

**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.**

**March 12, 2017**

**From the Desk of Msgr Martin:**

**Be All That You Can Be! - Lent Can Help Us Do Just That!**

Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, challenges us to ponder the reality we most dread to consider, our own death. The journey of life and of being a disciple of Christ begins with the task of seriously reflecting on one's own death, embracing it so that one can truly embrace life. The gift of holy ashes placed on our forehead may help you to realize that only by a Christ-like death can you experience the promise of Easter life. (Some people put a little dust of the earth in a small plastic bag and place it in their prayer corner or on their desk where they can see it every day. It sounds gruesome, but as a daily reminder of death, it helps them treat each of these forty days of Lent as significant).

Jesus did not call his disciples to go forth on crusades to battle distant evils. Rather, He called them to face evil right in their midst. The first place to encounter darkness and evil, and the most dangerous place is in your heart. Few are willing to explore that dark, mysterious dwelling, since to do so could mean not only discovering evil but also might require making radical life changes. It is so much easier to point a finger somewhere else, to look for evil outside yourself, in those with whom you work or live; in your parish, neighborhood or society. After all, nothing is demanded of us personally when we point the finger of the accusation outward.

Lent holds the great challenge to reform self, not society. Lent is that season to renew your hearts and not the heart of others. Lent is a time of personal revolution based on the principle that truly revolutionary changes come into the world one by one, heart by heart.

As we approach the beginning of this time of renewal, let us take a look at the direction in which our finger of accusation is pointing. Is it pointing at our spouse, friends, co-workers, those in responsible positions, or at the world? How often have we found that the famous finger is pointed at ourselves? When it is, have we found copious good reason to turn the famous finger away from us?

**Fast and Abstinence during Lent:**

During Lent, Christians are urged to offer special prayer, to perform works of piety and charity and to mortify themselves by fulfilling their responsibilities more faithfully. They are likewise encouraged to perform acts of fast and abstinence. FASTING obliges from the 18<sup>th</sup> to the 59<sup>th</sup> birthday. ABSTINENCE forbids the eating of meat from age 14 onward. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of both Fast and Abstinence. All Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence from meat. There is a serious obligation to observe these penitential practices in a substantial way. Individual conscience should decide proper cause for excuse, such as health impairment.

**Stations of the Cross during Lent**

**1:15pm in St. James Church-Fridays**

**7:30pm in the Chapel of Life-Fridays**

**Stations of the Cross and Mass in Polish**

**Wednesdays at 7:30PM - OLL/Mt. Carmel**

**Just a reminder: We have a Mass at Noon weekdays during Lent.  
Confessions on Saturday: OLL/Mt. Carmel at 3:30pm / St. James at 4:00pm**



## **ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS**

### **ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE**

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017**

8:00AM IRENE NOVELLI GALASSO  
5:00PM BRIDGET AND PATRICK HARKINS

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2017, PARISH MISSION**

8:00AM GEORGE BILOSI  
10:00AM KEVIN PADIAN  
12:00PM MARGARET TOHER  
5:00PM PETER J. McQUADE

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 13, 2017, PARISH MISSION**

7:30AM SALVATORE CARANO  
9:00AM DONALD DIETZ  
NOON JOHN LAMBERT  
7:00PM PARISH MISSION (NO NOVENA MASS)

#### **TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2017, PARISH MISSION**

7:30AM ROSEMARY CHUBIN  
9:00AM LOU OLIVIERI  
NOON BRIAN SCHRULL

#### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 2017**

7:30AM CHRISTINE GINESE  
9:00AM GRACE AND AL LIETO  
NOON MARY ANN O'SULLIVAN

#### **THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 2017**

7:30AM EDDIE KLEIN  
9:00AM MARTIN DILLON  
NOON PETER McMORROW

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 2017, ST. PATRICK, BISHOP**

7:30 AM DINA BRESSNAN  
9:00AM PAT AND JOE KEELEY  
NOON JOSEPH METLICKÉ

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017**

8:00AM IVY FRAISER  
5:00PM PETER McQUADE

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2017**

8:00AM ROLAND LEVEILLE  
10:00AM SILVESTRO PALUMBO  
12:00PM McDONNELL FAMILY  
5:00PM JAMES DEAN YODICE

### **OUR LADY OF THE LAKE / MOUNT CARMEL**

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017**

4:00PM MARTIN DILLON

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2017**

9:00AM ANGELO ROSSANO  
11:00AM LUIS DAVILA  
12:30PM MSGR. PETER GELSOMINO  
(MASS IN POLISH)

