



## ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE CHURCH

14 Gleneida Avenue  
Carmel, NY 10512

### Mass Schedule

**Saturday Evening:** 5:00pm

**Sunday:** 8:00am, 10:00am and  
Noon

**Monday - Friday:** 7:30am &  
9:00am In the Chapel of Life

**Saturday:** 8:00am—Chapel

**Recitation of The Rosary:**

Weekdays 8:30am, Chapel

**First Friday Adoration:**

Chapel, 4:00pm - 5:30pm

**Miraculous Medal Novena:**

Monday after the 9:00am Mass,  
Chapel

### Confession in St. James

**Saturday:** 4:00pm - 5:00pm

(Or By Calling The Parish Office For  
An Appointment)



## OUR LADY OF THE LAKE MT. CARMEL CHURCH

1 Doherty Drive, Lk. Carmel, NY 10512  
(Fair Street to Noonan Drive)

### Mass Schedule

**Saturday:** 4:00pm

**Sunday:** 9:00am, 11:00am

### Confession in OLL/Mt. Carmel

**Saturday:** 3:00-3:45pm

## Mission Statement

*St. James the Apostle & Our Lady of the Lake/Mount Carmel is a Roman Catholic Parish with the Eucharist as the center of its life. Our mission, as disciples of Jesus Christ, is to build up the Kingdom of God by leading, nourishing and serving the community in Word and Sacrament.*

**November 3, 2024**

**31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### Pastoral Staff

Rev. Robert Quarato, Pastor, Ext. 106

Rev. Robert Carolan, Vicar, Ext. 115

Rev. John Tran, Vicar, Ext. 111

Deacon Scott Bierbaum

Deacon John Scott

Deacon Arthur Weiner

Deacon Anthony Gruerio, Retired

Trustees: Stephanie & Jonathan Nix

### St. James Parish Office

845-225-2079

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Parish Website: Marisa Lamb

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

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### Parish Staff

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[patricia.denota@stjamesapostle.org](mailto:patricia.denota@stjamesapostle.org)

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### Parish Office Hours:

**Monday - Friday:** 9:00am to 5:00pm

Closed for Lunch 12:45pm to 1:30pm

**Saturday:** 3:00pm to 6:00pm

**Sunday:** 8:00am to 2:00pm

### Chapel Hours:

**Monday - Friday:** 6:30am to 9:00pm

**Saturday:** 7:00am to 6:00pm

**Sunday:** 7:00am to 3:00pm

### Sick Calls And Emergencies

*For those in danger of death or a true serious emergency, please call our Emergency Number, 845-494-6313*

### St. Sebastian's Columbarium

at Our Lady of the Lake Church.

For information or to book an appointment, please call Fr. Quarato, 845-225-2079, Ext. 106.

### Religious Education

845-225-6504

Kathleen Iffe, Director

Michele Verga, Assistant

### Religious Ed. Website

[www.religioused.stjamesapostle.org](http://www.religioused.stjamesapostle.org)

### Religious Ed. Hours

**Monday–Thurs. 12:00 to 3:00pm**

**Closed on Fridays**

Saturdays by appointment only

### St. James School

845-225-9365

Maura Crawford, Principal

Joanne Mascia, Assistant

### School Website

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

### Gift Shop Hours:

**Sundays, 8:30am to 1:30pm**

For info call the Parish Office.

## WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

## AND OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MT. CARMEL

Thank you for joining in our Eucharistic celebration. If you are a visitor, we welcome you and are glad that you are with us today. We hope that you will find nourishment for your faith and life here. If you have recently moved into our Parish, please come to the Parish Office at St. James to register and introduce yourself to the priests and staff.

## Indulgences for the Souls in Purgatory

A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who, under the usual conditions (Prayer for the Pope, Confession and Communion within the week):

- 1) on any day from 1st-8th November visit devoutly a cemetery or pray mentally for the dead;
- 2) on All Souls' Day visit a church with devotion and there recite the Our Father and the Creed.

A partial indulgence, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who:

- 1) visit devoutly a cemetery or pray mentally for the dead (unless the conditions above apply);
- 2) recite devoutly the Morning or Evening Office of the Dead, or the invocation, 'Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord: and may light perpetual shine upon them. Amen.'

