St. James Episcopal Church Weekly Newsletter August 8, 2025

Please join us
In person at 8:00 a.m. or
online or in-person at 10:00 a.m.
We hope to see you on Sunday!



SERVICE ON FACEBOOK LIVE

Our online worship service is at 10:00 a.m. The link will be on our website at:

www.saintjamespr.org





Our old email will no longer exist. Please make sure that all group email addresses and your current contact for the St. James office is updated.

office@saintjamespr.org



THANK YOU FOR SERVING ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 10

IN-PERSON & ONLINE 10:00 A.M.

PRESIDER: THE REV. RICHARD ROLLEFSON
DEACON: THE REV. JIM ARNOLD
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER: SUSAN FUNK
LECTOR: VALARIE CRANDAL-LOWMAN
SPANISH GOSPELLER: GREG PARRAS
USHERS: DENNIS & BETSY BRECKOW
TECH: GREG PARRAS
VESTRY ON DUTY: CHUCK BARTON
COFFEE HOUR: MAC & LAURA LEARNED
ALTAR GUILD: TEAM B
COUNTERS: MAC & LAURA LEARNED

THANK YOU FOR SERVING ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 17

IN-PERSON & ONLINE 10:00 A.M.

OFFICIANT: LUCY SIMOLA
PREACHER: LAURA LEARNED
LECTOR: LEE ADINOLFI
USHERS: LIZ & NEWLIN HASTINGS
TECH: NEWLIN HASTINGS
VESTRY ON DUTY: LEE ADINOLFI
COFFEE HOUR: VOLUNTEER NEEDED
ALTAR GUILD: TEAM C
COUNTERS: DENNIS & BETSY BRECKOW

SPECIAL GIVING



AUGUST SPECIAL GIVING

The Music Fund is the featured special outreach for August. The music fund covers any music related expenses like the purchase of music, licensing, the payment for our pianist, and tuning and servicing our very delicate organ!



Tell Out My Soul is our 2025 Stewardship theme. Our stewardship of God's generosity is mirrored through our generosity of heart. Through worship, outreach to neighbors, pastoral care, financial giving, fellowship, altar guild and many other ministries, we Tell Out the love of God!

We each have different stories to tell and talents to share. These are woven together in the St. James community as expressions of God's grace. In future Newsletters, this Stewardship Corner will highlight opportunities for volunteerism and giving, as we Tell Out many stories of ministry.

The quarterly giving statements were sent last week, along with an important Mid-Year Update. Please enjoy the update and check your statement. Let us know if you have questions.



August 24 First Communion Fundraiser

August 31 First Communion November 7 Rummage Sale

RUMAGE SALE COMING SOON!



Busy cleaning out your house and garage??? Need a "place" to donate all of those delicious items??? Well, we have a place for you! Once again St. James will be having a rummage sale. It will happen on November 7. Donations will go to benefit the "Feeding the Hungry" program here at St. James. Gather up all those things you don't need. The only exception this time is we WILL take your furniture you are no longer in need of. More info to follow. We have a cart that you can borrow to help you when you unload your car. Please ask at the office.

Marilyn Gerber, Sylvia Barker, Laura Learned

MEAL TRAIN FOR MARILYN GERBER



Please prepare a small meal for 2 and deliver to Marilyn's home. If possible, please bring your food items in disposable containers. Thank you!

St. James First Communion Fundraising



First Communion Program Fundraiser Eat in or To-Go

We will be hosting a Tacos fundraiser on August 24.

The plate includes 2 tacos, tortillas, rice & beans for \$10. The sale will be from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE NARTHEX

