

ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE AND OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MOUNT CARMEL IS A ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH WITH THE EUCHARIST AS THE CENTER OF ITS LIFE. OUR MISSION, AS DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST, IS TO BUILD UP THE KINGDOM OF GOD BY LEADING, NOURISHING AND SERVING THE COMMUNITY IN WORD AND SACRAMENT.

From the Desk of Fr. Howley

July 31, 2016

As many of you know, I have been working on Rikers Island for over a year now. In the words of the Cardinal, "the commute is crazy". Therefore the time has come that I should move south. I will be in residence at Saint Benedict's Parish in the Bronx. I never thought I would have a zip code in the Bronx.

It has been a long run here at St James' Parish. The parishioners of St James' are the finest in the entire Archdiocese. In my time here I have tragically lost my sister Cathy and my parents Kay and Bill. The love and support afforded me is beyond description and I thank all of you for that. I feel like I am leaving my family as I write this note. I will never forget all of you. Let us continue to pray for each other in the years ahead.

May God bless you and keep you. I will always remember your great kindness extended to me.

I remain, sincerely in your debt,

Fr. Vincent de Paul Howley

Readings for this Week, 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23

"Vanity of Vanities"- Sometimes we may work for wealth, wisdom and knowledge only to discover that it has been left for some one who did not toil for it. The offering of our work, fatigue and pain, if not for God, can also be a kind of vanity.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Paul urges us to seek what is good and from God, encouraging us to put our minds on the spiritual. He reminds us that, as Christians , we have died with Christ and are hidden with Christ until his glory is once again revealed. We are all one in Christ.

Gospel: Luke 12:13-21

On being requested to settle a question of inheritance, Jesus heeds us to beware of all covetousness because our life does not consist on the wealth of possessions. Through the lesson of a parable Jesus reinforces this teaching, explaining that those who store up the treasures of wealth and possessions are not the richest in God's eyes.



Reading for Next Week, 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9

In this excerpt, the Israelites are reminded that they were warned before God sent an angel to slay the first born of the Egyptians. God called on them to have courage, and then rewarded them by punishing their enemies and leading them from captivity.

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19

Faith is described as true belief even toward things we cannot see. Abram's faith in God was so deep that he wandered through a foreign land, convinced God's promise of a homeland was sincere. God honored his promise to give Abram many descendants, and was proud of the deep faith Abram and his people possessed.

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

Jesus encourages us to be prepared for his return at all times, for he will come when we least expect him. He tells of a master who entrusts his home to his servants, and fully expects them to be awaiting his return. In the same manner, Jesus can arrive at any moment and expects us to be prepared for his return.



ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 2016

8:00AM RICHARD A. CAPONE
5:00PM MARIE D'ALBORA

SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2016

8:00AM THOMAS BIOLSI
10:00AM ANDREW AND FRANCES PASINI
12:00PM GERTRUDE AND THEODOR HERRMANN
5:00PM FERNANDO RECINE

MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 2016, St. ALPHONUS LIGUORI

7:30AM DANIEL RIORDAN
9:00AM VITOROCCO BARBARO
7:30PM LIFE, MARRIAGE & RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2016

7:30AM RORY CARROLL
9:00AM VINCENT CIOFFI

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 2016

7:30AM KATHERINE PUCHALSKI
9:00AM BLANCHE NAVES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 2016, St. JOHN VIANNEY

7:30AM MURIEL HICKS
9:00AM GRACE AND AL LIETO

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 2016

7:30 AM MIRELLA MACINA
9:00AM LAWRENCE JAMES URSITTI

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2016

8:00AM FRANK CENTNER
5:00PM PHILIP DELANO

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2016

8:00AM FRANK LAFRANCA, JR.
10:00AM SILVESTRO PALUMBO
12:00PM MARY TOLVE
5:00PM WALTER JAKYMIW

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/ MOUNT CARMEL

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 2016

4:00PM ANTHONY FIORENTINO

SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2016

9:00AM MURIEL HICKS
11:00AM MURIEL HICKS
12:30PM (LIVING) ZOFIA KOPACZ
(MASS IN POLISH)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2016

4:00PM JOSEPH SPINELLI

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2016

9:00AM MICHAEL NAUGHTON
11:00AM PHILOMENA AND MICHELE SBARILE
12:30PM ST. JAMES & OLL/MT. CARMEL PARISHIONERS
(MASS IN POLISH)

