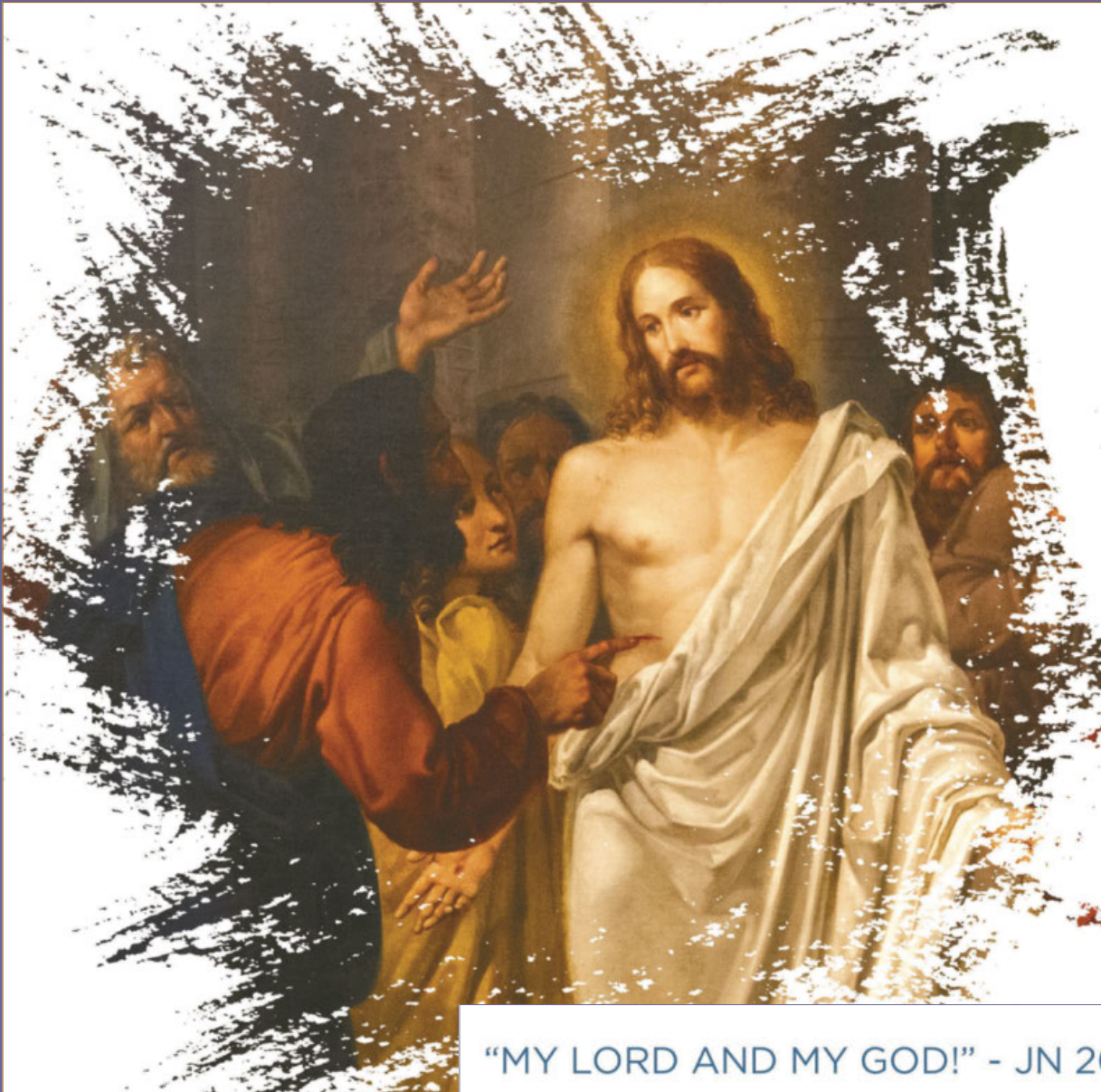


The *Good* News!

April 24, 2022

Second Sunday of Easter



“MY LORD AND MY GOD!” - JN 20:28

EUCCHARIST:

Daily Mass

Monday at 8:15 a.m.
T-F 6:30 a.m. & 8:15 a.m.
and Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Saturday Vigil Mass
5:00 p.m.

Sunday Masses

7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

CONFESSION:

Saturday 3 to 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment

St. James
Catholic Church
and

St. James/Seton Catholic School



Bill Koley Jr.

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Join us at St. James for
Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour
April 24, 2022 | 3:00 p.m.
We will have:
Confessions
Benediction and Adoration
Divine Mercy Chaplet
Presentation

I BELIEVE IN ONE GOD, THE FATHER ALMIGHTY, MAKER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH, OF ALL THINGS VISIBLE AND INVISIBLE. I BELIEVE IN ONE LORD JESUS CHRIST,



Fr. Zach's Muzings

Hello St. James!

