represented by the Alahouri family will be in the **school cafeteria** the weekend of **November 16th & 17th** to display and sell a collection of hand-carved olive wood religious items. By purchasing the items you are helping your brothers and sisters stay attached to their roots and keep their churches open. **The profit goes to support Christianity in the land of Christ.** *Please visit the website, [www.little-bethlehem.org](http://www.little-bethlehem.org).*

Sincerely in Christ,  
 Ghassan & Siham Alahouri





Sisters,  
Servants of the  
Immaculate  
Heart of Mary



## DID YOU KNOW?

Number of years the Sisters,  
Servants of the Immaculate  
Heart of Mary have served  
St. James School & Parish.

68

Number of IHMs serving  
in Catholic education  
& ministries of prayer  
in 6 U.S. States  
and Lima, Peru.

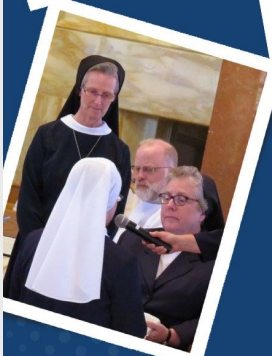
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Year the IHM Sisters were  
founded in Monroe, Michigan  
with the mission to evangelize,  
catechize & teach.

1845

[ihmimmaculata.org](http://ihmimmaculata.org)

National Vocations  
Awareness Week  
Nov. 3-9, 2024



GEORGIA GOAL  
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, INC.

PUT YOUR

# TAX DOLLARS TO WORK FOR OUR SCHOOL!

### PRIVATE PRAYER DURING RENOVATIONS

During church renovations, everyone is welcome to use the Adoration Chapel for private prayer. The Chapel is **open to the public** on weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sundays from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Access for those with scheduled adoration hours at other times of day remains the same.

Until further notice, the Chapel is the **only area** available for **private prayer**. Thank you for your patience, and for keeping our capital campaign projects in your prayers! St. James the Less, pray for us!

### **Bright Eye-Deas Low Vision Group**

Those among us with low vision limitations will certainly want to join our group on Wednesday, November 13 from 10:00 – 11:30 am at the Skidaway Island Methodist Church on Diamond Causeway. Our program for this meeting will be led by Daniel Chrismer, Reader Advisor for the Georgia Library Service (GLS) for the Blind and Print Disabled (BARD). Mr. Chrismer will inform us on the BARD audio book program that is free and how to use it. He will also discuss the services provided by GLS and BARD, as well as the assistive technologies available and the GLS monthly tech talks. If you've been missing being able to read books and periodicals, this will be an excellent opportunity to avail yourself of this free service. If you have devices that you are currently using, bring them along and we will assist one another in getting set up on this program. We look forward to seeing you. Remember that spouses and your helpful persons are also welcome to attend. If you have questions or need a ride to the meeting, please contact Kay Higby at 248-227-1800 or [kehigby@comcast.net](mailto:kehigby@comcast.net). If you would like to join us for lunch following the meeting, please contact Anne Jeanblanc at 912-598-0879.



ST.  
VINCENT'S  
ACADEMY

## OPEN HOUSE

November 3rd  
Presentation  
begins at 1:00 PM

Come see how your  
daughter can become a  
Woman Who Leads!

For 2025-2026 School Year Information,  
Contact [amy.greene@svaga.net](mailto:amy.greene@svaga.net)



Access to [Formed.org](http://Formed.org).

1. Visit [formed.org](http://formed.org) 2. Click on "sign up" and then click "Sign up as a parishioner" 3. Enter Parish Code: NHNFN2 or Parish name (St. James) 4. Enter your email and create a password (You will use this to log in later). You can get Formed on your phone, tablet, Roku, Amazon Firestick, AppleTV. Thousands of resources available...Enjoy!

## St. James Church Food Pantry is in Urgent Need of Items to Restock Shelves

We are in **desperate** need of monetary or non-perishable food donations to restock our food pantry. Non-perishable food items can be dropped off at the Narthex in the Food Pantry Cart provided. If you would like to make a monetary donation, you can donate online at our church website or make checks out to St. James Church and place in the memo line "Food Pantry."

### Needed Items to Restock the Shelves

<p>Oatmeal Tuna Fish Dry Macaroni Spaghetti Sauce Breakfast Bars Canned Fruits Canned Vegetables &amp; Soups Pancake Mix Canned Pork &amp; Beans/ Chili Shelf stable complete meals Healthy snacks including nuts, granola bars</p>	<p>Canned Chicken Peanut Butter Jelly Syrup Breakfast Cereal Beef Stew or Chunky Soups Toilet Paper/Paper Towel Toothpaste &amp; Toothbrushes Toiletries (any sizes) Laundry Detergent</p>
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*If you are in need of food assistance, please call our Food Pantry line at 912-800-9006.  
If you would like to volunteer for our food pantry, please call the church office at 912-355-1523.*



### Council of Catholic Women

Please join CCW on November 4th at 6:30 PM in the Mercy Conference Room! We will learn about how we can support children in foster care in Chatham County. We will be collecting **bookbags containing the following items:**

- \* Clear, see-through or mesh bookbags
- \* #2 Pencils
- \* 8-Count Crayons
- \* Pocket folders
- \* Safety scissors
- \* Glue sticks or white glue
- \* Erasers
- \* Composition books
- \* Rulers

At our December meeting (Dec. 2nd), Mrs. Tina Blackston will help us with a Christmas craft!



**Council of Catholic Women**  
Support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service.

**“Be A Swaddling Angel”** The next project will be collected in December 2024. Please participate by choosing to:

*Donate YOUR CREATIVE crocheted, knitted, OR non-tie baby blankets. Finished sizes: Newborns 33”x 33” or larger and Neonates 22”x 22* Any donation of 1-2 yards of flannel / cotton fabrics are also appreciated. Please place your donation in the special hamper in the office breezeway. For any questions, please contact Anita Smith at [anitasmith122@gmail.com](mailto:anitasmith122@gmail.com)  
Thank you!!!

**PROMISE** to Protect **Pledge to HEAL** **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](http://www.diosav.org/childyouthprotection).



Kids Corner



SUNDAYKIDZ



31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

C O M M A N D M E N T S  
 U A Y S E M G H S K F K  
 R Y S V P L T L F S Z J  
 C O H F H G P I E B Z S  
 B S E P N W N C P H E E  
 H I A E K R I W E B M X  
 O Y R L M F X N I L R X  
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 F O C J B S R P V D V P  
 E A D T U E S O U L E Z  
 S Y I N E I G H B O R Y

Scribes Commandments Lord Heart Soul  
 Mind Strength Love Neighbor Sacrifices

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SAINT JAMES  
 CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

Veterans' Day Celebration

**Monday, November 11th**  
**8:30 AM Mass in the Parish Center/Gym**  
**9 AM Program in the School Cafeteria**

We invite you to attend 8:30 mass and join us  
 for a program and breakfast in the  
 School Cafeteria as we celebrate  
 you and thank you for your service.

RSVP TO MEGANON@SJCS-SAVANNAHGA.ORG  
 BY FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH

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