St. James & St. John the Baptist CATHOLIC COLLABORATIVE PARISH

"Our Collaborative Parish, St. James & St. John the Baptist, is a welcoming multi-cultural Catholic Community, always faithful to the Gospel, loving and sharing Christ".



SAINT JAMES 185 Winter Street Haverhill, MA 01830 SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST 114 Lincoln Avenue Haverhill, MA 01830



MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday: 4:00PM, 7:00PM Viet. Sunday: 8:30AM, 11:30AM Spanish, Weekdays: 9:00AM Tuesday – Thursday – Saturday HOLIDAYS: As announced MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday: 10:00AM Weekdays: 9:00AM Monday – Wednesday – Friday HOLIDAYS: As announced



MAIN OFFICE: 6 COTTAGE STREET – HAVERHILL, MA 01830 P: 978-372-8537 F: 978-373-1505 E: stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com W: <u>www.stjamesandjohnhaverhill.org</u>

Giáo Xu Thánh Giacôbê ~ La Parroquia de San Santiago Apóstol



If you are looking for a spiritual home, please introduce yourself to any member of the parish staff or fill out a registration form available at the church entrances. If you would like more information about the Catholic Church, please call the parish office at 978.372.8537.

THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM AT ST. JAMES: 3rd Sunday of the month as follows: Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec. at 1:00PM.

BAPTISM AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST: 2nd Sunday of the month as follows: Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec. at the 10:00AM Mass. (*Only 2 children may be scheduled for baptism at each Mass*)

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTION: Both Churches, Both Parents and Godparents: 1st Sunday of the month: on the following months: March, June, Sept., Dec. at 11:00AM meeting at the St. John's lower Church. Parents are asked to pre-register at the Collaborative Parish Office/Rectory, one month before baptism instruction takes place. Bringing the child's birth certificate. Please, call the parish office first.

MARRIAGE: Arrangement with a priest of the parish six months prior to the wedding.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays: 3:00-3:30PM at St. James lower church or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call the Collaborative Office if you have a family member or friend who is unable to attend church due to age or infirmity. We will provide pastoral visits with administration of the Sacraments.

COLLABORATIVE PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Father Anthony Le Permanent Deacon: Jose Nelson Agudelo

Collaborative Administrative: Dianne Young & Laura Sullivan stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com

Collaborative Financial: Andrea Sevigny stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com

Collaborative Coordinator of Faith Formation: Joelle Mather - stjamesandjohnfaith@gmail.com

> **Collaborative Coordinators of Music:** Philip Clayton & Cynthia Arsenault

OFFICE HOURS: Weekdays: 8:30AM - 4:30PM

Weekends & Holidays: Office Closed

Please call 978.372.8537 and leave a voicemail or email: stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com - Thank you!

St. James and St. John the Baptist Parishes

Faith in Action Catholic Appeal

We are so grateful to all of you who have helped launch a successful 2022 Catholic Appeal campaign. Here at St James Parish we have raised \$21,265 to date; we are at 89% of our assessment goal. St John the Baptist Parish has raised \$7,555 which is 58% of our assessment goal. If you have not had a chance to do so, please consider making your gift to the Catholic Appeal to meet our goals, by picking up an envelope at the back of the church or make an online donation at www.bostoncatholicappeal.org.

Participation from every household in the parish is important and every gift makes a meaningful difference in putting faith into action to support the parishes, schools, and communities within our

Archdiocese. Thank you.

SCAN HERE TO MAKE YOUR GIFT DR VISIT





JESUS IS HERE

Archdiocese of Boston Eucharistic Congress SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022 8:30AM – 6:00PM TSONGAS CENTER, LOWELL, MA

Cardinal Sean will be the homilist for the Mass. Bishop Robert Barron, Bishop Daniel Flores, Jackie and Bobby Angel, and Deacon Harold Buke-Sivers will be the other speakers. Bishop Reed will be the Master of Ceremonies. Music will be provided throughout the day by Village Lights. Confessions will be provided throughout the day.

The Congress will conclude with a Eucharistic Procession from the Tsongas Arena to the steps of Saint Patrick's Church.

The best place to find information about this is here http://jesusishereboston.org Tickets \$39 until May 22,2022



afflicted with cancer.

