



St. James Parish Family

201 N. Missouri Street
Potosi, MO 63664



November 2023

Mass Schedule

St. Joachim	Mon:	8:00 AM
St. James	Tues:	8:15 AM
St. Joachim	Wed:	8:15 AM
St. James	Thurs:	8:00 AM
St. Joachim	Fri:	8:00 AM
St. James	First Sat:	8:00 AM
St. James 1st & 3rd	Sat:	4:00 PM
St. Joachim 2nd/4th	Sat:	4:00 PM
St. James	Sun	10:00 AM
St. Joachim	Sun	8:00 AM

*HOLYDAY SCHEDULE:

Please check the Bulletin for Mass Times.

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WEBSITE: *****
www.stjames-potosi.org
FACEBOOK: St. James Catholic Church @stjamespotosi

Confessions:
Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 PM;
prior to Sat evening Mass
Or by appointment

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Religion
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*****Our website is back! Please note a slight change in the web address:
www.stjames-potosi.org. There is a dash “-” between stjames & Potosi. Welcome back :-)

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF:
November 6, 2023

MON	8:00 AM	*(Mass at St. Joachim)
Nov 07 TUE	8:15 AM	Richard Dix
Nov 08 WED	8:15 AM	*(Mass at St. Joachim)
Nov 09 THU	8:00 AM	Charles Cooley Kincaid
Nov 10 FRI	8:00 AM	*(Mass at St. Joachim)
Nov 11 SAT	4:00 PM	*(Mass at St. Joachim)
Nov 12 SUN	10:00 AM	Janet Coleman
Nov 12 SUN	8:00 AM	*(Mass at St. Joachim)

Week of: October 29th, 2023

Envelope.....\$	930.00	All Saints day.....\$	5.00
Loose.....\$	176.00	All Souls day.....\$	50.00
SVDP.....\$	81.00	World Mission.....\$	40.00
Votive Lights.....\$	5.00	Permanent Deaconate\$	
Light House.....\$			
Main & Repairs.....\$		Quilt bingo.....\$	944.81
On-Line donations.....\$	75.90		

Special Ministers November 12th, 2023

Lectors:
Sunday 10:00 am
Jamie Warden

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Sunday 10:00 am
C: Nikki Warden
L: Dave Woodland
R: Charlie Schloemer

Servers:

Sat: 4:00 p.m (celebrated at St. Joachim)
Sun: 8:00 a.m (celebrated at St. Joachim)
Sun: 10:00 am Meadow Henson, Penelope & Daisy Kearns

Music:

Sat: 4:00 p.m. Chala Short
Sun: 8:00 a.m. Rebecca Richards
Sun: 10:00 am Anita Govero or The Little Way Band

Food of the Month of November: Canned meats and canned pasta meals: spam, canned chicken, canned ham, canned beefaroni, spaghetti O's, ravioli, etc.....

THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS.
~We couldn't do it without you~

Heavenly Duster: 11/10: Sharon Forrester
Altar Linens: 11/13: Glenda Farrow

Special Minister Training/Refresher

November 12, following 10:00 am Mass

Fr. Tony is holding this training for anyone interested in becoming a special minister. If you feel the calling, please join us. He would also like to invite current special Ministers to attend as well.

We need Volunteers please:

Funeral Lunch Committe: We only have a couple of our Parish Family volunteers at this point. We really need to have a few more so we could have at least 2 teams and take turns serving our Funeral Luncheons.

So, please consider volunteering to help take care of our parishioners.
For more information and to volunteer, please call Kim Coleman @ 314-808-2207 or the office @ 438-4686.

Word of Life

National Hospice and Palliative Care Month

“Death is a decisive moment in the human person’s encounter with God the Savior. Helping the Christian to experience this moment with spiritual assistance is a supreme act of charity. It encompasses the patient with the solid support of human relationships to accompany them and open them to hope. Palliative care and hospice are precious and crucial instruments in the care of patients with serious and complex chronic or terminal illnesses, and they help provide comfort to both the patients and their families.”
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
“The Witness of the Good Samaritan: Palliative Care and Hospice”

For the sick, suffering, and those near death: May they receive adequate care which embraces their physical, psychological, and spiritual needs as they journey toward eternal life; We pray to the Lord

What's on the Calendar???