## Purgatory Misconceptions

*All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven.* (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1030)

1. *It's not just a giant waiting room, or a place or time at all.* As St. John Paul II said, "The term does not indicate a place, but a condition of existence. Those who, after death, exist in a state of purification, are already in the love of Christ who removes from them the remnants of imperfection" (08/04/99). This makes it clear that after death, we will not all be sitting in a reception area, waiting for our name to be called so we can enter the Kingdom. We are outside the realm of time when we leave behind our earthly bodies, and as such, we have no measurement of what this purification requires.

2. *It's not re-judgment, nor a trial for our souls.* Our eternal resting place has already been determined; this is preparation for that place. Purgatory is the part of judgment where all of our imperfections, wrongdoings, ungodliness, and stains are purged before entrance into the Kingdom of God. Nothing impure or less than perfect may meet the Lord, and therefore we must be made pure in order to enter His Light. However, being made pure is not contingent on a second judgment; once we have "made it" to purgatory, so to speak, we already know we have been saved! We are simply being made perfect, as our Heavenly Father is perfect, so that we can enter into eternal praise and worship of Him.

3. *It's not a do-over or a second chance.* Our particular judgment happens at the moment of our death. We are immediately judged and it is established whether we choose to spend eternity with the Lord and the Communion of Saints, or whether we choose an eternity separated from all that is good and holy. Purgatory is not an opportunity for us to be confronted by our mistakes and try again. At this point, it has already been determined that we are saved! We actively choose this chance for a little extra help to be absolutely perfect before we make it to our final state of being one with God.

4. *It's not an opportunity for repentance, nor is it punishment.* Purgatory is not a confessional; there is no priest waiting to absolve us of our sins upon becoming part of this reality. Similarly, this is not a state of torture for all of our transgressions. Once we are dead, we cannot repent, do penance, or actively choose to sin no more (because we are dead... It's impossible to sin more.) The purification that we undergo is holy fire, but this does not equate to punishment. It is a purging and interior fire whose only pain lies in the fact that in that moment, we are not yet with God.

5. *It's not up to you at all!* Our purification and cleansing in purgatory depend on the prayers, penance, and indulgences of the living. After our deaths, we must rely on the goodness of those who survive to pray for us so that we might enter into the Kingdom. In purgatory, souls may intercede for the living, but not for themselves.

We only get one soul. The soul we are born with is the soul we will carry with us into eternal life. Because of this, everything we do in this life shapes what our souls will look like once we pass away. We are not just bodies! We are body and soul. The person we become during our earthly life does not disappear when we die! We have the opportunity now to become the whole person we would want to meet our Creator. So let's do our very best to live in such a way that we acquire a taste for heaven and let us pray for the purification of the souls in purgatory.

## ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS



### ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024**

8:00AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
NOON FOR THOSE WHO DIED OVER THE LAST YEAR  
5:00PM MARIO DEMARCO

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2024**

8:00AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
10:00AM THOMAS JENNINGS  
12:00PM THERESA M. BALASCIO

#### **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2024**

7:30AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
9:00AM MARY PESOLA

#### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

7:30AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
9:00AM CAITLYN ROSE SAVIO

#### **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2024**

7:30AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
9:00AM LUCIA ANNUNZIATA

#### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2024**

7:30AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
9:00AM LISA MARIA TORECHIANO

#### **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2024,**

7:30AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
9:00AM ROSEMARY HARRY

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2024**

8:00AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
5:00PM AURELIO IMBROGNO

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2024**

8:00AM ALL SOUL'S NOVENA  
10:00AM TERESA BALASCIO  
12:00PM DONATO TERRIGNO

### OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MT. CARMEL

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024**

4:00PM JOHN HORAN

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2024**

9:00AM KEVIN & AGNES MURRAY & UNA MURRY BYRNE  
11:00AM CAITLYN ROSE SAVIO

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9 2024**

4:00PM ANDREW SURDOVEL

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2024**

9:00AM CAITLIN REYNOLDS  
11:00AM ELLEN DEDRICK

**Low Gluten Hosts** are available for those in need.  
Please come to the Sacristy **BEFORE Mass** to make the  
Priest aware of your request.

