# SAINT JAMES PARISH ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

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On October 4th, Unspoken and JJ Weeks led us in an unforgettable evening of worship, music, and community. A huge shoutout to GO Promoters for helping make it all happen. Thank you to everyone who joined us for this powerful night of faith and music!



OCT 13 2024

*BE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST. Make Disciples of Christ.* 

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## Today's Readings

#### First Reading:

I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me. I preferred her to scepter and throne, and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her. (Wis 7:7-8)

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#### Psalm:

Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy! (Ps 90)

#### Second Reading:

Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any twoedged sword. (Heb 4:12)

#### **Gospel:**

"Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." (Mk 10:21)

#### Dear Friends,

The Church has a well-developed reflection on what are licit and illicit forms of cooperation with the evil actions of others.

Traditional Catholic moral theology has discerned several different forms of cooperation. I do not have space here to offer a complete list of all the different kinds that have been proposed by moral theologians, but I will focus on two.

#### **Formal Cooperation**

The first is formal cooperation, which occurs when we mentally assent to the act with which we are cooperating. For example, if someone is robbing a bank, and we help him, agreeing to the bank robbery (not because we are being forced into it), then we are formally cooperating with the heist. In such a case, we share in the moral character of the act.

#### **Material Cooperation**

Material cooperation in evil refers to cooperating in another's evil act, but either unknowingly or in a way far removed from the act. For example, a merchant selling a kitchen knife which is later used in harming another is remote cooperation. There is not moral culpability on the part of the merchant.

#### **Proportionate Reason**

Some actions (such as abortion and euthanasia) are intrinsically evil and can never be justified.

However, Catholic moral theology allows that remote material cooperation with an evil action may be justifiable in certain circumstances - in the presence of proportionate reasons. In such a situation, casting one's vote for a candidate who supports an intrinsically evil act as a matter of his or her policy can only be justified if there is a greater evil espoused by the other candidate. It does not amount to an endorsement of immoral policies. Rather, it represents an attempt to reign in the greater harm that otherwise will result.

Obviously, promotion of abortion, an intrinsically immoral act, is a grave evil. There is no imaginable proportionate reason.

Jobs, the economy, taxes, education, the environment, immigration? All of these are important issues. But it is hard to imagine how any of them provides a proportionate reason to vote for a candidate supporting the murder of children.

What to do when both major candidates support legal abortion? And what about these other important issues – Jobs, the economy, taxes, education, the environment, immigration?

More to come...

God bless you,

Fr. Ed

## LITURGY & WORSHIP



### Sign up this weekend! Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

St. James needs Eucharistic Ministers especially for the 8:30, 11:30 and 5:00 Sunday Masses.

If you wish to develop a closer knowledge of and bond with The Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, please sign up. All volunteers will receive training before being scheduled to serve.

You may contact either Bonnie Minaglia at (847) 372-0960 or Gary Hammelmann at (847) 309-6024 if you are interested.

This weekend, representatives from the ministry will be available to answer questions and help you sign up as a volunteer.

Volunteering as an E.M.H.C. is a wonderful way to serve our Lord, Jesus. We thank you for your prayerful consideration.

## We Remember

The names of those who have died and were buried from St. James in the past year will be spoken at the 12:00 pm Mass on Saturday, November 2.

As the departed are always remembered with love in our hearts, however, participation is not strictly limited to those who have lost someone in the past year. All are welcome.

Send a photograph of your departed loved one which will be part of a display in the church for the month of November. This photo can be dropped off at the Parish Office or sent electronically to Kathy Borresen at kborresen@hotmail.com (no later than October 28). Unfortunately, we cannot return any photos.

This submission should include the first and last name, birth date and the year of their death. Please note: Only those who died between November 2023 - October 2024 and who were buried from St. James will be listed in the Mass program.



### UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct. 16 10 am

sexual

assault

Dating

violence

The St. James Stepping Stones Ministry Presents

Recollection

## THE CLOTHESLINE PROJECT

Domestic violence

CHILD abuse

time

prayer

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Dedicated to bringing compassionate awareness to violence within families and relationships

## October 19 & 20, 2024 St. James Gathering Space

You are invited to give a voice to victims who you know by adding their first name to a paper t-shirt on our clothesline. Each shirt color represents a different type of violence, and each shirt honors a survivor's strength and courage. As they rest shoulder to shoulder, bearing witness to the cruelties that exist in society, may our Christian community embrace them with prayers of healing.

Join us in remembering. Join us in prayer. Join us in ending the violence.

Everyone deserves to be in safe, healthy relationships. If you, or someone you know, may be in an abusive relationship, a path to safety exists. Get help. National Domestic Violence Hotline 800-799-SAFE

To learn more about The Clothesline Project, visit their website at theclotheslineproject.org

## TWO WEEKS LEFT!



## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND LINCOLNSHIRE MARRIOTT

6PM COCKTAIL HOUR 7PM DINNER, AUCTION, DANCING, & CASINO

ENJOY CASINO GAMES & LIVE MUSIC FROM 7TH HEAVEN!

