

ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE CHURCH

14 Gleneida Avenue Carmel, NY 10512

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening: 5:00pm Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am and

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

Saturday: 8:00am—Chapel **Recitation of The Rosary:**

Weekdays 8:30am, Chapel

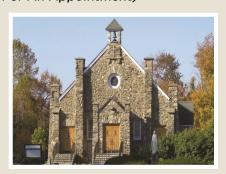
First Friday Adoration: Chapel, 4:00pm - 5:30pm

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.

May 5, 2024 Sixth Sunday of Easter

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

St. James Parish Office

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Music Director

Jane Pratt, 845-225-5310

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.12:00pm 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.

Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

As a spiritual gift, have your dear mother remembered at the Altar of Sacrifice during our Mother's Day Masses. Extra Mother's Day intention envelopes will be available at the doors of the churches. Feel free to use both sides of the envelope to record the names of (living and deceased) mothers, grandmothers, godmothers and other motherly women in your life and the life of your family.

You may place it in the collection or drop it off at the Parish Office. All Mother's Day Masses, will be offered for these special intentions, with the exception of the 12:30pm Mass at OLL, which is offered for all the people of the parish The envelopes will then be placed near the Tabernacle for the Month of May.

ATTENDING MASS WITH SMALL CHILDREN

You are most welcome to come with all the kids to the 10:00am Family Mass, a child-friendly liturgy where the movement and noise of little ones in the church is most welcome.

During other Masses at St. James, you are encouraged to use the main lobby and the hall by the bathrooms to sit with noisy young children. Chairs are provided. This keeps the noise to a minimum in the church itself and provides spaces during Mass for the gradual socialization of our little ones into the practice of Sunday worship. We encourage those with little ones to bring them to church and to use these options.

Masses for the Ascension of the Lord A Holy Day of Obligation Thursday, May 11, 2024



St. James Church 7:30am, 9:00am, Noon, 7:30pm

ENCOUNTERS WITH THE RISEN CHRIST

Just before the Solemnity of the Ascension, we mark and celebrate the appearances or encounters the apostles and first disciples had of the risen Christ before He ascended into heaven. On **May 7**th at 7pm in St. James the Apostle, we will mark by word and song the 7 traditional encounters remembered in the Byzantine liturgy. Take a look at the icons hanging on the wall outside the Parish Office.

Mark your calendars!

EASTER DUTY

Due of the central importance of Easter to the Christian faith, the Catholic Church requires that all Catholics who have made their First Communion receive the Holy Eucharist sometime during the Easter season, which lasts through Pentecost Sunday, 50 days after Easter (Church Law extends the time when this duty may be fulfilled until Trinity Sunday, an extra two weeks!). They should also take part in the Sacrament of Penance before receiving this Easter Communion. This reception of the Eucharist is a visible sign of our faith and our participation in the Kingdom of God. Of course, we should receive Communion as frequently as possible (as long as we are in the state of grace); this "Easter Duty" is simply the minimum requirement set by the Church.

ALPHA Marriage Course

The **Office of Family Life** invites all married couples in the Archdiocese of New York to take part in the ALPHA Marriage Course! This series of 7 video sessions is designed to promote open, honest, and productive conversation between spouses on the topics of connection, communication, conflict, forgiveness, family, sex, and acts of love. There is no discussion or sharing with the larger group, so you can use this time to get to know and grow with your spouse without fear of judgment or lack of privacy!

The Course is by Zoom every Thursday from May 16 to June 27, from 7:00 PM to approximately 9:00 PM.