## TO EVERYTHING THERE IS A SEASON AND A TIME FOR EVERY PURPOSE ON EARTH AND IN HEAVEN

### A TIME TO BE BORN: THOSE BAPTIZED:

### A TIME TO HEAL: THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

ROSE BIERBAUM, CHARLANE GRUETTO, MARGARET SARTORIS, MIKE ANDROSICO, JESUS TORRES, JIM OAKES, IRENE PLADL, JAMES EUGENE PLOCHACKI, ELINOR CARIDDO, MARIA RAYPETERA, LOUIS PROSOS, MICHAEL FRAAD, MARY FRANCIS MCCARTHY, ANGELO NARCISE, TRISH CALLAHAN, CAROLANN FLAHERTY, APRIL GRIFFIN, PAT AND LUCY GOLIA, JEAN MARIE HOLMES, ALAN O'BRADY, ELSA GORASALO, ANNA GALDARELLA, HILTON PEREZ, DAN KEARON, GEORGE CIANICIO, JULIA MALDONADO, LOUISE BONISACE, ALLEN O'GRADY, KELLY ANDERSON, MICHAEL AND JUDY COSEDA, KEITH DRONZEK, JOHN GIAMMARENO, ADRIENNE BAKER, ROSALIA GASPERINI, THALES MAGNOLI, DEANA SNYDER, DANNY BENDAHAAN, EVELYN BITZ, DOROTHY HALL, CATHERINE KORTLANG, 3 YR. OLD LOGAN DOYLE, LATRICE HAMMOND, MICHAEL MCCARTHY, FRANK MONACO, JENNIFER DORRIS, RAYMOND MASCIA, PATRICIA CAHILL, TONY ALBANO, SAL RENZO, SHARON HOLZEPPL, CAROLINE GERMANO, MICHAEL RANDAZZO, ADELINE MURRISH, KRYSTY ROSE McDONNELL, MERRILL STAFFORD, CATHY KOZELKA, JANE PRATT. SANTANA STRON

### TIME TO DIE: THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

MOTHER LUCILLE CUTRONE, CFR

### TIME TO LOVE: UNITED IN MATRIMONY:

### A TIME FOR WAR AND A TIME FOR PEACE:

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL ESPECIALLY THOSE IN HARM'S WAY. WE PRAY FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND UKRAINE.

### ALL SOULS NOVENA

Beginning on Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>,  
**nine (novena) All Souls Novena Masses**  
**will be offered** for the repose of the souls of  
our dearly departed relatives and friends.

**To include your loved ones in this novena,**  
**please fill out an envelope available in the**  
**church lobbies.** The envelopes will be left on  
the altars during the novena, and then placed  
by the Heart of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sac-  
rament in the Tabernacle during the remainder  
of November, the Month of the Holy Souls.

### THE CHOSEN CONTINUES AT ST. JAMES JOIN US FOR A LIFE-CHANGING EXPERIENCE!

With Video from "The Chosen" Series and the corre-  
sponding Biblical texts, together we study the life of  
Jesus through the eyes of those who follow Him.

**THURSDAY EVENINGS + 7-9 PM**

**DOHERTY HALL**

**Next Session is November 7<sup>TH</sup>**

**+ All are welcome!**



## Items Needed for our Thanksgiving Food Pantry 2024



Jellied Cranberry Sauce, Turkey or Chicken Gravy, Chicken or Beef Broth, Canned Soups, Jelly or Jam (Grape or Strawberry), Peanut Butter, Apple Sauce and Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables, Stuffing (Box or Bag), Mashed Potato Mix, Macaroni and Cheese, Rice, Beans, Tuna, Canned Salmon, Cereal, Instant Oatmeal, Hot Chocolate Mix, Coffee, Tea (Caffeinated and Decaf), Pasta, Mayonnaise, Mustard, Ketchup, Salad Dressing, Bottled Juice, Cookies, Crackers and Snacks. Also anything Gluten Free.


Tissues, Napkins, Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Laundry Detergent, Dish Detergent, Toothpaste, Shampoo, Conditioner, Body Wash and Bar Soap.

***Please bring all groceries to the Parish Office no later than November 11th.***

*This will give us sufficient time to prepare the groceries, which will be distributed to our needy families in time for Thanksgiving.*

*Thank you for your generosity.*

**HOLY HOUR**  
**AT**  
**ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE CHURCH**  
**WITH**  
**BLESSED**  
**CARLO ACUTIS**  
**RELIC**



"The Eucharist is my highway to heaven"

"The Only thing we have to ask God for, in prayer, is the desire to be holy."

**MONDAY**  
**NOVEMBER 18TH, 2024**  
**7-8PM**

**14 GLENEIDA AVE CARMEL NY 10512**  
**845-225-2079**

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**St. James' Annual**  
**Christmas Bazaar**  
**Hosted by the St. James Altar Rosary Society**

**Saturday, December 7th 9a.m.-3p.m**

Looking for vendors. Each 6' table rental is \$45.00. If interested, please call the Parish Office at 845-225-2079, ext. 102 and we will send you an application, or email Marisa at altarrosarystjames@gmail.com. The Deadline to return applications, with payment is November 6, 2024.

