

ST. JAMES

the Greater Catholic Church

January 10, 2021

Baptism of the Lord



Father John N. Hay, Pastor

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Mass Schedule

Monday Wednesday Friday
8:15 am
Saturday Vigil
5:00 pm
Sunday
8:00 am & 10:30 am

Confessions

Monday Wednesday Friday
7:45 - 8:05 am
Saturday
4:00 - 4:45 pm
or by appointment

Adoration Chapel

Shanna Payne, Coordinator: 316-312-3931

Division Leaders

Midnight-6 AM:	Fred Morrison	250-6056
6 AM-12 Noon:	Judy Funke	990-1904
12 Noon- 6 PM:	Karen Hughes	573-2646
6 PM-Midnight:	Lizzie Payne	259-5318

St. James Catholic Church Directory

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Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, January 11	8:15 am	David & Amanda Stowell by Marilyn Runyan
Tuesday, January 12	No Mass	
Wednesday, January 13	8:15 am	†Samantha Price by James McClure
Thursday, January 14	No Mass	
Friday, January 15	8:15 am	St. James' visiting Priests
Saturday, January 16	5:00 pm	†Francisco Pava by Juan & Irma Miranda
Sunday, January 17	8:00 am	Don & Donna Gerstenkorn by Audrey Cryderman
	10:30 am	People of St. James

Mass Attire

If you are dressing better for work than going to Mass, you may just not understand where you are and what you are doing! Just because Mass falls on a weekend doesn't mean you should treat it as some leisurely activity. What are you saying to God when you show up to worship Him in His house in basketball shorts, muscle shirts, t-shirts, short dresses or skirts, flip-flops, or immodestly? Yes, He is happy you are there, but just as any other Father, if you showed up to a banquet that was honoring him dressed inappropriately, he wouldn't be very pleased!

Here is what the Catechism of the Catholic Church has to say about dressing properly for Mass:

To prepare for worthy reception of this sacrament, the faithful should observe the fast required in their Church. Bodily demeanor (gestures, clothing) ought to convey the respect, solemnity, and joy of this moment when Christ becomes our guest – CCC 1387

The Diocese of Wichita: Christmas Call to Sharing

We would like to thank you all for your generous contributions to the Diocesan collection, Christmas Call to Sharing. These funds will be used by the Bishop for the education of our seminarians and the support of our retired priests. If you have not had an opportunity to contribute to this collection please use one of the envelopes in the foyer and place it in the general collection basket. Thank you!!!

Total Assessed: \$9,028.00 Total Collected: \$6,885.00

Why Hold Hands?

Question: Why do we hold hands during the Our Father?

Answer: The practice of members of the assembly holding hands while praying the Lord's Prayer during the Mass is a custom that developed organically in the 1970s and 1980s. While some commentators acknowledge that the practice varies from place to place, it is a fairly universal reality in parishes across the United States. For some, this action symbolizes the communion of Christians praying together as one family of believers honoring the Father of All. Critics of the practice sometimes express concern that holding hands can be a distraction from the more significant unity that is experienced when we process to the altar to receive sacramental communion. And so, we're left to ask, what is the answer?

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (the document that offers specific instructions for the celebration of the Mass) is silent on the practice, saying only that "all the faithful say the prayer" with the priest. The website of the US Bishops simply observes that "No position is prescribed in the Roman Missal for an assembly gesture during the Lord's Prayer." And so, we're left to discern within ourselves and within our parish and religious communities what is an authentic gesture of praise during this important point of the Mass. For some, this means continuing to hold hands, while for others, this may mean adopting another posture of prayer. ©LPi

The Parish Mission Statement

As disciples of Jesus Christ, St. James the Greater Catholic Community, seeks to grow in holiness through the stewardship way of life.

Stewardship of Treasure:

Weekly Tithe (Dec. 27)	\$16,749.38
Children's Envelopes	\$4.00
Weekly Tithe (January 3)	\$14,853.50
Children's Envelopes	\$2.00
Weekly Needed	\$18,943.00
Monthly Needed	\$82,086.00
Monthly Tithe (Nov.)	\$74,271.29
Year-to-date	\$348,409.83
	- \$62,020.17

Thank you for your stewardship.