Nov 05: Daylight Savings Ends...Set your clocks back!!! :-)
Nov 07: Ladies Sodality mtg, 1:00 pm, Parish Hall
Nov 12: Special Minister mtg, following 10:00 am mass.
Nov 14: Parish Council, 5:30pm, Parish Hall
Knights of Columbus mtg, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall
Nov 15: PSR Class (notice corrected date please)
Nov 23: Thanksgiving Day: Mass @ 8:00 am, St. James

Eucharistic Adoration

Did you know: The lay practice of adoration formally began in Avignon, France on September 11, 1226. To celebrate and give thanks for the victory over the Albigensians, King Louis VII of France asked the Bishop of Avignon to have the Blessed Sacrament exposed in the Chapel of the Holy Cross. The throng of adorers was so great that the bishop decided to have the adoration continue day and night.

St James Potosi hosts First Thursday Adoration and St. Joachim hosts First Friday Adoration. Would you like to spend some time with the Lord, if so, please call St. James Office @ 573-438-4686 for First Thursday Adoration times, and St. Joachim’s Office @ 573-438-6181 for First Friday Adoration times.

Become a committed adorer in our Eucharistic Adoration Program and lets start to fill our churches again!!!

*****FORMED*****

CATHOLIC SAINTS ON FORMED: In this collection, you can find interviews on dozens of the lives of the saints. Learn about Sts. Monica, Augustine, Stephen, Philip Neri, Catherin of Siena, and many more.

Homeless But Human/Christ in the City: This powerful documentary captures the transformation of individuals living on the streets that the Christ in the City missionaries encounter and showcases a new approach to the rising crisis of homelessness. The film’s videographer spent a year w/the missionaries, providing a rare opportunity to see the incredible impact they have on the lives of those they serve. Through their unique relational approach, Christ in the City is changing lives and offering hope to those who have lost everything. This film is a must see for anyone who wants to understand the root causes of homelessness and witness the power of human connection in addressing this critical issue. Check out **Friends on the Street/Christ in the City** too!

To sign up for “Formed”
Go to: <https://signup.formed.org/>
Enter our parish’s zip code

Missionary Discipleship

Relationship with God and Neighbor
The world celebrates people in the spotlight and those who have the most of everything. We think celebrity, money and possessions is the key to happiness. Yet, our world is filled with more loneliness, anxiety and depression than ever before. The key to a happy life is relationship – being in good relationship with God and with each other. All good relationships are built on trust; and humility is the seed of trust. As we hear in the Gospel reading today “Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.” (Matthew 23:12) Here are two simple formulas to keep in mind. First, Happy Life = Good Relationship with God & Neighbor. Second, Trust = Humility.

Clarity Retreat House

Clarity House is holding a retreat from **Thursday morning, November 9th through Saturday evening, November 11th.** It will be covering some of Ralph Martin’s book, “Fulfillment of all Desire”. This book is about the Wisdom of the Saints. All food, towels and bedding is furnished. Fr. Fleming will say **Mass on Friday evening, November 10th**, for all who want to join. We will say the rosary at 6:00 pm and celebrate the Mass at 7:00 pm. Please call Mary Roy, 636-234-6680 for more retreat information.

If you would like to go to **Mass on Friday evening, November 10th**, but don’t want to drive, we will use St. James church van and will leave the church parking lot at 5:00 pm. Please call the Susan at the church office, 573-438-4686, to sign up for the van.

Mental Awareness training, St. Joseph’s Parish in Farmington

Mental Health Awareness Workshop
Tuesday, Nov. 14th at 6:30pm
St. Joseph Catholic Church
10 N. Long Ave St. Farmington, Mo.

Book of MEMORY

We will have the “Book of Memory” placed on a table in front of Church for you to enter the names of relatives & friends that are deceased.

Louis & Theresa Whitehead	John & Stella DeGonia
Debbie Barbey	Michael J. & Mary P. Pratt
Mason Richardson	Cyrilla A. Boyer
Loretta Richardson	Cindy Malawey
Margaret Kemp	Wesley Forrester
Lena Coffman	Gladys Kathcart
Fred A. Nnull	Logan Kathcart
Jim Richardson	

Special prayers go out to the families of Amelia Biri & Linkin Wideman as they grieve the loss of their children. Please continue to pray for God’s Blessings on Jerry Portell, Elis & Zach Wideman as they continue to heal & special blessings for emotional and spiritual healing.

All Souls Offerings

A reminder: that funds received for All Souls’ Day are NOT Mass Intentions and should not be handled as such. The funds received in the All Souls envelopes (with or without names listed) are considered remembrances and not Intentions for Masses. These funds are considered gifts to the parish. Hope this answers your questions folks.