For more information or to register, please contact Kayla Beiter at Kayla.Beiter@archny.org

ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS



ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024

8:00am John Mulvry

5:00pm Tony and Gino Pagnotta

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024, SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00am Living Descendants of Philip and Marie Doyle

10:00am RITA PIZZURRO 12:00pm JOHN J. BOSACH

Monday, May 6, 2024

7:30am Poniatowski and Bauer Families

9:00am Margaret Hanrahan

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2024

7:30am (Living) Megan Gersch 9:00am Grace and Al Lieto

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2024

7:30am Imbrogno Family 9:00am Katie Brennan

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2024, THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

7:30am The People of the Parish 9:00am Robert James Torzilli

Noon Members of the Knights of Columbus

7:00pm The People of the Parish

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024

7:30am William Hayduk 9:00am Adelaide Fix

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024

8:00am Florence Pinzel

5:00pm Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024, SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8:00am Mother's Day Mass Remembrance 10:00am Mother's Day Mass Remembrance 12:00pm Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE/MT. CARMEL

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024

4:00pm Marianne McGovern

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024, SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00am Tone and Gjon Mirashi 11:00am Marty Puchalski 12:30pm People of the Parish

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024

4:00pm Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024, SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00am Mother's Day Mass Remembrance 11:00am Mother's Day Mass Remembrance

12:30pm People of the Parish

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, JADWIGA KLUZ, ALICIA KUCHTAR, GRACE KNOECHEL, DEBRA TORRES, CHARLANE GRUETTO, MARGARET SARTORIS, 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, 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 CIANICIO, JANE PRATT, JULIA MALDONADO, TERESA AND JULIE D'ALLESSANDRO, LOUISE BONISACE, ALLEN O'GRADY, ELIZABETH O'LEARY, KELLY ANDERSON, DOLORES PIETROLUNGO, MICHAEL AND JUDY COSEDA, KEITH DRONZEK, CHARLIE HOWARD, JOHN GIAMMARENO, Adrienne Baker, Lucille Ricotta, Rosalia Gasperini, Thares MAGNOLI, DEANA SNYDER, DANNY BENDAHAN, FRANN DEANGELIS, MARY SORIANO, AUDREY FANNING.

TIME TO DIE: THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

PAT CAVALUZZI, ANITA DEGREGORIO

TIME TO LOVE: UNITED IN MATRIMONY:

BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

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.

WEEKLY MEMORIALS

MAY 4 TO MAY 10, 2024



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE BURNING IN

St. James Church

IS IN MEMORY OF ROBERT JAMES TORZILLI

DONATED BY MARY ELLEN TORZILLI



THE BREAD AND WINE BEING USED IN

St. James Church

IS IN THANKSGIVING

DONATED BY PAT AND RON STERZEN

BABY DRIVE

The Respect Life Group is hosting a Baby Drive to benefit local pregnancy resource centers, Sunday May 5, 2024 in the Carriage House from 8:30am to 1:30pm.

Donations requested are: diapers in sizes 5 and 6. baby wipes, new or gently used maternity clothes, or cash donations.

Also, if you wish to help defray expenses for the sonogram machine at Gianna's House, please make a check, in any amount, payable to Gianna's House. If you cannot attend the Baby Drive please mail your check to them at 468 N. Main Street, Brewster, NY 10509.



Christology with Fr. John Cush, STD July 8 - 12 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Via Zoom and in-person at Yonkers

Introduction to the New Testament with Prof. Annmarie McLaughlin, MA May 30 - July 11 | Tuesdays and Thursdays | 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Via Zoom and in-person at Yonkers

Ecclesiology with Msgr. Donald Guglielmi, STD June 24 - 28 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

RCIA: Theology and Practice with Dr. Donna Eschenauer June 4 - July 16 | Tuesdays | 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Hy-flex: Hybrid-Flexibility allows students to choose in-person,

synchronous / online, or asynchronous online learning Yonkers on campus | Zoom synchronous | Zoom asynchronous

Introduction to Liturgy with Fr. Matthew Ernest, STD July 15 - 19 | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Via Zoom and in-person at Yonkers

Principles of Sacred Music with Prof. Conner McCain, PhD (cand.) May 29 - July 10 | Mondays and Wednesdays | 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Via Zoom