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017**

4:00PM ANTHONY CATALANO

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2017**

9:00AM DENNIS VICKERY  
11:00AM CLIFFORD BERNARD  
12:30PM JOZEF AND WIESLAWA WOLOSZYN  
MASS IN POLISH

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

### **TIME TO BE BORN: BAPTISMS FOR THE WEEK**

**TIME TO HEAL: THOSE WHO ARE ILL:** TERRY SIEGEL, TERESA KOBYLINSKA, STACY BRIGANTE, WILLIAM MCGREEVY JR., JOHN MCGREEVY, KRISTEN KOMINOS, ANTOINETTE BONO, JOHN SPAGNOLI, CHARLES CLARKSON, BILL DIETERICH, SAMANTHA BASCIANO, MARY BRADY, VINCE VILLANI, WILLIAM BIOLSI, GERARD BIOLSI, CLAUDE BOER, MARGARET CUNNINGHAM, PATRICIA UPTON, MICHAEL DIGNAM, THOMAS SARTORIS, TAYLOR DESALVO, SARAH FAIRBAIRN, PRISCILLA ELIZONDO, ZOFIA KOPACZ, MARK STAFFORD, SUSI SPROLE, BILL CALDERONE, PAUL JEURGENS, MARIE STINGONE, CARMINE STINGONE, CAMILLE SAVIOLA, MARYANN STAFFORD, RICK SCAMPOLI, ANNIE McMORROW, PATRICIA FITZPATRICK, DYMUNA KENNEDY, JOHN KENNEDY, JAMES STEVENS, MARGARET CHILDRESS, JACK MARK, STEVE MARATTO, AUDRA RIBISI, DAN CROWLEY, TINA BORG, AL CAMONICO, MICHAEL YOUNGMAN, NANCY DUGAN, MARK LAMPERSBERGER, MIKE SCHMIDT, WILLIE DALBON, MARY GABRIEL, GLORIA FACENDO, JENNIFER JOHNSON, DENNIS CARABALLO, MARIANA POPOV, CAROL ST. AUBURN, CRISSY HAJKOWASKI, PATRICIA VERSEA, RANDY WACHTER, AL CANONICO, MARIE DIDONATO, BETTY AUBREY, KEN HURLEY, LOUIS LEONARDI

**A TIME TO DIE: THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** FRANKLIN LAMBERT

**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, ESPECIALLY CORY JAMES ESPEJO & JASON TERWILLIGER AND TIMOTHY FAY IN AFGHANISTAN.

## **CELEBRANTS FOR NEXT WEEK**

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

### **ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE**

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017**

5:00PM FR. KURPIOS

#### **SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2017**

8:00AM FR. MUOGHALU

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12:00PM FR. MUOGHALU

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9:00AM FR. KURPIOS

11:00AM FR. KURPIOS

12:30PM FR. KURPIOS (MASS IN POLISH)

**Our 7:30pm Novena Mass and Rosary  
for this Monday is cancelled due  
to our Parish Mission.  
Mass will resume next week.**

## STEWARDSHIP IN OUR PARISH

MARCH 5, 2017

SUNDAY COLLECTION           \$ 15,022.00  
GOLD ENVELOPES               \$ 1,560.50

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TOTAL \$ 16,582.50

### 2017 CARDINAL'S CAMPAIGN AS OF 3/03/17

PLEGGED                         \$ 38,770  
PAID                               \$ 26,954  
AVERAGE GIFT                 \$ 200  
NUMBER OF GIFTS: 134

### 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 the priests, deacons and parish staff. You are cordially invited to register at our Parish Office at St. James. Our parish currently has 4,500 registered families.

### MONDAY NIGHT NOVENA MASS

Each Monday evening we gather as a community at 7:10pm 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.

### "COAT of ARMS" BACKDROP

Are you looking for a unique gift for someone who has everything? Renovata Studios has fabricated a backdrop that adorns the statue of our Lady in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church. Donations can be made in Memory or in Honor of a loved one.

The cost is:  
**\$150 for 3 Line Name Plate**  
**\$300 for 5 Line Name Plate**

Please call Donna in the Parish Office on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday to make an appointment.

## BONANZA 2017



**Our Bonanza Winners this week are:  
Josette Firriolo and Madeline Haugney**

Winning tickets will be re-entered for subsequent drawings.

Two tickets will be drawn each week for \$200 prizes until November.

**Additionally, there will be  
three \$2,000 prizes drawn:**

- **St. James Feast in July**
- **Parish Dinner Dance in March**
- **Thanksgiving Eve in November**

Feel free to buy the tickets for yourself or your family members; to partner with family and friends; or to sell tickets to your neighbors.

