St. James the Apostle Catholic Church

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Office Hours Monday-Friday 9:00am-12noon/1:00-4:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 3:00 - 3:45pm in Chapel

Morning Prayer weekdays Monday-Friday 8:00am in Chapel

Adoration: 1st and 3rd Friday (3pm) and 2nd and 4th Thursday (7pm)

Masses: Daily: Monday - Friday 8:30am/Saturday Vigil 4:00pm/Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am and 1:00pm

Pastor:

Reverend Michael Cormier

Retired Clergy:

Reverend Paul Goudreau

Deacon:

Rev. Mr. James Minary

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Rev. Mr. Mark Manko

Parish Secretary:

Mrs. Judy Licari

Director Of Faith Formation:

Rev. Mr. Mark Manko

Director of Youth

Ministry:

Mrs. Lorraine Parsons

Business / Network

Manager:

Ms. Randi Hodgson

Maintenance:

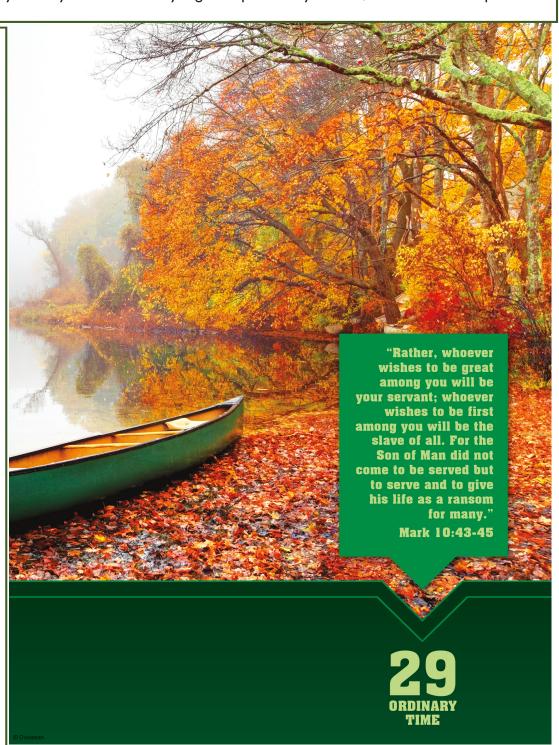
Mr. Butch Toohey

Sacristan:

Mr. Robert Dunn

Music Coordinator:

Mrs. Tina McCann



From the Deacon's Deskl

While Father Mike is away enjoying his cold weather, cold water lobster, and apples we continue here with our beautiful Florida warm fall weather, warm water lobster, and tomatoes!

Today's Gospel is a powerful reminder that God is in full control of our destiny, no matter what we try to control or think we control. Here again, the disciples fail to realize the implications of Jesus' teachings on His suffering. James and John are asking for positions of honor with Jesus when He achieves His destiny. Regarding His sufferings; think about this, Jesus uses the word "Baptism" indicating that His sufferings will be the font of purification for the entire world and for all people. Just meditate on that beautiful image today and think about what Jesus has given us. As for the disciples; James and John readily agreed with Jesus, saying they can drink from the same cup, all the while still clinging to what they asked for; power and honor. All our destinies are prepared by God, Jesus tells us that directly. Power is absolutely the opposite of what Jesus teaches us to focus on. The desire for power and honor are human desires but Jesus is calling us all to be servants. If we truly follow Jesus, and He came to serve, then shouldn't we who are His followers do the same. Amen?

Love,

Deacon Mark

Stewardship: Time, Talent & Treasure

Offertory Collection	\$9,765.29
Attendance:	983
Offertory	\$6,787.00
Non-Envelope Offertory	\$1,901.29
On-Line Giving	\$1,077.00
Total Offertory	\$9,765.29
Debt Collection 10/07 18	\$2,805.08

COLD WEATHER SHELTER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

When the temperature dips below 40 degrees, the cold weather shelter in New Port Richey will be opened. Once again, St. James parishioners are stepping to help.

To volunteer for a 3-hour shift between 6 pm and 6 am or for more information, please contact Cliff Gill at 727-389-1512.

SCRIP NEWS!