TO EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON AND A TIME TO EVERY PURPOSE UNDER HEAVEN

TIME TO BE BORN: BAPTISMS FOR THE WEEK:

GARRETT BENJAMIN BERNSTEIN, MARIE ROSE HEALY, DOMENICK JOSEPH PORRECA, JACKSON JAMES PORRECA, AND JAMES ANTHONY RILEY THE 5TH

TIME TO HEAL: THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

TERRY SIEGEL, KYLE ULICH, SHAUN FISHER, MARIE BASCIANO, TERESA KOBYLINSKA, ANTHONY MAFFIA, STACY BRIGANTE, WILLIAM MCGREEVY JR., JOHN MCGREEVY, KRISTEN KAMINOS, ANTOINETTE BONO, JOHN SPAGNOLI, JENNIFER RACIOPPO, CHARLES CLARKSON, JACK MARK, BILL DIETERICH, SAMANTHA BASCIANO, MARY BRADY, VINCE VILLANI, GEORGE BIOLSI, WILLIAM BIOLSI, GERARD BIOLSI, CLAUDE BOER, MARGARET CUNNINGHAM, PATRICIA UPTON, MICHAEL DIGNAM, THOMAS SARTORIS, JEFF COOK, TAYLOR DESALVO, SARAH FAIRBAIRN, BARBARA GUGLIERI, PRISCILLA ELIZONDO, MICHAEL SMITH, ZOFIA KOPACZ, FRAN BELLONI, MARK STAFFORD.

A TIME TO DIE: THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

CHRISTOPHER RUCCI, HUGH GOLDMAN, FRANCESCA VINCIGUERRA

A TIME TO LOVE: MARRIAGES FOR THE WEEK:

TIME FOR WAR: A TIME FOR PEACE:

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES AND THEIR FAMILIES

CELEBRANTS FOR NEXT WEEK

ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2016

5:00PM FR. KURPIOS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2016

8:00AM MSGR. MARCHITELLI
10:00AM MSGR. MARCHITELLI
12:00PM MSGR. MARTIN
5:00PM MSGR. MARTIN

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SAVE THE DATE

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE FOR THE YEAR OF MERCY
TO THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE DIVINE
MERCY IN STOCKBRIDGE MA**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2016

STEWARDSHIP IN OUR PARISH

JULY 24, 2016

SUNDAY COLLECTION \$ 13,238.00

GOLD ENVELOPES \$ 1,742.50

TOTAL \$ 14,980.50

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. JAMES AND OUR LADY OF THE LAKE / MOUNT CARMEL

Thank you for joining in our Eucharistic celebration. We are glad that you are here with us today, especially if you are a visitor, and sincerely hope that you will find nourishment for your faith and life here. If you have recently moved into our Parish, please introduce yourself to one of the priests or deacons and the parish staff. You are cordially invited to register at our Parish Office at St. James. Currently our parish has 4,500 registered families.

MONDAY NIGHT NOVENA MASS

Each Monday evening we gather as a community at 7:10 pm to pray the Rosary together and then celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Following the Mass we pray the Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal which affords us an opportunity to pray for our particular intentions and intercessions. All are invited.

UNANNOUNCED MASSES

DECEASED:

MARION CELIO, JAMES O'NEILL
BERNIE McDERMOTT

LIVING:

KATHLEEN MARK,
FR. VINCENT HOWLEY

St. James Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open on Sundays from 8:00AM to 1:00PM in the Carriage House. If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering please call Theresa at 845-278-8033.



BONANZA 2016

Bonanza Tickets are on sale for **\$50.00** each and can be purchased in the Parish Office, School Office or CCD office



Prizes are:

Two - **\$200.00** drawings each week for 45 weeks.

Winners will be re-entered in subsequent drawings.