**Extra tickets are available in the  
Parish Office and School Office!**

Please fill out the bottom portion of the ticket(s), place it with your \$50 per ticket into the envelope provided and return it in the collection at Mass, by mail, or drop it off at the School or Parish Office.

### ***St. James Youth Ministry is Calling all Students in Grades 8 to 12***

**You are never too young to change the world,  
you are never too young to serve the Lord!**

All students in Grades 8 – 12 are welcome to join our youth ministry. This program will inspire youth to live their faith to the fullest as they learn to become leaders within their community. Meetings will be on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month after the 5:00pm Mass. If you have questions contact our Youth Minister, Kristina Iltcheva, at 917-400-2186 or email her at [Kristina.iltchev@outlook.com](mailto:Kristina.iltchev@outlook.com).

## **ST. JAMES PRAYER GROUP**

The St. James Prayer Group meets every Thursday at 7:30pm in the Chapel of Life. Join us for praise and worship through song, a quiet time of scripture reading, sharing and intercessory prayer. We pray for the intentions of Pope Francis, our clergy, 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 the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday's at 7:00AM in the Carriage House. It is 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.

## **RESPECT LIFE GROUP**

The Church is called to proclaim the gift of life, to serve life and to promote the culture of life. Life in abundance must be the heart of the new evangelization. Join the Respect Life Group every first Monday of each month at 7:30 for Mass and Novena. The meeting will follow in the Carriage House. Fr. Adolphus will facilitate the meetings.

## **St. James Altar Rosary Society**

All women of St. James & Our Lady of the Lake are invited to learn more about the Altar Rosary's role in our parish. Please join us at our meeting on Thursday, March 9th. We will meet at 7:00 pm in the Chapel of Life for Recitation of the Rosary and Benediction. We begin our meeting at 7:30pm in Doherty Hall. Come and hear about our future events. Refreshments will be served. Any questions, please contact Barbara Howard, at [914-980-7122](tel:914-980-7122).

## **Attention CCD Parents**

### **Reminder to all 1<sup>st</sup> Grade CCD Families**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Readiness Test is scheduled for Saturday, March 18, 2017. First grade students and a parent/guardian should come to St. James School gymnasium on Saturday, March 18, 2017 between 12:00 and 1:00 p.m. Please bring your child's completed textbook. After completion of the Readiness Test, registration for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade will be accepted.

## **ST. SEBASTIAN'S TERRACE AND COLUMBARIUM**

### **200 Purchased - 252 Niches Still Available**

We have celebrated Mass at the Altar of our Terrace and Columbarium many times. There are 100 niches already 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, please call Donna McCarthy at 845-225-2079 Ext. 105, on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday to schedule an appointment.

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. We pray that the Lord who has blessed this project, become a final resting place for many of our loved ones.

## **St. James Children Choir**

**Director: Mrs. Mary Peters**  
**[Marypmusic@comcast.net](mailto:Marypmusic@comcast.net)**

**Sunday March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
**(Scout Mass)**

Practice at 9:15am in Doherty Hall  
Mass at 10:00am in St. James the Apostle Church

## **St. James Gift Shop**

We are open Sundays 8am-1:15pm. Stop in to pick up your St. Patrick and St. Joseph greeting cards today! We also have a nice selection of items for First Holy Communion and Confirmation including First Holy Communion white ties, rosaries, veils, and prayer books. Any questions or if you would like to volunteer, call Theresa @ [\(845\) 278-8033](tel:845-278-8033).

**A Reminder: Last day to Purchase  
Dinner Dance Tickets  
is March 14<sup>th</sup>.**

## Cursillo Movement

Was part of your New Year's resolution to incorporate a bit more spirituality in your life? Perhaps the Cursillo Movement can help you fulfill that need. For over 60 years the Movement has been enabling Catholics to bring about changes in themselves and the world around them. Our weekend programs are:

**Men's Weekend #213: March 23-26, 2017**

**Woman's Weekend #215: April 20-23, 2017**

Both weekends begin on Thursday evening at 7PM and end on Sunday afternoon. They are given at Mount Alvernia Retreat Center in Wappingers Falls. For additional information or to register, please call Don McDonnell at 845-225-8680 or John DeJulio at 914-522-4733.

You are also invited to our Cursillo meetings on every third Friday at 7:30 pm at Our Lady of the Lake Church, lower level meeting room.