> REGISTRATION CLOSES IN 2 WEEKS. SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY!



Buy tickets or donate now!

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## JOIN IN

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## **Over 50 Group**

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17 **Retrievers and Root Beer Floats** 1:00 pm in the Laramie Room

Lutheran Church Charities K-9 Comfort Dog Ministry will demonstrate how they train dogs to give comfort to people."

> Refreshments Provided: Enjoy a root beer float!

RSVP Mary Jo - 847-259-3560 or stjamesclub@yahoo.com

Launched in August 2008, the Lutheron Church Charities K-9 Comfort Dog Ministry is a national human-care ministry embracing the unique, calming nature and skills of purebred Golden Retrievers. LCC K-9 Comfort Dogs are working animals, trained to interact with people of all ages and circumstances who are suffering and in need.

\*Free-will donations to Lutheran Church Charities will be accepted, but not expected.

SAINT JAMES PARISH

St. James Music Ministry

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## SCHOOL AND PARISH UPDATES

## Digital Parenting is hard. We can help.



**Ut Vitam Habeant** 

SAINT JAMES PARISH That They Might Have Life

## Respect Life will be Co-Hosting Hospitality after all morning Masses next Sunday, Oct. 20

"Each of us is the result of a thought of God. Each of us is willed,



Each of us is loved, Each of us is necessary." Pope Benedict XVI



## DIGITAL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 24 | 7:30pm @ St. Theresa School

Join us for a digital conference to stay informed about what your kids are doing online!

 Tips how to guide & protect them in a digital world

This is a great opportunity to stay engaged and support your child's online safety and habits.



## **The Ministry of Care**

Bringing Jesus to the homebound

Members of the Ministry of Care bring Communion to Catholics who are homebound as well as those in nursing homes, rehabilitation centers and at Northwest Community Hospital.

If you have a family member or friend that would like them to visit, please contact the Parish Office (224)-345-7200 so we can plan a visit.

Please keep the Ministers of Care and the people that they visit in your prayers."

## PARISH UPDATES

Beyond Sunday Be Forgiven

Sacrament of Confession: Thursdays 6pm Saturdays 8am



not sure how to go to confession?

MAY GOD GIVE YOU PARDON AND PEACE, AND I ABSOLVE YOU FROM YOUR SINS

bit.ly/confession-guidebook

Is Jesus another Buddha, Mohammed or Krishna?

Final presentation this week

NIGHT 2: OCTOBER 14 FROM 6:00-7:30 PM IN THE LARAMIE ROOM



stjamesah.org/godman/

### MINISTRY EVENTS

### **Calling All Knitters & Crocheters**

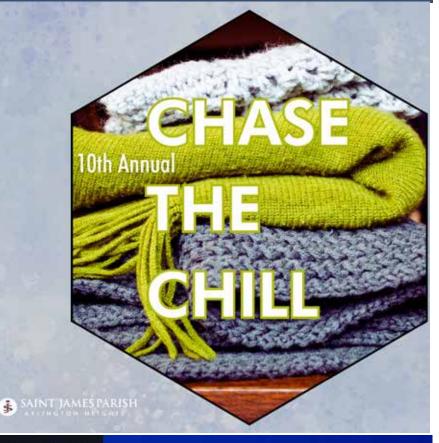
Help us keep our unhoused PADS guests and others warmer this winter by creating a winter scarf. Any pattern of about 6 inches wide by 60 inches long will be greatly appreciated.

On the weekend of November 23-24 you are invited to tie your scarf around designated trees or clothesline at the church entrance. PADS guests will select their scarf on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving.

For more information: chasethechill.com Contact: Gail or Kathy at kk\_ek@msn.com or at 847-624-4405

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Where Learned Not to



## FACE THE PAST CHANGE THE FUTURE



October 29, 2024 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

> Arlington Heights Memorial Library Hendrickson Room

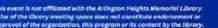
Join us for the **screening and discussion** of a Purple Ribbon Award-winning documentary depicting domestic and family violence and its complex relationship with law enforcement.

Decorated Nashville cop Mark Wynn wrestles with his own violent childhood while working to reform decades of domestic violence coverups, mishandling, and abuse deep within law enforcement.

#### MEET MARK WYNN LIVE AT THIS EVENT

**Panelists** include first responders from the Arlington Heights Police Department, WINGS and Domestic Violence Outreach.

> Hosted by Stepping Stones A St. James Ministry





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## **OUR PRAYERS & INTENTIONS**

#### In Loving Memory

Donald Demski Frank Pliml, Jr.

