

# ST. JAMES CHURCH

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*St. James Church is staffed by  
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## PASTOR

Rev. Roy Parayil, M.S.

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## PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Rene L. Parent, M.S.

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Rene N. Barbeau, Jr.

**July 16, 2023**

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Rectory Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday, 9:30 am - 3:30 pm (*Emergencies anytime*)

## MASSES

Saturday Vigil ----- 4:30 pm

Sunday ----- 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 am

Weekdays ----- 9:00 am

Holy Days ----- 7:00, 9:00 am & 6:00 pm

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## Religious Education Director

Mrs. Bev. Richardson

860-792-8054

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## St. James School Principal

Elyse McAteer

860-774-3281

## 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. Registration forms available on website.

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## WEDDING

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

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## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 3:45 to 4:15 pm in the church, or by appointment.

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## HOSPITAL & HOME VISITS

Please notify the priests of family illnesses.

**DAYDREAMS OF A PASTOR...*****Wisdom & Encouragement***

Short summary of Pope Francis's message to the Committee preparing for the forthcoming National Eucharistic Congress in the United States of America.

The Pope spoke about the need for Eucharistic Revival, and shared his hope for the future of the Church in the United States. He says *the Congress* will be an occasion for the faithful to "commit themselves with ever greater zeal to being missionary disciples of the Lord Jesus in the world." This connection between the Eucharist and mission cannot be ignored. The Holy Father reminded us that "the love we celebrate in this sacrament cannot be kept to ourselves but demands to be shared with all. This is the sense of a missionary spirit."

He encourages us to continue our efforts to contribute to a revival of faith in, and love for, the Holy Eucharist, the "source and summit of the Christian life". The Eucharist is God's response to the deepest hunger of the human heart, the hunger for authentic life, for in the Eucharist Christ himself is truly in our midst, to nourish, console and sustain us on our journey.

It is more than a symbol; it is the real and loving presence of the Lord. It is his hope, that the Eucharistic Congress will inspire Catholics throughout the country to discover anew the sense of wonder and awe at the Lord's great gift of himself and to spend time with him in the celebration of the Holy Mass and in personal prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. We must rediscover the sense of adoration in silence, the form of prayer that we have lost.

In the Eucharist, we encounter the One who gave everything for us, who sacrificed himself in order to give us life, who loved us to the end. We become credible witnesses to the joy and transforming beauty of the Gospel. It impels us to a strong and committed love of neighbor. For we cannot truly understand or live the meaning of the Eucharist if our hearts are closed to our brothers and sisters.

The pope went on to say, "Two groups of people come to mind whom we must always seek out: the elderly, who are the wisdom of a people, and the sick, who are the image of the suffering Jesus."

Fr. Roy Parayil, M.S.

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****First Reading: Isaiah 55:10-11**

Just as the rain and snow water the earth and make it fruitful, so does the word of God bring forth good seed.

**Second Reading: Romans 8:18-23**

Reminding all that the trials and sufferings of this life are "as nothing," Paul says that the glory we shall receive will overshadow all things.

**Gospel: Matthew 13:1-23**

Jesus tells the parable of the sower and the seed. The seed that landed on the footpath, on rocky ground, or among thorns withered and died; the seed that fell on good ground -- "the man who hears the message and takes it in" ... "bears a yield of a hundred-fold."

**Parish Events... July 25<sup>th</sup> is the feast of St. James, the Patron of our Parish. We are celebrating the solemn feast of St. James on Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at the 11AM Mass.**



**Our Parish community will have a Parish picnic right after the 11AM Mass on Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup> on the church premises.**

**Bring salads, desserts or other potluck dishes. We will also arrange Drinks, hamburgers/hot dogs. Join us for the celebration of St. James, it is always a joy to celebrate as one St. James family.**