OUTREACH NEEDS

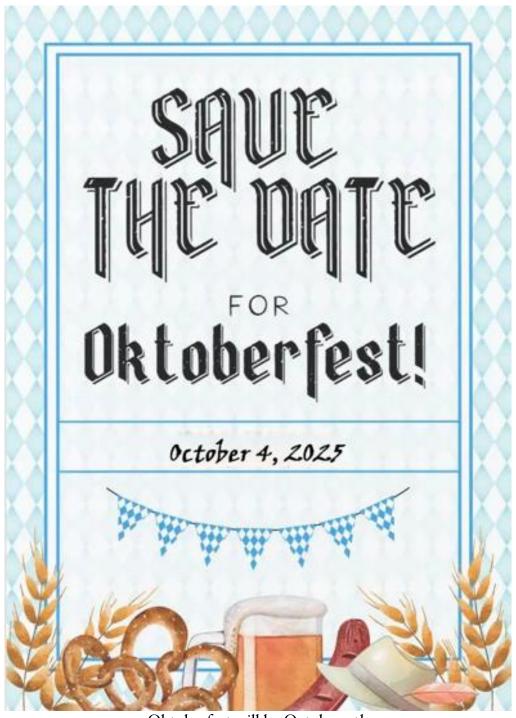


Our outreach for Feeding the Hungry continues to grow. We used to serve between 60-80 people per month and we have increased our meals due to a greater need. We are currently serving approximately 200 people per month. We are requesting help in meeting our present needs. We need some help with both casseroles and cookies. If you can help, please contact Marilyn Gerber.

We have pans for the casseroles in the narthex--please see the links below for some casserole ideas (in case you are stumped for what to make).

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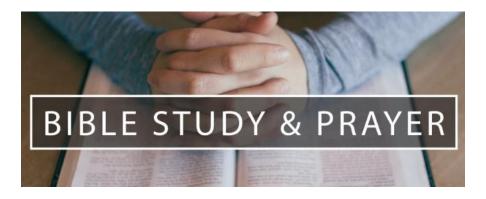
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Oktoberfest will be October 4th from 5:30-8:30

Oktoberfest table and individual tickets are **now available for purchase** in the office with Sylvia. \$75.00 individual and a table of 8 for \$400.00. Any questions, please call Bonnie 805-440-095.





WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICE



This week our Wednesday Evening Service is at 6:00 p.m. on Zoom. If you would like to join us, the link is shown below.

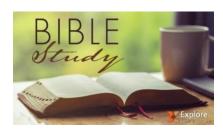
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The Women's Prayer Group meets for breakfast



on the second Wednesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. in the parish hall.



All are invited to meet on Thursday mornings at 11am for a one-hour bible study via Zoom. The Zoom link is on our webpage. Each week we look at the Gospel lesson for the upcoming Sunday by reading the passage from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible, The Message, and The Voice. Each translation offers a slightly different perspective on the lesson. Please join us! https://zoom.us/j/97608924151?pwd=SVJscVUzaEU4c25GcEtKZlQvNoVIdzo9

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Our Grief Support Group will meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 12:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Please bring a sack lunch, if you'd like.



The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will meet monthly. We welcome all men from St. James! Please contact Deacon Jim for more information.



TEAM A

Bonnie Railsback Alice Jones

TEAM B

Carol Hungerford Kathy Barton Kathy Currie

TEAM C

Laura Learned Marilyn Gerber Sue Thorson



Senior Warden: Jr. Warden & Diversity Development:

Education:

Finance: Worship & Music:

Administrative Communication:

Columbarium Stewardship

Diversity Development

Laura Learned Cynthia Mosely Peggy Beemer Dennis Breckow Mark Plants Chuck Barton

Lee Adinolfi Kathy Currie Judi Dod

Th



Delegates:

Becky Hewatt Kathy Barton Rosaleen Runnals

Alternates:

Laura Learned Jimmy Ciccolo



MAY GOD GRANT YOU MANY YEARS!

BIRTHDAYS

August 11 Bob Simola August 12 Marilyn Gerber

ANNIVERSARIES

August 7, 1982 Al & Sheila Vossler
August 10, 1963 Lee & Tony Adinolfi
August 24, 1968 Tom & Darlene Westbrock
August 25, 1973 Mac & Laura Learned

WEEK AT A GLANCE

August 10 – August 16 Office Hours: Tuesday- Friday 9-1

Monday 10:00 a.m. Tai Chi (via Zoom)

Tuesday

Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Breakfast

6:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Service

Thursday Friday Saturday

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

11:00 a.m. Bible Study

Hart Doris Theresa Stephen

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER
We give thanks for the life & ministry of:

Cecile and John Joyner
Hart and Nancy Junge
Isolde and Robert Lata
Mac and Laura Learned
Mary Lumsden
Jeanne Marsh
Mother Barbara Miller
Joan Morgantini
Bonnie Morris