

SAINT JAMES

the APOSTLE CHURCH



Celebrating Our 95th Parish Anniversary 1923 ~ 2018

Celebrating Our 65th School Anniversary 1953 ~ 2018



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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS

Schuyler Alban, Antoine Bernard, Marcello Bianchi, Zafina Brown, Zafirah Brown, Michael Caetano, Emma Ceraulo, Sofia Corbacho, Domenico DiGiòia, Emma DonDiego, Nathan Farris, Benjamin Gross, Liam Grote, Lydia Hetrick, Giovannina Insauto, Sebastiano Insauto, Rolando Intal, Emily Lagemann, Kailey Loner, Anthony Macrina, Ronald Manzella, Vicente Martínez, Christian McCloskey, Gianna Mugerza, Mark Mukalel, Sebastian Miguens, Luca Montanari, Marco Morais, Megan O'Donnell, Christian Parham, Giovanni Penetra, Justin Pignatore, Evangelina Rodriguez, Lila Rodriguez, Mariangel Rodriguez, Nevaeha Rucki, Brianna Salazar, Giovanni Schiavone, Anaiah Souffrant, Sophia Stewart, Brady Teixeira, Sebastian Torres, Dante Turano, Gianmarco Velazquez, Isabella Valente, Isabella Zabinski

A Welcoming Community of Faith.
Come Experience Christ With Us!

May 20, 2018

PENTECOST SUNDAY

FROM THE PASTOR

"FOR FIFTY DAYS AFTER EASTER IT IS GRANTED TO US TO LIVE IN THE PASCHAL JOY, TO EXPERIENCE TIME AS THE *FEAST*. AND THEN COMES THE "LAST AND GREAT" DAY OF PENTECOST AND WITH IT OUR *RETURN TO THE REAL TIME OF THIS WORLD...*"

An Easter Sourcebook: The Fifty Days, p. 156

Today we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost when the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles and transformed them from a bunch of frightened individuals to a group committed men to bring the Good News of Jesus to the known and unknown world. Today also closes the Season of Easter, the 50 Day Period of Mystagogia, when we were called to bask in the wonder of the resurrection. Tomorrow, we return to Ordinary Time until Advent. Hopefully, we have used these 50 days to reflect more deeply on the Easter experience for all of us, so that we may truly live as a people transformed.

Our Parish Festival was one of the best in years. There were two reasons for this: one was the weather (except for a brief period of rain on Thursday evening) the weather was warm, which allowed more people to come to the festival; and the other was the **PUBLICITY COMMITTEE**, who sent information to the Springfield Tap and Patch and other media, as well as to other local congregations. So, **THANKS** to: **JOHN O'RELLY**, who guided the festival with his usual determination, making sure we all did what we were supposed to do; **BOB WRIGHT**, who made sure the games were staffed and running; **JANET DELLASALA & ANTOINETTE MILLER**, who did a great job on the TIN CAN AUCTION, which was one of the best ever; **MARILYN DEPRIMIO & KIM MAILLEY**, who made sure all went well with the 50/50 raffle and in the Barker Booth; **THE PASTORAL COUNCIL**, for their welcome and goodies in the Hospitality Tent; **THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**, for their running of the Beer Truck; **JIM GUARINO & THE FOOD TENT WORKERS**, for making sure there was plenty of food to feed us all; **THE KITCHEN CREW**, who did all the cutting and chopping; **THE SPRINGFIELD POLICE DEPT., FIRE DEPT., & BOARD OF HEALTH**, for their guidance and direction, making sure all was in order; **THE BIG YELLOW VAN FROM the Radio Station 101.5, WITH PROMO JOE & TIFFANY**, who were present on Tuesday evening, for their warmth, friendship and publicity; **BRADLEY SMITH & SMITH**, who donated the 50/50 tickets; **MIGUEL CESPEDES**, who cleaned the parking lot on Sunday afternoon; **ALL** who worked in any way at the festival, your presence was critical to its success; and **ALL OF YOU**, who were present for the festival and who made it the success that it was. If I have forgotten anyone, please know it wasn't intentional.