MASS INTENTIONS

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	Saturday, May 21st		
	9:00AM (SJ)	Parishioners of St. James Parish	
	4:00PM (SJ)	Bernard Flynn & Helen Driscoll	
		14th Yr. Anniversary ~ Req. by Family	
	7:00pm(SJ)	Vietnamese Mass	
	Sunday, May 22nd		
	8:30AM (SJ)	Alfred & Rita Desmarais	
		~ Remembrance by Family	
	10:00AM (SJB)		
	11.20414 (CI)	~ Remembrance by Family	
	11:30AM (SJ)	Rafael Soto (10-12) Chris Otero (9-12)	
		Accion deGracias a san Miguel	
		Elain Castillo-Marten	
		~ Remembrance by Family	
		Bernardo Reynoso	
		Virginia DelRosario	
		~Remembrance By Family	
	Monday, May 23rd		
		Parishioners of St. John the Baptist Parish	
		Liturgy of Word and Adoration (Spanish)	
	Tuesday, May		
	Tuesday, May 2 9:00AM	Catherine Montibello	
	9.00AW	~ Remembrance by Friend	
	9:30AM	Adoration	
	Wednesday, May 25th		
	9:00AM (SJB)	Sarah Peterson	
		~ Healing (requested by Aunt)	
	Thursday, May 26th		
		The Ascension of the Lord	
		Holy Day of Obligation (lower church)	
	9:30AM (SJ)	Adoration	
Friday, May 27th			
	9:00AM (SJB)	Sarah (Audet) Dul	
	. ,	~ In Loving Memory by The Johnston	
		Family	
	7:00PM (SJ)	Liturgy of Word and Prayer Group(Spanish)	
	Saturday, May 28th		
	9:00AM (SJ)	Rev. John P. McDonough~In Memoriam	
	4:00PM (SJ)	Catherine Montibello	
		~In Memory, Devaney Family	
		Raymond J. Tolosko	
		~Requested by Family	
	7:00PM (SJ)	Vietnamese Mass	
Sunday, May 29th			
	8:30AM (SJ)	Rev. John P. Carrolle~In Memoriam	
	10:00AM (SJB)	Rose & Arthur Young	
	11.20 444 (51)	Remembrance by Daughter~Dianne Young	
	11:30 AM (SJ)	James Paul Kocsis Anita Cleto & Jose Brito	
		Arturo Velasquez	
		Patria Garcia	

Danilo Serrano

<u>CHURCH SUPPORT - WEEKLY OFFERTORY</u> <u>May 8th—May 15th</u>

<u>St James' Offertory</u>: \$ 2,679 2nd Collection (Special Monthly) \$ 1,160 Online Giving: \$280.00

<u>St John's Offertory</u>: \$1,360 2nd Collection: (Special Monthly) \$437 Online Giving: \$327.00 Rice Box/Masses/Votives: \$53.82

Thank you very much for your love and generosity!

2nd COLLECTIONS: 5/22 Maintenance Fund 6/05 Capital Improvements



2022 First Communion Class St. James & St. John the Baptist Parish

The Parish Community of St. James & St. John's rejoices with the children of this year's First Communion class and their families. We pray for and congratulate them on this milestone. Blessings.

Ezequiel Andino-Falu, Janiel Rosario-Andino, Alexa Landaverde, Logan Burns, Sofia DeGrenier, Adrian Felker, Leah Jimenez, Amy Jimenez, Camden Lareau, Edward McManus, Alexander Mendez, Alexandria Moro, Jay Ortega, Adam Pare, Sienna Perdomo, Kyle Santiago, Gabriel Mendez, Catherine Corbett, Jacob Diaz, William Hernandez, Enzo Jimenez, Zachary Lareau, Olivia McManus, Channel Morales, Luke Paquette, Valery Ortega, Madison Pham, Rihanna Santiago, Alexander Cheremond

A special thank you to Joelle Mather and faith formation staff.



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn before the Blessed Sacrament Altar this week (SJB) for Mrs and Mr. Lawrence Montibello ~Requested by Family

Pastoral Reflections from Father Anthony 6TH EASTER SUNDAY

When asked where is Christ present? We often think of the church, the Tabernacle. Unfortunately, many times we just stop there. We seldom think of a different way of His presence. He is not just with us, beside us, in the front of us, but he is also within our human weakness. We often do not think of this, because we do not dare to believe in that great gift of himself given to us. In today's Gospel reading, Jesus solemnly proclaimed his stay with us, "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him" (Jn 14:23).

