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“Our Collaborative Parish, St. James & St. John the Baptist,  
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THE BAPTIST  
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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

7<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY  
OF EASTER

Jesus prayed saying: “Holy  
Father, I pray not only for  
them, but also for those who  
will believe in me through  
their word.” - Jn 17:20

# Gíáo Xu Thánh Giacôbê ~ La Parroquia de San Santiago Apóstol

*W*elcome! 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. For more information about our Catholic Church, please call the Parish Office at 978.372.8537.

## THE SACRAMENTS

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

**BAPTISM AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST:** 2<sup>nd</sup> 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: 1<sup>st</sup> 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. Please bring the child's birth certificate (please call parish office before arrival).

**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

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

### OFFICE HOURS:

**Weekdays:**

8:30AM - 4:30PM

**Weekends & Holidays:** Office Closed

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[stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com](mailto:stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com) - Thank you!

## May 29 ~ Seventh Sunday of Easter

In today's Gospel we hear part of Jesus's final discourse to his Apostles. Jesus speaks from his heart, giving instructions and encouragement to his closest friends and then turns to pray to his Father. Listen to his prayer. It is his prayer for us "...I have given them the glory you gave me, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me..." Take time this week to reread this gospel as Jesus' prayer for us. What feelings does his prayer evoke in you? How will you respond to Jesus in your prayer?

## Our Sunday Family Meal

At the request of Cardinal Seán, the closing of the Year of the Eucharist is comprised of four parts: 1) Jesus is Here for Youth and Young Adults on Friday, June 17 at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross; 2) Jesus is Here, Archdiocese of Boston's Eucharistic Congress, on Saturday, June 18 at the Tsongas arena in Lowell, MA; 3) Celebration of the Sunday Eucharist for the Feast of Corpus Christi on June 19 in your parish; and 4) Our Sunday Family Meal prayer service in your homes—having been nourished by the Eucharist at Mass, families are then encouraged to come together to share a meal and celebrate the gift of faith in Jesus we share in our family. We invite your family to participate in Our Sunday Family Meal Prayer at [www.evangelizeboston.com/our-sunday-family-meal](http://www.evangelizeboston.com/our-sunday-family-meal). It comes complete with activities for children of all ages and is available in 4



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 \$18,986 so far, which means we are at 89% of our assessment goal \$21,265 and St John the Baptist Parish we have raised \$4,350 with 58% of our assessment goal of \$7,555. 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](http://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

**MASS INTENTIONS****Saturday, May 28th**

9:00AM (SJ) **Rev. John P. McDonough**~In Memoriam  
 4:00PM (SJ) **Raymond J. Tolosko**~Requested by Family  
 7:00PM (SJ) **Vietnamese Mass**

**Sunday, May 29th**

8:30AM (SJ) **Rev. John P. Carrolle**~In Memoriam  
**Michael Spero**~Birthday Remembrance  
 Requested by Family  
 10:00AM (SJB) **Rose, Arthur & Wayne Young**  
 Remembrance by Daughter~Dianne Young  
 11:30 AM (SJ) **James Paul Kocsis**  
**Anita Cleto & Jose Brito**  
**Arturo Velasquez**  
**Patria Garcia**  
**Danilo Serrano**  
**Accion deGracias a San Miguel**

**Monday, May 30th**

9:00AM (SJB) **Arthur Catton**~7 Yr. Anniversary -  
 Requested by wife & Daisy  
 7:00PM (SJ) **Liturgy of Word and Adoration** (Spanish)

**Tuesday, May 31st**

9:00AM(SJ) **Rev. Harold F. Lawson**~In Memoriam

**Wednesday, June 1st**

9:00AM (SJB) **Johnathan Ahern**~Requested by Family

**Thursday, June 2nd**

9:00AM (SJ) **Parishioners of St. James Parish**  
 9:30AM (SJ) **Adoration**

**Friday, June 3rd**

9:00AM (SJB) **David Frey**~Requested by Johnston Fam.  
 7:00PM (SJ) **Liturgy of Word and Prayer Group**( Spanish)