The 50/50 raffle winner was **CONNIE PALITTO**, who won a little over \$4,400. **CONGRATULATIONS, CONNIE!!** The winning ticket number is: 11341! **CONGRATULATIONS**, to all who won gifts at the Tin Can Auction. The festival was a great community building as well as fundraising event! **THANK YOU ALL & GOD BLESS YOU!!!**

HAPPY PENTECOST!!!

~ FR. JOE

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

\$7,712.00

\$6,788.00 Collection

\$924.00 Online

\$800.00 ~ Communication God's Word

\$1,380.00 ~ Ascension

*To sign up for Online Giving go
to: www.saintjamestheapostle.org*

**WE ALSO ACCEPT ONLINE CREDIT
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YOUTH GROUP NEWS

*Ms. Ann Marie Gesualdo
Coordinator*

A great big *Shout Out and Thank You* to the Youth Group Members and parishioners who helped us this past Saturday for Stewardship Day! We cleaned up around the statues on the grounds by weeding, mulching, and planting flowers. At points the rain was so hard we had to stop and go inside to warm up and dry off but the sunshine in our hearts kept us going strong! All in all it was a great day!

Please join us tonight:

Sunday, May 20th

****Movie night****

We will be watching **Coco!!** Grab an amigo and join us for a great film and Mexican inspired treats!

Next Youth Group Meeting is

Sunday, June 3rd

****Youth Group under the stars****

Bring a blanket or beach towel for a night of open discussion and relaxation under the night sky.

Hope to see you!

Ann Marie and the Core Team!



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Mrs. Nancy Caputo, Director

This weekend we welcomed another group of children to the table of the Lord! Congratulations to all of the children who have worked so hard preparing to receive this sacrament and to their families. We look forward to sharing in this special meal with you often!

Families new to our parish or who have a child entering 1st grade in September are asked to call the Religious Education Office for information about registering as a parishioner and / or registering your children for classes. Baptism Certificates are needed at the time of registration. Kindergarten Classes, while optional, are offered only on Sunday mornings.

Do you have a child who was baptized but has not been prepared to receive the Sacraments of Communion or Confirmation? Please give us a call.

If you are interested in becoming a Catechist, Class aide, hallway or office helper, please call the Religious Education Office. All adult volunteers working with children are required to attend a Protecting God's Children Training session.

973-376-2061

CONFIRMATION CORNER!

A great big thank you to the Confirmation Peer team on their first night of class, Tuesday May 8th. We trained and worked together for weeks leading up to the class, and I'm proud to report our first Peer Team came through with shining colors! Looking forward to working with this very faithful and inspirational group of young leaders on the remaining classes and September's retreat!

NEXT PREP CLASS IS TUESDAY, MAY 22ND from 6:30-8:30PM

Project Pride presenters will be here. A reminder that one parent must attend with their child. Please mark your calendar with the remaining dates: **June 5 and June 12 from 6:30-8:30PM**

Service Hours are due no later than June 12th. Please go to the parish website:

www.saintjamestheapostle.org

Click on Faith Formation / Religious Education / Confirmation / Service Projects to log in your hours.

Final parent meeting: Monday, June 18 at 7:00PM in Hatcher Hall

Sacrament of Confirmation information will be given. All paperwork and palancas are due.

PARISH SCHOOL NEWS

Mrs. Caroline Ponterio, Principal



PREPARING FOR GRADUATION

Our 8th graders are preparing to graduate Saint James the Apostle School in June. There are several events leading up to this momentous occasion. The first event took place on Tuesday... our annual May Crowning and Living Rosary. We took the celebration inside to avoid overheating and allergy concerns. Hatcher Hall was totally reconfigured so all could admire Mary in the center, surrounded by students in Grades 1-8 forming the rosary. The 8th grade, dressed to the nines, together with our 2nd graders, wearing their communion finery, set the tone as the school community honored Mary, the Mother of Jesus. This year, Mary was crowned by Grace Roethlin.

