



SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

"BE DOERS OF THE WORD NOT HEARERS ONLY..." JAMES 1:22



SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 28, 2021



"Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice.

'THIS IS MY BLOVED SON. LISTEN TO HIM.'

Mark 2:9

WELCOME BACK TO ST. JAMES!

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Preparation classes for Baptism in English—of children under seven years old are held each month. Parents and Godparents, need to register in advance .Call Jim Winders at 303-854-4446 for the English Class. Spanish Baptism Class, – call Paco Santos—303-919-0389

SACRAMENT OF MARRIGE

Arrangements are made at least **twelve months in advance**. Call Parish Office for details.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

For Holy Communion, Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick, or a visit by a priest, please call 303-322-7449.

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday:
4:00 p.m.
Sunday:
8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
12 p.m. (Español)

DAILY MASS TIMES:

Monday-Saturday:
8:15 a.m.

HOLY HOUR:

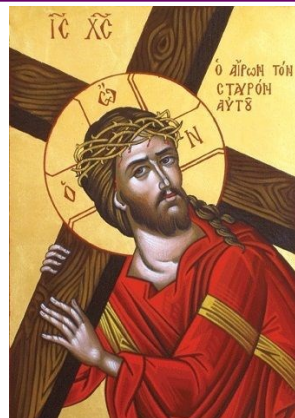
Monday-Saturday:
7:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Monday-Friday,
7:30 a.m.-8:00 a.m.
Saturday:
3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.
Or by appointment

ADORATION CHAPEL:

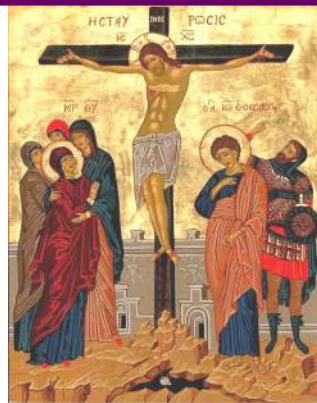
Monday –Thursday
12 p.m. –10:00 p.m.
Friday All Night Adoration
9:00 a.m. to Sat. 8:00 a.m.



**ST. JAMES PARISH
LENTEN MISSION**

A parish mission is scheduled for
**Monday, March 15th
Tuesday, March 16th
& Wednesday, March 17th
At 7:00 p.m.
In the Church.**

The mission will be led by **Fr. Joseph Mary Elder, O.F.M.Cap.** Fr. Joseph joined the Capuchin Franciscans in 2002 after a conversion which brought him back to the Church. He studied for the priesthood at St. John Vianney Theological Seminary in Denver and was ordained in 2012. Fr. Joseph works in a variety of ministries including communications and web development, prison ministry, youth ministry, and vocations.
PLAN TO ATTEND.....



Each Friday of Lent
Join us for the
STATIONS OF THE CROSS

At
7:00 p.m. in the Church
*BECAUSE BY THY CROSS THOU HAST
REDEEMED THE WORLD!*



FISH FRY FRIDAYS!
DURING LENT
5:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

PICK UP & TAKE OUT ONLY
SOCIAL DISTANCING AND MASK REQUIRED

\$10.00

MENU:

**Fried Fish, French Fries,
Cole Slaw, Mac & Cheese**

Note: WILL TAKE CREDIT CARDS





OUR LADY OF FATIMA
First Saturday Devotions
Saturday,
March 6, 2021

7:20 AM

Holy Rosary to Our Lady of Fatima.

8:15 AM

Mass with the intention of our salvation and for peace for the whole

world as asked by Our Lady of Fatima

Immediately after Mass:

Veneration of the relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco-seers of Fatima

Confession

Sat – 3—3:45 p.m./Weekdays: 7:30 – 8 a.m.

Bring Your Family, especially your Children!

O My Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to Heaven, especially those most in need of Thy mercy. Amen.

**Delivered by Our Lady during the Third Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima to the three shepherd children on July 13, 1917.*



The Lenten 40 Days for Life Campaign from February 17th until March 28th! Can you devote an hour per week to pray for an end to abortion?

VIGIL LOCATION: Outside of the Planned Parenthood at 7155 E. 38th Ave. We'll pray across from their main entrance on Pontiac St., in-between 38th and 39th
 7155 East 38th Avenue Denver, CO

Pray in the abandoned lot on the west side of Pontiac St. or on the sidewalk around Planned Parenthood (do not cross the yellow line at the entrance and onto the property of Planned Parenthood - stay on the sidewalk). You are also welcome to pray the Stations of the Cross in the garden behind Marisol Health Mon.-Sat. when Marisol is open.

CONFIRMATION PHOTOS



The Confirmation photos are in the website, it is under Connect -> ReEd Photos. here is the direct link:

<https://stjamesdenver.org/confirmation-first-communion/>

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Each Mass, can have up to two Mass intentions—either for two living people or for two deceased. To request a Mass intention, please call the parish office—303-322-7449. Suggested donation is \$10.

