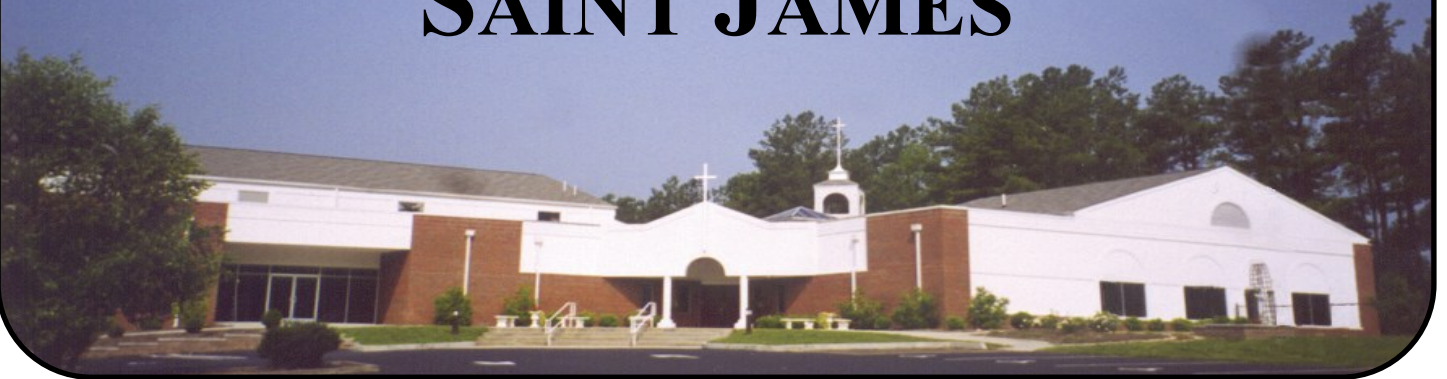


# CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF SAINT JAMES



*Growing the Church by the use of stewardship,  
evangelization and example*

## St. James Parish

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**Rev. William H. Rodriguez, Pastor**  
**Rev. Deacon Felix Saez, Jr.**  
**Parish Office Phone: (252) 438-3124**  
**Lucila Gutierrez, Secretary**  
**Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

## Mass Schedule

<b>Saturday</b>	5:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	10:00 a.m.
<b>Sunday (Spanish)</b>	12:30 p.m.

**For Weekday Mass Schedule see inside the  
bulletin.**

**Reconciliation**  
Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

## Baptism/ Bautismo

Please call the office to make arrangement  
Porfavor llame a la oficina para hacer arreglos

## Marriage/ Matrimonio

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance  
Contacte al Pastor con al menos 6 meses de anticipacion

## *Parish Mission Statement*

*At Saint James Catholic Church, we exist to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As we strive to proclaim the gospel, we remain aware and committed to evangelization: living, manifesting and embodying the message of Jesus Christ and of His Church on a diocesan, parish, and personal level. Evangelization relates to everything we do as we respond to a growing and diverse Catholic community.*

*We must reach out to the many alienated and un-churched among us, as well as work for Christian unity through ecumenical/interfaith partnerships. We must work to develop appropriate means to pass on the gift of faith to succeeding generations. Evangelization permeates all of our goals.*

## HENDERSON / OXFORD, NC

### ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### Daily Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday</b> 5:00 pm	<b>December 28</b> Jim Gaul & Catherine Gaul (Barbara Davenport)
<b>Sunday</b> 10:00 am	<b>December 29</b> Kathy Tiernan (Mary Spencer)
12:30 pm	+Zoila Govea Alejo (Manuel Martinez y Hijas) Emanuel R. Gutierrez Ceciliano (Cumpleaños) (Wendy & Jose Hernandez)
<b>Tuesday</b> 9:00 am	<b>December 31</b> People of the Parish
<b>Wednesday</b> 6:00 pm	<b>January 01 Solemnity of Mary</b> Bilingual Mass
<b>Thursday</b> 9:00 am	<b>January 02</b> People of the Parish
<b>Friday</b> 9:00 am	<b>January 03</b> People of the Parish