ST. STEPHENS CHAPEL, RICHWOODS
CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS OR HAM DINNERS
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH; 11 AM - 3 PM
SWEET POTATOES, GREEN BEANS,
COLESLAW, DESSERT & DRINK
\$13.00 ADULTS
\$5.00 CHILDREN 6-12
QUILT CLUB DRAWING & 50/50 DRAWING

St. James PSR NEWS

**** Next in-person class:** Wednesday, November 15th @ 6:00.
Dinner will start approximately 5:15. Unit 2 will be due. **There will be a short meeting on November 15th for the parents of 2nd grade students.**

Confirmation Class will be assisting with several service projects this year. So please watch the bulletin for updates.

Join our Facebook page for all the latest and greatest information.



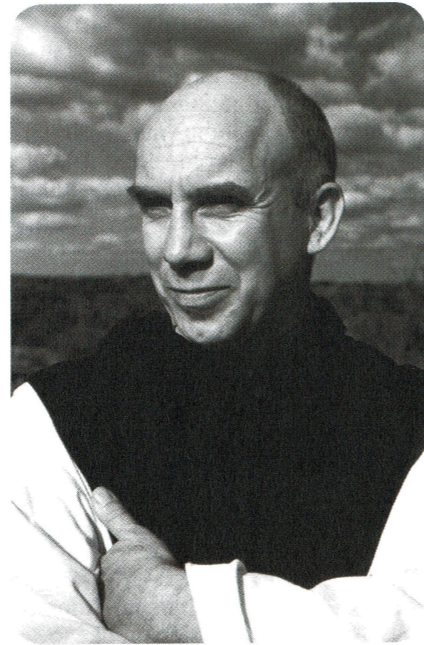
Dear Padre,

I would like to do more spiritual reading, but everything I've tried is either over my head or too sweet and pious for me. Do you have suggestions for any down-to-earth authors?

You might try reading shorter works. More is not necessarily better. Consider several publications available at Liguori.org. *In My Own Words* is a series of books that gathers excerpts from different authors: Dorothy Day, Sr. Thea Bowman, Pope St. John Paul II, and others. Also consider the *Wisdom* series for Advent and Christmas or Lent and Easter. These include the writings of ancients and a few more current authors like Pope Francis, Henri Nouwen, and Thomas Merton. *Daybreaks* for Advent and Lent are booklets of short meditations for each day of each season. *Catholic Update*, a four-page newsletter from Liguori, features in-depth articles on contemporary topics written by expert authors.

C. S. Lewis was a prolific and popular Christian author. His *Mere Christianity* is practical and informative. *A Grief Observed* is a beautiful meditation for those who have lost someone dear to them, as is Henri Nouwen's *In Memoriam*. Merton's *New Seeds of Contemplation* has inspired readers since it was first published in 1949.

Finally, the best place to start might be the Gospel of Mark—not to study or analyze. Rather, read it just to get to know Jesus a little better. ●



Thomas Merton, a Trappist monk and one of the most influential Catholic authors of the 1900s

GNS PHOTO/MERTON LEGACY TRUST AND THE THOMAS MERTON CENTER AT BELLAMINE UNIVERSITY

[The Redemptorists / DearPadre.org](https://www.dearpadre.org)

DAYbreaks Leading Catholic voices inspire the faithful with daily reflections and prayers for Advent and Lent. Including: Fr. Ron Rolheiser, Dr. Mary Katharine Deeley, Sr. Dianne Bergant, Fr. Paul Turner, and more at Liguori.org.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
November 6 Weekday Rom 11:29–36 Lk 14:12–14	November 7 Weekday Rom 12:5–16ab Lk 14:15–24	November 8 Weekday Rom 13:8–10 Lk 14:25–33	November 9 Dedication of Lateran Basilica Ez 47:1–2, 8–9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c– 11, 16–17 Jn 2:13–22	November 10 St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church Rom 15:14–21 Lk 16:1–8	November 11 St. Martin of Tours, Bishop Rom 16:3–9, 16, 22–27 Lk 16:9–15	November 12 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 6:12–16 1 Thes 4:13–18 or 4:13–14 Mt 25:1–13



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

People today are attracted by things that are faster and faster: rapid Internet connections, speedy cars and planes, instant relationships. But at the same time we see a desperate need for calmness, I would even say slowness. Is the Church still able to move slowly: to take the time to listen, to have the patience to mend and reassemble?

MEETING WITH BISHOPS OF BRAZIL IN RIO DE JANEIRO, JULY 27, 2013

Our Parish COMMUNITY

November 5, 2023

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Malachi 1:14b–2:2b, 8–10 / 1 Thessalonians 2:7b–9, 13 / Matthew 23:1–12



A Church on the Way

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

In July 2013, as part of a visit to Brazil, Pope Francis met with the Latin American conference of bishops. Speaking informally, bishop to bishops, he said, “At times we lose people because they don’t understand what we are saying, because we have forgotten the language of simplicity and import an intellectualism foreign to our people.”