Easter greetings to each of you! It is eminently appropriate that, following our celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus this past Sunday, this Sunday we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. It is, in fact, His great mercy and love for us that caused Him to willingly go to the cross for you and me, to repay a debt that we could not hope to pay, and thus to reopen to us the gates of Heaven!

So, why do we celebrate this feast? In His appearances to St. Faustina, the Lord made clear His desire to reach out to souls in need of His mercy and forgiveness. In her diary, the Saint recorded the words of Jesus thus, "the Feast of My Mercy has issued forth from My very depths for the consolation of the whole world." Jesus is throwing a lifeline to each of us, struggling to follow Him in this broken world, a lifeline of mercy, love and grace.

Who is the feast intended for? Jesus tells St. Faustina, "I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls." This feast is meant for all of us. We are all sinners, for whether in great or small ways in our lives, we often fail to follow the commands the Lord has given us. Thus, in His mercy, the Lord invites us to return to Him, once again, through the celebration of this feast. He is reaching out to us, the lost, that we may be found, to us who struggle, that we may be strengthened to carry on!

You are welcome to join us this Sunday afternoon from 3:00pm to 4:00 pm for a special hour of prayer. We will have Confessions with multiple priests available, along with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and some video instruction on devotion to Divine Mercy and the life of St. Faustina. See you then, and continued Easter blessings to you all!

In Christ,

Fr. Zach



Please direct requests for Communion to the Homebound to Deacon Gregg Drvol at 402-680-7317

Receive the Sacraments

✠ **Anointing of the Sick** is a healing sacrament for young and old, when seriously, chronically, or terminally ill and prior to surgery. Please call the parish office, 402-572-0499.

✠ **Baptisms** are celebrated on the second and last Sunday of the month. Our Baptism evening of preparation occurs on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. Please call the Parish Office to register, 402-572-0499.

✠ **Holy Orders**: If you're discerning a call to the priesthood or the diaconate, please call Fr. Tom Weisbecker, 402-572-0499. If you are interested in religious or consecrated life, please call the Archdiocese Vocation Office at 402-558-3100.

✠ **Matrimony**: Please contact one of the parish priests six-months ahead of the proposed date.

✠ **Penance**: Saturday, 3:00-4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Meet the Pastoral Team

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aramold@stjamescatholicchurch.org

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Evetta McKinley, Parish Council President
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St. Vincent de Paul Society, St. James Conference Help Line..... 402-572-0499, ext. 118

Meet the Deacon Community

Gregg & Carol Drvol, Randy & Pamela Grosse, Kathy Hecht, Rich & Linda Hopkins, Peter & Karla Kennedy, Stan & Pat Kurtz, Pat & Rosie Lenz, Steve & Lisa Nelson Jackie Simmons

This Week's Activities . . .

Sunday, April 24, 2nd Sunday of Easter

- * Mass, 7:30 a.m.
- * Mass, 9:30 a.m.
- * Mass, 11:30 a.m.
- * Social Committee Donut Sunday, after all Masses
- * Communal Baptisms, 12:30 p.m.
- * Divine Mercy Service, 3:00 p.m.

Monday, April 25

- * Weekday Mass, 8:15 a.m.
- * Moving for Better Balance, 9:30 p.m.
- * Bible Study, 1:00 p.m.
- * Little Flowers, 3:15 p.m.
- * Parish Center Remodel Committee, 5:30 p.m.
- * Cub Scout Pack 380 Wolfs, 6:00 p.m.
- * Boy Scouts Troop 380, 6:30 p.m.
- * RCIA., 7:00 p.m.
- * Celebrate Recovery, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 26

- * Daily Mass, 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
- * St. Vincent de Paul Society, 2:30 p.m.
- * Deacon Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 27

- * Daily Mass, 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
- * PRE Classes, 6:00 p.m.
- * Holy Land Trip Preview Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- * K of C Officers & Directors Mtg., 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 28

- * Daily Mass, 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
- * Alanon, 5:30 p.m.
- * Blue Army, 7:00 p.m.
- * St. James for Life, 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 29

- * Daily Mass, 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
- * Moving for Better Balance, 9:30 a.m.
- * Women's Prayer & Study Group, 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 30

- * Saturday Morning Mass, 8:30 a.m.
- * Reconciliation, 3:00 p.m.
- * Mass, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 1, 3rd Sunday of Easter

- * Mass, 7:30 a.m.
- * Pro-Life Rosary, 9:00 a.m.
- * Mass, 9:30 a.m.
- * Mass, 11:30 a.m.



Traveling?

Find a nearby Catholic Church and Mass times:
www.MassTimes.org

Lord Hear our Prayer

Please Pray for Vocations to the Priesthood



Those who Serve our Country and Communities: Military, Law Enforcement and Firefighters

Lord, please keep all who serve in the military and law enforcement close to You and under Your protection.