**PARISH EVENTS**

**Wednesday** – Devotion to the Infant Jesus of Prague  
Every Wednesday at 8:30AM.

**Rosary for Vocations** - Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8.30AM.

**Wednesday** – Bingo in the Church Hall at 7PM.

**Men's Bible Study** – Fourth Monday of every Month at 7PM in the Church Hall.

**Holy Hour** – Every Third Monday of the Month.

**Our next Holy Hour is July 17, 2023.**

**Vocations Committee Meeting Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> 6PM in Church.**

**Finance Committee Meeting Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> 6PM at the Rectory.**

**“Fr. John O’Neill Memorial Fund**

Dear Parishioners and friends,  
 We all know the love Fr. John O’Neill, M.S. had for St. James School. The School had a place in his heart and he dedicated his life for the betterment of the school.  
 To honor Fr. John and for the continuous support of the school we have started a fund called, “Fr. John O’Neill Memorial Fund”. A new account has been opened for this special purpose. All those who would like to support St. James School please make your check payable to St. James Church and in the memo; please specify – Fr. John O’Neill Memorial Fund.  
 Thank you for your continued support, Fr. Roy

**THE VIGIL LIGHTS... are burning brightly in prayer for the Altar Servers of our Parish.**

**MARIAN SHRINE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT... The flower arrangement for our Holy Mother for the week of 7/15 will be donated be for Julie and Tom Dupont in celebration of their 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The week of 7/22 the flower arrangement will be donated in memory of Elizabeth Rondeau by family.**

**WEEKLY OFFERING.....7/03.....\$6,258.00**  
**St. James School.....7/03.....\$2,151.00**  
**7/16 – S.O.S. Save Our School**  
**7/23 – La Salette Seminarists**

<b>Schedule for July 22nd and July 23rd</b>		
	<b>4:30PM</b>	<b>7:00AM</b>
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Fr. Rene Parent	Fr. Roy Parayil
<b>E. Minister:</b>	Claire Minio	Susan Griffiths
	Richard Minio	Maggie Weaver
	Valerie Barbeau	Julie Dupont(L)
	Lori Beausoleil	
	Volunteer needed (L)	
	<b>9:00AM</b>	<b>11:00AM</b>
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Fr. Roy Parayil	Fr. Rene Parent
<b>E. Minister:</b>	Rosalie Boire	Denis Bessette
	Paul Boire	Maureen Mann
	Laurie Barrette (L)	

**Please note...Lectors and Altar Servers needed...**  
 We are in need of Lectors and altar servers for Masses on the weekend. If you are interested please contact one of our priests or deacons or you may call the rectory at 860-774-3900.  
**There is an altar server orientation meeting in the church on Saturday, July 22nd at 10:30am.**

**“Come and See” program in Attleboro...**  
 Let us join together in prayer for the Seven discerners participating in the upcoming “Come and See” program in Attleboro, which will take place from July 20-July 23, 2023. May our prayers accompany them as they discern their path and open their hearts to the call of our shared mission. Let this be a moment of grace to invite the parishioners to pray increase of Vocations using Vocation prayer after each Mass in our parishes and Shrine.

**MASSES**

**MONDAY, July 17,**  
 9:00AM Departed Souls of the Adoration Sisters  
 9:00AM Robert Suprenant...by Muriel, Donald & family  
 9:00AM Terese Cusson...by John & Rita Burns  
**TUESDAY, July 18, Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest**  
 9:00AM Daniel LaRocque...1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary...by family  
 9:00AM Samuel Ternowchek...by his family  
**WEDNESDAY, July 19,**  
 9:00AM Janet Piotrowski...by Seiferman family  
 9:00AM Theresa Sypek...3<sup>rd</sup> Anniv...  
 by Robert St. Onge  
**THURSDAY, July 20, St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr**  
 9:00AM Elizabeth Rondeau...Anniv...by her husband  
 9:00AM Helen B. Wood...by the Small Christian Community  
**FRIDAY, July 21, St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church; Blessed Francis Jordan, Priest and Religious Founder**  
 9:00AM Roland & Lorraine Savoie...by Paul, Deb & Brett Savoie  
 9:00AM Emond and Germaine Emond...by estate  
**SATURDAY, July 22, Saint Mary Magdalene**  
 4:30PM Mary Barlow...by Alice Sears  
 4:30PM Joyce Ricci...1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary...by family  
 4:30PM Jean Plantier...by Henry & family  
**SUNDAY, July 23, Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly**  
 7:00AM Gerry Grenon...by family  
 7:00AM Roger Caron...by Pauline  
 9:00AM Denise Albetski...by her daughter  
 9:00AM Mary Rose Barlow...Birthday...by family  
 9:00AM Wilfred Pelletier...32<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary...by family  
 11:00AM Mary-Elizabeth Stepalavich...Birthday...  
 By the Lapre family