#### Pray for those who are sick...

Craig Bailey	John Lazar
LaVerne Bernard	Betty Lewis
John Bierman	Celeste Liggett
Carter Bierman	Jo Ann Lipari
Marissa Brewer	Mary Marshall
Mercedes Brush	Susan Marie
John Camara	Susan Marlette
Jose Crespi Bravo	Mary Meyer
Jose Claudio	Brunilda Moreno
Elidia Cruz Armas	Atzhiry Mosley
Logan Darensburg	George Mydosh
Kim Dean Wade	Jamie Pekow
Ricky Mosley	Peggy Piccioli
Mayra Estrada	Jim Populorum
Delaney Erwin	Chase R. Richardson
Jeffery Ferrell	Martha Richardson
Sam Ferguson	Mary Roberson
Ann & Joe Fonseca	Illuminada Sta. Maria
Quiana Fisher	Adelaide Schaezner
Charles Frazier	Sandra Shorkey
Jim Gaul	Nancy Snediker
Nancy Gett	Margie Sullivan
Elizabeth Gwenn	Tim Sullivan
Bernie Haefner	Johnny Sutkowski
Marilyn Hardy	Kathy Tiernan
Ellie Henderson	Robert Toth
Alma Patricia Hernandez	Anna Mae Toth
Robert Kelly	Barbara & Jim Vaeth
Norma Klepacki	Katherine Vaughan
Linda Harsh	Mildred Wilson
Frances Larch	

...and all members of our community who are in need of our prayers.

#### Pray for those in the military...

Phillip Brewer ~ Navy  
Alejandro Fabian Currin ~ Marines  
Katie Currin ~ Marines  
Elias Estrada ~ Marines  
Joseph Johnson ~ Marines  
Chrizel June Maghanoy ~ Army  
Danilo Morales ~ Army  
Ashley Mosley ~ Air Force  
Charles Nalevaiko ~ Navy  
Walter Newman ~ Air Force  
Carl Rocher ~ Army  
Victor Rosario ~ Army  
Javier Nuñez ~ Air Force  
Aaron Renuart ~ Marines  
Kyle F. Stearne ~ Air Force  
William Jordan Taylor IV ~ Army  
Benjamin Varela ~ Army National Guard



#### Parish Office

The parish office will be closed Tuesday, December 31 and January 1st for New Years.

#### Oficina Parroquial

*La oficina parroquial estará cerrada el martes 31 de diciembre y lunes 1 de enero.*

#### Solemnity of Mary ~ January 1<sup>st</sup>

The feast Mass of the solemnity of Mary will be on Wednesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> at 6pm bilingual and the Mass at St. Joseph the Worker in Warrenton will be at 4pm.

#### Solemnidad de María ~ 1 de Enero

*La Misa de la fiesta de la solemnidad de María sera el miércoles 1 de enero a las 6pm bilingüe. La misa en la iglesia misionera de San José Obrero en Warrenton será a las 4 p.m.*

#### Faith Formation

##### Students return to class next Sunday, January 5.

Faith Formation Director Tita Saez can be reached at Faith.Formation@SJHNC.org or 919-702-2690.

#### Catecismo

##### Los estudiantes regresan a clases el proximo domingo 5 de enero.

*Se puede comunicar con la Directora de Formación en la Fe, Tita Saez al correo - Faith.Formation@SJHNC.org o al 919-702-2690.*

#### Altar Society Meet

The first meet of altar society ladies for the new year will be Tuesday, January 7 at 9:30am. There will be no Mass on this day. All new ladies of the parish are welcome!

#### Sociedad del Altar

*La proxima reunión de las damas de la Sociedad del altar será el martes 7 de enero a las 9:30 am. Ese día no habrá Misa. Todas las nuevas damas de la parroquia son bienvenidas!*



**Parish Calendar**

**DECEMBER**

28	Reconciliation Service English Mass	4pm - 4:30pm 5pm
29	English Mass Spanish Mass	10am 12:30pm
31	English Mass Divine Mercy Chaplet Parish Office Closed	9am 9:30am

