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THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



^{Today's} Readings

First Reading:

But by the envy of the devil, death entered the world. (Wis 2:24)

Psalm:

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. (Ps 30)

Second Reading:

Not that others should have relief while you are burdened, but that as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their needs, so that their abundance may also supply your needs, that there may be equality. (2 Cor 8:13-14)

Gospel:

He took the child by the hand and said to her, "Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" (**Mk 5:41**)



13th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B Gospel of Mark 5:21-43

Today's Gospel story is an example of what some scripture scholars call a "Markan sandwich." We have the story of the woman afflicted with a hemorrhage in between the two halves of the story of the little girl who died and was brought back to life by Jesus. What links the two stories is the number 12: the little girl was twelve years old, and the woman had a hemorrhage for 12 years. One story enlightens the other.

In the case of the woman with the hemorrhage; such a flow of blood would have made her ritually impure and unable to participate in the life and activities of the temple and synagogue. In effect, she was spiritually "dead" for twelve years. Yet, Jesus fulfills the entire law of the covenant, including the laws covering ritual purity. Thus, when the woman touched him, he should have become ritually impure himself; but he did not as he cured her. When he touched the dead body of the little girl, he likewise would have become ritually impure; but he did not, as she lived. It the end, it is a question of faith in Jesus Christ; faith leads to life and purity of heart. We just need to be like the woman and be willing to merely touch his cloak.

Reflection Questions:

- Where do you need to grow in purity of heart? What are the areas of sin in your life that require Jesus' healing?
- Where am you in your faith journey; do you really trust in Jesus and his power to liberate you from everything that holds you back?
- How long has it been since you have been to confession? A year, twelve years, or more?

More reflections like this at www.stjamesah.org/path-to-sunday/

PARISH NEWS



JULY 4 INDEPENDENCE DAY

- Daily Mass is at 7:30 am.
- Parish Office is CLOSED.
- Confessions & Holy Hour (6 pm) are CANCELLED.







LOCATION Laramie Room, LL, of church

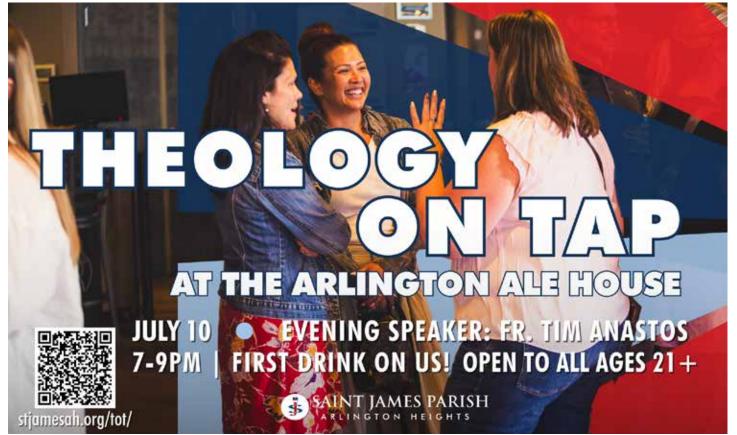
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PARISH UPDATES

MEETING MENTAL HEALTH WITH GRACE

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July Prayer Service CANCELLED

Due to the holiday, our July 3rd Prayer Circle has been cancelled. Our next service will be on Wednesday, August 7th.

Loving God, You are our refuge, our strength and our hope. Please reach out to those who experience mental illness - either themselves or with someone they lave. Lift their burdens, calm their anxiety, and quiet their fears. Surround them with your healing presence that they may know that they are not alone. We ask this through the intercession of St. Dymphra and in the name of your Son, Jesus and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.



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Altar Server Continuing Irgining

> Thu. July 18 & August 1 at 1:00 pm. Wed. August 14 at 5:30 pm.