Later in the week, the 8th grade hopped on a bus to Rocking Horse Ranch together with their teacher, Mrs. Tupper, and Principal, Mrs. Ponterio for their 8th grade field trip. It's a full day with an early departure from school and late return from Highland, NY. The class enjoyed this chance to spend time together.

Another fun event on the calendar is the 8th grade dinner and dance on the night before graduation. This year the Class of 2018, their parents, teachers, principal and pastor will enjoy the evening at The Westwood in Garwood. Students will receive their awards for their Specials classes and recognition for participation in extracurricular activities.

One of the most touching events on the graduation schedule is the "Pass It On" ceremony. It symbolizes the passing on of their faith, leadership and responsibility as school leaders and role models to the 7th graders. This ceremony takes place at the conclusion of the Baccalaureate Mass which begins at 9:00AM on the morning of Friday, June 8. The Class of 2018 will be holding candles and then light the candles of the 7th grade students who will follow them.

Finally, it will be time for Graduation on the evening of June 8 when our graduates will reflect on their time at Saint James the Apostle School and on what lies ahead. Here, they will receive their academic awards and diplomas. It is sure to be an evening of pomp and circumstance, pride and joy. Graduation will begin at 7:00PM and take place in the church.



SAINT JAMES MOM'S GROUP!

Mrs. Traci Burns, Coordinator

**Join us in the rectory
from 4:00 ~ 5:00PM
Sunday, June 3, 2018**

Come pray with other Catholic moms as we discuss how the weekly readings apply to moms of today!

All moms (and children) are welcome!

For more information contact Traci Burns:
Muralsbytraci@verizon.net



GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Each year young people from our parish families graduate from grammar, high school and college. Since this is a significant event in their lives, we would like to acknowledge it. If a member of your family or one of your friends is graduating this year, **please call the rectory by June 1st** and we will include them on our graduation list which will be published on June 17.

Rectory: 973-376-3044



RESPECT LIFE CORNER

Ms. Pat Sullivan, Coordinator

FETAL DEVELOPMENT MONTH 5

Baby's weight will increase to approximately 15 ounces by the end of the fifth month and he/she will be about 10 inches long. Each side of the brain now has a billion nerve cells. Hair begins to grow on the baby's head and eyebrows have developed. Your baby's shoulders, back, and temples are covered by a soft fine hair called lanugo. This hair protects your baby and is usually shed at the end of the baby's first week of life.

Hearing is very acute and if a sound is especially loud, the unborn baby may jump in reaction to it. Studies of newborn behavior shows that babies get used to the music and voices they've heard in the womb. When your baby is born, if he hears sounds he's heard before birth, he may respond by appearing more alert and active. Your newborn may also pay more attention to your voice than any other. The constant beat of his/her mother's heart is the clearest sound for baby!

A very special thank you to those who participated in stewardship day and helped to beautify the area around the monument to the unborn near the convent!



PROMOTING A HEALTHY PARISH COMMUNITY

Health and wellness handouts will be found on the table in the gathering area, for all to take and read. Information will change quarterly. Topics for our Spring/Summer health material are: Vision Therapy, Mosquito Repellents Home Remedies, Natural Backyard Gardening & Weeding, and Natural Weed Spray Recipe.

Vision Therapy will address vision problems that may never have been diagnosed. Many adults have gone through school with reading difficulties, never knowing the cause or if it could be corrected. In today's world, schools, educators, and pediatricians recommend children have a comprehensive eye examination that goes beyond testing just for 20/20 vision. Uncover how testing specific visual skills can change a person's life.

