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MASSES

Saturday Special Mass 12 Noon
Saturday Vigil4:30 pm
Sunday 7:00, 9:00 &11:00 am
Weekdays9:00 am
Holy Days7:00, 9:00 am & 6:00 pm

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BAPTISM PREPARATION PROGRAM

Please call the Rectory to register for the Preparatory Class & Baptism. Baptisms are held on the third Sunday of every month at 12:00 noon.

WEDDING

Call the Rectory at least six months prior to your wedding date. If not confirmed, one year.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

By appointment only, Call the office to make an appointment.

HOSPITAL & HOME VISITS

Please notify the priests of family illnesses.

ALL SAINTS DAY

DAYDREAMS OF A PASTOR...

October 17th we were to have a Dinner (our 150th Anniversary). We turned it into a Virtual Fund-raiser. We called it a Super Raffle, a BIG 50-50.

How did St. James do?? We gave away \$23,000.00. One of our big winners, Paul Grenon and Barbara Carter gave us a \$1,000.00 in honor of Gerry Grenon.

So the 192 St. James Students were the BIG WINNERS! \$23,000.00 from the Raffle and \$31,000.00 from the Memorials. So our total gift to St. James School was \$54,000.00. Thank you so much! Last year we made \$9800. So thanks to our Co-Chairs, Joe and Kim Beaureault. The rest of the committee is Fr. John O'Neill, Rene Barbeau and Lucille Farrell.

It was a great Sunday on October 18th. If you missed this great event, we are going to do it again on March 21st. Tickets will be \$100 and the second 50-50 ticket will be \$10.

God Bless, Fr. John

November 3rd begins Catholic Schools Week...

THE BENEFITS OF A CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION...

Catholic Schools are a smart investment for parents who want their children to grow into caring, faithful, and successful adults. Parents choose Catholic Schools for their children because of high academic standards, character development, and a safe school environment. While not all students who come to Catholic Schools are Catholic, but all share experiences of faith and values.

A Catholic education is a challenging education. We foster excellence by combining high standards, strong motivation, and effective discipline within an atmosphere of caring. The high quality of our students' performance is supported by the evidence. Students in Catholic Schools score above the national average in reading, language, mathematics, science, and social studies. In many grades, the average Catholic School student is achieving at or above the top quarter of o their national peers. Nearly all (97%) Catholic high school students attend college. In recognition of our schools work to achieve very high learning standards and close achievement gaps among students, over one-third of our elementary schools have been designated Blue Ribbon Schools by the U.S. Department of Education.

While providing a stimulating and demanding education, Catholic Schools give students a high level of individualized personal attention. This commitment is reinforced by participation in programs that are tailored to challenge advanced students and support those who experience difficulties in the various areas of study. Catholic Schools are constantly evolving their educational experience to offer opportunities in technology and engineering with emphasis on fostering environments of collaboration, critical thinking, community service, communication, research skills, and perseverance.

Catholic Schools are committed to the development of the whole student; therefore, extra-curricular activities are regarded as an important part of the total learning experience. A variety of choices are offered to reflect the

uniqueness of each student, to generate a healthy sense of competition, to create a spirit of cooperation and to foster both leadership and creativity. Catholic schools offer a rich blend of dance, music, arts, and athletic programs.

The Catholic School philosophy infuses our total education program and challenges students to improve the world by sharing Gospel values and living Christ's message of salvation through love and forgiveness. This philosophy helps form the minds, bodies, and spirit of students and leads them to a life of service to others. It sets our schools apart from public and private schools.

Catholic schools have developed programs of financial aid and scholarships to assist families in considering Catholic education for their children. So, besides exploring the Religious and Academic programs of the schools' families should also explore their financial aid and scholarship programs.

Thanks to the Archdiocese of Newark, N.J. for this Daydream. Thanks for making St. James School, the best there is!

Linda Joyal, Deacon Rene and Fr. John O'Neill

150th & 125th ST. JAMES CHURCH ANNIVERSARIES

The memorials keep coming in. The Friends of La Salette gave a donation of \$10,000 plus in honor of the 125th anniversary of the La Salette Missionaries coming to Danielson and the 150th Anniversary of the St. James Parish. They ask us to please remember the following in prayer.