Capt. John Schmidt, Army

CDR, James Dohm, Navy

Jon Royle, Nebraska State Trooper

Jake Boer, Army

Christopher McGuane, Nebraska State Trooper

Lieutenant Colonel Eric Glassman, Army

Colton McCoy, Marine Corps

Matt Nass, Omaha Police Officer

Mike Nass, Omaha Police Officer

David Volenec, Washington County Deputy

1LT Lauren Muckey, Army

2LT Emily Torres, Army

Cpt. Christina Clifford, Air Force

Amy Thompson, Nebraska State Trooper

Janie Thompson, Nebraska State Trooper

John Rosloniec, US Marshal/Border Patrol

LT Matthew Wolford, Navy

Garrett Welsh, Lincoln County, SD Sheriff's Deputy

Jesse Sladky, Army Ntl Guard and

Dodge County Sheriff's Deputy

Justin Kozol, Omaha Firefighter

Special Intentions

To request prayers for your special intentions, please contact Kristi Mancuso, email: kjmancuso@cox.net

You may also request prayers for your special intentions from the *Catholic Daughters Our Lady of Faith Rosary Chain*. Please contact Shirley Simons-May at 402-572-1349, or email: simonsmay@cox.net



Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 24

- 7:30 am ☩ Fr. Robert Eimers
- 9:30 am ☩ Connie Powell
- 11:30 am St. James Parishioners

Monday, April 25

- 8:15 am ☩ Fr. Richard Swolek

Tuesday, April 26

- 6:30 am ☩ Dcn. Lyle Simmons
- 8:15 am Intentions of Sybil Crouch

Wednesday, April 27

- 6:30 am ☩ Bonnie Peterson
- 8:15 am ☩ Louise Templeton

Thursday, April 28

- 6:30 am ☩ Br. Michael Wilmot, SJ
- 8:15 am Intentions of Wandrey Family

Friday, April 29

- 6:30 am ☩ Elaine Miller
- 8:15 am ☩ Wayne McGillick

Saturday, April 30

- 8:30 am Priest's Intentions
- 5:00 pm St. James Parishioners

Sunday, May 1

- 7:30 am Intentions of Marguerite and ☩ Al Revers
- 9:30 am ☩ Jack & ☩ Donna Schmitt
- 11:30 am ☩ Grace Pacana

☩ **Robert (Bob) Lampe**
 Husband of JoAnn Lampe

Eternal rest grant unto him,
 O Lord.



Bereavement Ministry



Tuesday, May 10
 7:00 p.m. | Parish Center

If you plan on attending, please call the Parish Office to register by Thursday of the week prior.



Catechesis

Jo Kusek, Director of Faith Formation
jkusek@sjsomaha.org ~ 402-572-0369

Gospel Question of the Week

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Key Passage: "Then Jesus said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.'" (John 20:27)

Question for Adults: Jesus said: "Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe." Give one example of how you will show your belief in Jesus this week, and how you are being sent forth as a witness to the Resurrection.

Question for Youth: Thomas didn't believe because he hadn't seen Jesus with his own eyes. How hard is it for you to believe in God without being able to see God? How do you see God in the words and actions of others?

Question for Children: Jesus appeared to the disciples even though they were afraid and locked in the closed room. How can you show Jesus to another person this week by how you act?

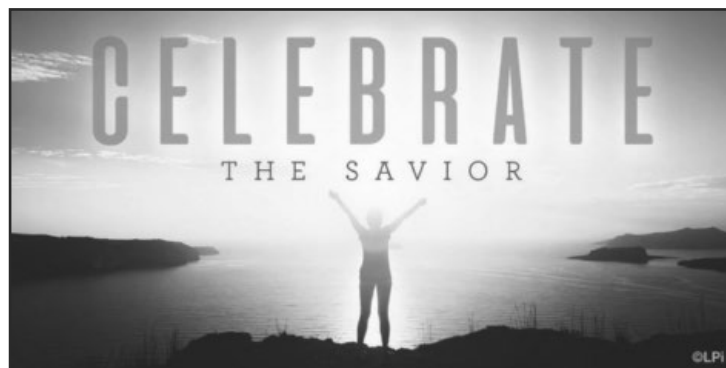
P.R.E. News

Grades K-7 have regular classes this Wednesday, April 27, and it will be our last session in the classrooms for this school year. (No class for the 8th graders.) P.R.E. ends on Wednesday, May 4 with Mass at 6:15. Our second graders and eighth graders are invited to wear the nice clothes they wore for First Communion and Confirmation to take part in a May Crowning ceremony at the beginning of Mass. God bless all our families as we end another year of Religious Education! (Jo Kusek, 402-572-0369)

Preferential Option for the Poor

Heavenly Father, help us to be worthy of the blessings you share with us each day. For these gifts, we give you thanks. May we too be a source of hope and comfort for our brothers and sisters in need. Through your grace, may we love our neighbors as you have loved us. Amen. (Prayer from Catholic Relief Services)]