The Holidays are coming, the holidays are coming!!! It's



time to gear up for **Black Friday** shopping. It's time to think about placing your Christmas orders now. Christmas shopping is easy — SCRIP gift cards make the perfect gift. You can purchase SCRIP to shop on **Black Friday** for yourself or for the Giving Tree. Our next Scrip order is due *October 22nd*

and it will be in time for you to start your holiday shopping and be ready for all those thanksgiving sales.

For more information, visit our website at: **www.stjamesportrichey.org** for a complete list of participating vendors.

Order forms may be picked up in the office or in the vestibule of the church. If you still have questions regarding our SCRIP program please call the parish office at 869-3132. Let your shopping dollars work for us.

Secular Franciscans

The Franciscans meet the second Saturday of each month at St. Theresa's Catholic church located at the Rosmini Hall located at 1107 Commercial way, Spring Hill, Fl at 10:00 am. If you desire a deeper vocation, we as a community strive to identify ourselves with the poor and reach out to the needy and respond to the Gospel Through witness of individually, esteem for work, making family life a sign of peace and respect for Gods creatures. For further information please contact Anita at 727-841-7338

Vocations

October 21, 2018 – 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time – Cycle B: Greatness in the Kingdom is found not in ruling and lordship, but in service. Daily, we must put the needs of the other before our own. (Mark 10:35-45)

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Mass Intentions

Monday: 10/22 8:30am	Raymond and Pauline Cormier
<u>Tuesday: 10/23</u> 8:30am	Salvatore Orlando
Wednesday: 10/24 8:30am	Eveline Pozniak
<u>Thursday: 10/25</u> 8:30am	Salvatore Orlando
<u>Friday: 10/26</u> 8:30am	John Ogonowski
Saturday: 10/27 Vigil 4:00pm	Sharon McDonald
<u>Sunday: 10/28</u> 8:00am	Julia and Anthony Maglietta
10:00am	Phillip Roberts
1:00pm	Nicholas Azzue

Readings for the Week of October 22, 2018

Monday	Saint John Paul II, Pope Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	Saint John of Capistrano, Priest Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday	Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 31:7-9; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52

Altar Candles

The candle burning on the altar in the



Chapel and Church for the month of October is in memory of Fred and Joan Klaproth and were the donated by Licari Family.

Groups that meet at St. James

Adoration	1^{st} / 3^{rd} Friday 3 - 4pm 2^{nd} / 4^{th} Thurs. 7-8pm	
Divine Mercy	1 st /3 rd Fri. 1:30pm	
In-People	4 th Mon. 7:00pm	
Knights of Columbus	1 st Wed., 7:30pm	
	4 th Thurs. 7:30pm	
Legion of Mary	Tues. 9:45am	
Respect Life	TBA in bulletin	
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Tues. 9:50am	

Candles & Flowers



Remember your loved ones or your special intentions. You can do this with candles that burn all week in the Chapel or in the grotto or a

monthly candle. You can also request to support the flowers that are on the altar for the week. Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested 727-869-3130.

The Flowers for this weekend were donated by the Licari Family in memory of Joan and Fred Klaproth.

The Tabernacle and Grotto candles are in memory of **Fred Klaproth.**

Our Parish Family

We welcome into the parish community all new members and those returning Home to us.

We remember all who are sick at home or in the Hospital: Thomas O'Donnell.

We remember in our prayers those who have died: Fr. Joseph Goudreua and Debra Polito.

Falloween 2018

FRIDAY, October 26, 2018 6:00—8:30pm

Halloween Candy Donations and Trunk or Treat



This is the last weekend for **Halloween Candy Donations!** We are preparing for our 4th annual Falloween and looking for wrapped candy. We will except donations in the office until Thursday. Thank you to all who have already donated.

SAVE THE DATE: The Falloween will be held on Friday, October 26th, from 6:00pm — 8:30pm. We will be having a trunk or Treat also. If you are interested in having a decorated car please call the office

Donations for gift baskets can also be brought to the parish office.





Join us in the East Wing on Saturday, October 20th and Sunday the 21st to preview the basket to be raffled off at the Falloween. Plus after the 8am and 10am Masses the Knights of Columbus will have their monthly coffee and doughnuts.

