



## 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, Carmel, NY 10512

### Mass Schedule

**Saturday:** 4:00pm

**Sunday:** 9:00am, 11:00am and  
12:30pm - Mass in Polish

### 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.*

**March 24, 2024**

## **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

### Pastoral Staff

Rev. Fr. Robert Quarato, Pastor, Ext. 106

Rev. Fr. Szymon Kurpios, Vicar, Ex. 115

Rev. Fr. John Tran, Vicar, Ext. 111

Deacon Scott Bierbaum

Deacon John Scott

Deacon Arthur Weiner

Deacon Anthony Gruerio, Retired

Trustees: Stephanie & Jonathan Nix

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### Parish Staff

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Kathleen Ife, Director

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### Sick Calls And Emergencies

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

### Parish Office Hours:

**Monday - Friday:** 8:00am to 5:00pm

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

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

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

### Religious Ed. Office Hours:

**Monday–Thurs.** 12:00am to 3:00pm

Friday- Office Closed

Saturday by appointment

### Parish Website:

www.stjamesapostle.org

### School Website:

www.stjamescarmel.org

### Religious Ed. Website:

www.religioused.stjamesapostle.org

### St. Sebastian's Columbarium

At Our Lady of the Lake Church.

For information, call Fr. Quarato,  
845-225-2079, Ext. 106.

### 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.

## THE EASTER TRIDUUM

The summit of the Liturgical Year is the Easter Triduum—from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day, unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery. The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil. Therefore, the Easter Triduum of the passion, death and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year. So, the Solemnity of Easter has the same kind of preeminence in the liturgical year that Sunday has in the week. From the early days of the ancient Church the Easter Vigil has been the time for adult converts to be baptized and enter the Church. Catechumens (those who have never been baptized) and candidates (those who have been baptized in a non-Catholic Christian denomination) are initiated into the Church by (respectively) baptism and confirmation. Other candidates (baptized Catholics who have not completed their initiation) are given the Easter Sacraments as well.

### A Traditional Holy Thursday Devotion

One of the traditions during Holy Week is a practice in which the faithful visit seven churches (a Roman custom) on Maundy (Holy) Thursday to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament in the repository. While the rest of the world goes to sleep, Catholic pilgrims will be traveling around late into the night, keeping Jesus company on the eve of his Crucifixion. Considering visiting our neighboring parishes.

### Divine Mercy Novena at St. James Church

Jesus asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy (the Sunday after Easter) be preceded by a Novena beginning on Good Friday. He gave St. Faustina an intention to pray for on each day of the Novena, saving for the last day the most difficult intention of all, the lukewarm and indifferent of whom He said: "These souls cause Me more suffering than any others; it was from such souls that My soul felt the most revulsion in the Garden of Olives. It was on their account that I said: 'My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass Me by.' The last hope of salvation for them is to flee to My Mercy." A group will gather before the Divine Mercy in Our Lady of the Lake on Good Friday after the Tenebrae Service and then during the week in the Chapel of Life after the 9AM Mass. For texts go to [www.ewtn.com/devotionals/mercy/novena.htm](http://www.ewtn.com/devotionals/mercy/novena.htm)

## RECONCILIATION MONDAY + MARCH 25<sup>th</sup> CONFESSIONS AT SAINT JAMES

**FROM 2PM – 9 PM**

**(Eucharistic Adoration from 2PM to 9PM)**

Confession will be offered in all Parishes throughout the entire Archdiocese of New York, Diocese of Brooklyn, and the Diocese of Rockville Centre in preparation for Easter.

*It's a great thing to hear about God's merciful love. It's even better to experience it – personally. No matter how long it may have been since your last confession – weeks, years or even decades – there is no time like the start of Holy Week to know the mercy of God in the Sacrament of Penance. Seize this moment of grace. Bring a friend.*

### 6 STEPS FOR A GOOD CONFESSION

- 1) Examine your conscience to ascertain which sins have you committed since your last good confession.
- 2) Be sincerely sorry for your sins.
- 3) Confess your sins to the priest. Say: "Bless me Father for I have sinned, it has been \_\_\_\_\_ since my last confession. I am a single/married man/woman (with children). These are my sins..."
- 4) Make certain that you confess all your mortal sins and the number of times you committed each one.
- 5) After your confession, do the penance the priest gives to you.
- 6) Pray daily for the strength to avoid the occasion of sin, especially for those sins you were just absolved from. Say the Act of Contrition before going to bed every night!

### ACT OF CONTRITION

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins because I dread the loss of Heaven and the pains of Hell, but most of all because they offend You, my God, Who are all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of your grace, to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen.