Introduction to Church History with Fr. Michael Bruno, STD May 30 - July 1 | Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays | 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Via Zoom

The Letters of Romans and Galatians with Dr. Jose Enrique Aguilar, SSD May 29 - July 10 | Mondays and Wednesdays | 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Via Zoom and in-person at Yonkers

For more information, go to dunwoodie.edu/summercourses or email us at sisacademics@dunwoodie.edu



- · Open to qualified lay men and women, clergy and consecrated religious
- location to join a class
- . Tuition: \$1,500 for three credits, \$500 to audit
- 50% off for new students, alumni auditors, and full-time (arch)diocesan employees



Free Seminar on the Importance of a Will, Planning Asset Protection and Charitable Gift Annuities.

Making a will is something we all know we should do but often put aside. We also may have a will, but it is outdated as personal events have occurred since it was written, and beneficiaries may have passed on. Fortunately, preparing a clear and effective will is not difficult. In less time and with less expense than you may think, you can take care of your loved ones and support your beloved parish.

Come to our FREE parish Will Seminar and ask our speaker to answer these and other questions for you.

Date: Monday, May 6, 2024 - Time: 4:00 PM

Place: Church of St. James the Apostle, Doherty Hall Speaker: Jose L. Orengo, Esq.

RSVP: (646) 794-3317 planned.giving@archnv.org

Please Note:

If the Mass you are attending is in memory of a family member or a friend, you are welcome to bring up the gifts.

At a weekend Mass please inform the usher. For a Mass in the Chapel, please sit near the Gifts Table, or walk to the Gifts Table at the appropriate time.

EASTER OFFERTORY

Thank you to all those who made a sacrificial Easter Gift to our parish in the Easter Collection. If you have not had the opportunity to do so yet, please consider your gift to our parish. Envelopes are available at the doors of the church. Your generous financial support helps to keep us strong, especially during the summer months. May the Risen Lord Jesus continue to bless you and your families!

Be-Informed May 5, 2024

We hope you are enjoying the parish subscription to www.formed.org which gives parishioners and members of the community free 24/7 access to over 300 Catholic on-line programs.

May 8th is the Anniversary of the Birthday of Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen. Watch: Faith, Hope, and Love; Sheen Gems- The Best of Fulton J. Sheen; or Angels. Listen to: There is Life in the Womb, Three to Get Married, or the Audiobook: The Priest Is Not His Own. On the 10th Listen to: The Spirit of Father Damien: The Leper Priest- A Saint for our Times.

MAY AND MARY

The month of **May** is dedicated to **The Blessed Virgin Mary**. The first 19 days fall within the liturgical season of **Easter**, which is represented by the liturgical color white — the color of light, a symbol of joy, purity and innocence (absolute or restored). The remainder of the month (beginning the Monday after Pentecost) is in **Ordinary Time** which is represented by the liturgical color green. This symbol of hope is the color of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection.

The world is resplendent with Spring's increased light and new growth. It is Mary's month in the Easter season and all of nature rejoices with the Queen of heaven at the Resurrection of the Son she was worthy to bear. During the remainder of Easter time, let us endeavor through the prayers of the Holy Liturgy and the Holy Rosary to deepen our gratitude for the mystery of our Baptismal rebirth in Christ.

"The month of May, with its profusion of blooms was adopted by the Church in the eighteenth century as a celebration of the flowering of Mary's maidenly spirituality. With its origins in Isaiah's prophecy of the Virgin birth of the Messiah under the figure of the Blossoming Rod or Root of Jesse, the flower symbolism of Mary was extended by the Church Fathers, and in the liturgy, by applying to her the flower figures of the Sapiential (Wisdom) Books - Canticles, Wisdom, Proverbs, and Sirach.