Scan here to sign up

Current servers select one 90-minute session New servers are welcome; select two 90-minute sessions

PARISH UPDATES

MISSION TRIP

September 25-29, 2024





stjamesah.org/adult-mission-trip



SAVE THE DATE! FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 2024

OLD ORCHARD COUNTRY CLUB 700 WEST RAND ROAD MOUNT PROSPECT IL 60056

> \$200 PER PLAYER REGISTER HERE* ONECAU SE/SJGOLF24

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF GOLF, PRIZES, AND FUN BENEFITING OUR SCHOOL

ST. JAMES GOLFOUTING 8-8:30AM REGISTRATION OPEN 9:00 AM SHOTGUN START

3-5:00 PM AWARDS RECEPTION & BUFFET

REGISTRATION INCLUDES: 18 HOLES OF GOLF, CART, GRAB & GO LUNCH, AWARDS RECEPTION & BUFFET, AND 2 DRINK TICKETS

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CHILDREN'S FORMATION

CHILDREN'S FORMATION REGISTRATION 2024!!

Now accepting students in Kinder-5th Grade

- Tuesday Afternoon/Evening Sessions
 - 4:30-5:45 & 6:30-7:45







REGISTER BY 6/30 for Early Bird Pricing Early Bird Rate: \$230/Student (non-parishioner rate: \$300/student)

Highlights from VBS & Summer Intensive VBS took place from 6/10-6/13 with a family picnic on 6/14



Summer Intensive was a 2 week long Religious Ed extravaganza! Faith-filled fun and community for our 3rd, 4th and 5th graders.



stjamesah.org/children-formation/

SUMMER MUSICAL

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JULY 11- 14 | JULY 18-2 Performance Times: 7:30 p.m. | 2:00 p.m. Sundays

Tickets now on sale!

www.stjamestheatre.org

Have Tea With The Princess! see website for details

THIS FALL



FAITH FORMATION THIS SUMMER



Join St. James to Be There When God Moves

On July 17–21, 2024, tens of thousands of passionate Catholics will experience an outpouring of grace on a scale this generation has never seen.

This historic moment is called the 10th National Eucharistic Congress. Catholics from every corner of the U.S. will be in Indianapolis for this transformative gathering, and YOU are invited to represent our parish at this pivotal moment!

Whether you join us for the full experience or one day, you'll enjoy world-class teaching from some of the most trusted Catholic voices in the United States. Come encounter and worship Jesus in a new way, and be anointed to share those graces with our community when you return home.







Register with St. James stjamesah.org/eucharistic-congress/



OUR PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

In Loving Memory

Janice Wilkans Patricia Longo

Please Pray for Our Sick

Noreen Naselli Wes Stephen Joan Lyman

Rose for Life

Donated by John and Alice Blomquist in thanksgiving on their 55th wedding anniversary

Wedding Banns

III. Mike Masterton and Laura Tambling (July 6)
II. Patrick Lifka and Hannah Piemonte (July 13)
I. Joseph Albers and Dobrila Savic (July 20)
I. Jonathan DePrey and Carly Hill (July 20)

Recent Baptisms

Elle Genevieve Pedersen, child of Eric Pedersen and Erin (O'Grady) Pedersen Clara Yoojin Renfroe, child of Jeff Renfroe and Stephanie Kim Lincoln Hartwell Jacks, child of Austin Jacks and Mercedes (Vasquez) Jacks Gabriella Grace Mauro, child of Vincent Mauro and Cailie (Furlong) Mauro Grace Mary Altman, child of Nicholas Altman and Melissa (Greco) Altman Theodore Richard Kalchbrenner, child of Eric Kalchbrenner and Amanda (Ams) Kalchbrenner Vivienne Jordan Dieguez, child of Andoni Dieguez and Rachel Glaser Sebastian Mac Brajczewski, child of Brian Brajczewski and Daniella (Karras) Brajczewski Ava Grace Gorman, child of Kathleen Marie Gorman Emmett Kevin Canace, child of Daniel Canace and Sarah (Kearns) Canace Cameron James Bazarnik, child of Blake Bazarnik and Jenna (D'Agate) Bazarnik Clay Anthony Saccone, child of Brandon Saccone and Annette (White) Saccone Alaric Leon Slezak, child of Scot Slezak and Alyson (Smith) Slezak

Celebrant Schedule, July 6-7

5:00	Fr. Ed
7:00	Fr. Paul
8:30	Fr. Paul
10:00	Fr. Ed
11:30	Fr. Ed
5:00	Fr. Paul

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 29 5:00 Marcin

Marcin Bukowski Richard Lyons
Daniel Lyons Louise Gehrke (4th Anniv.)