**Saturday, June 4th**

9:00AM (SJ) **Parishioners of St. James Parish**  
 4:00PM (SJ) **Catherine Montibello**~In Memory  
 Requested by Devaney Family  
 7:00pm( SJ) **Vietnamese Mass**

**Sunday, June 5th**

8:30AM (SJ) **Rev. Martin Connor**~In Memoriam  
 10:00AM(SJB) **Peter & Mary Lesiczka**~Req. By Family  
 11:30AM(SJ) **Bienvenido Escorastico, Jose Rosario**  
**Roselia Mendez, Sebastian Garcia,**  
**Nilda Garcia, Patria Martinez**  
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**CHURCH SUPPORT - WEEKLY OFFERTORY****May 14—15th**

**St James' Offertory** : \$ 2,327  
 2nd Collection (Energy & Utilities): \$ 1,123  
 Online Giving: \$ 393

**St John's Offertory**: \$ 724  
 2nd Collection (Energy & Utilities): \$ 504  
 Online Giving: \$ 83

Thank you very much for your love and generosity!

**2nd COLLECTIONS:**  
6/05 Capital Improvements  
06/12 Special Monthly



**Monday, June 20th to Thursday, June 23rd, 2022**

*Ideal for students entering gr. K-6th, in-person: 9 a.m. to 12p.m.*

@ Sacred Hearts Parish Hall


**MEMORIAL DAY**

*Please take a moment to remember and honor those who have died in the nation's wars. Memorial Day (May 30th) originated during the American Civil War when citizens placed flowers on the graves of those who had been killed in battle.*

**THANK YOU**

On behalf of St. James and St. John Parishes, we would like to thank everyone who attended our Ham and Bean Supper. We had a wonderful turnout. All funds raised will go towards future events. Thank you to the Activities Committee for hosting the dinner and a special thank you to John and Kathy Connor for all your hard work on putting the dinner together.

Congratulations to the winner of the Special Drawing- Caroline who won a Red Sox baseball signed by Jonathan Papelbon donated by parishioner Matthew Connor. Congratulations!



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn before the Blessed Sacrament Altar this week (SJB)  
**Arthur, Rose & Wayne Young** ~  
 Requested By Family

## Pastoral Reflections from Father Anthony

7<sup>TH</sup> EASTER SUNDAY

Today's Gospel is the last part of Jesus' Sacrificial Prayer to the Father in which he prays for all those who believe in Jesus through the preaching of the disciples. The content of that petition is for Christians to be one. To "be one" is to be like the love of the Trinity, to let the world know Jesus as Savior, to contemplate God's glory and to know the Father.

The perfect model of unity is the image of the Triune God: "So that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us" (Jn 17:21). The unity of the Trinity is mutual love: the Father loves the Son and the Son loves the Father with the Holy Spirit; and their love for one another becomes one God. In this way, Christians are one with each other through charitable love.

The unity of the Trinity is in one another: "You are in them and I am in you, that they may be completely one" (Jn 17:23a). Christians are called to always be in Jesus and in one another. "In" is understood to share the same faith: one baptism, one bread, one Spirit, and especially in the same member of the mystical body of Christ.

However, over time, the Church of Christ has been split, specifically Christianity today includes Catholic, Orthodox, Anglican, Protestant and even in these denominations, there are many other sects. That is why Jesus' prayer to the Father for Christians is now more urgent than ever. Every Christian has the duty to pray and make an effort to contribute to the unity of the Church, starting from our family, neighborhood, the parish, and so on so that the world can know Jesus: "You are in them and I am in you, that they may be completely one; so the world will know that it was I who sent you, and that you loved them as you have loved me" (Jn 17:23).