#### Please pray for our sick

Wes Stephen Norine Naselli

#### **Rose for Life**

Donated by Joy Weiss in loving memory of her husband Don on the tenth anniversary of his death

#### Wedding Banns

Matthew Ginter and Elizabeth Banuch (October 26) Rian Hunkele and Teresa Flores (October 26)

#### **Recent Baptisms**

Gabriella Rose Mendez-Vrett, child of John Vrett and Rose Marie Lesniak-Mendez Mason William Acance, child of Mitchell Acance and Nola (Dorweiler) Acance Olivia Elaine Tworek, child of Justin Tworek and Jacqueline (Hermanson) Tworek Jack Phillip Pooler, child of Macklin Pooler and Brittany (Sansone) Pooler Theodore Lawrence Madison, child of Sean Madison and Alexandra (Lathe) Madison Lily Jean Elsey, child of Bryan Elsey and Mary Jo (Madison) Elsey Landon Paul Wardzala, child of

Daniel Wardzala and Alyssa (Gustafson) Wardzala

#### Celebrant Schedule, October 19-20

| Fr. Ed     |
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| Fr. Michae |
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#### **Mass Intentions**

#### Saturday, October 12

| 5:00 | John O'Doherty, Jr. (16th Anniv.) |
|------|-----------------------------------|
|      | Marcin Bukowski                   |
|      | Richard & Catherine Lyons         |

#### Sunday, October 13 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

| 7:00  | Karen Lifka                  |
|-------|------------------------------|
|       | Patrick Gasey                |
| 8:30  | For the people of the parish |
| 10:00 | Jim Hahn                     |
|       | Barbara Cygan                |
|       | Mae. H. Rainie               |
|       | James Zid                    |
| 11:30 | James Laska                  |
|       | Miriam Lewis                 |
| 5:00  | Dorothy Firnbach             |

#### Monday, October 14 St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

| 7:30  | Jeff Moroney (6th Anniv.)  |
|-------|----------------------------|
|       | John Kordek                |
| 12:00 | Wayne Stefanowski          |
|       | Eddie and Michelle Svegelj |

#### Tuesday, October 15 St. Teresa of Jesus

7:30 Stephan Waller James McGrath

#### Wednesday, October 16 St. Hedwig, Religious

7:30 Kevin Houlihan
12:00 Patrick Arthur Kennedy Marge Koperny Anna Kirchner

#### Thursday, October 17 St. Ignatius of Antiochr

7:30 George Mulcahy Barbara Monahan Fr. Michael John Glastetter O.F.M. Catherine Lyon Richard Martin

#### Friday, October 18 St. Luke, Evangelist

Martin P. Wendell, Jr. Peggy Dwyer Jerry Garlick Thomas Semerau

7:30

#### Saturday, October 19 Sts. John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues

7:30 Bob Minaglia Richard Preiss Cornelius Vanderwiel, Jr.

## PARISH INFORMATION



#### Start e-giving today on FAITH DIRECT by Ministry Brands Ways to get started

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

#### Thank you, St. James Community, for your contributions during September, 2024.

| Sunday Collections | Budgeted      | Actual                      | Variance    |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
|                    | \$ 174,407.60 | \$189,824.43                | \$15,416.83 |
|                    |               | Envelopes: \$87,742.31      |             |
|                    |               | Online Giving: \$102,082.12 |             |

#### 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

Music Ministry We strive to create music that is rich with quality, enthusiasm, and participation. Join one of our ensembles to be part of our musical community. tconseur@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.

Prayer Shawl Ministry creates a wide variety of shawls for anyone in need of pravers or blessings. We pray as we knit or crochet, and meet on the 3rd Sunday of each month to bless the fruits of our labors. prayershawlministry@stjamesah.org

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



#### OCTOBER 21, 2024 6:30 PM



Welcome the Stranger Ministry

2515 W. Palatine Road Inverness, IL 60010

Register at: https://bit.ly/Virefuge2024 or use the QR code

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Holy Family Catholic Community

presented by

Cook County United Against Hate

Scott Britton for a screening of

the film "Refuge," followed by a

The film, executive produced by

development of a relationship

natonalist leader and a Muslim

panel discussion with faith leaders on accepting "strangers"

Katie Couric, explores the

between a former white

into our community.

Join us and Cook County Comissioner







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### Vicariate I

## **RECOGNITION MASS for** YOUTH ALTAR SERVERS

### Serving at the altar can open hearts to the sacred.

To recognize youth altar servers' dedication and commitment to this important ministry, Bishop Jeffrey Grob invites Vicariate I youth altar servers and their families to a Mass and simple post-Mass meal.

### Sunday, Oct. 27, 2024, 5 p.m. **Church of St. Mary**

175 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest, IL 60045

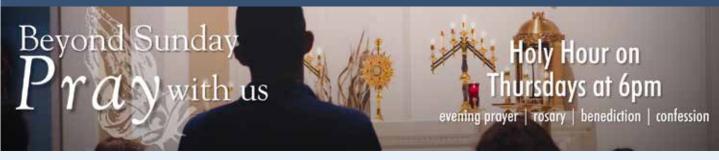
Please register by Tuesday, October 22: bit.ly/AltarServersMass

Parents are expected to accompany their child(ren). This Mass fulfills the Sunday obligation. After Mass, registered families can enjoy pizza in the parish hall.



## SAINT JAMES PARISH

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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

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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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