

# ST. JAMES CHURCH

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Rev. Roy Parayil, M.S.

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**July 14, 2024**

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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

## Religious Education Director

Mrs. Bev. Richardson

860-792-8054

## 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.

## WEDDING

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

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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

## HOSPITAL & HOME VISITS

Please notify the priests of family illnesses.

## DAYDREAMS OF A PASTOR...



The 10<sup>th</sup> National Eucharistic Congress will take place in Indianapolis from July 17 to 21, 2024. A time for us to worship the Eucharistic Lord and share Christ's love with the world. We started this Revival in 2022 and this will continue till 2025.

The congress will highlight the diverse expressions of Catholic faith from different cultures and communities, bringing them together in a shared experience of worship and devotion. The congress will also serve as a reminder of the universal nature of the Catholic Church.

Last year Pope Francis spoke about the need for Eucharistic Revival, and shared his hope for the future of the Church in the United States and said, "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".

He encouraged 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. Through the Eucharist, God desires to heal, renew and unify the Church and the world.

In the Eucharist, we encounter the One who gave everything for us, who sacrificed himself in order to give us life and who loved us to the end. Through the Eucharist, God walks into our hearts, and everything changes!

Let us in a special way pray for the success of the Eucharistic Congress. Let this communion rekindle a sense of devotion and commitment among us, encouraging us to rediscover the Eucharist as the heart of our faith. Let this be a milestone moment in the life of the Church and in all those who attend this great event.

Fr. Roy Parayil, M.S

## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**First Reading: Amos 7:12-15**

Amaziah (priest of Bethel) ordered Amos to leave Bethel and never prophesy there again. Amos replied that he had not been a prophet, but was a shepherd until he was called by God.

**Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-14 or 1:3-10**

Paul exults God's immeasurable generosity as he recounts all the blessings that have been bestowed upon all God's people. We all became adopted children of God when we heard the message of truth Christ brought to us, and because of it, believed in him.

**Gospel: Mark 6:7-13**

Jesus gave the twelve disciples authority over unclean spirits and sent them out to preach and heal the sick. He advised them to bring nothing with them and to shake the dust from their feet of any town where they had not been welcomed. Jesus wanted them to understand what they would need to do in his place after his death.

**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.**

**UP-COMING EVENTS** (Please add to your calendar)

**HOLY HOUR: JULY 15, 2024 - 7PM – 8PM**

**FEAST OF ST. JAMES & PARISH PICNIC: July 28, 2024 -11.30 am.**

**DIOCESAN MISSION APPEAL – August 3, 4, 2024 – at all masses.**

**ADORATION FOR VOCATIONS: August 22, 2024 6pm to 7pm. here at St. James with Bishop Cote.**

**LA SALETTE NOVENA AND FEAST: September 14 - 22, 2024**

**FIFTH SUNDAY ROSARY: September 29, 2024 After the 9 am mass. (K of C)**

**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS: October 5, 2024 - 11 am (Parking Lot, K of C)**

**2<sup>ND</sup> ANNIVERSARY – FR. JOHN: October 11, 2024 - 9 am mass.**

**CONFIRMATION: October 28, 2024 – 7 pm. (Bp. Michael Cote)**

**FIFTH SUNDAY ROSARY: December 29, 2024 After the 9 am mass. (K of C)**

**CLEANING**

**SUMMER CLEAN UP (OUTSIDE): Mid-October. (K of C)**

**CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers: December 21 - 9am to 12pm.**



Our Parish community will have a Parish picnic right after the 11AM Mass on Sunday, July 28th 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.

**MARIAN SHRINE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT...**

The flower arrangement for the Blessed Mother's Marian Altar for the week of July 13<sup>th</sup> will be by the Kimball family. The week of July 20<sup>th</sup> is in memory of Elizabeth Rondeau/ Rudy Rondeau & family.

**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 week of prayer for July 20<sup>th</sup> is by Cindy and July 27<sup>th</sup> by the Sisters of Adoration.