Sunday, June 30 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00	Anna Urban
	Stanislaw Urban
	Zofia Podsada
	Tadeusz Podsada
8:30	James Burke
10:00	Frank Lasota
5:00	For the people of the parish

Monday, July 1 St. Junipero Serra, Priest

7:30	Tom Rothfus
	John F. Kordek
	Bill Downes
	Phyllis Nordholz
12:00	Barbara Walczak

Tuesday, July 2

7:30	•	Kevin Wysocki Piotr Chrzan

Wednesday, July 3 St. Thomas, Apostle

Thursday, July 4Independence Day7:30Aldona Underys
Jerry Garlick
Milda Tomkus

Friday, July 5St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal7:30Don Feiler

Saturday, July 6 St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr 7:30 Helena Jochaniewicz

Helena Jochaniewicz Marcin Bukowski Oscar Novales Daniel Mangiamele

Readings for the Week of June 30

Sunday:	Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2-13/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43
Monday:	Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday:	Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday:	Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29
Thursday:	Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8
Friday:	Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday:	Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17
Next Sunday:	Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

PARISH INFORMATION



Start e-giving today on FAITH DIRECT Ways to get started

- Enroll online at Faith.Direct/IL859
- Text "Enroll" to 224-313-4345
- Use the QR code for easy donating

PARISH MINISTRIES

Earth Shepherds provides opportunities to learn about the relationship between Scripture, Catholic Social Teaching and our responsibility to be stewards of God's Creation. **sjearthshepherds@gmail.com**

Grief Support Ministry is about overcoming your grief. Are you struggling with a loss? Having a hard time coping? We meet twice per month. Please email the address below for more details. **griefsupport@stjamesah.org**

Jr. Ambassadors is a group for all children of St. James to practice their faith in service to others and as an example of our Catholic faith to everyone. Jr. ambassadors act as representatives and promoters of our faith while learning about the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy and Catholic Social Teaching. **kcoughlin@stjamesah.org**

Loaves and Fishes Ministry provides lunches for those experiencing homelessness in Chicago's Uptown neighborhood. stjameslandf@gmail.com

Men of St. James provides opportunities for Christian fellowship through social, spiritual and service activities for men of the parish at least 21 years of age. **msj@stjamesah.org**

Mental Health Ministry provides support, education and awareness to our parish communities on issues related to mental health. Strives to provide resources of support, education and hope. **tsherva@gmail.com**

Ministers of Care bring the Holy Eucharist to parishioners who are unable to leave their homes or are in care homes. Ministry volunteers must complete a mandatory training session and follow Archdiocesan guidelines. **ministryofcare@stjamesah.org**

Moms Plus provides support and fellowship to Catholic moms. This group is part of Women of St. James. **momsplus@stjamesah.org**

Over 50 Social Club provides social outings, game days, cards, speakers, parties, current events/news and spirituality to any parishioner over the age of 50. **stecstan@sbcglobal.net**

PADS Outreach provides safety, temporary shelter and services to the unhoused. **st.james.pads@gmail.com**

Parish Pastoral Council serves as a representative body of the St. James parish community, guided by the Holy Spirit. **PPC@stjamesah.org**

Peace & Justice Ministry educates the faithful on the Catholic social teachings, supports and complements parish ministries and empowers people to transform lives and society, both locally and globally. Meets the last Tuesday of each month.