Three - **\$2,000** drawings during the year
Next \$2,000 drawing Thanksgiving Eve

**This week's \$200 winners are
Bill & Pat Wuchter and Mary Stops**

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



- 3rd Thomas Reilly and Coleen MacDonald
- 3rd John Szezepaniak and Teresa Chillo
- 3rd Kyle Dakin and Christina Eveland
- 2nd Siobhan Pratt and Christopher Gruber

FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 31 TO AUGUST 6, 2016



THE **BREAD & WINE** BEING USED IN
ST. JAMES CHURCH THIS WEEK IS
**IN MEMORY OF
JAMES J. O'NEILL**

DONATED BY:

O'HANLON, FARRELL AND CARMODY FAMILIES

SEPARATED AND DIVORCED MINISTRY

The Separated and Divorced Ministry of St. James and Our Lady of the Lake/Mount Carmel is a support group for those who have experienced loss or rejection through separation or divorce. Our meetings are open to all men and women of the community. For more information please call Peter at 845-270-9996.

ST. JAMES PRAYER GROUP

The St. James Prayer Group meets every Thursday at 7:30pm in the Chapel of Life. Come join us for an evening of praise and worship through song, a quiet time of scripture reading and sharing how God is working in our lives, followed by intercessory prayer, for the intentions of our Pope Francis and all our clergy, for our parish, our own intentions and for those who have asked us to pray. The Prayer Group is open to all parishioners. Please join us for a peaceful evening away from the busyness of the day to be with Our Lord.

MEN OF ST. JAMES

The "Men of St. James" come together for prayer and discussion to make what the Pope is calling for a reality here at St. James Church. It is also a place to re-ignite the fire that may have grown dim or just to meet other men who are also trying to be faithful Catholic men. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Saturday's at 7:00AM in the Carriage House. Come. "Open the door." They called the church together and reported what God had done with them and how he had opened the door of faith..." (Acts 14:27)

COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION DVD's

The 2016 DVD's ordered through Roland Productions are now available to be picked up in the Parish Gift Shop on Sundays from 8:00AM to 1:00PM. Additional copies of the DVD's are still available by calling Roland Productions 845-471-6472.

CCD TEACHERS NEEDED

We are in need of CCD Teachers for the following classes at Our Lady of the Lake site:

Saturday 8:30 a.m. class – Grade 5
Saturday 9:50 a.m. class – Grade 5

ST. SEBASTIAN'S TERRACE AND COLUMBARIUM

192 purchased - 260 Niches still available

We have celebrated Mass at the Altar of our Terrace and Columbarium many times. There are 89 niches engraved and interred. The price of a niche is \$2,500, which gives you the right to inter the cremains of two people. If you have been thinking of purchasing a niche, and would like to schedule an appointment, please contact Mrs. Maureen Larkin at 845-225-2079 on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

For those of you not familiar with a Columbarium, it is a Latin word that describes a collection of niches to house urns containing cremated human remains. Usually inscribed with the person's name and dates of birth and death, columbaria are constructed to serve as permanent resting places for our loved ones in a 'churchyard' or landscaped terrace. May the Lord who has blessed this project now be a final resting place for many of our loved ones.

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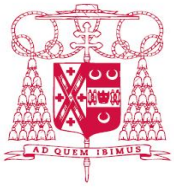
Sharpen Your Skills! **Summer Enrichment Program**

- Focusing on grade-level Math and ELA topics
- Small group setting
- Relevant, interactive and engaging activities

**Children entering grades 1-4
Aug 1, 2, 3 - 8:30-11:30 am
Cost: \$250.00**

\$50.00 non-refundable registration fee includes snacks and materials.

Contact Gina.redendo@stjamescarmel.org.



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CARDINAL'S
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL
Sharing God's Gifts

Our parish has 4,500 families. Thank you to the 373 families (9% of our parish families) who have made a pledge.

If you would like to make a pledge, please mail your donation to the Archdiocese of NY or bring it into the Parish Office. If you prefer you may make an online gift at www.cardinalsappeal.org

Goal	Pledges as of July 1st	Paid to date	Number of Gifts
\$132,000	\$86,481.00	\$ 73,380.00	373

**Twenty-Second Annual
St. James CYO Basketball Camp
For Girls and Boys Entering Grades 3-10**

Two Sessions

Girls: August 8-12, 2016

Boys: August 15-19, 2016

Clinic Tuition: \$200.00

\$100.00 non-refundable deposit with application

Checks payable to: Dan O'Hare, Camp Director

**For information call Dan at (H) 845-228-1314 or
Cell 845-821-3191**

Open Enrollment:

Participation is not limited to CYO players.

Transportation must be provided by Parent.