**LASALLETTE MASSES**

In memory of Frederick & Adelyn Bodenschatz  
 In memory of David & Sophie Hovat by son, Joseph  
 In honor of my family...Love, JoAnn  
 In memory of Veronica Gumula 35<sup>th</sup> Anniv...with love from Diane & grand-children.

**2023 Masses Available:**

**4:30PM... 9/30**  
**7:00AM... 9/17; 10/01; 10/08;12/03; 12/10; 12/31**  
**9:00AM... 8/02; 8/11; 8/15; 8/16;8/21; 8/22; 8/23; 8/24; 8/25; 8/28; 8/29; 8/30; 9/05/9/06; 9/08;12/10; 12/31.**  
**11:00AM... 8/13; 9/17; 10/08; 10/29; 11/12; 12/3; 12/24; 12/31. There are still 9AM Weekday Mass openings available for the 2023 year. Please call or place intentions in the basket. We are now taking Mass intentions for the 2024 year. Please place Mass Intentions for weekdays & weekends in the collection basket. Please include a phone number. Mass stipends are 10.00**

**Religious Education Teachers** are needed for September 2023 – 2024 year to teach on Sundays. Please contact Bev Richardson 860-792-8054 or 860-630-0593 or call the rectory at 860-774-3900.

**POURINGS AND PASSAGES BOOKSTORE...** A used book store and coffeehouse is now open at 103 Main Street, Danielson, CT. Hours of operation are Wednesdays to Saturdays, 10AM to 5PM. The store is closed Sunday to Tuesday, holidays and snowy days. Please patronize, promote and support our bookstore. Net profits benefit St. James School. For more info, please call 860-774-1712, (Wednesdays to Saturdays) or leave a message. God bless you all! Jim

**SIGN-UP- SHEET FOR WEEK OF PRAYER AT HOME**

The sign-up sheet for a week of prayer at home for vocations is at the main entrance of the church. We humbly request all families to pray for vocations. Set aside a few minutes praying for vocations and inspiring our children at home. Please sign-up for a week of prayer. Those who sign up for the weekly prayer will dedicate themselves by praying the Rosary and Vocation Prayer from Sunday through Saturday. Let us continue to pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life. **PRAYER AT HOME** -The weeks of 7/15 and 7/22 is open to volunteers.

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**...Loving and generous God, it is You who call us by name and ask us to follow You. Help us to grow in the love and service of our Church as we experience it today. Give us the energy and courage of Your Spirit to shape its future. Grant us faith-filled leaders who will embrace Christ's mission of love and justice. Bless St. James parish by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve Your people as Priests, Deacons, Brothers, Sisters and Lay Ministers. Inspire us to Know you better and open our hearts to listen to Your call. We ask this through Christ our Lord... Amen. Our Lady of La Salette, Reconciler of Sinners, pray without ceasing for us who have recourse to You.

**PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL**  
**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 host, 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.**

**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**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAILING ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY/STATE/ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Check one:**  I am a new parishioner  
 I have an address correction to make  
 I would like to receive weekly envelopes

**S.O.S...SAVE OUR SCHOOL**

St. James School wishes to thank Cheryl and Richard Veilleux in memory of Donna Ducat for their generous donation. The school also wishes to thank Margaret Weaver in honor of Fr. Tom's Jubilee, and Wilfred and Marilyn Streb. Thank you for your donation Ann-Marie and Wayne Terwilliger in memory of Fr. John O'Neill and any anonymous donors. We ask you to consider making a voluntary donation on the occasion of a death of a loved one (in lieu of flowers).

