

St. James Episcopal Church Weekly Newsletter

August 7, 2026

Please join us
In person at 8:00 a.m. 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



Coffee Hour after the 10:00 a.m. service.



August 23 First Communion (one service)

Service SCHEDULE

THANK YOU FOR SERVING ON

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

PRESIDER: THE REV. RICHARD ROLLEFSON
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: MARK PLANTS
CHALICE BEARER: MARILYN GERBER
LECTOR: BONNIE RAILSBACK
SPANISH GOSPELLER: NORA GAISI
USHERS: NORA GAISI & JEANNE MARSH
ACOLYTES: HERNANDEZ FAMILY
TECH: NEWLIN HASTINGS
VESTRY ON DUTY: CONNIE HIGDON GANNON
COFFEE HOUR: MARILYN GERBER
ALTAR GUILD: TEAM C
COUNTERS: CHUCK & KATHY BARTON

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

PRESIDER: THE REV. RICHARD ROLLEFSON
DEACON: THE REV. JAMES ARNOLD
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER: BECKY HEWATT
LECTOR: GRIGGER JONES
SPANISH GOSPELLER: JUDI DOD
USHERS: DENNIS & BETSY BRECKOW
ACOLYTES: HERNANDEZ FAMILY
TECH: ROBERTO QUINTERO
VESTRY ON DUTY: DENNIS BRECKOW
COFFEE HOUR: NORA GAISI
ALTAR GUILD: TEAM A
COUNTERS: DENNIS & BETSY BRECKOW &
MARILYN GERBER



If you see an error above; no need to contact the
office. Please check the service schedule for the
correct information. Thank you!



On August 30th we will have Morning Prayer instead of Holy Eucharist at both the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. services.

St. James Youth Religious Ed Fundraising



Eat in or To-Go

We will be hosting a
Tacos fundraiser on
August 9.

The plate includes 3 tacos,
rice & beans for \$10.
The sale will be from
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

EVENTS

Mark Your Calendar

August 9	First Communion Fundraiser
August 23	First Communion (one service)
September 26	Fiesta Fun-Raiser

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 link below for some casserole ideas (in case you are stumped for what to make).

<https://www.thepioneerwoman.com/food-cooking/meals-menus/g31929060/easy-casserole-recipes/>



To the very generous people of St. James,

What exciting news we celebrated Sunday, as the Rev. Peter Ackerman accepted our call to become our Priest! I am delighted that we will welcome Peter and his family in October. What a blessing to be a part of this new chapter that God is writing in our St. James community!

Our Special Giving Focus for August is **The St. James Appeal**. Since it's new, I wanted to tell you about it. With this appeal, we invite you to make an **extra gift** for the ministries of St. James.

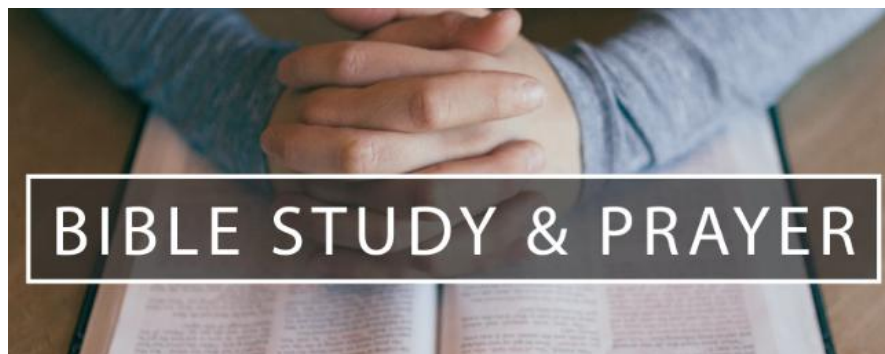
Your pledges, offerings and volunteerism sustain our church, from worship to outreach to lights and air conditioning! And since we didn't undertake the big *Oktoberfest* benefit this year, some of us are making an extra gift to **The St. James Appeal** instead. Please join us with an extra gift, as you are able.

We placed special envelopes in the church. If you prefer to use the QR code, there is a drop-down menu to click **The St. James Appeal**.

As always, thank you for your faithfulness.

In Christ,

Laura Learned, Sr. Warden



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.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/97618986631?pwd=QUF6aUduWE9vUEJlQ2lzbmNYaWplUT09>

Meeting ID: 976 1898 6631 Passcode: 820301



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 Women's Prayer Group meets for breakfast on the **second Wednesday** of each month at 9:00 a.m. in the parish hall.



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

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 Westbrook
August 25, 1973	Mac & Laura Learned

Vestry

Senior Warden:

Jr. Warden, Worship & Music:

Finance:

Administrative Communication:

Stewardship

Diversity Development

Buildings and Grounds:

Hospitality:

Laura Learned

Mark Plants

Dennis Breckow

|

Kathy Currie

Judi Dod

Jimmy Ciccolo

Becky Hewatt

Connie Higdon Gannon

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Doris

DELEGATES



Delegates:

Laura Learned
Jimmy Ciccolo
Rosaleen Runnals

Alternates:

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER

We give thanks for the life & ministry of:

Joe & Denise Chouinard

Jimmy Ciccolo

Holly Cooper

Valarie Crandal-Lowman

Donna & Kim Cruciani

Scott & Kathy Currie

Sharon & Kevin Daroca

David & Judi Dod

Janet & Paul Drasil