Blood Drive in Doherty Hall

There will be a blood drive on Aug. 15 in Doherty Hall from 3 to 9pm. There is always a need for life saving blood donations. To donate blood you must be between the ages of 16 and 76. You must have photo or signature I.D. Your blood donor card meets these requirements. You must weigh at least 110 lbs. You can't have donated blood in the last 56 days or platelet donation (ALYX) donations the last 26 weeks. You must be in general good health and feeling well on the day of the donation. You must wait 12 months after getting a tattoo or any piercing that was not done under sterile conditions. If you have any questions about restrictions call the Medical Eligibility number at [1-800-688-0900](tel:1-800-688-0900).

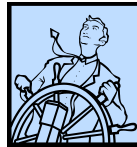
Please eat and drink before donations.



From the Parish Nurse

Boating Safety

In recent years a reported 4,062 accidents involving "recreational" vessels occurred throughout the United States waterways. This resulted in 560 deaths and over 2,600 injuries. 77% of the deaths were from drowning and most of the accidents involved vessels less than 21 feet in length (smaller boats and watercrafts).



The leading factor in these fatal boating accidents was alcohol, but other factors included operator inexperience, excessive speed, improper lookout, and machinery failure. If you are heading

out on the water this summer, remember:

- Have an appropriate life jacket for every person on your vessel and insist that they be worn correctly.

- Designate a sober skipper! Alcohol and boats don't mix!

- Take a boater's safety course.

- Note from the NYS Department of Parks, Recreation of Historic Preservation:

"Motorboats New Law Effective May 1st 2014: all individuals born on or after 5/1/96 are now required to successfully complete an approved course in boater education in order to operate a motorboat."

Approved courses include those offered by NYS Parks, the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary or the U.S. Power Squadron.

<http://nysparks.com/recreation/boating/safety-courses.aspx#sthash.mDScIJ7m.dpuf>



Information compiled by: Susan Anello MS RN

If you have any questions or suggestions for topics that you would like to see covered, leave your name and number at the parish office for Susan to contact you, or you may e-mail her at saa38@aol.com. Place "Parish Nurse" in subject area.

"Coat of Arms"



Renovata Studios has fabricated a "Coat Of Arms" backdrop for Lady of Mt. Carmel Statue in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church, Donations can be made in Memory or in Honor of a Loved One.

Donations are \$150 for a 3 Line Name Plate or \$300 for a 5 Line Plate

Please see Maureen in the Parish Office on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday

St. James the Apostle School 2016 / 2017 School Year

***Full day Kindergarten through 8th Grade
Our Teachers are certified with
Masters Degrees***

St. James Pre-K Program

Our Pre-K Half-Day program offers the option of a Morning and Afternoon Session for 3 and 4 year olds in addition to our Full Day program.

**Pre-K –Full Day Program
3 and 4 Year Olds
Tuition**

**3 Full Days -\$ 6,450
5 Full Days -\$ 7,250**

**Pre-K –Half Day Program
3 and 4 Year Olds
Tuition**

**3 Half Days -\$ 2,150
Monday, Wednesday, Friday**

***NEW - 2 Year Program
with Mrs. Gina Viebrock***

Partaking in the New Evangelization!



My name is Megan Callaghan and I've been a parishioner at St. James since Baptism. Last year, God called me to Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS) to begin missionary work on college campuses. In Matthew 28:19, Jesus gave us the Great Commission- "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations". College is an exciting new time for young adults, learning what it means to be independent. However, many college students struggle to see God's presence; they look too often to fleeting worldly things.

This past year, I had the great opportunity to serve at the Stephen F. Austin State University's campus in Nacogdoches, Texas. The Lord did amazing things in both my life and the lives of the students involved in the Catholic center. This August, I will return to SFASU to continue serving students through bible study, mentorship, and virtuous friendship. I am beyond excited to be part of God's work and ask for your prayers in helping me to do just that! We are all called to help the New Evangelization, so I hope you prayerfully consider supporting God's mission by helping me reach the SFA campus and their community!!

For more information on how to support this missionary work, please contact me at megan.callaghan@focus.org. I would love to share more about FOCUS and answer any questions!

ARCHCARE

Need help caring for yourself or someone else but not sure where to turn to? Call ArchCare - (The Care Community of the Archdiocese of New York). They can answer your questions about housing for seniors, disabled persons, and access to health care, dementia care, and caregiver support groups.