Did you know that:

- * Yearly North American homes use approximately 136 million pounds of pesticides on lawns and gardens, and in the home.
- * Homeowners use about 3 times the amount of pesticides as farmers.
- * Most wildlife poisoning, and most surface water contamination from pesticides come from single-family homes.
- * A 2013 study examining the levels of lawn pesticides in the urine of dogs found that herbicides persisted on lawn surfaces for at least 48 hours after spraying.

Discover how you can attack weeds and use fertilizers in a healthier and more environmentally friendly approach with the handouts provided. And become a true naturalist with a natural solution in the line of attack against mosquitoes.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Connecting With One Another

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908-753-2091 mshmhope@mshmhope.org

Registration Required

POETRY AS SACRAMENT OF ATTENTION AND PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

Bring a poem that woke you and made you grateful.

Participants will be given an opportunity to write one to add to the Uni-verse's abundance!

Wed, Jun 6, 7-9 p.m. (\$20-30 As You Are Able)

Presenter: Mary Bilderback, RSM

Sister Mary, a Mercy Sister, is a member of the GCU Biology Department who loves and writes poetry.

Rutgers University—Newark Scarlet Raiders Basketball Camp

Summer Basketball Program
for children ages 6—17

The program dates: July 9 -13, July 16-20, and July 30-Aug. 3, 2018 from 8:30AM—4:00PM

We offer early drop off and late pickup FREE OF CHARGE. The cost for one week is \$160.00. Discount rates if you attend more than one week. For more information / brochure please call Joe Loughran at 973-353-1483 or email: loughran@rutgers.edu

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5560

June 4, 2018

East Orange Golf Course

**440 Parsonage Hill Road, Short Hills, NJ
Fundraiser!**

Check in 7:00AM Shotgun Start 8:00AM
Luncheon to immediately follow (1:30-2:00) at
the Springfield Knights of Columbus, 60 Harvard
St., Summit, NJ

Team of Four	\$600
Individual Player	\$125
Hole Sponsor	\$100
Luncheon Only	\$ 25

Please contact Sal Sellars 908-875-9075 or
Albert Hoesly 908-217-0264 for registration
Information or email:
knights5560@gmail.com

Team and Raffle Prizes, plus 50/50

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL

Lisbon, Tomar, and Fatima

July 20-28, 2018

Join Fr. William Benedetto of Our Lady of Lourdes, Mountainside, NJ on this private motor coach tour with a 1/2 day excursion to Cascais where you will enjoy a fabulous lunch. There is an optional side trip to the beautiful Island of Madeira. Daily breakfast will be included in the cost of the trip.

For details and more information, please contact Fontaine Gatti, Avenue Travel Group, American Express, 908-727-0668 or email:

fontaine@avetravelgroup.com

Newark -Lisbon direct flight

\$2,049.00 per person

PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS

Keeping in Touch With One Another



Helping the Hungry Ministry

Collection: May 19 / 20, 2018

Please donate **non-perishable items** to support the Morristown Community Soup Kitchen and Summit Helping Its People (SHIP), and other community food pantries. Collection bins will be in the Gathering Area. Some of the non-perishable items requested by these organizations include:

- ◆ Cans of hearty soup/chili/stew
- ◆ Low sugar cereal
- ◆ Individual packets of nuts and trail mix
- ◆ Canned tuna or chicken
- ◆ Granola and cereal bars

Thank you for your continued generous support! For more information or questions please contact either Claire Bernstein at

clairebberstein@gmail.com
or Joanne Roethlin at:
jroethlin@yahoo.com



Parish Calendar

All calendar items must be confirmed through the rectory

SUNDAY	May 20, 2018
1:30PM	Sacrament of Baptism
MONDAY	May 21, 2018
TUESDAY	May 22, 2018
6:30PM	Confirmation Prep- <i>Hatcher hall</i>
WEDNESDAY	May 23, 2018
7:00PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal ~ <i>Church</i>
7:00PM	Bible Study ~ <i>School Building</i>
THURSDAY	May 24, 2018
3:30PM	Children's Choir Rehearsal ~ <i>Church</i>
FRIDAY	May 25, 2018
SATURDAY	May 26, 2018
5:00PM	Rev. Joe Furnaguera's First Mass
SUNDAY	May 27, 2018