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## NEW CHAPEL HOURS

As part of the National Eucharistic Revival, encouraging prayer before the Most Blessed Sacrament, we will now **extend** the hours our chapel is open on weekdays until 9:00pm.

This will enable working people, our Religious Education Program Classes, and our CYO community to make visits to the Lord.

The new hours are:

**MONDAY - FRIDAY** 6:30am - 9:00pm  
**SATURDAY** 7:00am - 6:00pm  
**SUNDAY** 7:00am - 3:00pm

**The Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting  
Cash Bingo on Sunday, November 10th.**

Doors will open at 1:00pm and the first game will begin at 2:00pm. You can reserve your ticket \$35.00 by using the Eventbrite Link, or \$40 on the day of the Bingo. Proceeds will go to the Local Veteran's group. Thank you for your continued support.

EVENTBRITE - <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cash-bingo-tickets-1052266265727?>

## ST. JAMES GIFT SHOP

### OPEN HOUSE

(LOCATED IN THE CARRIAGE HOUSE)

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>**

**FROM 8:30AM TO 1:30PM**

**ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS ITEMS  
FEATURING NATIVITY ORNAMENTS  
REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED.**

**Save the Date:**

**Putnam Chorale**

**Coming to St. James Church.**

**December 13th**

**Details forthcoming**

**Emmanuel House International  
"Angel Tree" 2024 Gift Card Giving**

***Details coming soon!***

## **Join Us in Supporting Moms and Families in Crisis!**

For over 11 years, **Emmanuel House International (EHI)** has provided compassionate care and support to Moms and Moms-to-Be, along with their Babies and Families, during times of unplanned pregnancy that turn into crises (usually because of substance abuse, domestic violence, human trafficking, unemployment, chronic illness, and/or relationship issues). As we expand to become **EHI 2.0 – A Life Center**, we are broadening our reach to assist Women and Teens facing these difficult Life Issues whether they are pregnant or not. **Volunteer Your Skills or Support Us Financially.**

We're seeking pro bono help from professionals with specialized skills in:

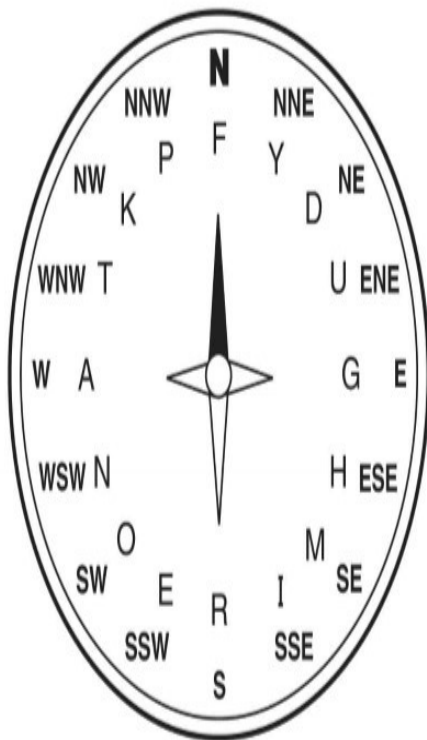
- Accounting and Financial Management
- Technical Support and Video Production
- Social Media and Marketing
- Virtual Client Support

Be a Part of EHI 2.0 – A Life Center If you're interested in volunteering or donating, please Contact **[Rita@EmmanuelHouseInternational.org](mailto:Rita@EmmanuelHouseInternational.org)** or txt at **914-393-7208** or visit our website at **[EmmanuelHouseInternational.org](https://bit.ly/EHI-LifeCenter)**. You can also give online at **<https://bit.ly/EHI-LifeCenter>** or send checks to PO Box 478, Carmel NY 10512. Thank you so much in advance for whatever you can do! Together, we can expand our reach and continue to make a real difference for Moms and Moms-to-Be, their Babies and Families in Crisis.



The man agreed with Jesus' answer. When Jesus saw that the man had answered wisely, how did Jesus reply?

Use this compass code to fill in the blanks.



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# Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

November 3, 2024 • Mark 12:28-34

## Two Great Commandments

A teacher of the law listened to Jesus.  
 What did he ask?

Find and circle the underlined letters in the picture below.

“Of all the COMMANDMENTS,  
 which is the most important?”