Falloween TICKETS:

Family Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Falloween Ticket(s) \$2.00 each

Number of Tickets: _____ X \$2.00 = \$____

Falloween MEAL Tickets:

Family Name:

Phone Number:

Cheese Pizza \$2.00 per slice: _____ X \$2.00 = ____

Soda/water \$1.00 each: _____X \$1.00 = _____

Chips \$.50 each: _____ X .50= ____

**Meal Special: 2 slices / I soda or water/ I bag of chips \$5.00 _____ X \$5.00 = \$____

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St. James Teens Active Together In Christ

Please mark your calendar:

♦ Oct 26 (Friday) 6:00-8:30pm Falloween Parish Grounds/Youth Room

♦ Oct 27 (Saturday) 10am-6pm Family Faith Fest Al Lopez Park in Tampa

♦ Nov 5 (Monday) 6:30pm 40 Days For Life St James Chapel

Closing service

Please check the youth table for latest updates, calendar, pictures and sign up sheets. Best way to get in touch with me is text/call @ (727) 967-3768. You can also email me at youth.group@stjamesportrichey.org or call the office of the Youth Ministry @ (727) 869-3130 ext. 1309.

"Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven" (Matthew 5:16). Thank you and God bless. Mrs. Lorraine Parsons



40 Days for Life Kickoff at our parish (St James) took place Sept. 26 in the chapel with a prayer service, placing of the white crosses and light refreshments in the youth room. Deacon Mark and some adults shared with the <u>youth</u> their thoughts and experiences regarding this very important issue (pro-life). It was a very informative night and we are so happy to see you all there. Thank you Fr. Mike, Deacon Jim, Deacon Mark (who shared a story about the doctor who had a change of heart), Mrs. Tina McCann for the music and our youth reader, Lauren.

Please continue to <u>PRAY to END ABORTION</u>. Our closing prayer service will be held in the chapel, November 5, Monday at 6:30pm followed by the removal of the white crosses.

The following is a condensed Financial Statement for the Fiscal Years ending June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017:

Income Offertory Collection Annual Pastoral Appeal (APA) Donations Bequests Interest Income Faith Formation Fees All Other Income Total Revenue:	6/2018 \$602,373 \$65,064 \$39,496 \$-0- \$1,581 \$2,973 \$31,860 \$743,347	06/2017 \$623,954 \$70,141 \$12,868 \$33,000 \$2,015 \$2,065 \$38,732 \$782,775
Annual Pastoral Appeal (APA) Church Expenditures Housing Expenditures Employee Costs Catholic Schools Tuition Assistance Utilities Building & Grounds Maintenance Insurance – Property & Liability Departmental Supplies Capital Expenditures Debt Curtailment - Principal Debt Curtailment - Interest All Other Expenses Total expenses: Excess/Deficit	\$97,486 \$15,186 \$37,224 \$345,312 \$39,756 \$36,421 \$34,112 \$29,042 \$39,342 \$0 \$45,535 \$12,908 \$15,541 \$747,865 \$34,910	\$97,486 \$15,186 \$37,224 \$345,312 \$39,756 \$36,421 \$34,112 \$29,042 \$39,342 \$0 \$45,535 \$12,908 \$15,541 \$747,865 \$34,910
Analysis of Debt Service Consolidated Loan–Beginning Balance Add: Increase to Loan Principle Less: Payments Against Loan Consolidate Loan – Ending Balance	6/2018 \$375,765 \$-0- \$66,841 \$308,924	06/2017 \$463,248 \$762 \$66,841 \$397,169

Footnote:

Consolidated loan consists of the unpaid building assessment pledge shortfall for the construction of Bishop Larkin School, the balance of the rectory mortgage, the balance of the parish building mortgage, and unpaid tuition assistance for St. James Bishop Larkin students for the years 2007, 2008, and 2009.

Annual Pastoral Appeal (APA)	6/2018	06/2017
Beginning Balance – Prior Year Shortfalls	\$170,847	\$226,526
Add: Current Year Assessment	\$87,733	\$97,486
Less: APA Pledge Paid	\$74,231	\$87,427
Ending Balance at June 30	\$184,349	\$236,585

Footnote: The parish Fiscal Year runs from July 1 to June 30. The Annual Pastoral Appeal runs from February 1 to December 31. Therefore, pledge payments overlap from Fiscal Year to Fiscal Year.