**JANUARY**

1	Solem. Of Mary Mass (Bilingual) Parish Office Closed	6pm
2	English Mass Adoration Eng. Choir Practice	9am 9:30-10:30am 5pm
3	English Mass	9am
4	Baptisms Funeral Mass (+Ofelia Antonio Lopez) Reconciliation Service English Mass	10am 12pm 4pm - 4:30pm 5pm
5	English Mass Spanish Mass	10am 12:30pm
6	Spa. Choir Practice	6:30pm

**\*\*Every second Sunday of each month through May 2025 the parish hall will be used at 11am for Ms. Perla & Ms. Guadalupe's faith formation class.**

**Catholic Charities -  
Hurricane Helene Donation Drive  
St. James Drop Off Site**

A trailer will be parked outside of the church each Thursday from 5pm to 7pm, place your donated items inside of the trailer. Items needed are cases of water, cleaning supplies, hygiene kits, diapers, adult briefs, wipes, and baby formula. Thank you!

**Caridades Católicas - Campaña de Donaciones  
Sitio de entrega en St. James**

*Una traila estara estacionada afuera de la iglesia todos los jueves de 5 p.m. a 7 p.m., coloque sus donaciones para ayudar a las personas que han perdido todo por el huracán Helene adentro. Necesitan paquetes de agua, paquetes de hygiene, pañales, trusas para adulto, tuallitas humadas, y formula para bebe. Muchas gracias.*

**Catholic Mass Times App**

If you're traveling during the holiday season and don't want to miss Mass with this app you are able to locate Catholic churches nearby for Mass times where ever you are located in the US. You can learn more about the app or download it to your smartphone from <https://catholicmasstimes.app> (App Icon Below)

**Aplicación de Horarios de Misas Católicas**

*Si viaja durante la temporada navideña y no quiere perderse la misa, con esta aplicación puede ubicar iglesias católicas cercanas para los horarios de misa en cualquier lugar de los EE. UU. Puede obtener más información sobre esta aplicación y descargarla en su teléfono desde <https://catholicmasstimes.app> (Icono de la aplicación a lado)*



**Happy Anniversary!**

John & Jane Foran 01/09/1960

**Happy Birthday!**

01/13 John Foran

01/17 Daniel Hernandez

01/17 Deacon Felix Saez Jr.



**12/22**

Offertory will be posted in the upcoming week, due to early bulletin submission.

## Next Week's Readings — Word & Eucharist Missal Year C Page 152

### The Epiphany of the Lord

1st Reading ~ Isaiah 60:1-6

Responsorial ~ 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13

2nd Reading ~ Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Gospel ~ Mt 2:2

### Lecturas de la Próxima Semana - Misal Palabra y Eucaristia Año C Pagina 153

#### La Epifanía Del Señor

1era Lectra ~ Is 60, 1-6

Salmo ~ 71, 1-2. 7-8. 10-11. 12-13

2nda Lectura ~Ef 3, 2-3a. 5-6

Evangelio ~ Mt 2, 1-12



### Spiritual Resources for Homilies

Saint Vincent Archabbey Latrobe, PA is a

Benedictine monastery in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. It was the first monastery in the United States.

[www.saintvincentarchabbey.org](http://www.saintvincentarchabbey.org)

Auxiliary Bishop Robert Barron of Los Angeles

[www.wordonfire.org](http://www.wordonfire.org)

Creighton University (also has daily reflections)

**Creighton U Daily Reflections—Online Ministries**

St. Louis University Center for Liturgy-go to link for Sunday Website

### Wedding Anniversaries & Birthdays

If you would like your Wedding Anniversary or a family members Birthday noted in the bulletin, call the office or email to [stjamescath@embarqmail.com](mailto:stjamescath@embarqmail.com). The anniversaries will be announced at the beginning of each month.

### Digital Copy of the Weekly Bulletin

Great news! Now you don't have to log in your email to get the parish Sunday bulletin.

If you want a digital copy of the weekly bulletin, you can scan the QR code posted in the Narthex using your smartphone!

### Copia Digital del Boletín

*¡Buenas noticias! Ahora no es necesario que entre a su correo electrónico para recibir el boletín dominical de la parroquia.*

*Si desea una copia digital del boletín semanal, puede escanear el código QR publicado en la entrada de la iglesia usando su teléfono inteligente!*