

St. James Lutheran Church

*"Growing in Christ Through Worship, Learning,
Fellowship, and Service."*

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WEEK OF December 31, 2023

SUNDAY WORSHIP

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The First Sunday after Christmas

Introduction to Sunday's Worship

At the turn of the year we meditate on endings and beginnings, knowing that all the world's time begins and ends in God. We watch and keep vigil for the coming of God's justice

Special prayer request

for Noah, Amy, Eddie Clifton and Debbie and Robert Davis as Noah continues to struggle with his health concerns

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Announcements

Attention all Lectors and potential new Lectors:

As we enter the new year, we will also enter a new year of rescheduling and updated catechization of all our faithful Lectors.

Immediately after Christmas, please watch your bulletins and Ring Out for the scheduling of two upcoming training sessions for all veteran and new Lectors. Scheduling will begin as training is completed, and all are requested to attend one of the sessions to assure your place in the upcoming Lector scheduling.

Thank you and please watch and listen for further information.



Sunday Worship for will be live-streamed on YouTube beginning at 9:45 on Sunday morning. An email with the link will be sent on Sunday morning. You can also watch a recorded version later by visiting our [YouTube Page](#).

You can open or print the bulletin and follow along with the service.

[WATCH THE LIVESTREAM](#)



**ON THE CALENDAR
THIS WEEK & BEYOND**

ON THE CALENDAR THIS WEEK

Sunday, December 31

**FIRST SUNDAY AFTER
CHRISTMAS**

9:30 am Children's SS
10 am The Rite of Holy Baptism
(Miller)

Liturgy of Lessons and Carols

Monday, January 1

Church Office closed

Tuesday, January 2

10:30 am Mary Magdalene
Circle

Wednesday, January 3

6:00 pm Bella Voce Choir
7:00 pm Parish Choir

Thursday, January 4

6:00 pm Handbells

Sunday, January 7

THE DAY OF EPIPHANY

9:15 am Parish Choir
9:30 am Children's SS
10 am Worship

Sign Up Sheets

2024

for

Communion Assistants

and

Videographers

are posted on the bulletin
board in Portico Area

If you would like to serve in
these ministries in
2024...please sign up...

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

31-Dec Catherine Nivens

04-Jan Susie Kartheiser

05-Jan Glenda Poole

06-Jan Jon Miller

Karen Rezza

PLEASE NOTE:

Offering Envelopes

are available on the table
outside of the Parlor or if you
would like to have mailed to
you - please contact Jill in
church office

jill@sjnc.net 704-786-0166

ALTAR FLOWERS

2024

New Flower Chart is posted
on Bulletin Board in Portico
Area

If you would like to place
flowers in the church -
please sign up

SUNDAY MINISTERS

LECTOR/INTERCESSORS

Dec 31 Elizabeth Hurley, Kim Miller, Margaret Garrison, Nick Lovelace, Ann Blackwelder, Pastor Bill Ridenhour, Scott Foppiano, Frank Irvin, Joshua Rinker

Jan 07 Elizabeth Hurley

COMMUNION ASSISTANT

Dec 31

Jan 07 Elizabeth Hurley

ACOLYTES

Dec 31 Joshua Rinker

Jan 07

GREETERS

Dec 31 Ann Blackwelder

Jan 07 Maureen Hollmeyer

VIDEOGRAPHER

Dec 31 Chris Miller

Jan 07 (vacant)

DECEMBER USHERS

Wendell Overby, Frank Irvin, Tony Folino, Nick Lovelace, and Jason Pittard

FLOWERS

Dec 31 Janell Eng, Kelley Carpenter, and Kim Haberman

Jan 07 (vacant)

CHURCH NEWS

Family and Friends

- Steve Conrad, Lauri Lyn Hodges (friends of Al and Dee Pieschel)
- Jerry Kiser (nephew of the



Marlows)

- Wade Rouzer and family upon the death of Peggy

<https://www.summersetfuneralhome.com/obituaries/Peggy-Rouzer/#!/Obituary>

Members of St. James

- Patsy Black
- Tom Grady
- Tom Ridenhour
- Noah Clifton

CHURCH RESOURCES

You can manage your giving online! Giving online is easy and allows you to set up automatic recurring contributions or make a one time contribution and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the Internet. In a few short minutes, you can make a one-time gift or set up a donation that will process automatically on a recurring basis. Recurring donations are convenient and provide our church with much needed consistent support throughout the year.



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- **Rev. Bill Ridenhour**, *Pastor* [Email](#)
- **Jill Irvin**, *Financial Administrator* [Email](#)
- **Scott Foppiano**, *Organist / Director of Music* [Email](#)
- **Debbie Wilkinson**, *Interim Parish Administrator* [Email](#)
- **Kathryn Radcliffe**, *Nursery Coordinator* [Email](#)
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