Respect Life Ministry strives to transform society into a Culture of Life where every human being is valued and protected from the moment of conception until natural death. **mschoney@astound.net**

Stepping Stones raises awareness, promotes understanding and prevents relational violence by educating communities and providing referrals to victims and survivors of emotional, financial, physical and sexual abuse. (IL Domestic Violence Helpline: 877-863-6338), **steppingstones@stjamesah.org**

St. Vincent de Paul provides emergency, short-term financial help for anyone living within the parish boundaries. For information on volunteering for or using this service, call the Parish Office followed by x8517. Please leave a message and one of our volunteers will call you back. All requests kept confidential.

Women of St. James provides support to Catholic women who are committed to growing and sharing their faith through sisterhood and service. **wosjministryleads@gmail.com**



YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN

Te invitamos.



This Week's **Recommendation**

Plastic waste is a huge and growing problem. Only 9% of the 9 billion tons of plastic produced has been recycled. There is very little demand for the plastic you do recycle. 40% of all plastic is designed to be used once and tossed. Plastic doesn't decompose easily and can last 100s of years. The waste clogs landfills and waterways, and poses hazards to animals and fish life. It breaks up into ever smaller microplastics getting into our air and food chain with unknown health effects.

What you can do:

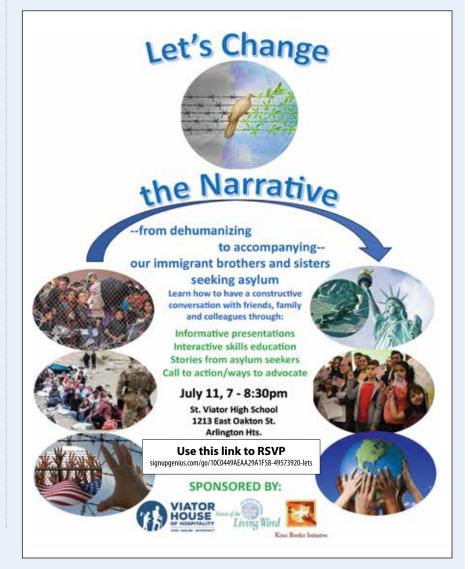
- Say NO to single-use plastic. Carry your own cups, bags, to-go containers, utensils and forget the straws.
- Say NO to bottled water and pop. Carry refillables.
- Choose more biodegradable/recyclable materials like glass, paper, cardboard, and metal instead of plastic, and then recycle those items.
- Avoid products with excessive packaging, excessive plastic packaging and parts. If it leaves behind plastic trash, try not to buy it.
- Recycle what you can't refuse, reduce or reuse.

"To defend the earth and to safeguard water is to protect life." - Pope Francis





Single Catholic Young Professional Women: Discern and Discover Franciscan Sisters invite you to in-person and on-line Discernment Events designed for you. Discover your calling and purpose. Visit **https://fscc-calledtobe.org** or contact Sr. Julie Ann 920-323-9632.



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday5:00 pmPraise & Worship EnsembleSunday7:00 amCantor and OrganSunday8:30 amTraditional Choir & OrganSunday10:00 amContemporary ChoirSunday11:30 amContemporary ChoirSunday5:00 pmPraise & Worship Ensemble

WEEKDAY MASSES Monday – Saturday, 7:30 am Monday and Wednesday at Noon

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm **Friday** 9:00 am - 4:00 pm **Saturday & Sunday** 9:00 am - 1:00 pm





SACRAMENTS & DEVOTIONS

Baptism - Please call the Parish Office with preferred date at least one month in advance.

Marriage - At least six months prior to your wedding date, please contact the Parish Office about setting a date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - in the church Thursday – 6:00 - 7:00 pm Saturday – 8:00 - 9:00 am following daily Mass

Holy Hour - Thursday 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the church for procession of the blessed sacrament, evening prayer, rosary

The Perpetual Adoration Chapel open to the public M-F 6:30 am - 8:30 pm; Sat & Sun 6:30 am - 6:30 pm or 24 hours a day for those with access code.

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