"Millions of children go to bed hungry each night in our own country, and hundreds of millions around the world. People may disagree on many things, but surely, we can all agree that no child should go to bed hungry." (Matthew Kelly, *Dynamic Catholic*)



Faith Reflections

This Sunday, our Orthodox brothers and sisters are celebrating Easter, and we are celebrating Divine Mercy Sunday. Wouldn't it be wonderful if the war in Ukraine could end today! Let us continue to pray for peace there and throughout the world. Today, Orthodox Christians greet each other with the words, "Christ is risen" and the response, "He is risen indeed." I imagine this greeting taking place even in the midst of war and hardship. St. Teresa of Calcutta said, "Never let anything so fill you with sorrow as to make you forget the joy of Christ risen." May God bless those in the midst of suffering with an increase of faith, hope and love.

St. John Paul II said that the Church must "breathe with both lungs – west and east". It's good to follow his appreciation of the Eastern Church. On the website of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church in the United States, I found this beautiful Easter prayer to Mary. It will remind many of our Regina Caeli prayer that is said in place of the Angelus during the Easter season. We ask Mary's intercession for peace too.

*The Angel cried to the Lady, full of grace: Rejoice, O pure Virgin!
Again, I say: Rejoice, your Son is risen from His three days in the tomb!
With Himself He has raised all the dead. Rejoice, O ye people!
Shine, shine, O new Jerusalem! The glory of the Lord has shone on you.
Exult now, and be glad, O Zion! Be radiant, O pure Theotokos, in the Resurrection of your Son!*

**"Do not be afraid to be saints. Follow Jesus Christ, who is the source of freedom and light. Be open to the Lord so that He may lighten all your ways."
~Saint Pope John Paul II**

FORMED

St. James shares an account with St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Go to formed.org, indicate that you are "with a parish," and then search for St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. Scroll through the choices to select the one in Omaha before clicking next and then provide your name and email. Enjoy numerous Christ-centered podcasts, movies, YouTube video and much, much more!

The SHOCKING News of Easter Sunday | Chris Stefanick Show

Way to go, everyone! We got through Lent and made it to Easter! So... what happens now? You see, we're not going back to our normal lives again. Because Jesus has RISEN from the dead. And that's shocking news. The story of Easter literally changed the entire world. And it literally changes YOUR story too. So let's talk about the Resurrection with fresh eyes, so you can see what it means for you right now in 2022. Because if you want to live an authentic, joyful Catholic life, you gotta start right here at the core.



AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS INCARNATE OF THE VIRGIN MARY, AND BECAME MAN. FOR OUR SAKE HE WAS CRUCIFIED UNDER PONTIUS PILATE, HE SUFFERED

Parish and Community Life



JOIN US TODAY!

The **Social Committee** will be serving donuts and refreshments **Sunday, April 24th after all three morning Masses (7:30, 9:30 and 11:30)**

Please plan to join us for fellowship and breakfast and meet new parishioners.

Catholic Daughters Give Back



Members of Catholic Daughter Court 2604, Our Lady of Faith, are dedicated to serving others, growing in faith, and fostering fellowship. In 2021, our members volunteered over 3000 hours to parish and community service. Monetary donations to charitable organizations totaled \$15,800 (including a \$15,000 grant awarded to the Court) and in-kind donations totaled over \$3,500. Is it time for YOU to be part of this dynamic group? Many opportunities await you and your generous spirit. You are invited to join us for our meeting at 6:30 pm on the third Wednesday of each month in the St. James Parish Center. This is your opportunity to serve others while growing in faith.

Call Shirley Simons, Regent, for more information (402-572-1349).



SJ/SEAS Book Club

We meet on the fourth Monday of the month, usually from April through October. We meet at 1:30 PM in the SEAS Parish Center. **Our first meeting is April 25th**

We have a reviewer of the book so it isn't necessary to read the book beforehand, just listen to the review and decide whether you like it enough to read it later.