In memory of Fr. Michael Flanagan, M.S., Fr. Moe Linehan, M.S., Bro. Peter Collins, M.S., Fr. Tom Reilly, M.S., Fr. Gene Barrette, M.S., Fr. Jim Caffrey, M.S., Fr. Emile Dusseault, M.S., Fr. Norman Mailloux, M.S., Fr. Richard Boucher, M.S., Fr. Bill Mulcair, M.S., Fr. Roland A. Nadeau's, M.S., Fr. Roland S. Nadeau's, M.S., Fr. Joe Bachand, M.S., Fr. Armand Nadeau, M.S., Fr. Joe Whalen, M.S., Fr. Bishop Daniel Hart., Fr. Jim Weeks, M.S., Fr. Louis Gould, M.S., Fr. Dennis Loomis, M.S., Fr. Donald Baribeau, M.S., Fr. Gerry Boulanger, M.S., Fr. Clovis Socquet, M.S., Fr. Sylva. LeCours., Fr. Hugh Murphy., Bro. Ray Aubin, M.S., Bro. Jerome Letourneau, M.S., Fr. Peter Mc Keown, M.S., Fr. Francis Andrews, M.S., Fr. Joe Markowitz, M.S., Fr. Leo Martel, M.S.

We remember the Sisters of St. Joseph – Sr. Isabelle, Sr. Adele, Sr. Ernestine and Sr. Ethel. Included also in memory are Ray Balick, Gerry Grenon, Gerard Gorman, Dan Ferron, Madeline Wells, Eugene & Anne O'Neill, Raymond L. Bernier, Rene Barbeau Sr. Lillian Barbeau, Anthony Morabito, Elaine Morabito, Dorothy Beausoleil and George Thivienge, Sr. Leona, Sr. Anne Katherine, Kevin Kilborn, Mr. & Mrs. Lucien Veilleux, Michael Swenso, Daniel Ferron and Gerry Grenon. These are the memories for the St. James Heavenly Hall of Fame. Your memorials are most welcome. Please put their names in an envelope and drop them off in Church or mail to 12, Franklin Street.

Thank you, Fr. John J. O'Neill, M.S.

ALL SAINTS DAY

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First Reading: Revelations 7:2-4, 9-14

John recounts for us the details of his vision. An angel bearing the seal of the living God demands that the land and sea not be destroyed; huge crowds stand before the throne of the Lamb crying out that salvation comes from God; angels gathered round and praised God; an elder questions John and explains that those dressed in white are the ones who have survived the great period of trial.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-3

Once again John speaks to us of love. He points out to us the great love that the Father has for us by allowing us to be called children of God. John explains that the world doesn't recognize us because it never recognized Jesus. Our future will be revealed to us and in that light we shall see him as he is.

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a

When Jesus saw the crowds of people he went up to the mountainside gathered his disciples around him and began to teach them. This lesson in love has come to be known to us as the great "Sermon on the Mount" or "The Beatitudes."

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PARISH EVENTS

Religious Education: St. James offers Religious Education. If you have not registered please call; Bev Richardson at (860) 792-8054

Holy Hour: Our next Holy Hour will be on Monday, November 16th, from 7PM to 8PM with the rosary at 6:40PM. In Eucharistic Adoration, Jesus freely gives us the graces we need in our lives. The graces we need for our families, vocations, jobs, special intentions, for the sick, for our church and school, for Catholics to return to the Faith.

MARIAN SHRINE FLOWERS

This week's flower arrangement is donated in memory of Richard Grenier..., by Marguerite Grenier & family. Next week's flower arrangement is donated in honor of Tammy Baum, Birthday, Love, Mom and Dad.

The signup sheet for the Marian Shrine Flowers is at the main entrance to the Church.

VIGIL LIGHTS... are burning brightly this week for our Confirmation Students.

MASSES

MONDAY, November 02

9AM The La Force, Leavens & Parent Family...,

by Theresa & family

6PM Lillian Lajoie, Normond & Bernice Ravenelle

6.45PM Dr. Herb Richardson

TUESDAY, November 03

Edmond & Germaine Marois..., by Estate

WEDNESDAY, November 04, St. Charles Borromeo.

9AM Theresa Dubreuil, 21st Anniversary..., by the Lapre Family

THURSDAY, November 05

9AM Raymond Perreault, 1st Anniversary..., by family

FRIDAY, November 06

9AM Monique Marino, 1st Anniversary..., by family

SATURDAY, November 07

12 In honor of Blessed Mother & St. Theresa...,

by Theresa Labbe

12 Ernest & Diane Charron – 50th Wedding Anniversary 4.30PM Etienne Labeue..., by family

4.30PM Raymond Perreault, 1st Anni..., by Wife & family

SUNDAY, November 08
7AM Mignonne Tourtellotte..., by the Rzeznikiewicz family

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11AM Paul Levesque..., by Cousin, Georgette Rohring