Advisory Committees

Parish Council Chair

Rick Heise 316-644-6905

Parish Finance Chair

Michael Clifton 316-775-3603

Parish School Council Chair

Anna Barringer 720-951-1391



Meetings & Events

Sunday (1-10)

9:00 am PSR & EDGE Classes (1-8)
6:45 pm EPIC High School Youth

Monday (1-11)

St. James School resumes

Wednesday (1-13)

7:00 pm Altar Society

Thursday (1-14)

7:00 pm RCIA Class

Friday (1-15)

5:30 am Men's Study Group
4:30 pm Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary

Sunday (1-17)

9:00 am PSR & EDGE Classes (1-8)
6:45 pm EPIC High School Youth



St. Theresa Guild #1 and their families to clean the Church for the weekend of January 16/17.

Guild Leaders:

Teresa Reavis @ 775-5095
Shannon Fisher @ 440-2852



God is waiting for you!!
 Give yourself a present for the new year with a Holy Hour.
 Call Shanna Payne with questions or to sign up one hour for yourself.

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OPEN HOURS

Monday: 1:00 am
 Tuesday: 11:00 am, 9:00 pm
 Saturday: 12 midnight, 3:00 am, 2:00 pm, 5:00 pm

Altar Society
 Altar society will meet on Wednesday, January 13 @ 7:00 pm in the church classroom (east side of foyer). All women of St. James are invited to attend & share in our faith & friendship.

Men's Bible Study
 Men's group will begin the book *Consecration to St. Joseph* by Fr. Calloway on February 12. Bishop Kemme has declared this to be the Year of St. Joseph, so this Lent would be the perfect time to devote oneself to the patron of husbands and fathers. Men's group meets Friday mornings at 5:30 am in the church classroom. Please let the church office know if you are interested so books can be ordered. The cost of the book is \$15.

Snow Removal for the week of January 10:
 Bob Chance, Robert Hirschfeld, Jason Kant, Robert Reid and **all who want to help.** Bring your shovels! **THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELP!**

A ***BIG thank you*** to all who helped shovel and clean on the recent snow of January 1. We appreciate the hard, cold work of cleaning off the sidewalks and parking lot.
JUST A REMINDER TO ALL PARISHIONERS TO BE MINDFUL OF THE "BLACK ICE" IN THE PARKING LOT AS THE SNOW MELTS. WATCH YOUR STEP!

Snow Removal for the week of January 17:
 James Berndsen, Juan Miranda, Alan Schneider, Brian Standfast and **all who want to help.** Bring your shovels! **THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELP!**

Sidewalk Advocates for Life Training
 The Respect Life and Social Justice Office invites you to a Sidewalk Advocates for Life training Thursday, January 14, 9:30-3:30 at the St. Joseph Pastoral Center (443 N. Topeka, Wichita). Sidewalk Advocates for Life promotes a compassionate, peaceful, prayerful style of advocating in front of abortion facilities. All materials and lunch will be provided free of charge. Space is limited. To register, contact Stephanie Nemechek (316)269-3900 Ext 134 or nemecheks@catholicdioceseofwichita.org.

Just a Second
 Adam: What is a million years like to you?
 God: Like one second.
 Adam: What is a million dollars like to you?
 God: Like one penny.
 Adam: Can I have a penny?
 God: Sure, just a second.


Altar Servers
Liturgy Assignments
Saturday, January 16 5:00 pm
Hospitality: Kelly & Wendy Becker, Josh Ebenkamp, Jennifer Leeker
Lector: Connie Tillett
Host: Liana Torkelson, Linda Williams, Bud & Peggy Cyphers

Sunday, January 17 8:00 am
Hospitality: Harry Funke, Robert Reid, Diana Burress, Jay & Michelle Poore
Lector: Michelle Poore
Host: Jennifer Husselman, Mary Booth, Alice & Elmer Simon

10:30 am
Hospitality: Jason & Kellie Cox, Jody Mace, Anne Mosier, Henry & Barb Ratcliff
Lector: Tom Finger
Host: Deann Korte, Pat Perkins, Mike & Karen Hughes

REMEMBER
 If you are not able to serve your scheduled time, please find a substitute.

If you would like to send words of encouragement or a card to Father John, please drop it off at the church office. Mail is sent to him often. We want him to know of our **continued** prayers, our love and our support for him during this time. **Pray for Father John.**



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