I thought about how his words could be applied in my parish, so one Sunday I asked the people in the pews what they looked for from the Church. I was impressed and touched by their answers: wisdom to make their way through life; where and how to find God; a desire to be treated like adults; compassion for themselves and for others; guidance to reach out to the needy in society; a link between faith and life; a place to find some peace and quiet; wisdom for the political process. It was a list by which we who lead need to examine our consciences.

The charge from Pope Francis is to be a Church that speaks to people where they are with the words of everyday life. We look for wisdom that enables us to become our best selves. And that is what healthy religion is about: to guide rather than to control; to inspire rather than to shame; to participate fully rather than to simply “pray, pay, and obey.” ●

Reflect

What have you found in the Church and what more do you long for?



[Jesus said,] “Do and observe all things whatsoever they tell you, but do not follow their example. For they preach but they do not practice.”

MATTHEW 23:3

The St. Anne Sodality of St. Joachim Church

Turkey BINGO

Knights of Columbus Hall, Old Mines, MO

Sunday, November 19, 2023

Doors Open at Noon
Bingo Starts at 1:00
Quilt Raffle



LUNCH Available



The St. Anne Sodality of St. Joachim Church Christmas Craft Bazaar

Knights of Columbus Hall, Old Mines, MO

Saturday, November 11, 2023

9am - 1pm

CRAFT BOOTHS

BY AREA CRAFTERS

Stop by and start your Christmas Shopping

• Theme BASKETS
RAFFLE

• QUILT RAFFLE

• BAKERY

• LUNCH Available



Free Pictures

with Santa

10am - ???

USE YOUR OWN CAMERA



ANNUAL BUFFET-STYLE
ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT



Thanksgiving Day Dinner

NOVEMBER 23, 2023 | 11 A.M. - 5 P.M.

TURKEY + FIXINGS

ADULTS - \$18

SENIORS (62+) - \$15

CHILDREN (6-12) - \$8

CARRY OUTS - \$15

CASH RAFFLE

1 FOR \$5

6 FOR \$25

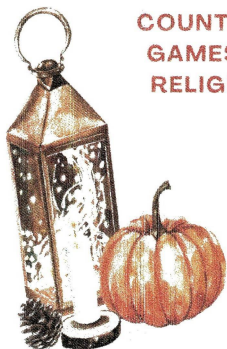
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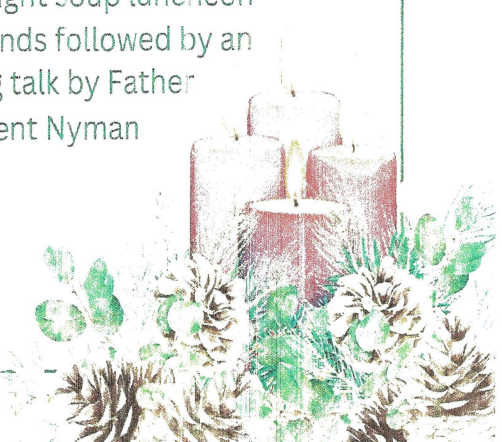


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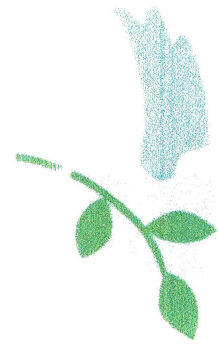
DECEMBER 10, 2023
ST. JOSEPH - BONNE TERRE

11:15 am - 2:00 pm

Refresh your soul for advent
with a light soup luncheon
with friends followed by an
inspiring talk by Father
Vincent Nyman



Peace Be With You



How can we, as Church,
respond to the mental health
crisis facing our region?

**Please join us for an evening of prayer, information, and
discussion**

Fr. Mike Lydon: Episcopal Vicar for the Southern Vicariate –
Pastoral Theology

Dr. Judson Bliss: Clinical Specialist– St. Louis Counseling

Deacon Mark Byington: Criminal Justice Professor –
Jefferson College

Nancy McCarthy: Former Director of Mo. Probation and Parole

Phillip Hutsler: Director of Outpatient Services -
Queen of Peace Center

 NOVEMBER 14TH, 2023

 START AT 6:30 PM

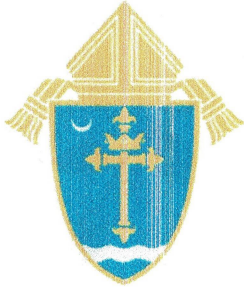
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