



ST. JAMES THE GREATER CHURCH



*A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg
"A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust"*

109 Owens View Avenue
Apollo, PA 15613

www.stjamesapollo.org

MISSION STATEMENT

St. James Parish strives to be aware of the unique nature of our Roman Catholic tradition and our call to be a Christ-centered community. As baptized members of this faith community in a diverse Christian environment, we strive to promote the kingdom of God on earth. We achieve this through the scriptures and by celebration of the Eucharist which draws us into a deeper personal relationship with Christ. Through this relationship with Christ we share our faith with all the people of God. We strive through Catholic education, the Family Formation Program, evangelization, and good stewardship to mirror Gospel values as we reach out to serve the larger community.

MEMBERSHIP: We welcome new members. If you are a Catholic living in this area and are not registered as a parishioner, please call the Parish Office and we will be happy to include you on our roster. Also we ask that parishioners notify us of any change of address.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: The Sacrament will be administered on Sundays upon request except during Lent. It is necessary that parents attend a Baptism Preparation Program for parents and sponsors before a child's baptism. Please call the Parish Office for further information and to register for the class.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Couples planning marriage should contact Fr. Vincent at least one year prior to the marriage. Couples are expected to fulfill all pre-marriage requirements. **Wedding time is at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday.** Those who are married civilly and wish to sacramentalize their union, please contact Fr. Vincent. For those celebrating a wedding anniversary who wish to renew their vows, please contact Fr. Vincent well in advance of the desired date. Registered parishioners will take precedence for wedding dates.

rites of Christian Initiation of Adults: If you are interested in inquiring into the possibility of becoming a Catholic through the process of formation and prayer, we invite you to call the parish office 724-478-4958.

PRIESTHOOD OR RELIGIOUS LIFE: If you feel called to be a priest or religious, or would like to discuss the possibility, contact Fr. Vincent.

Bulletin information must be in writing and received as soon as possible. You can email articles to dsummerhill@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Weekends:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 9:30 A.M.

Youth Mass 5:00P.M. Every 4th Sunday of the month at
St. James

Weekdays and Holy Days unless noted inside:

7:30A.M. Weekdays

7:30A.M. & 7:00P.M. Holy Days

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 3:30 — 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

ANOINTING AND VISITING THE SICK

Kindly contact the Parish Office.

PARISH OFFICE

Rev. Vincent Zidek, O.S.B., *Pastor*

Dana Summerhill, Business Manager

Phone: 724-478-4958

Katie Tylinski-Regional Youth Director

724-478-4851

724-212-6740

OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

(Closed Noon - 1:00 p.m.)

Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

(Closed Noon - 1:00 p.m.)

Evenings: by appointment only

ST. JAMES PARISH CENTER: 724-478-4071

June 3, 2018

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

ORGANIZATIONS

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA
COURT ST. JAMES #2180**

2nd Monday of the month, or as announced. 7:00 P.M.
(no meetings January or July)

ST. JAMES ROSARY CONFRATERNITY:

Last Monday of the month, 2:00 P.M.
(no meetings January, February, June,
July, or August)

ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY:

Saturday mornings, 9:00 A.M., Parish Center

Pray For
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**PARISHIONERS WHO ARE
HOSPITALIZED, INVALIDS,
OR SERIOUSLY ILL AT HOME:**

Mary Ann Amorino, Rose

Ashbaugh, Herb Barber, Marge Bernat,
Richard Bopp, Mary Ann Cieslinski, Patricia
Dobrowloski, Barbara Ferrari, Michael Fraser,
Bill Frye, Lorraine Gallo, John Jackson, Myrtle
Kaplin, Buddy Koffman, Kimberly McHenry,
Mary Ann McIlwain, Fred Morabito, Wanda
Morabito, Carole Morrison, Brenda Palmo,
Mary Rainelli, Mary Shook, Charlene
Spelock, Lavina Stefaniak, Marcella
Trinclisty, Tyler Whaley, Fr. Justin-
previously of St. James parish, and all the sick who need
our prayers.