### BIBLE STUDY AT ST. JAMES

**All Resume after Easter**

+ **Mondays**, 7-9pm, ZOOM

***Walking with Jesus to Jerusalem***

Contact: [ktunney1@comcast.net](mailto:ktunney1@comcast.net)

+ **Thursdays**, 7-9pm, Doherty Hall

***The Chosen*** (the mini-series TV show)

Contact: [father.quarato@stjamesapostle.org](mailto:father.quarato@stjamesapostle.org)

+ **Wednesdays**, 10-11:30am, Doherty Hall,

***Intro to the Bible (Begins 4/10/24)***

Contact: [saintjamesbiblestudy724@gmail.com](mailto:saintjamesbiblestudy724@gmail.com)

## This Week At Our Parish

### ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

#### ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

##### **SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024**

8:00AM EUGENE MANCUSO  
5:00PM JOHN BRENNAN

##### **SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024, PALM SUNDAY**

8:00AM JOE KERN  
10:00AM GIORDANO GOBBO  
12:00PM CHRISTINA GRIZZOFFI

##### **MONDAY, MARCH 25, 2024, RECONCILIATION MONDAY**

7:30AM MARTY PUCHALSKI  
9:00AM MARGARITA CORDERO  
NOON SOFIA SBORDONE

##### **TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024**

7:30AM ANNE MORAN  
9:00AM ALICE TUNNEY  
NOON BARBARA HOWARD

##### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27 2024**

7:30AM JOSEPH KOSTIK  
9:00AM SUSAN DIFIERRO  
NOON MICHAEL GENTILE

##### **THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024**

##### **HOLY THURSDAY**

NOON SPECIAL MASS—PEOPLE OF THE PARISH  
7:30PM MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER  
PEOPLE OF THE PARISH  
REPOSITORY IN THE CHAPEL FOLLOWING MASS

##### **FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024**

##### **GOOD FRIDAY**

NOON STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
3:00PM LITURGY OF THE LORD'S PASSION  
PEOPLE OF THE PARISH  
7:30PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND  
VENERATION OF THE CROSS

##### **SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024**

##### **HOLY SATURDAY**

11:00AM BLESSING OF THE EASTER FOOD

##### **EASTER VIGIL 7:30PM**

MASS AND CONFERRAL OF EASTER SACRAMENTS  
PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

##### **SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024**

##### **EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

8:00AM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE  
10:00AM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE  
12:00PM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE

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

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

KAYLEE SLOANE HICKS

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

ROSE BIERBAUM, ZOFIA KOPACZ, ADAM KOPACZ, STANISLAWA KOPACZ, JADWIGA KLUZ, ALICJA KUCHAR, GRACE KNOEHEL, DEBRA TORRES, DON POMPA, CHARLANE GRUETTO, MARGARET SARTORIS, TERESA SIEGEL, MICHELE STAFFORD, MIKE ANDROSICO, JESUS TORRES, JIM OAKES, JEANNE LOPRIORE, IRENE PLADL, JAMES EUGENE PLOCHACKI, ELINOR CARIDDO, MARIA RAYPETERA, LOUIS PROSOS, MICHAEL FRAAD, MARY FRANCIS MCCARTHY, WILLIAM MCGREEVY, SR., ANGELO NARCISE, TRISH CALLAHAN, CAROLANN FLAHERTY, LINDA KRUMHOLTZ, APRIL GRIFFIN, PAT AND LUCY GOLIA, JEAN MARIE HOLMES, ALAN O'BRADY, ELSA GORASALO, ANNA GALDARELLA, HILTON PEREZ, DAN KEARON, JOHN ZACCHIO, MICHAEL TORRES, GEORGE CIANCIO, JANE PRATT, JULIA MALDONADO, TERESA AND JULIE D'ALESSANDRO, LOUISE BONISACE, ALLEN O'GRADY, ELIZABETH O'LEARY, KELLY ANDERSON, DOLORES PIETROLUNGO, ANDREA SMYTH, MICHAEL AND JUDY COSEDA, KEITH DRONZEK, CHARLIE HOWARD, DON POMPA, JOHN GIAMMARENO, ADRIENNE BAKER, PHEOBE PALMER, LUCILLE RICOTTA, JACK HARTOG

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

FRANK FRANCO, EDWARD ZIEGLER, DARIO BOCCAROSSA, DENNIS GIODNAZZO, HUGH MCELROY

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

##### **SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2024**

4:00PM JANNA KREPS

##### **SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024, PALM SUNDAY**

9:00AM JOSEPH VILLENIO  
11:00AM JEAN FREEMAN  
12:30PM PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH - MASS IN POLISH

##### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 2024**

7:30PM EDWARD DIANA  
MASS AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN POLISH

##### **THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024**

9:00 AM TENEBRAE SERVICE (NO MASS)

##### **FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024**

9:00AM TENEBRAE SERVICE (NO MASS)  
NOVENA PRAYERS TO THE DIVINE MERCY FOLLOW TENEBRAE

##### **SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024**

9:00AM TENEBRAE SERVICE (NO MASS)  
NOVENA PRAYERS TO THE DIVINE MERCY FOLLOW TENEBRAE  
\*NO VIGIL MASS AT OUR LADY OF THE LAKE\*

##### **SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2024, EASTER SUNDAY**

6:30AM SUNRISE MASS IN POLISH  
EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE  
9:00AM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE  
11:00AM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE  
12:30PM EASTER MASS REMEMBRANCE—MASS IN POLISH



### Pontifical Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. This collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, these funds provide humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS!

For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit [www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday](http://www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday).

### Easter Collection

The collection taken up on the "Feast of Feasts" is very important for the upkeep of our parish. Please bear this in mind next week, and we thank you in advance for your sacrificial Easter offering. Envelopes are available at the doors of the churches.

### Easter Mass Remembrance

Please include the names (feel free to add additional names on the back) of loved ones living or deceased. Drop the envelopes in the collection or at the Parish Office. These envelopes will be placed on the Altar of Sacrifice in both churches on Holy Saturday Night and remain there for the Octave of Easter. All the Parish Masses of Easter Sunday will be offered for those enrolled (except for the Great Easter Vigil, which is traditionally Pro Populo, i.e. offered for all our parishioners). Envelopes are available at the doors of the churches. *What a wonderful Easter Gift for deceased or living relatives and friends, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass!*

### Easter Flower Memorial

As in past years, parishioners are invited to make donations for our church greens, plants, and flowers which will honor our Lord, Mary, and the Saints, and decorate our church during the Easter season. Please include the names (feel free to add other names on the back) of deceased loved ones. Drop the envelopes in the collection or at the Rectory Office. Nine (9) Masses will be offered for these intentions (see the bulletin for times). Afterward, these envelopes will be placed by the Tabernacles in our churches (close to the Heart of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament) through Pentecost. Envelopes are available at the doors of the churches.

### WEEKLY MEMORIALS

**MARCH 23 TO MARCH 29, 2024**

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE BURNING IN

ST. JAMES CHURCH

**IS IN MEMORY OF JOSEPH P. ZEMAN**

DONATED BY JANET A. ZEMAN

THE SANCTUARY CANDLE BURNING IN

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MT. CARMEL CHURCH

**IS IN MEMORY OF WANDA E. CRUZ**

DONATED BY SHEL MERR

THE BREAD AND WINE BRING USED AT

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MT. CARMEL CHURCH

**IS IN MEMORY OF WANDA E. CRUZ**

DONATED BY SHEL MERR

### **THE CREATION at Saint James Church**

Our parish will be hosting the Putnam Chorale for an inspiring performance of ***The Creation*** **Sunday, April 28 at 3pm.**

This oratorio depicts the creation of the world as told in the Book of Genesis. Written by Joseph Haydn, this masterwork will feature a 20-piece orchestra, professional soloists, and the 50+ singers of the Putnam Chorale, which is celebrating its 40th year. Tickets can be purchased online at: [putnamchorale.org/next-event/](http://putnamchorale.org/next-event/). Ticket prices are \$25 for adults; \$20 for seniors. Children 12 and under are free. *Save the date for this wonderful event that will uplift and entertain you.*

### **BE IN-FORMED**

We hope you are enjoying the parish subscription to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) which gives parishioners free 24/7 access to Catholic online materials and shows.

This week watch: Lectio: Eucharist, episode 8: The Last Supper and the Cross; Holy Week in Rome; Preparing for Holy Week/The Augustine Institute Show; or The Resurrection of Jesus-Fact or Fiction. Listen to: Holy Week by Dr. Brant Pitre; Jesus of Nazareth: Holy Week by Pope Benedict XVI; 3 Days That Changed the World; or Glimpses Along the Way of the Cross.

# Holy Week and Easter Schedule + 2024

## **Reconciliation Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Confessions in Saint James Church** from 2:00 – 9:00 pm.  
(Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at 2:00 pm)

## **Weekday Masses, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in the Chapel of Life:**  
7:30 am, 9:00 am, and Noon

## **Holy Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Tenebrae in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church:** 9:00 am

**Special Mass in St James Church:** Noon

(For those unable to attend the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper. The Liturgy will be that of the evening Mass, but without the foot washing and Eucharistic procession.)