As always, witness life is more persuasive than profound and eloquent sermons as it is often said, "Words are persuasive, but good examples are to

draw in." It is easy to recognize Christ's presence and believe in God's existence through the good life of Christians, but the most convincing thing is that Christians live in love and unity. This is always true as most converts always testify that they are convinced by the Christian witness in schools, workplaces, and especially in the neighborhoods.

In addition, it is unity with one another that will create strength against the enemy, whose greatest enemy is the devil, seeking to divide God's children in every way. Nowadays, in every corner of life and especially in the field of social media, the enemy is always looking for ways to spread conflicting, mutilated and fabricated information to sow division among members of God's People.

That is why, more than ever, today's Gospel message invites us to be one in the faith transmitted from Jesus through the Apostles to the Church. Apostolic faith is immutable. That faith requires Christians to be one with God's people to make the kingdom of God more and more spread in this world.

Therefore, let us ask the Lord to help us always to be one in faith and love, just as Jesus is united in the Father through the Holy Spirit of Love. Amen.

Readings for today's Mass begin on page 166-168  
of the Breaking Bread Missal 2022  
Proper parts of the Mass begin on page 3.



 **Faith**  
FORMATION

*If you are interested  
in volunteering for our  
upcoming Faith For-  
mation classes, please  
contact Joelle Mather,*

*Coordinator of Faith Formation at  
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*stjamesandstjohnofficeom—Thank you!*



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**POST-ABORTION HEALING RETREAT**  
**June 4, 2022**

“My spirit was broken and as far as I knew beyond repair. I was consumed with feelings of remorse. During the retreat, I realized that the lasting impact of forgiveness. I knew God had forgiven me and now I needed to forgive myself...” - a *Project Rachel* retreat attendee.

The *Project Rachel* ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston extends a special invitation to women suffering from the pain of a past abortion to attend a “Come to the Waters of Healing” one-day retreat. The next retreat will take place on June 4, 2022. Locations are confidential (limited to 10 participants). For more information, please call *Project Rachel* at (508) 651-3100 or visit [help@projectrachelboston.com](mailto:help@projectrachelboston.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 – [www.miracolieuucaristici.org](http://www.miracolieuucaristici.org). 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](mailto: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. Please let me know if you want it to be anonymous. Thank you and God Bless,

**Gerry Johnston, Year of the Eucharist Coordinator.**

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Friday's by 10:00AM

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## 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 registraci3n 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 anticipaci3n

**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 administraci3n de los sacramentos.



## GRUPOS

- \*La Legi3n de María se reúnen los mi3rcoles a la 6:00pm
- \*La liturgia de la Palabra se celebra los días Lunes, Mi3rcoles y viernes a las 7pm .
- \*Grupo de Oraci3n Carismático se reúnen los viernes a las 7:30pm en la Parroquia St. James (Iglesia de abajo).



Para reservar una **Misa** para alg3n familiar suyo por favor contactar la oficina de la parroquia al tel3fono 978-372-8537 o email:

[stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com](mailto:stjamesandjohnofficeparish@gmail.com)



Dediquemos tiempo a arrodillarnos ante Jes3s 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

Adem3s, si usted o un ser querido tiene dudas, ore al Beato Carlo Acutis (Modelo de santidad) que vivi3 para Cristo. Hay un sitio web que explica sobre la vida de este joven santo que muri3 a la edad de 15 aÑos en 2006: [www.miracolieuucaristici.org](http://www.miracolieuucaristici.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 Jes3s en la Eucaristía, envíemela a [gerannjo@yahoo.com](mailto:gerannjo@yahoo.com) o, si no tiene una computadora, puede enviar su testimonio escrito a mano a en la siguiente direcci3n: Gerald Johnston, 41 Goodale Street, Haverhill, MA 01830-4209. Todos necesitamos escuchar tu historia. Su artícuo puede aparecer de forma an3nima si lo prefiere; sin embargo, necesito saber su nombre para confirmar. Por favor, hágamelo saber si desea que sea an3nimo. Gracias y Dios te bendiga,

Gerry Johnston, Coordinador del AÑo de la Eucaristía.



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