Contact: Jean Linse 402-493-2728



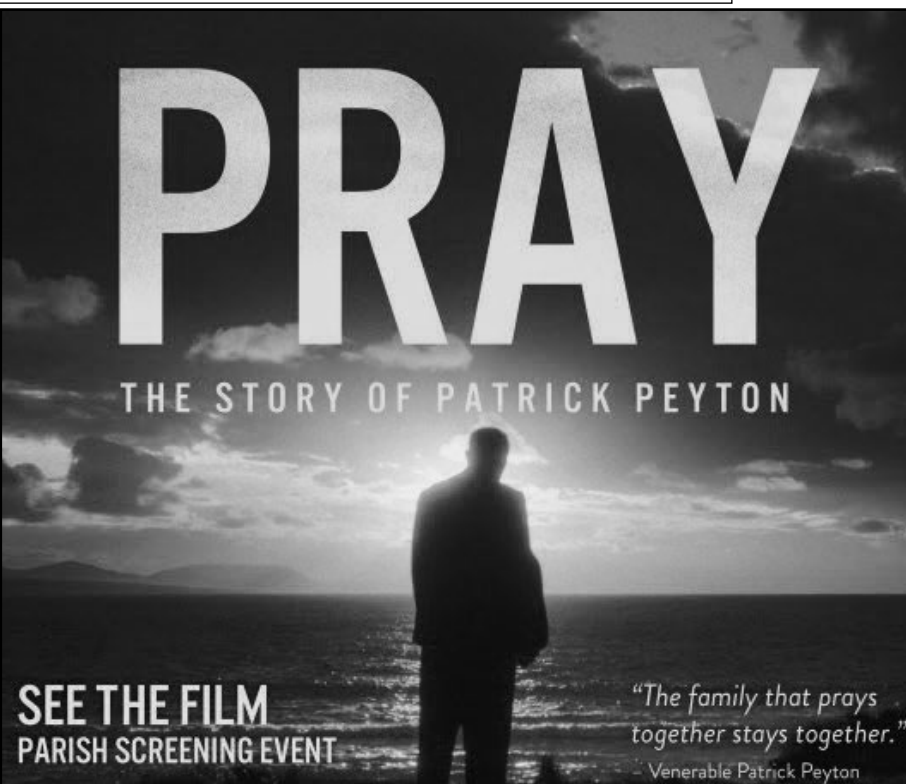
CATHOLIC BUSINESS GROUP
LEADING WITH FAITH

The Catholic Business Group will host their annual Leading with Faith Luncheon on **Thursday, April 28**, from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm, at Champions Club, 138th and Eagle Run Drive, Omaha.

This year's event will consist of a social, luncheon and talk by the keynote speaker, **Joe Rutten**. Mr. Rutten is the Director of Benedictine Leadership Institute and a professor of Theology at Mount Marty University in Yankton SD. Joe's presentation is entitled: *Faith, Principals and Business Practices: Taking Sunday into Monday*. Cost is \$35 per person. Registrations can be made at cpcbcomaha.org

Free pamphlets

They include Catholic topics to help educate and enrich your life. They are published by "Our Sunday Visitor." This valuable rack of information is located in the narthex of the church.



Join us for a special screening of the film **Pray, the Story of Patrick Peyton**. This humble priest coined the slogan, "The family that prays together, stays together." Fr. Peyton has had his cause for sainthood opened and has been declared Venerable. Fr. Peyton was also the founder of Family Theater Productions. He used the talents of many celebrities in Hollywood to promote the power of family prayer and produced hundreds of massive prayer rallies world-wide.



May 5, 2022

7:00 PM

St. James Catholic Church



Sponsored by
OUR LADY OF FAITH COURT #2604

DEATH AND WAS BURIED, AND ROSE AGAIN ON THE THIRD DAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SCRIPTURES. HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN AND IS SEATED AT THE

Parish and Community Life



Registration for Vacation Bible Fun (June 20– 24) has started!

The theme for Vacation Bible Fun this year is *Monumental: Celebrating God's Greatness*. We will learn that God loves you no matter what, is with you everywhere, is in charge, surprising, and stronger than anything!

Student registration forms are available at St. James and St. Elizabeth Ann in the foyer of the church or can be found on our website:

sjsvbf.wix.com/kids

Teacher volunteer applications and student aide applications can be found on our website or foyer of the church and mailed in to **Crystal Anderson 7405 N 108th ST, Omaha 68142** or dropped off to the SJS office Attn: VBF Addison Anderson 701. Please contact Crystal Anderson (402-278-2311), Jen List (402-250-0775) or April Gamelin (402-677-9227) or email at sjsvbf@gmail.com with any questions.

Registration is April 20th—May 13th!

JOB OPPORTUNITY!!!

Do you remember your elementary school lunch lady? Do you like children? Do you like food? If you answered yes to these questions do we have a job for you!



SJS Catholic School is currently hiring a Cafeteria Specialist for the 2023/2024 school year. This position has a variety of days available from 9:30-1:30. Duties include minimal food prep, serving lunches, and cleanup. Positive and flexible attitude is a must.

For information on this paid position contact Karen Wilmes @ 402-572-0339 or kwilmes@sjsomaha.org.



St. James/Seton School KidsCare is seeking after school caregivers for the 2022-2023 school year.

Program Hours of Operation are 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm when school is in session.

Contact Mihyun Nay, 402-651-9253



Volunteers Needed!

CHI Health Creighton University Medical Center, Bergan Mercy Volunteer Services is in need of volunteers to fill position of Eucharistic Ministers,

Music Ministry, Welcome Desks, Dessert Cart, Teen Volunteers, Mailroom Gift Shop and much more. If you are interested, please call the Volunteer Office at 402-398-6199 or email tammy.rivera@commonspirit.org

Need a Spiritual Get-away?