LA SALETTE MASSES

In memory of Frederick & Adelyn Bodenschatz

In memory of David & Sophie Horvat..., by Son, Joseph

In memory of John Gallow..., by wife Rita

In memory of Annette Crowe..., by the Kimball family

2020 Masse Available

7AM... 11/29

9AM... 11/11, 12/10, 12/11, 12/29 and 12/30

2021 Masses Available

7AM...1/3, 1/10, 1/17, 1/24, 1/31, 2/14, 2/17and 2/28

9AM...1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/7, 1/8, 1/10, 1/11, 1/12, 1/13, 1/14, 1/15, 1/17, 1/19, 1/20, 1/21, 1/22, 1/24, 1/25, 1/26,

1/27, 1/29, 1/31, 2/1, 2/2, 2/3, 2/4, 2/5, 2/7, 2/8, 2/9,

2/10, 2/11, 2/12, 2/14, 2/16, 2/17, 2/21, 2/22, 2/23, 2/24, 2/25, 2/26 and 2/28

11AM...1/3, 1/10, 1/17, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/21 and 2/28 **4.30PM...**1/2, 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13 and 2/20 **6PM...** 2/17

Please place Mass Intention in the collection basket. Please include a phone number. Mass stipends are \$10.00 each. Please include a phone number.

INCREASED CAPACITY AT ST. JAMES CHURCH WILL BE 200 PEOPLE: According to the new Executive Order N. 9F by Governor Lamont; concerning limitations on religious gatherings - the increased capacity for worship gatherings will be limited to no more than 50 percent of the building's capacity or a maximum of 200 people, whichever is lower provided that all persons present wear masks, and that a distance of 6 feet is maintained between all persons or groups not from the same household in effect immediately until November 9, 2020. The Diocese of Norwich will follow the guidelines of the Governor until any changes or subsequent Executive Orders on this topic comes later on.

PRAYER FOR THE MARIAN YEAR 2020-2021

O Mary, Mother of Reconciliation, in this time of celebration we rejoice that:

The Father asked you to carry out his plan of Salvation,

The Son chose you to be his Mother and his First Disciple,

The Holy Spirit fashioned you into his living temple, our sister in faith.

At La Salette, with abundant tears of mercy, you spoke the two poor children in their own language and urged us to share your message of peace and hope with needy people of every culture and nation. Pray for us to your loving Son that we may draw all your people closer to him. Amen.

ST. MICHAEL PRAYER

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen.**

"OCTOBER SUPER RAFFLE" - Thank you for your donation to our St. James Students. We have many generous parishioners and supporters of St. James School.

Congratulations to our 2020 Supper Raffle Winners: Paul Grenon & Barbara Carter, Jarrod & Kathleen Dizazzo, Cathy Nicholson, Andrea Sherman, Ray & Marguerite Baril, Michelle Weiss, and the Desaulnier Grandkids.

50/50 Raffle Winners: Kerry Lieberman, Paul Grenon & Barbara Carter, and Belinda Nattress.

Our sincere Thanks to our Co-Chairs, Joe and Kerri Beaudreault. The committee members include: Fr. John O'Neill, M.S., Lucille Farrell and Deacon Rene Barbeau. Our next Super Raffle will be held in mid-March 2021.

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION: IF you are new to the Parish or have not yet registered we welcome you. Please fill out the form below and place it in the collection basket so our records can be updated.

PARISH UPDATE FORM

MAILING ADDRESS_____

CITY/STATE/ZIP_____

I.D.NUMBER IF KNOWN

- ----- I am a registered parishioner of St. James
- ---- I have an address correction to make
- ---- I am moving from the parish

Mass Intentions...

PHONE NUMBER

Check one:

We are now booking Mass Intentions for 2020 & 2021, if you wish to schedule a Mass Please write out all the names of your loved ones and put these names and your phone number, with a check in an envelope and place it in the collection basket. We will do our best to accommodate your wishes.

Schedule for November 07th & 8th, 2020 12 NOON 4:30PM 7AM

Celebrant: Fr. John O'Neill Fr. John Welch Fr. Roy Parayil

9AM 11AM
Celebrant: Fr. Tom Sickler Fr. Tom Sickler

St. James Church 150th Anniversary Novena of Masses

PLEASE REMEMBER

Deceased_____ So that He /She may share in the Spiritual Benefits in this Church in observance of our 150th Anniversary. Please place this in Church Envelope.

PLANNING A WEDDING...

Arrangements for your marriage should be made with the Church first, as this is the most important part of your wedding day. To secure your wedding date with the church you must first have the initial interview with one of the priests and also have paid the church deposit

CAN'T SELL THAT AUTOMOBILE? WHY NOT DONATE IT!

The St. James Organization will give you a written appraisal of your car which may be used as a tax-deductible, charitable donation. All monies will be used for the St. James Renovation fund or for the St. James Scholarship fund. Inquiries may be made by calling the rectory at 860-774-3900.