**C.D.A. Priest Appreciation and Award
Dinner at our Social Hall
Monday, June 11th, 6:00 p.m.
\$10.00 member/guest**

**If you haven't registered, please contact
Lili Faber by June 4th at 724-727-2585**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-16; Mk 12:1-12
Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2-4, 10, 14, 16;
Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2;
Mk 12:18-27
Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14;
Mk 12:28b-34
Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6;
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51
Sunday: Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-8;
2 Cor 4:13 — 5:1; Mk 3:20-35

**Advertiser
of the Week**

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MEMORIAL CANDLES

*Louis & Louise Luisi by Mr. &
Mrs. Frank Luisi*

*Aiken & Ogurchak Families by
Bob & Dolores Aiken*

SANCTUARY LAMP

Louis & Louise Luisi by Mr. & Mrs. Frank Luisi

Are you Interested in Becoming Catholic?

If you are not Catholic and have been attending Mass with your spouse, a family member, or friend, and you are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish Office at 724-478-4958 to discuss the RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). When you enter into the RCIA process there is no obligation or expectation placed on you. The decision to become a Catholic can be made at anytime during the process or you can also decide that it is not for you, or that this is not for you at this time.

The OBLATES OF SAINT BENEDICT, Latrobe Deanery, will meet at 6:45p.m. on Sunday, June 10th in Brownfield Room 202 in St. Vincent Seminary.

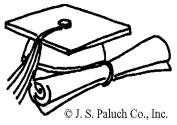
The agenda will be the sixth of a series of discussions from the book *Seventy-Four Tools for Good Living* by Fr. Michael Casey, O.C.S.O. Extra books will be available for those who do not already have them. Also a series of monthly presentation on Benedictine spirituality will continue on Sunday, June 10th from 3:00-4:15 in Brownsfield Room 202. All Christians who seek to enhance their journeys of faith with the help of the time tested way of the *Rule* of Saint Benedict are welcome to attend. Those wishing to pray Vespers with the monks at 5:00p.m. and then stay for supper should contact Fr. Donald at 724-805-2291 in advance.



May 26th & 27th~\$4,214.00

Loose Collection~\$223.00

Children's Collection~\$10.00



2018 Seniors Graduation Mass
June 3rd, 2018 9:30A.M. Mass.

- Tyler Arduino
- Darcy Bowman
- Tyler Byers
- Kate Hill
- Ashlyn Kettering
- Ciarra Kwiatkowski
- Daniel Rametta
- Tyler Tamski



Christian Mothers from Our Lady Queen of Peace would like to thank everyone who donated to the "Hope in a Bag" Operation Recovery Compassion. Items were given to

Dorine who was very appreciative. Dorine told me that she put 1400 miles on her van delivering bags in western Pennsylvania and in Ohio in the month of December. The organization just received a call from a rehab center in the Indiana area asking for 100 bags, so our donation was greatly appreciated. The cash donations will be used to purchase bags.

Are You a Parishioner?

Attending Mass or living in the boundaries of a particular church building does not make one a registered member of the parish. Catholics who regularly attend Mass, participate in the Liturgy and/or join one of our organizations are asked to register as members of our parish. By registering, not only do you become part of our community, but it also assists us in fulfilling and planning the needs of our parish.

Those seeking sacramental preparation, religious education, sponsor/godparent validation, etc must be current, active registered parishioners. You may register by calling the Parish Office at 724-478-4958.

DLA 2018

Total~184 Families \$37,530.00

We thank you for your generosity!

Plunge in to VBS 2018!

At Splash Canyon VBS, your children learn God keeps his promises on life's wild ride. They'll look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and explore five Bible accounts where our faithful God keeps his promises to be with us and gives us life and hope through Jesus, our Savior. Registration is open for all ages 4(by 8/31/18)-6th grade who will attend VBS from June 18th-22nd from 9:00a.m-Noon. Come along with us as we sing fun songs, do crazy crafts, eat yummy snacks, play awesome games, and more. Plus, learn that all God's promises are Yes. Registration forms are at both entrances to the Church as well as on the website.