Mass Schedule

SUNDAY MASSES

Anticipated Mass ~ Saturday 5:00PM

7:30AM ~ 9:00AM ~ 10:30AM ~ 12:00PM

DAILY MASS

Weekday: Novena 7:10AM ~ Mass 7:30AM

Saturday: Novena 7:40AM ~ Mass 8:00AM

Evening Novena ~ Monday Evenings 6:30PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 11:00AM

RECTORY HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:00AM~4:00PM

(closed daily 12:00-1:00PM)

PARISH RECTORY AND OFFICES

WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS

BEGINNING

FRIDAY, JUNE 1ST

THROUGH

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY May 20 Pentecost Sunday

5:00 PM (SATURDAY)

Amelia Montana ~ *Family*

7:30AM

Adelaide Sorrente ~ *Angela Ragonese*

9:00AM

Pasquale & Giovanna Circelli
~ *Anthony & Carmelina Reino*

10:30AM

Siegfried Roethlin ~ *Roethlin Family*

12:00PM

Giuseppe & Domenico Mazzacuva
~ *Angela & Pasquale Mazzacuva*

MONDAY, May 21

7:30AM

Gabriel & Rose Soriente ~ *Angela Ragonese*

TUESDAY, May 22

7:30AM

Anthony Casale, Jr. ~ *Dennis & Gina Tupper*

WEDNESDAY, May 23

7:30AM

Ronald Van Brunt ~ *Barbara Orell-Prassl*

THURSDAY, May 24

7:30AM

Anthony Casale, Jr. ~ *Tupper Family*

FRIDAY, May 25

7:30AM

Raymond Alberti ~ *Parents*

SATURDAY, May 26

8:00AM

Lisa Agrillo ~ *Parents*

SUNDAY, May 27

5:00 PM (SATURDAY)

Rev. Joseph Furnaguera's First Mass

7:30AM

For the People of Saint James

9:00AM

Sr. Eunice Timoney
~ *Kim, John Mailley & Family*

10:30AM

Marge Furner ~ *Jill Vecchione*

12:00PM

Chester Sienkiewicz ~ *Bernice & John Petersen*

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them....



THE PRAYER CORNER

"To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose..."

A TIME TO BAPTIZED



A TIME TO WED



A TIME TO HEAL

Irene Baranski, Katherine Bowers, Joe Brisick, Joselyn Carreon, Helen Chelis, Soon Choi, Phyllis Colosimo, James Curry, Kristina De Jesus, Marie Del Mauro, Mary Finn, Matthew Friedman, Miguel Antonio Garcia, Martin Gignac, Monica Gomes, Ana Harper, Steven Hensle, Jake Kessler, Maryann Leach, Christina Leone, Marian Lordi, Charlotte McNelis, Richie McNelis, Ilene Maldonado, Josephine Massa, Simone Miller, Steve Randolph, Ginny Sampson, Jack Silbert, Amanda Tuten, Scott Walling

A TIME TO DIE

Dorothy Dow, Sr. Vivien Jennings

A TIME OF WAR & PEACE

Tim Arentz, Brian Braine, A.J. Carlucci, Sean Curran, Capt. Sean P. Eadie, Stacy Enyeart, David Fenton, Shane Fenton, Luis Fonseca, Stephen Patricco, Aric Patten, Phillip Patten, Aaron Pluto, Arthur Raymond, 1Lt. Stacia Rogacki, 1Lt. Steven Rogacki, Frank Wulff

A TIME TO SEEK

Harlan Acosta, Diego Arce, Dhanush Canisius, Peter Carey, Joseph Gurliaccio, Joseph Furnaguera, Sebastian Valencia Obando