Monday, 3/1/21—Lenten Weekday

8:15 a.m./Fr. Jesus/.....Dan Sevier/Sarah Adams

Tuesday, 3/2/21—Lenten Weekday

8:15 a.m./Fr. Jesus/.....Ron & Margaret Huempfner

Wednesday, 3/3/21—St. Katherine Drexel

8:15 a.m./Fr. Paul/..... +Colette Souder/Madeleine Paolucci

Thursday, 3/4/21 – St. Casimir

8:15 a.m./Fr. Jesus/.....Jaron Jones/Greg Heggarty

Friday, 3/5/21—Lenten Weekday

8:15 a.m./Fr. Jesus/..... Stephen Luebbers

Sat., 3/6/21—Lenten Weekday

8:15 a.m. /Fr. Jesus/....+Hanz Van Schaack
 4:00 p.m./Fr. Jesus/.....+Ricardo DeCasas

Sun. 3/7/21—THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00 a.m./Fr. Jesus/.....Colette Souder
 10:00 a.m./Fr. Jesus/St. James Parishioners
 12:00 Noon/Fr. Jesus/.....+Jose Luis Bustos-Mendoza



REMEMBER:
ST. JAMES CATHOLIC
CHURCH & SCHOOL
IN YOUR WILL!

PLEASE NOTE

Our St. James Food Pantry
Is temporary
Closed...

Please do not bring food now...

We thank you for your past and continued love and willingness to help those in need. We will let you know when the Pantry will reopen.

THANK YOU!



A Lenten Pastoral Note to the Faithful of the Archdiocese of Denver

(Continued from last week)



CALLED TO HOPE

But more than a collapse in Church attendance, as people forget God, we can observe and experience a general **collapse of hope**. This clarifies so much of what we see going on today. In the words of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, *“A spiritual desert is spreading: an interior emptiness, an unnamed fear, a quiet sense of despair.”* [2] Perhaps more frighteningly, **we see a growth in violence**, born of deep restlessness and the death of supernatural charity in many souls. Again, to quote the Pope Emeritus (then Cardinal Ratzinger), *“The deepest poverty is the inability of joy (which) presupposes and produces the inability to love, produces jealousy, avarice—all defects that devastate the life of individuals and of the world.”* [3] **To lose God is to lose the purpose and meaning of life, and in that barren landscape where can hope and love take root and thrive?**

We could find ourselves tempted to wish for smoother sailing, a time that was more supportive of Christian beliefs and practices, but God did not choose you and me for those times. **We are living in an apostolic era that calls for joyful witness in the face of opposition.** He picked us for this moment for a reason and he wants us to engage with both the unique obstacles and opportunities of our time for the sake of the Gospel. **He is calling his Church to go on mission.**

How do we as an archdiocese respond to this “change of eras?” In this new apostolic age, we will respond as we always have, with the Gospel. Like the early Church, we must become capable of compellingly proclaiming Jesus Christ and the freedom he won for us from the current and eternal damage inflicted by sin.

The way to return to fruitfulness is to encounter Jesus personally, repent and return to him. It is he who shows us what it really means to be fully human; he alone can teach us in these critical days how to find the fullness of life for which we all long.

Jesus is calling us to be bold in fighting trends in the world that are opposed to the Gospel, and to be even bolder in loving people as we invite them to the joy that can only be found in his Church. This is a difficult challenge; doing so will require even greater conversion for every Catholic and institution in the Archdiocese of Denver. Still, I believe this is what God is calling us to and he promises to supply us all we need. By his grace, we will become the forerunners of a new and fruitful missionary age of the Church.

How do we begin? This Lent, I sense that the task before us is to begin by begging the Lord to make us an *apostolic* people. To that end, as we prepare to celebrate our Lord’s resurrection at Easter, I want to invite you to three important practices that will begin to guide us.

To be Continued:

PRAYER LIST-Parishioners & Friends who Need Our Prayers

Dick Morroni, Opal Every, Jim Kindblade,
Elena Hornung, Virginia Royce, Donnie Higgins, Jan
Balentine, Jay Powers, Donna Jeakins,
If you know of someone who is sick and in need of
prayers, please call: Cathy at 303-322-7449



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We are so thankful to all of you who are continuously supporting our parish either by using our

Faith Direct On Line Giving

and many of you who are faithfully mailing in your envelopes... we are grateful!

eGiving Enroll in our electronic offertory program. Visit www.faithdirect.net. code is: **CO394**.



BEGIN THE NEW YEAR..... ADORATION CHAPEL?

St. James Adoration Chapel is open:

**Monday thru Thursday
from Noon to 10:00 p.m.
and Friday from 9:00 a.m. all
Night
to Saturday 7:00a.m.**

“Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth. It will make your soul everlastingly more glorious and beautiful in Heaven. A Holy Hour of adoration helps bring everlasting peace to your soul and in your family. It brings us personal peace and strength. It brings us a greater love for Jesus, for each other, and for the poor. Every holy hour deepens our union with Him and bears much fruit.”

Mother Teresa

Call Soraya Gonzales 719-650-2241, if you want to schedule a regular time in front of the Blessed Sacrament.