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**Adoration of our Lord**

He gave the ultimate sacrifice for us! May we sacrifice one hour a week to be with Him? Visit Him during Eucharistic Adoration. There is always a need for faithful adorers. Please consider committing to a specific hour. Silent Adoration begins at 8.30 am following the 8.00 am Mass on Wednesdays and continues until 6.45 pm. Call the rectory for more information – 860-774-6275

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

St. James Parish in Danielson is collecting vehicles. 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 (860) 774-3900 or send fax to (860) 774-4205. Our organization helps you to eliminate the hassle in selling a car and you contribute to a great charity.

**Diocesan News...**

**July 29; Young Adult Hike and Mass**

The Young Adult Ministry of the Blessed Sacrament Parish based in Rockville and Tolland is hosting a Hike & Mass on July 29th, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM at Case Mountain Park in Manchester, CT; we invite all young adults to join us! We will complete a short hike through the park and have Mass at the summit with our clergy. Please RSVP by visiting our website or by emailing [yam@cath-comm.org](mailto:yam@cath-comm.org).

**SIGN-UP TODAY FOR THE 2023 CLUB.**

We appreciate your support. All proceeds benefit St. James School. Please sponsor new members so we can fill the club. Dues are only \$15.00 for the remaining 4 drawings.

**MONTHLY AWARDS:** \$2,000.00 in awards are given away each month...20 awards monthly, 240+ chances to win.  
**CHANGE OF ADDRESS:** Please inform Kathy Hall (860)774-7635 of any address changes. Kathy is the "keeper of the records".

OUR NEXT DRAWING WILL BE HELD ON **SUNDAY, JULY 16TH, AT 8:30AM** IN THE CHURCH HALL.  
**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.

**MARCH DRAWING**

\$1000	Kathy Hall	433	\$25 Lucille Bernier	12	Door Prize:	Janet Shay
300	Heather & Daniel Cregg	240	\$25 Joseph Ashmore	23	Door Prize:	Tammy Miner
200	Connor & Harper Depasse	463	\$25 Valerie Barbeau	766		
100	Cheryl Roberts	750	\$25 Barbara Barrette	968		
50	Amanda & Ryan Lajoie	253				
50	Jean George Pelletier	580				

**\$20.00 Winners are:**

Gary Baker	246	Joan Daignan	742
Diane Landers	61	Barbara & Clyde Porter	250
Kerri & Joe Beaudreault	5	Cathleen Dunlop	432
Kathleen Gerardi	861	Jessica & Steven Pereira	364
Dorothea Couto	372	Rita LaBelle	346

**APRIL DRAWING**

\$1000	David LaBelle	676	\$25 Sheri & Joe Montecalvo	577	Door Prize:	Joanne Wippert
300	Ron & Charlotte Litke	47	\$25 John & Joan Lambert	153	Door Prize:	Joan Lambert
200	Mickey Whittenburg	647	\$25 Chris & Missy Mailhot	698		
100	Donna Chevrette	489	\$25 Richard Theriaque	157		
50	Kim & Richard Brooks	178				
50	Joan Fortin	634				

**\$20.00 Winners are:**

Margaret Burr ridge	200	Daniel Kimball	944
Patti Noren	891	Nancy Cole	589
Sarah & William Nattress	587	Diana Sorel	97
Kristen Langlois	428	Richard La Belle	461
Robert Dragon	314	Bob & Lucille Farrell	736

**REGISTRATION FORM - SPONSOR A NEW MEMBER TODAY SO WE CAN FILL THE CLUB**

**S.J.S.A. 2023 THOUSAND CLUB REGISTRATION FORM FOR NEW CLUB**

Your choice of number if available \_\_\_\_\_ (no guarantees)

**SPONSORS NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please Print **YOU DO NOT HAVE TO HAVE A SPONSOR TO JOIN THE CLUB**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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