Saint Benedict Center, Schuyler, NE
www.StBenedictCenter.com



St. James for Life



Life Lines



St. James for Life Meeting

St. James for Life will meet **Thursday, April 28, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.**

St. James Parish Nursery

All parishioners are welcome.

We especially would like to see those members who checked pro-life on the Growing in God's Grace Time and Talent form.

We need your ideas and support.

Thank you.

Pray to End Abortion

Regretfully, abortions are performed at Planned Parenthood, 3105 N. 93rd Street, **every Monday & Thursday between 8— 12 noon**

Prayer Warriors are urgently needed at the site during these hours! **Every Saturday there is a structured hour of prayer from 10 am-11:00 am**

There is also an urgent need to pray at the Bellevue Abortion Facility:

Thursdays 10 am- noon | 3-5:30 pm;
Fridays 7:30-9:30 am
Saturdays 9-10am

Please call Liz, 402-614-0496 or Caroline, 402-572-1923

Pro-Life Rosary

St. James for Life leads a rosary the first Sunday of each month at 9:00 a.m. in front of the Blessed Virgin statue.



All are welcome to join in from anywhere in the church.

Have Your Voice Heard

Please remember to exercise your right to vote in Nebraska's Primary Election on Tuesday, May 10, 2022 .

Pro-Life Mass Intention

The **Tuesday, May 10 6:30 a.m. Mass** will be said for "Holy and Gentle Mothers." Please pray for all Mothers, living and deceased and expectant Mothers too, especially those facing difficult pregnancies.

RIGHT HAND OF THE FATHER. HE WILL COME AGAIN IN GLORY TO JUDGE THE LIVING AND THE DEAD AND HIS KINGDOM WILL HAVE NO END. I BELIEVE IN THE



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Help us send these two off in style...

At the end of this school year, we will say goodbye to two long-standing teachers. Patti Getz and Linda Gibilisco will be retiring from SJS, and while we are excited for their next chapter, they will be greatly missed.

Both of these fine ladies have taught at SJS for 22 years. Mrs. Getz served as a kindergarten teacher and has been in education for a total of 42 years. Mrs. Gibilisco served as a first grade teacher and has been in education for a total of 34 years. Countless students have been impacted by these outstanding teachers over the years.

To celebrate their retirement, we would like to show them just how much their time spent at SJS has meant to so many. We are asking for past and present members of our school community to send messages of congratulations, encouragement, thank yous, or notes about how they made an impact. We hope that you can also share this request with current and/or SJS alumni as well.

If you are interested in participating, we ask that you mail or email your letters, notes, or e-mails to **Tiffany Howard**. Or you are welcome to drop off messages in the school office.

All letters are due by **May 1st** and will be presented to Mrs. Getz and Mrs. Gibilisco on the last day of school.



St. James/Seton School
Attn: Tiffany Howard
4720 N 90th Street
Omaha, NE 68134

thoward@sjsomaha.org

We want to do everything we can to send off Mrs. Getz and Mrs. Gibilisco with all our love. Thanks for your participation and for helping to spread the word!

Youth Ministry Fellowship + Faith + Fun + Food

Come and be a part!

St. James/St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

High School Youth Group

Connected to Christ. Connected to each other.

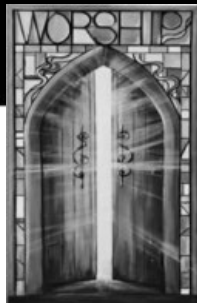
Sundays 7-9 pm

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Center

April 24th	Mystery night
May 8th <i>**current 8th graders join us this evening**</i>	Youth Group Olympics
May 22nd	"Go Big" night
June 12th	Outdoor games
June 26th <i>**Steubenville meeting at 6:30pm before youth group**</i>	Game Show night
July 10th	Extreme night
July 15th-17th	Steubenville Youth Conference

Jill Kreikemeier | SJSEASyouthministry@gmail.com | (402)660-2794

HOLY SPIRIT, THE LORD, THE GIVER OF LIFE, WHO PROCEEDS FROM THE FATHER AND THE SON, WHO WITH THE FATHER AND THE SON IS ADORED AND



Mass, Adoration & Parish Information

Links to our Weekly Recorded Mass



<https://stjamescatholicchurch.org/>



<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCw1qV1oJ-k1sa654rgSrBQA>



<https://www.facebook.com/StJamesOmaha>

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

Sunday: (4/24) 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy); St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31

Monday: St. Mark, Evangelist 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Administrative Professionals' Day Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; St. Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church; Arbor Day Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: St. Pius V, Pope Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter; St. Joseph the Worker Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14



Baptism Preparation



Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, May 10** at 7:30 p.m.

If this is your first child or it's been **more than two years** since your last child's baptism, this is required.

To register, please call the parish office, 402-572-0499

New Parishioner Orientation

The next meeting will be **Tuesday, May 10 at 7:00 p.m.** in the St James Parish Center.