**Mass of the Lord's Supper in St James Church:** 7:30 pm

**Repository following Mass in the Chapel of Life** until 10:00 pm

## **Good Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>**

**Tenebrae in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church:** 9:00 am

**Stations of the Cross in St. James Church:** Noon

**Liturgy of the Lord's Passion in St. James Church:** 3:00 pm

**Stations of the Cross and Veneration of the Cross in St. James Church:** 7:30 pm

## **Holy Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Tenebrae in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church:** 9:00 am

**Blessing of Easter Food in St. James Church:** 11:00 am

## **Easter Vigil, March 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Mass with the Pascal Fire/Easter Sacraments in St. James Church:** 7:30 pm

## **Easter Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>**

### **Masses in St. James Church:**

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

### **Masses in Our Lady of the Lake/Mt. Carmel Church:**

6:30 am Sunrise Mass in Polish,

9:00 am, 11:00 am, and 12:30 pm in Polish

## **Divine Mercy Novena**

*On Good Friday and Holy Saturday, we will recite the Novena in Our Lady of the Lake Church at 10AM following the Tenebrae Service.*

*Please say the Novena in your home on Easter Sunday.*

*We will continue the Novena, Monday-Friday, April 1-5 after the 9:00am Mass in the Chapel and on Saturday, April 6 after the 8:00am Mass in the Chapel.*

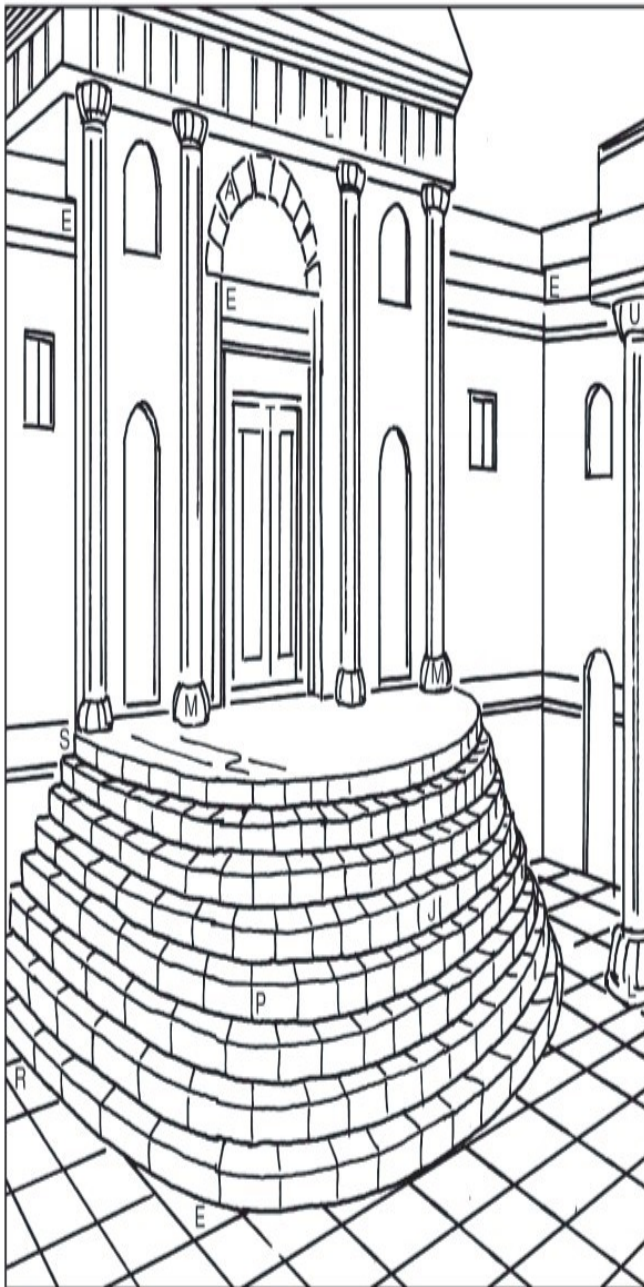




Jesus entered Jerusalem  
and went to the temple.

Find the letters hidden in the picture below.

JERUSALEM TEMPLE



## Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

March 24, 2024 • Mark 11:1-11

### Jesus' Triumphal Entry

Jesus sent two of His disciples  
ahead into the village to find a colt.



Help the disciples get through the maze to the colt.