## Reasons to Register in the Parish of St. James- OLL/Mt. Carmel

1. Enables you to obtain sponsor certificates, release letters, or any other documentation needed.
2. Enables you or any of your family to become eligible for any of the Seven Sacraments (Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick).
3. Enables you to have your children registered in our Religious Education Program.
4. Gives you a sense of belonging to the Parish Family.
5. Helps to support the Church. There are several ways to support our parish. You may sign up to use the **Envelope System** for your weekly contributions or **ParishPay** which is an on-line giving system.

To register please come to the Parish Office Monday – Sunday from 9am to 6pm. Call 845-225-2079 Ext. 102 if you have questions.

## REC Weekend- Your Prayers are Needed

Fr. Adolphus Muoghalu, Deacon Art Weiner and Vincent Ricotta are leading a team of parish men on a retreat for inmates at Downstate Correctional Facility. They will be assisted by Al Dumont and Chris McCarthy. The retreat called "**Residents Encounter Christ**" is scheduled for March 31, April 1<sup>st</sup> and April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**The team is asking for prayers and sacrifices for the inmates to open their heart and mind to the prompting of the Holy Spirit.** The prayers and sacrifices you offer is liken to a Palanca, the Spanish word for "lever". The Holy Spirit uses the merits of your prayers and sacrifice to open the heart and mind of the recipient of your Palanca. Just ask the Holy Spirit to apply your Palanca to the inmate of His choice. If you would like to pen a note to a "Brother in Christ" there are Palanca notes at the exits of the church. You can drop the note in the collection basket or at the parish office.

## Healing Mass at St. Patrick's

All are invited to a Healing Mass at St. Patrick's in Yorktown on Thursday, March 23rd at 7:00PM. The celebrant will be Fr. Pio Mandato, F.M.H. J. Songs of praise start at 6:45PM. Individual prayers for healing will follow the Mass.

## Sons of Italy - Spaghetti and Meat Ball Dinner VFW Hall - Gleneida Avenue, Carmel

Come and Celebrate St. Joseph Day at the Sons of Italy's spaghetti and meat ball dinner on March 19, 2017 from 4:00 to 6:00 PM. Enjoy an afternoon of delicious food, music and friendship. Donation is \$15 and the proceeds will go to the Sons of Italy's charities. For more information, contact Janice at 845-519-0516. Sponsored by the Fr. Licata Lodge.

## Kennedy Catholic High School Seeks Student Volunteer Opportunities

As part of its Christian Community Service Program, Kennedy Catholic High School is seeking opportunities for its students to lend a helping hand in the community. If you know of any volunteer opportunities appropriate for high school students, please contact Ms. Bethany Mahoney, [914\) 232-506, ext 222](tel:914232506) or [bethany.mahoney@kennedycatholic.org](mailto:bethany.mahoney@kennedycatholic.org)

## The Catholic Widows & Widowers of Dutchess & Putnam Counties

Meetings are on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Parish Meeting Room at Saint Kateri Church, 1925 Route 82, LaGrangeville. Call for more information: [\(845\) 223-3097](tel:8452233097).

## **Knight of Columbus Post Parade Celebration**

The Knights of Columbus Council 6318 and The Fraternal Order of Police Stephen P Driscoll Lodge 704 are honored to host a **Post Parade Celebration** for the Westchester-Putnam St. Patrick's Parade at 10 Fair Street in Carmel on March 12 FROM 3:00PM UNTIL WHENEVER. We will have a corned beef dinner w/ soda bread for you. Guinness on tap!

**Free Admission and Free entertainment** by Ed Mullaney, a talented local renowned musician, the **Stephen P. Driscoll Pipe Band**, and the **Kelly Oster School of Dance!**

A great day for everyone who wants to be Irish for one day! **FREE ADMISSION! OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**



**the CARDINAL'S**  
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts*

The 2017 *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal* has officially begun. There are so many reasons why the *Appeal* is important, not only to those in need in the archdiocese, but also to us, in our parish community. Your support of the *Appeal* helps countless people, and sustains the fabric of our ministries throughout our parishes.

You may have already received a letter from Cardinal Dolan, along with materials that illustrate the deep importance of the *Cardinal's Appeal* to our community. Part of being a steward means living with trust in God's generosity and responsibly tending that which God has entrusted to us. Cardinal Dolan is asking you to participate by making a gift to this important annual initiative.

Your gift to the *Appeal*:

- Supports offices, ministries, and programs throughout the archdiocese that nurture and encourage our journey in faith;
- Helps educate our children in our Catholic schools and religious education programs;
- Provides for retired priests and religious by giving them the retirement care they deserve after decades of service;
- Helps to educate our future clergy and prepare them for a life of service; and
- Helps fund Catholic Charities, which provides loving care to millions of people in our archdiocese.