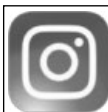
Call the parish office to register. 402-572-0499



Pray the Rosary

The rosary is recited in the St. James adoration chapel **every Tuesday - Friday at 6:00 am** before the 6:30 am Mass.

On Saturdays at 7:30 am, 15 decades of the rosary (joyous, sorrowful and glorious mysteries), along with the Divine Mercy Chaplet are recited. All are welcome to join.



Follow us on Instagram!
[st_jamescatholicchurch](https://www.instagram.com/st_jamescatholicchurch)



You are always welcome to stop in the Chapel for Eucharistic Adoration.
Come as you are, invite Jesus into your heart, and He will do the rest.

Adoration with Eucharistic Exposition begins Sundays at 6pm and ends Thursdays at midnight, but Jesus welcomes you anytime. To sign up for an hour that works for you, please call Chris Cismoski at 402--960-1510.

Needs noted below:

Sundays	11 pm—Midnight				
Mondays	1-2 am; 3-4 am	4-5 am; 5-6 am	9-10 am	3-4 pm; 4-5 pm	5-6 pm; 6-7 pm
Tuesdays	1-2 am; 2-3 am	3-4 am; 4-5 am	9-10 am; 10-11 am		
Wednesdays	Midnight-1 am	1-2, 2-3, 3-4 am	4-5 am; 5-6 am	6-7 am; 9-10 am	10-11 am; 8-9 pm
Thursdays	3-4 am	9-10 am; 10-11 am	12-1 pm; 3-4 pm		
Urgent Needs	Thursday 4-5 am				

Substitute Adorers Needed!

No regular commitment required. Just indicate when you are usually available for "as needed" basis. If interested or if you have questions, call Chris Cismoski 402-960-1510 or the rectory 402-572-0499



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Stewardship in Action

Always be prepared to make a defense to anyone who calls you to account for the hope that is in you.

~1 Peter 3:15

Open the Door of Service



Church Cleaning Team #5, Saturday, April 30, 2022
Jenny & Greg Morrison, Capts., 402-426-8152; Lenhart,
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Candle Ministry: April 24—Heimann; 25—Zimmerman; 26—Darby;
 27—Manley; 28—McGuire, Mordeson; 29—Zimmerman; 30—Weisbrodt;
May 1—Meyer; 2—Moore; 3—Beck, Merritt; 4—B. Hilton; 5—Grosse, Miller



April/May 2022

Good News!

Deadlines



Please submit your article to:

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by 10 a.m. on the following DUE dates:

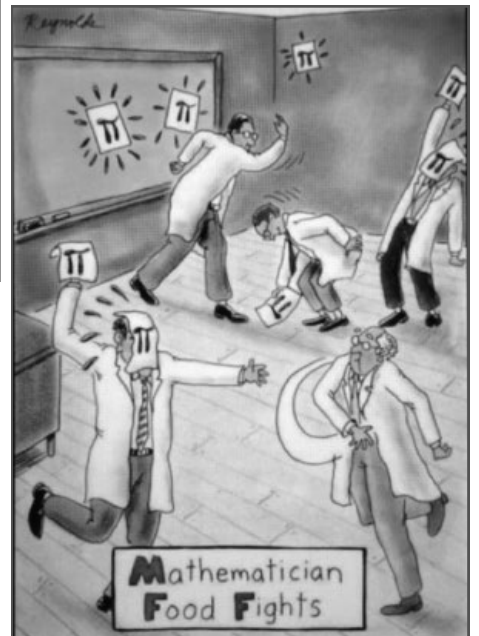
<u>Good News! Issue Date</u>	<u>Due Date</u>
May 1	April 20
May 8	April 27
May 15	May 4

To ensure that your article is included, please indicate the subject matter in the Subject line of your email.

Would you like to get involved?

Would you like to catch-up on parish community events, re-read *Fr. Tom's Thoughts* or *Fr. Zach's Muzings*? Here's how you can do all that and more: visit our church website! There is so much *Good News!* available to all of us, and it's right at our fingertips. Visit our Church website today!

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Volunteer Opportunity!

LIVE STREAMING

Do you have a little extra time on Sundays? We need live streaming/recording help on a periodic basis! Training will take an hour or so. Other streaming opportunities may be available, as well.

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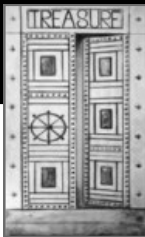
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Door of Treasure



Your Stewardship	April 10
Weekly Offertory.....	\$ 16,984
Offertory Year-to-date	\$ 982,844
Budget Year-to-date.....	\$ 985,558
Your Stewardship	April 17
Weekly Offertory.....	\$ 14,609
Offertory Year-to-date	\$ 997,454
Budget Year-to-date.....	\$ 1,009,596



Stewardship Scripture Reflections

April 24, 2022 | Second Sunday of Easter; Divine Mercy Sunday

"Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'" (JOHN 20:21)

Peace – the first gift of the risen Lord. Just as Jesus sent the apostles out into the world, so too, He sends us. As disciples of Jesus, we are called to be compassionate and merciful; and not with just those who are our friends, but also with our "enemies." Think of someone in your life who you need to reconcile with. Call them right now or better yet, go visit them.