**THE VIGIL LIGHTS... are burning brightly in prayer for Deacon Rene and Deacon Joe.**

**WEEKLY OFFERING.....6/30.....\$5,703.00**  
**Friends of La Salette.....6/30.....\$2,529.00**  
 7/07 – School Support; 7/14 – Renovation Fund  
 7/21 – Save Our School

**Schedule for July 20, 2024 and July 21, 2024**

	<b>4:30PM</b>	<b>7:00AM</b>
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Fr. Roy Parayil	Fr. Roy Parayil
<b>E. Minister:</b>	Ernie Charron Diane Charron	John Lupien Julie Dupont
<b>Lector:</b>	Phyllis Morrison	Ralph Oriola
	<b>9:00AM</b>	<b>11:00AM</b>
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Fr. John Welch	Fr. Roy Parayil
<b>E. Minister:</b>	Bev Richardson Theresa Labbe	John Brady Michelle Brady
<b>Lector:</b>	Adam Brindamour	

**Religious Education Teachers** are needed for September 2024 – 2025 year to teach on Sundays. Please contact Bev Richardson 860-792-8054 or 860-630-0593 or call the rectory at 860-774-3900.

**MASSES**

**MONDAY, July 15,**  
**Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
 9:00AM Gladys Ogden...1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary...by family  
 9:00AM For the Sick of our Parish

**TUESDAY, July 16,**  
**Our Lady of Mount Carmel**  
 9:00AM James & Joan Kent...by family  
 9:00AM Vocations to Religious life

**WEDNESDAY, July 17,**  
 9:00AM Departed Souls of the Adoration Sisters  
 9:00AM Peace in our World

**THURSDAY, July 18,**  
**Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest**  
 9:00AM Fr. Joe Whalen...by estate  
 9:00AM For Priests, Deacons, and Sisters in our parish

**FRIDAY, July 19,**  
 9:00AM Terry Sypek...by Robert St. Onge  
 9:00AM Janet Piotrowski...by the Seiferman family

**SATURDAY, July 20,**  
**Saint Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr**  
 4:30PM Stephen & Henrietta Kuszaj...by family  
 4:30PM Helen B. Wood...by Small Christian Community  
 4:30PM Walter Crabtree, Jr...by Joan & Vance

**SUNDAY, July 21,**  
**The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 7:00AM Gerry Grenon...by family  
 7:00AM Roger Caron...by Pauline  
 9:00AM Theresa Sypek...by Robert St. Onge  
 9:00AM Arthur, Marie & Imelda Brodeur...by estate  
 11:00AM Betty Rondeau...by family  
 11:00AM Patricia R. Shatley...by Peter & Laura Feketie  
 11:00AM James Montgomery...by Joyce Dougherty

**LASALETTE MASSES**

In memory of Frederick & Adelyn Bodenschatz  
 In memory of David & Sophie Horvat, by son, Joseph

**2024 Masses Available**

There are 7AM, 9AM and 11AM Weekend and 9AM Weekday Mass openings available for the 2024 yr. Please call the office at 860-774-3900 or place intentions in the basket at 10.00ea.

**Mass days available:**

**7AM** - 9/22; 9/29; 11/3  
**9:00AM** – 7/08; 7/09; 7/10; 7/11; 7/12; 7/15; 7/16; 7/17; 7/18; 7/21; 7/22; 7/23; 7/24; 7/26; 7/28; 7/30; 7/31; 8/01; 8/02; 8/09; 8/12; 8/13; 8/14; 8/15; 8/16; 8/19; 8/20; 8/21; 8/23; 8/25; 8/26; 8/27; 8/28; 8/29; 8/30; 9/01  
**11:00AM** – 8/4; 8/18; 9/29; 11/3; 12/01

**Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference 2024**

Join us on Saturday, September 21st, at Northwest Catholic High School for a day that deepens and enriches your faith journey, where each year attendees' spiritual growth is magnified. The theme, "The Four Last Things: Death, Judgment, Heaven, Hell," will be explored by dynamic speakers. The event includes a special procession of over 24 Saint reliquaries, Eucharistic Adoration, Exhibitors, Confession, and closes with Mass celebrated by Archbishop Christopher J. Coyne. Doors open at 7:30am, event begins at 8:30am, concluding with the Vigil Mass. Tickets are \$45 for adults and \$30 for Teen Ticket (13 to 19 yrs old). Visit [www.ctcatholicmen.org](http://www.ctcatholicmen.org) for tickets and details.