To date 134 families have already participated in the *Appeal*. Thank you for your generosity.

### **The Emmaus Ministry For Grieving Parents**

To meet the spiritual needs of Catholic parents whose children of *any* age have died by *any* cause-no matter how long ago-the Family Life + Respect Life Office offers the Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents. A unique, faith-based program providing spiritual retreats/or grieving parents offered *by* grieving parents, the Emmaus Ministry offers a safe place where you can find peace, comfort, and hope. Join us at the following Emmaus Ministry Catholic retreat being offered in the Archdiocese of NY: A one-day retreat is offered at the Church of the Magdalene on Saturday, April 1, 2017, 525 Bedford Road, Pocantico Hills, Tarrytown, NY.

To register online: [www.emfgp.org/archny](http://www.emfgp.org/archny), or, contact Sue Disisto, Coordinator, Parenting and Family Life Education at [susan.disisto@archny.org](mailto:susan.disisto@archny.org), (646) 794-3191.

### **Lenten Lecture Series at St. John's**

St. John the Evangelist Church in Mahopac is offering a Lenten Lecture series on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. following the 9:00 a.m. mass in Msgr. Powers Room in Our Lady Queen of Angels Chapel.

For more information contact Diane at 845- 628- 0359 or [csclafani1@verizon.net](mailto:csclafani1@verizon.net)

•**March 21: LEADING WITH MERCY**

Fr. Jonathan Morris, Pastor Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Bronx

•**March 28: COME & SEE: REVISITING THE HOLY LAND**

Msgr. John Budwick, St. Francis of Assisi, Mt. Kisco

•**April 4: WHO IS THE ONE WHO DIED FOR US**

Sr. Marie Pappas, CR, Director, School of Religion, St. Columba.

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# LIVING OUR CATHOLIC FAITH IN TODAY'S WORLD

## OUR 2017 LENTEN MISSION BEGINS THIS SUNDAY NIGHT AT 7:00 PM AND CONTINUES ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Led by Mr. Al Barbarino, International Singer and Catholic Evangelizer

Al will present a Lenten Mission this Sunday, March 12, Monday, March 13 and Tuesday, March 14 from 7:00 - 8:15pm in St. James Church, and also after the 9:00am Mass on Monday and Tuesday morning for those unable to attend the evening program. Refreshments will be served Tuesday evening after the Mission, in Doherty Hall.



### Mission Topics Include:

- What does it mean to be Catholic?
  - Facing Daily Challenges and Stress.
  - Today's Catastrophes and Unrest
  - Where's God? • The Sacraments
  - Our Lady • What do we do?
- And much more!

Mr. Barbarino is a Lay Franciscan of the St. Padre Pio Shelter with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal. Over the past 20 years, he has recorded many CDs of spiritual/inspirational music and videos, which help support the Friars' ministry for the poor, international outreach, as well as the needy families in the parishes where he sings. He has traveled throughout the U.S. and abroad. His recordings will be available at the end of each Mass & Mission talk. All are invited to attend this Mission.



### Readings for this Week – Second Sunday of Lent

**First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a** - God calls Abraham to leave his family and people and go to a new land.

**Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10** - Paul, from his place of imprisonment in Rome, writes words of encouragement to Timothy, telling him that Christ is for them everlasting life.

**Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9** - Wishing to reveal His glory to Peter, James and John, Jesus takes them to a mountain where he is transfigured before them.

### Readings for Next Week – Third Sunday of Lent

**First Reading: Exodus 17:3-7**

**Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8**

**Gospel: John 4:5-42**



# St. James the Apostle Annual Dinner Dance March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017 6<sup>30</sup> – 11<sup>30</sup> pm

**\$75 - per person**  
**Unlimited wine & Open bar**  
**Valet Parking**



*St. James the Apostle  
Annual Dinner Dance  
Friday, March 24, 2017*

*6:30 - 11:30 pm  
\$75/person*



*Villa Barone Hilltop Manor  
466 Rt. 6 ~ PO Box 636  
Mahopac, NY 10541  
845 628-6600*

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**Cocktail Hour 6<sup>30</sup> – 7<sup>30</sup>pm**

**Dinner 7<sup>30</sup> – 11<sup>30</sup>pm**

**\*\*\* 4 Course Meal \*\*\***

**\*\*\* Open Bar \*\*\***

**For Tickets and Information  
contact the parish office at  
845-225-2079**

**Make checks payable to  
St. James the Apostle**