The pronoun "we" here refers to the Father and the Son. Where the Father and the Son are, there is also the Holy Spirit. Because of the love of Christ, we are welcomed into the Holy Trinity's world. Out of their love for us, the Holy Trinity has come and dwelt within us. In this two-way love, heaven starts blooming. Heaven is very close right in our hearts. Indeed, heaven is often in the souls of those who love Christ and keep his word. Sometimes we need to ask ourselves: Is God really within us. Have we ever experienced his presence at all? Have we ever worshipped his presence?

Christians are not only the friends of Christ, but they must also be the people who have Christ in them and form the community of love as the Holy Trinity did. Therefore, they are the sanctuaries, the mobile churches because they contain not only Christ as a tabernacle, but they are one with him in love.

Thus, the sacraments we receive are given for the purpose of making love between us and Christ increase and grow. Before we receive Holy Communion, Christ is already in us. After we receive the Eucharist, Jesus does not abandon us either. But every time we receive Holy Communion, His presence is increased and his love grows within us. Even if we are not able to go to the church, we can still meet the Christ in our hearts. Just let our hearts calm down, we may see him and enter into a dialogue with him. Indeed, if God is not present in the hearts of believers, our church will be an insensitive community.

Thus, our Christianity is the religion of the Risen One, who is living on the fullness of God's life. The risen Jesus didn't appear just a couple of times, but he wanted to stay with us until the end of the world. This is really a so profound and powerful two-dimensional presence as he said, "Remain in me, as I remain in you" (Jn 15:4a). It is a presence which brings abundant life: "because I live and you will live" (Jn 14:19b). So, Christians by nature are those who have been resurrected, thanks to our communion with the Living One who is Christ as St. Paul said: "I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me" (Gal 2:20).

The Easter season reminds us to look back at our life. Sometimes we live poorly, just because we don't dare to love and love to the end. Once we begin to love, we begin to meet God and feel his life in us flare up powerfully.

Today's world tries to make life more secure, more comfortable and produce a longer and better life. But today's world is still full of danger. Life is threatened by war, crime, poverty, hatred, violence, and so on. Life is worn out and fades away because it finds no meaning. The world is thirsty and hungry for real life. If we are the true disciples of Jesus and walk with him in every corner of life, we can give that life to the world through our commitment and service of others with love, compassion and generosity.

Readings for today's Mass begin on page 162- 163 of the Breaking Bread Missal 2022 Proper parts of the Mass begin on page 3.



If you are interested in volunteering for our upcoming Faith Formation classes, please

contact Joelle Mather, Coordinator of Faith Formation at (978) 372-8537 or email: stjamesandstjohnofficeom—Thank you!

<u>HOSPICE VOLUNTEER REQUEST</u>

Harborside Hospice is looking for compassionate, kindhearted people like you to join our volunteer team. Spending as little as an hour a week can make all the difference to people in our care who are nearing the

end of their life's journey. We work with home patients and facilities in MA and NH. Are you willing to spend time with patients—talking, reading, listening to music or just being at their side to provide comfort? To sign up for an upcoming training or for more information, please contact:

Michael Goodsell (Volunteer Coordinator) Phone: (603) 793-3842 Email: Mgoodsell@hshospice.com Webpage: www.HarborsidehospiceLLC.com/volunteer



Liz Murphy Open Hand Pantry is in need of:



Cookie, Brownie, Cake mixes. Ketchup, Mustard, Mayo, Relish. Lemonade, Ice Tea, Kool-aid drink mixes, Coffee, tea bags. Cereal, Crackers, Juice Boxex. Boxes pasta salads. Freeze pops. Shampoo, Body Wash, Toothpaste (no kids flavors), razors, deodor-

ant (mens and womens)

Please no medications: (Insulin, cough syrup, cold medications, aspirin, OTC drugs, etc.)

BULLETIN DEADLINE Friday's by 12:00PM Please e-mail bulletin notices to: stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com



Let us take the time to kneel before Jesus present in the Eucharist, in order to make reparation by our faith and love for the acts of carelessness and neglect, and even the insults which our Savior must endure in many parts of the world. *St. Pope John Paul II*

Also, if you or a loved one is doubtful, pray to Blessed Carlo Acutis (Model of Holiness) who lived for Christ. There is a website that explains about this young holy man's life who died at the age of 15 in 2006 – <u>www.miracolieucaristici.org</u>. It is worth taking the time to view, read and listen to!