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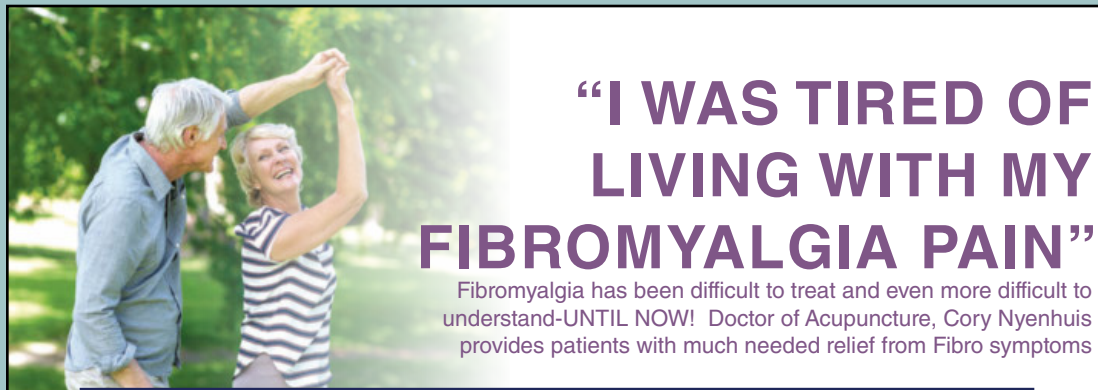
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"I WAS TIRED OF LIVING WITH MY FIBROMYALGIA PAIN"

Fibromyalgia has been difficult to treat and even more difficult to understand-UNTIL NOW! Doctor of Acupuncture, Cory Nyenhuis provides patients with much needed relief from Fibro symptoms

If you're suffering from Fibromyalgia you understand this sentiment all too well. Elyse K. found herself at a turning point when she noticed her diagnosis had begun to take a toll on her marriage.

"I was angry all the time because of all the things I couldn't do anymore because of Fibromyalgia. The anger turned to depression which affected everyone around me-especially my husband. It made our lives miserable."

Fibromyalgia affects the entire body. To make things more complicated, it affects everyone's body differently and these effects can change on a daily basis. Some days you are plagued with wide-spread muscle pain and fatigue and other days it's a headache and heightened sensitivity to touch.

"I could barely stand to have the light weight of bedsheets touching me, much less a hug from my husband," explains Elyse.

That is what it's like to suffer from Fibromyalgia. Symptoms make life incredibly difficult and mundane, daily tasks nearly impossible.

Too often, these symptoms are made worse when practitioners find it difficult to understand, much less treat. Fibromyalgia

is characterized by widespread pain in muscles and tissues rather than inflammation.

Primary care doctors typically prescribe dietary changes, pain liniments, and prescription medications to the point where your life is ruled by a difficult regimen trying to reduce flare ups.

Elyse put it this way, "My life was no longer my own."

Eventually, Elyse did her own research and learned that Acupuncture can improve the quality of life in Fibro patients. Determined to find the best in the business, she discovered 4 Paths Acupuncture led by Acupuncturist Cory Nyenhuis.

Cory Nyenhuis has been successfully treating difficult to manage, chronic pain cases for 10 years.

He uses the time tested science of Acupuncture and integrates it with modern medical advancements that encourage healing and recovery. Acupuncture is a form of Chinese medicine that is commonly used to reduce various forms of pain.

Acupuncture works by reducing inflammation, stimulating the release of endorphins, and offers much needed, effective symptom relief from Fibromyalgia.

Then Acupuncturist Nyenhuis skillfully

layers other non-invasive therapies like ATP Resonance BioTherapy™ and O3 Regenerative Therapy™ for amplified, long-lasting results.

"I feel like a new person. My husband comes with me to my appointments. He spends most of it thanking Acupuncturist Cory for giving him back the woman he married. And for the first time in years one of my neighbors told me I looked good! It's a miracle he treated my Fibro, I don't know how else to explain it!"

If you're looking for a doctor and a practice who not only understand your diagnosis but have a proven solution for chronic pain, look no further than 4 Paths Acupuncture.

Elyse describes 4 Paths Acupuncture almost as enthusiastically as she does their treatments, "I love it here!"

Acupuncturist Cory's success stories can be found on his website 4PathsAcu.com and on Facebook.

4 Paths Acupuncture & Integrative Health is now accepting new patients, however, space is limited. Due to high demand, the clinic can only accept 7 new Fibromyalgia patients per month. To schedule a consultation, please call 402-515-2412.

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