DEVOTIONS AND MEMORIALS ~ *Spiritual Offerings*

To have a loved one remembered, please call the Rectory Office

Sanctuary Lamp ~ Bread & Wine ~ Flowers By the Tabernacle



BREAD AND WINE

Marge Furner
~ *Husband, Sam*



SANCTUARY LAMP

Giuseppe & Domenico Mazzacuva
~ *Angela & Pasquale Mazzacuva*

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE

Holy Spirit Church, 984 Suburban Ave., Union

Come join us in prayer for one hour on the first **Wednesday** of the month from 7:30PM to 8:30PM before the Blessed Sacrament.

Wednesday, June 6, 2018

MARIAN DEVOTION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Miraculous Medal Novena, Rosary and Benediction takes place on Monday evenings (*as scheduled*) at 6:30pm in our Church, please feel free to join us.

Monday, May 21, 2018

St. James the Apostle Summer Camp (June 25 - August 17)

Ages: PreK-4 to Grade 6 daily from 8:00 AM - 5:30 PM

Visit www.sjspringfield.org and click on the summer camp link for the complete registration packet.

OR

Register for camp by filling out the form below and returning it to the St. James School or Rectory Office by along with a \$30.00 non-refundable registration fee per child.

The cost is \$275 per week for the first child and \$225 per week for each additional child for a full day of camp. We also offer an AM or PM half day of camp for \$150 per week per child.

Our program consists of: indoor and outdoor recreation, arts and crafts, local walking trips, sports and games, computer time, weekly themes, in-camp field trips and weekly visits to the Springfield Community Pool. Outside camp field trips will be scheduled and an additional cost may be incurred.

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Grade: _____

Email address: _____ School: _____

June 25 - June 29	Passport to Fun	July 23 - July 27	Let's Take Flight
July 2,3,5 & 6	Hats Off to America (4 day week)	July 30 - August 3	Caine's Camp Arcade
July 9- July 13	Summer on the Savanna	August 6 - August 10	Bears, Bears Everywhere
July 16 - July 20	Wacky World of Sports	August 13 - August 17	La-La-Baloo Luau



SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Fr. Jeong Gyeong Kim

BAPTISM

Communal Baptisms are held on various Sundays during the year at 1:30pm in the Church. Please see the dates listed below.

RECONCILIATION

Individual Confessions are heard every Saturday at 11:00am in the Church, or anytime by appointment.

EUCCHARIST

Communion can be brought to the sick and homebound either at home or in a facility.

CONFIRMATION

Adults who have celebrated the Sacrament of Baptism and would like to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation are encouraged to call the Parish Office and speak to one of the priests.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to marry are asked to call the Parish Office at least one year prior to their desired date so that arrangements can be made.

VOCATIONS

Is God calling you to the priesthood or Religious Life? Speak to one of our priests or call the Vocations Office 973-497-4365. Please continue to pray for an increase in vocations.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

This Sacrament can be administered anytime. We make visits to area hospitals and nursing homes.

THE RCIA PROCESS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process where individuals who seek to receive the Sacraments of Initiation or who have never been baptized enter into full communion with the faith.

BAPTISM INFORMATION

The catechesis class begins by attending the 12:00pm Mass with instruction about the rite and its meaning following Mass. Godparents are encouraged to attend. Baptism Ceremonies are held at 1:30pm and we ask that everyone arrive by 1:15pm. If you have any questions or would like to schedule a Baptism or catechesis please call the Parish Office at 973-376-3044.

CATECHESIS
July 8, Sept. 9

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
May 20, July 29, Aug. 26

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Under the Guidance of the **Holy Spirit** as a
Welcoming and Diverse Community,

We, the **Parish of Saint James the Apostle**

Invite All to Worship as We Celebrate the Eucharist,
Proclaim the Good News of **Jesus Christ** and Serve the
Needs of One Another,
as We Help Build the **Kingdom of God on Earth.**

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