If you would like to share your own story about belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist, please send it to me at gerannjo@yahoo.com or if you do not have a computer you may send in your hand-written testimony to me at the following street address: Gerald Johnston, 41 Goodale Street, Haverhill, MA 01830-4209.

We all need to hear your story. Your article can appear anonymously if you prefer; however, I need to know your name to confirm. Pleaset let me know if you want it to be anonymous. Thank you and God Bless,

Gerry Johnston, Year of the Eucharist Coordinator.



COMMUNITY MEAL IS BACK!!

FREE HOT MEALS SERVED MONDAYS (EXCL. HOLIDAYS) HAVERHILL CITIZEN CENTER 10 WELCOME STREET





DIED IN THE HOPE OF THE RESURRECTION... Paul J. Heffernan

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

LOS SACRAMENTOS

Bautismos en Español: El Segundo Domingo del mes, a la 1:00PM.

Catequesis pre-bautismal: El primer Domingo del mes, a la 1:00PM, en el centro parroquial (161 Winter St.), **obligatorio para los padres y padrinos.** La registración se debe hacer previamente en la Rectoría, con el acta civil de nacimiento.

Bodas: Se debe consultar con el sacerdote o el diácono con 6 meses de anticipación

Confesiones: Sábados: 3:00-3:30PM en St. James in la iglesia de abajo o llamar a la Rectoría por una cita.

Sacramento de los Enfermos: Si tienes un miembro de familia o amigo que no pueda asistir a la iglesia por edad o enfermedad, por favor llamar a la oficina para que se le provee de visitas con la administración de los sacramentos.



GRUPOS

*La Legión de María se reúnen los miércoles a la 6:00pm *La liturgia de la Palabra se celebra los días Lunes, Miércoles y viernes a las 7pm .

*Grupo de Oración Carismático se reúnen los viernes a las 7:30pm en la Parroquia St. James (Iglesia de abajo).



Para reservar una **Misa** para algún familiar suyo por favor contactar la oficina de la parroquia al teléfono 978-372-8537 o email: stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com



Dediquemos tiempo a arrodillarnos ante Jesús presente en la Eucaristía, para reparar con nuestra fe y amor los actos de descuido y descuido, e incluso los ultrajes que nuestro Salvador debe soportar en muchas partes del mundo. San Papa Juan Pablo II

Además, si usted o un ser querido tiene dudas, ore al Beato Carlo Acutis (Modelo de santidad) que vivió para Cristo. Hay un sitio web que explica sobre la vida de este joven santo que murió a la edad de 15 años en 2006: www.miracolieucaristici.org. ¡Vale la pena tomarse el tiempo para ver, leer y escuchar!

Si desea compartir su propia historia sobre la creencia en la Presencia Real de Jesús en la Eucaristía, envíemela a gerannjo@yahoo.com o, si no tiene una computadora, puede enviar su testimonio escrito a mano a en la siguiente dirección: Gerald Johnston, 41 Goodale Street, Haverhill, MA 01830-4209. Todos necesitamos escuchar tu historia. Su artículo puede aparecer de forma anónima si lo prefiere; sin embargo, necesito saber su nombre para confirmar. Por favor, hágamelo saber si desea que sea anónimo. Gracias y Dios te bendiga,

Gerry Johnston, Coordinador del Año de la Eucaristía.

LEL CONVENIO MATRINMONIAL COUPLES RETREAT

El grupo Convenio Matrimonial invita a todas las parejas casadas a un retiro espiritual de parejas. **Dias:** 13 de Mayo: 6:00pm a 10:00pm 14 de Mayo: 8:00pm a 11:00pm y 15 de Mayo: 8:00am a 5:00pm **Donde:** El Colegio St. James 415 Primrose St, Haverhill, MA 01830

* Se asistira a Misa en español el domingo del retiro.



;¡VUELVE LA COMIDA COMUNITARIA!!

COMIDAS CALIENTES GRATUITAS SERVIDAS LOS LUNES (EXCL. FESTIVOS) CENTRO CIUDADANO DE HAVERHILL 10 CALLE BIENVENIDOS 4:45-5:45 p. m.