Call ArchCare Navigation Center at 855-951-2272, from 8:00am to 8:00pm, seven days a week.

IN OUR COMMUNITY

EMMANUEL HOUSE

ANNUAL BEACON OF LIGHT GALA & AUCTION

Beginning on Saturday, August 6, 2016, at 7:00am through Saturday, August 13th at 9:30pm Emmanuel House International will be running an Online Auction to raise funds and reach new donors. We are also offering promotional opportunities that can benefit your business. Becoming an Auction Sponsor means gaining valuable exposure in our community. Visit us at rita@emmanuelhouseinternational.org, "Become a Sponsor Page".

Our Gala with Online and Onsite Auction will be Saturday, August 13th from 7:00 to 10:00 pm.

You Can Help Grow the "Culture of Life" in Our Community at Emmanuel House!

By sharing your Time, Treasures & Talents at Emmanuel House, you can be a driving force in building the "Culture of Life" in our community! By using your Talents - whether they include a compassionate ear, a helping hand or a kind attitude for our Moms and Moms-to-Be, or Behind-the-Scenes Help with Fundraising, Social Media, Publicity, Grant-Writing, Donor Management, Bookkeeping/Accounting or IRS/NYS Tax Filings - you can make a significant difference in bringing this greater "Culture of Life" to our community!

Healing Mass

A Healing Mass will be held Tuesday August 2, at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish. Guest Celebrant will be Fr. Abraham George of St. Martin de Porres Parish in Poughkeepsie. Praise and Worship begins at 7:00 P.M. Mass starts at 7:30. Individual prayers for healing follow mass. All are welcome.

The mass is sponsored by Spirit Wind Prayer Group. Details contact Pat or Joe at [845-440-3519](tel:845-440-3519).

Drug Crisis Support Group

Drug Crisis in Our Backyard is pleased to offer the Spotlight on Recovery support group, an interactive forum for family support and education. We have guided recurring meetings where parents and families can get information and support in dealing with problems with drug abuse and addiction in their homes. We are pleased to offer programs for Putnam, Dutchess and Westchester Counties on a regular basis, to better serve these communities. To see our full schedule please visit our webpage: www.drugcrisisinourbackyard.com/spotlight-on-recovery.

Prayerful Yoga Class

All Levels Welcome

Treat yourself to an hour filled with a focus on your faith and health. Three (3) Saturday classes will be instructed by: John DeJulio & Diane Trabulsy, Certified Yoga Instructors.

Class Dates: Saturday, July 23, 30, and August 6

Time: 8:45a.m.-9:45a.m.

Location: St. James - Doherty Hall

Fee Options:

Payments made by Check or Cash at the Class

† Pay for all three classes upfront: \$24.00 or

† Pay per class: \$10.00

(All proceeds donated to St. James the Apostle Parish).

Class Format:

† Begin with an Opening Prayer

† Yoga postures will be instructed with modifications offered (chairs will be available for those who may opt to practice with the support of a chair).

† Class will conclude with a Reading from the Bible & a Reflection.

† Closing prayer

Bring To Class:

† Yoga Mat

† Towel

† Water

If you have any questions, please contact John 914-522-4733 or Diane 845-225-7556

Support Group

Encourage is a Catholic Support Community that supports families of those experiencing same-sex attractions. There are scheduled meetings in the Orange County area and we are looking to develop additional meeting areas throughout the Archdiocese. For further information, email encouragement@hotmail.com or call the Family Life/Respect Life Office at 646-794-3186. To learn more about Courage and Encourage visit www.courage.org

***St. James 3rd Annual Golf Outing
September 12, 2016
Centennial Golf Course
185 Simpson Road, Carmel, NY***

Honoring Fr. Vincent Howley

11:00am Registration



***\$200 per Golfer
or \$700 a Foursome***

***Includes Brunch, Cocktail Hour at 5:30pm,
Dinner, Golf Cart, Prizes***

***Contests:
Closest to the Pin
Longest Drive
Hole in One Competition***

***Sponsorship Boosters: \$50
Sponsorship Tee: \$100
Sponsorship Signs for Contests: \$250.00***

***Registration Forms are in the Parish Office
For information or to be a Sponsor call 845-225-2079 ext. 102***