-----SOS...SAVE OUR SCHOOL...

St. James School wishes to thank all our Anonymous Donors for their donations to the St. James School Tuition Assistance Scholarship Fund.

We ask you to consider making a voluntary donation on the occasion of a death of a loved one (in lieu of flowers) or on the occasion of a happy event; e.g. wedding or anniversary (in lieu of flowers).

"Save Our School", envelopes are at the entrances to the church.

FRIENDS OF ASSISI FOOD PANTRY NEWS

Let's go fly a kite! Up to the highest height. Let's go fly a kite and send it soaring!

This song reminds us of our childhood days so carefree throughout the summer months, riding our bikes and flying our kites. My sister and I would see who could swing the highest as we sang this song!

As summer winds down and parents begin to get their kids back to school, however it will be this year, we find ourselves with the generosity of the community who have blessed us with many donations including backpacks. One of our donors lost her dear husband a few years ago, and in his honor, they have started a foundation. We have been honored to be the recipients and they have bestowed upon us many backpacks for the young children. Our donor recently stopped by and I showed her a video of thanks, a young boy's mom had made. He especially thanked us for the squeeze ball. He exclaimed: "this is exactly what I need when I am angry!" We both were quite teary eyed while watching the video thinking how different life is for the children during this time. And how perceptive that she knew this was exactly what this child needed in his Ninja Turtle backpack! He was so delighted.

Despite all that may be happening in the world, here in our little corner, kindness and miracles occur each day. We are so grateful that you are helping us in the miracle of feeding those in need especially during this time. We know we can always count on you.

We especially thank you for donations of <u>beans 6-1 and groceries 7-24.</u>

2020 S.J.S.A. THOUSAND CLUB

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR WINNERS OF THE 2020 THOUSAND CLUB!

SIGN-UP TODAY FOR THE 2021 CLUB. We appreciate your support. All proceeds benefit St. James School. Please sponsor new members so we can fill the club. Dues are only \$60.00 per year or \$5.00 per month.

OUR ELEVENTH DRAWING FOR THE 2020 CLUB WAS HELD ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2020 DRAWING, August, 2020: WINNERS:

\$1000 Patricia Magao	216	\$25	Cindy Sears	976	Door Prize:	Donna Nason
300 Jim & Deb St. Jean	400	\$25	Travis Kenneth	849	Door Prize:	Kathy Hall
200 Pauline Emond	529	\$25	Jill Magao	760		
100 Glen Dubois,Jr.	991	\$25	Janice Cacciapuoti	596		
50 Michele Brady	909					
50 Kerri Hall	131					
\$20.00 Winners are:						
Tiffany Parenteau	847		Jesssica Phaneuf		408	
Christopher Laime	89		Algis Peckaitis		751	
Robert & Elaine Senecal	836		Brebt & Allison Bernie	er	24	
Judy LaRoche	614		Henrieta Cyr		543	
Steven & Lisa Collison	379		Sarah & Audrey Nattre	ess	350	

OUR TWELVETH DRAWING FOR THE 2020 CLUB WAS HELD ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2020 DRAWING, September 20, 2020: WINNERS

\$1000	Michael Dupont	588	\$25	Mary Ann Weigel	42	Door Prize:	Ann Desabota
300	Nancy Cole	893	\$25	Deborah Parry	22	Door Prize:	Henrieta Cyr
200	Jane Peckaitis	672	\$25	William Weiss, Jr	612		-
100	Becca Zachow	315	\$25	Emma Thurlow	931		
50	Judy Rzucidlo	662					
50	Alison & Michael Fabiano	80					
\$20.00 W	inners are:						
N	Michelle Hayes	480		Lorraine Savoie		744	
N	Melissa Johnson	70		Mary Cholewa		128	
F	Ruth Bonneau	378		Anselm & Karen Toni		598	
E	Ellen & Dustin Wilson	780		Adam Lachendro		208	
E	Enrica Desabota	277		Jennafer & Brian Perez		834	

NEW CLUB FOR 2021: CLUB REGISTRATION FORM CAN BE FOUND AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS PAGE. THE FIRST DRAWING FOR THE NEW CLUB SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22, AT 8:30AM IN THE CHURCH HALL. GET YOUR REGISTRATION IN EARLY! PLEASE SPONSOR A NEW MEMBER SO WE CAN FILL THE CLUB.

If you have any questions concerning dues etc. Please call Kathy Hall (860) 774-7635.

	A. 2021 THOUSAND CLUB REGISTRA Your choice of number if available		
SPONSOR'S NAME:			
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Please Print	YOU DO NOT HAVE TO H	AVE A SPONSOR TO JOIN THE CLUB	
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