**Fundraisers:**

**The Bingo (\$30,000), Sealed Tickets (\$30,000) and Thousand Club (\$20,000) made a total of \$80,000 for St. James School this year.**

**Thanks to Kathy Hall and all the volunteers who wholeheartedly work for our School. May God bless you all!**

Bingo on every Wednesday night in the Church Hall. Bingo workers are also needed. Please call Bob Codding @ 860-481-9167.

**Please note...** We are in the process of updating our envelope system. If you haven't picked up your 2024 weekly offertory envelopes they are still available at the rectory.

If they are not picked up the system will be updated as inactive and you will not receive weekly offertory envelopes for 2025.

**"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 St. James School **please make your check payable to St. James Church and in the memo; please specify – Fr. John O'Neill Memorial Fund.** As of June 9, 2024, the donations have amounted to \$57,825.00.

**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.

**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.

**S.O.S. Save our School...**

St. James School wishes to thank all of our donors for their generous contributions 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.

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**PARISH UPDATE FORM**

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MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**School Principal Vacancy:**

*Do you or does someone you know have a passion for educational leadership?*

**St. James School in Danielson, CT is seeking candidates to apply!**

Applicants must possess their 092 administrative certificate or equivalent certification. Please submit a cover letter, resume and 3 letters of recommendation to Dr. Gail Kingston, Superintendent of Schools:

[superintendentso@norwichdiocesee.net](mailto:superintendentso@norwichdiocesee.net)

**SJS Teaching Vacancies**

St. James School is seeking to fill the following

Vacancies:

**\*\*Preschool Teacher\*\***

**\*\*Preschool Aide\*\***

**\*\*Grade 2 Teacher\*\***

**\*\*Middle School Language Arts\*\***

**\*\*Computer Teacher (part-time)\*\***

**\*\*Music Teacher (part-time)\*\***

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and 2 letters of recommendation to:

Elyse McAteer, Principal

[e.mcateer@stjamesdanielson.org](mailto:e.mcateer@stjamesdanielson.org)

**SIGN-UP TODAY FOR THE 2024 CLUB**

**SIGN-UP TODAY FOR THE 2024 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. Tickets are now \$15.00 for the remaining 3 drawings.

**MONTHLY AWARDS:** \$2,000 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 21st 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.

**MAY 2024 DRAWING**

\$1000.00	Brigette & David Alvarez	159
300.00	Lisa Marois	998
200.00	Richard Hall	435
100.00	Melissa Slater	756
50.00	Janice Thurlow	176
50.00	Lyndsay & John Baldwin	823

\$25	Susan Blasi	13
\$25	Tammy Miner	114
\$25	Lisa Fornataro	595
\$25	Olive Arters	77

**Door Prize:** Linda Billings  
**Door Prize:** Nancy Arena

**\$20.00 Winners are:**

Jeff Fortin	504
David Weaver	140
Norman & Jeanne Methot	627
Nick Mazzarella	541
Jennifer & Nicholas Lehto	120

**\$20.00 Winners:**

Dawn Dawson	996
Carrie Benoit	7
Jerrilynn & Daron Bachand	117
David LaBelle	796
Rula & Veeral Patel	188

**JUNE 2024 DRAWING**

\$1000.00	Eileen McLaughlin	523
300.00	Mary Lena	127
200.00	JoAnn Fortin	634
100.00	Harriete Montie	195
50.00	Kerri Hall	131
50.00	Kathy & Gerry Chester	650

\$25	Jim & Deb St. Jean	84
\$25	Jessica & Sean Terry	535
\$25	Cathy Condos	137
\$25	Carol LaBelle	109

**Door Prize:** Janet Shay  
**Door Prize:** Donna Nason

**\$20 Winners are:**

Amber Morrell	99
Robin Young	718
Marcia & Brian Bardin	320
Matthew Curry	431
Kevin Gaudreau	37

**\$20.00 Winners:**

Jenn Litke	83
Helene LaBelle	940
Joseph Ashmore	23
Sarah Dane Normandie	714
Danielle Ratelle	155

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**The LaSalette Fathers and Brothers are looking for a few good men to join their Community.**  
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 Please consider spending  
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