In the medieval period, the rose was adopted as the flower symbol of the Virgin Birth, as expressed in Dante's phrase, "The Rose wherein the Divine Word was made flesh," and depicted in the central rose windows of the great gothic cathedrals - from which came the Christmas carol, "Lo, How a Rose 'ere Blooming." Also, in the medieval period, when monasteries were the centers of horticultural and agricultural knowledge, and with the spread of the Franciscan love of nature, the actual flowers themselves, of the fields, waysides, and gardens, came to be seen as symbols of Mary.

Pentecost, the birth of the Church, is also among the celebrations of May. Though sprung from the side of Christ on the Cross, the Church marks as her birthday the descent of the Holy Spirit on Mary and the Apostles. At the "birth' of the world, the Holy Spirit — the Breath of God — was the "mighty wind [that] swept over the waters" (Gen 1:2); at the birth of the Church He is present again "like the rush of a mighty wind" to recreate the world in the image of Christ through His Church (Acts 2:2).

We, the members of Christ's Mystical Body, are the present-day disciples sent by the Holy Spirit to bring Christ to the world. May we go forth as did Mary, who set out in haste to assist St. Elizabeth (feast of the Visitation, May 31). Come upon us, O Holy Spirit, so that, with Mary, we may proclaim the greatness of the Lord who has done great things for us — for his mercy endures forever!

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

It is a great honor to be asked to be a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation. The role of a "godparent" is to be an "other parent" in matters of our holy Faith. That is why sponsors must be **practicing Catholics**, **16 years of age or older (14 years old in the Archdiocese of New York)**, having received **Catholic Confirmation** and currently **living a good Christian moral life**. If the sponsor is married, that person must be in a **valid Catholic Church marriage**. One sponsor is required for Confirmation. It is customary to have two for Baptism, in which case one must be male and the other female. Parents may not be sponsors. A baptized non-Catholic may replace the second Baptism sponsor as a Christian witness. Non-Christians may not be Sponsors. Former Catholics may not be sponsors.

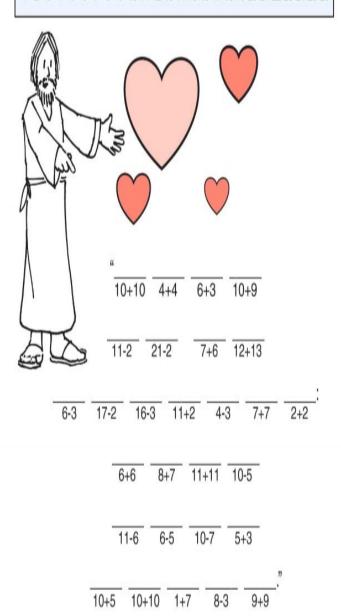
A nominated sponsor is asked to get certification from his/her current parish. This is a declaration by a priest/deacon that the individual is qualified to be a sponsor according to Church Law. To be so certified, the individual must be a current parishioner of the particular parish where the certification is being sought and be known to the priest/deacon as being a faithful practicing Catholic, attending Mass there weekly. Those away at college or graduate school or in the military may seek certification from their campus ministries or chaplains.

Unfortunately, at times, family members or friends are chosen to be sponsors with good intentions but are found to be ineligible according to Church Law. Also, more and more, people seem to think that they are still "parishioners" of their childhood parish, where they attended school or received sacraments years ago, while no longer living in the area or attending Mass there regularly. It is important for all individuals to be active members of their local Catholic faith communities. Here, at St. James the Apostle / Our Lady of the Lake / Mt. Carmel Parish, Certificates of Sponsorship are given by the pastor or his vicars to registered members of the parish who are practicing Catholics, and who meet the above criteria. Please call or stop by the Parish Office to inquire about getting a certificate.



Jesus gave a command for us all.

Solve each math problem.
Use the alphabet code to fill the blanks.





Ages 7+

May 5, 2024 • John 15:9-17



A Greater Love

Jesus instructed His disciples.

START

Find what Jesus said by following the correct path and writing the words on the lines below.