We are looking for items to use for Splash Canyon VBS.

- If you can loan us any of the following that would be great!
- life jackets,
 - paddles/oars,
 - inflatable tubes/rafts,
 - helmets, or
 - tarps (green & blue)

Please bring to parish office or leave in back of Church with your information for return.

Paint Parties for VBS

Join us and volunteer at our "Paint Parties" as we prepare for an exciting week at Vacation Bible School. They will be held at the St. James Parish Center from 6:30 PM-9:00 PM on June 7th/14th. All levels of ability are invited to participate.



Planning Meeting for Parish Picnic

In anticipation of this summer's parish picnic on Sunday, August 5th we are having an organization meeting at St. James Parish in the St. Vincent de Paul Room at 7:00p.m. on Monday, June 4th. Anyone who has assisted with the picnic in the past, as well as those who are interested in helping this year, are welcome to attend.

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 3, 2018

The cup of salvation I will take up,
and I will call upon the name of the LORD.

— *Psalm 116:13*

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

SATURDAY — June 2

4:30P.M. Mass for Living & Deceased
Members of St. James Parish

SUNDAY — June 3

9:30A.M. Louis & Louise Luisi by Mr. & Mrs.
Frank Luisi

MONDAY — June 4

7:30A.M. James Widmer by Frank &
Sandy Calizzi

TUESDAY — June 5

7:30A.M. Don Snezaski "Sneezy" by
George Kraynick

WEDNESDAY — June 6

7:30A.M. George Broz by Matthew &
Ashley O'Neil

THURSDAY — June 7

7:30A.M. Edward Jeroski by Wife, Ruth

FRIDAY — June 8

7:30A.M. John M. Daugherty by Ron &
Kathy Daugherty



10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY — June 9

4:30P.M. Mass for Living & Deceased
Members of St. James Parish

SUNDAY — June 10

9:30A.M. Elda & Guy Notte by Son,
Michael



June calendar:

Paint Parties to prepare for Regional VBS at St.

James (June 7th/14th from 6:30-9:30 PM)

Volunteer at Vacation Bible School at St. James

(June 18th-22nd from 9:00-Noon)

Kayaking (June 21st from Noon-6:00 or 6:30 PM)

Youth Mass and (AMP) at St. James at 5:00 PM

(June 24th)

We are looking volunteers for the June 24th Youth Mass and AMP. Want to help with altar serving, reading, ushering, greeting etc.? We also need a family to provide the meal (we will reimburse you).

You will be receiving a mailing soon with our summer calendar! We are looking forward to many fun events this summer.

Join us for Kayaking on Thursday, June 21st! We will meet at St. James Hall at noon for a pizza party and then we will carpool to the kayaking place. We will return to St. James between 6:00 and 6:30 PM. Cost is only \$10 for those who volunteer the Regional VBS and \$15 for everyone else. Thank you to CDA for helping to defray the cost. Permission slips (if you haven't yet completed one for this year) and release waiver along with money need to be turned no later than the VBS Paint Party on Thursday, June 14th. Go online <http://www.twodamkayakrentals.com/release-waiver>. Permission slips and the release waivers will also be available at the Paint parties. If you have a financial hardship please let us know.

Wear swimsuits (no bikinis) and shorts and a t-shirt. Bring a towel. Any questions please call Beth Kendle 724-727-3240.

Save the date for a service opportunity! We are looking for volunteers to help with the Fresh Express (food distribution for the poor) at St. Gertrude's parking lot this Thursday, July 2nd from 2:50-5:00 PM. Please sign up by calling the Youth Ministry Office by Sunday, June 24th.

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724-478-4958

Attn: Dana

MESSAGES:
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