





**Celebration of the Eucharist** Saturday Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays at 4:30pm or by appt.

> Weekday Masses Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 8:30am

Holy Hour: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 9am -10am

Holy Days 7:00pm

**Church Office Hours** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am-3pm Phone 918-335-0844 Fax 918-335-0856

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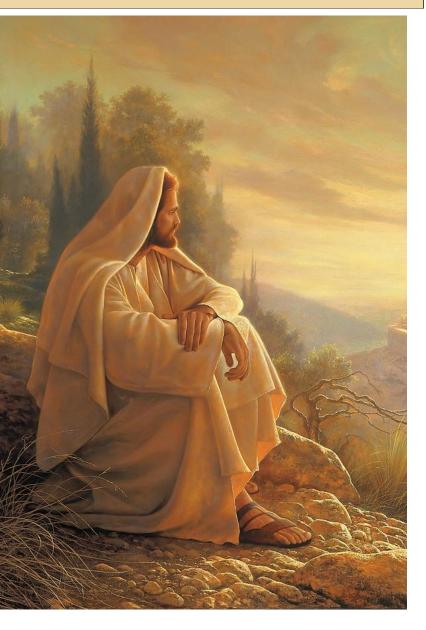
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Please submit items for the bulletin to: secretary stjms@sbcglobal.net Deadline is noon Wednesday for the upcoming weekend

**Readings for March 6, 2022** Deuteronomy 26:4-10 Romans 10:8-13 Luke 4:1-13

# **St. James Catholic Church**

5500 Douglas Lane, Bartlesville, Ok. 74006 www.saintjamescatholicparish.org



First Sunday of Lent March 6, 2022

> **Readings for March 13, 2022** Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 Philippians 3:17-4:1 Luke 9:28b-36

If you are a new parishioner, please fill out a registration card located at the back of the church. Place it in the box on the back table or leave it at the office.

## **Mass Intentions**

- Tue03/08 8:30am +Irene Morse by Dana MorseThu03/10 8:30am +Tom Johnson by Deacon Jerry & Lucille Rutherford
- Sat 03/12 8:30am Jake Munyon Special Intention Sat 03/12 - 5:30pm - +Fred Hagebusch by Bill & Josephina Taylor
- Sun 03/13 9:30am Wayne & Jutta Millard Charo Crawford

## This Week at St. James March 6-12

Sun 9:30am - Mass Tues 12:00pm - Senior Luncheon (Lubensky Hall)

- Tues 12:00pm Senior Luncheon (I Wed 6:00pm - CRE
- Sat 5:30pm Mass

# Last Weekend Collection

February 26/27

**Total Collection** \$9,147.30

# GOSPEL: St. Luke 4:1-13

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil. He ate nothing during those days, and when they were over he was hungry. The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, One does not live on bread alone." Then he took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a single instant. The devil said to him, "I shall give to you all this power and glory; for it has been handed over to me, and I may give it to whomever I wish. All this will be yours, if you worship me." Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve."

Then he led him to Jerusalem, made him stand on the parapet of the temple, and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written: He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you, and: With their hands they will support you, lest you dash your foot against a stone." Jesus said to him in reply, "It also says, You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test." When the devil had finished every temptation, he departed from him for a time.

### Seeking Volunteers & Donors The Lighthouse Outreach Center

If interested in donating, volunteering, or for more information, in this ministry of providing a meal the first Monday of each month. Since we got an overwhelming response to last month's request we are asking that you call and you will be added to our list and we will contact you.

Please call Nita Swan 918-766-2661, Eva Boatwright 918-440-8894 or Sangeetha Arun: 918-815-3017 or sangeetharun03@gmail.com. Monetary donations are also very much appreciated. Please make checks payable to St. James and indicate Lighthouse in the memo section. **Thank you** to everyone who donated food or money this last month. It was greatly appreciated!

## **CONCERN NEEDS**

For March we are collecting the following items for the pantry: Pancake mix (add water only), Sugar, Canned tomatoes, Jiffy cornbread mix, Empty egg cartons, for the homeless bags deodorant (male and female), and soap. Thank you again for continuing to support this very important ministry in our community! CONCERN would like to thank everyone who donated food for the months of January & February, We donated a total of 711lbs.

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

The Knights of Columbus will be preparing a pancake breakfast with a fruit and yogurt bar at St. James in Lubensky Hall on Sunday, March 6th from 9am to 11am. The proceeds will go to assist the CRE program.

A gracious **THANK YOU** to all in our Catholic Community who helped make our Spaghetti Dinner/Silent Auction a fruitful event! Proceeds benefit charitable projects of the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus and the Catholic Women.

#### **Celebration Ministries**

## March 12, 2021

Greeters Robert & Jane Zoeller **Gift Bearers** Ardene Dickerson Elaine Lovec Lector/Intersessions Rita Leland **Extraordinary Ministers** Evert Lovec Servers Nguyen **Cross Bearer** Ken Campbell **Senior Usher** NEED Usher Ken Campbell

## March 13, 2021

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# We Pray For

Michael Bellamy, Martha Clark, Herbert Erfurdt, Yvonne Herman, Darrel Kimery, Carol Marrs, Teresa McDonald, Joan McKinney, Wayne & Jutta Millard, Debbie Miller, Jake Munyon, Julie Neece, Mark Pace, Eva Scott, Toni Stark, Shelley Sumner, Pat Zeorlin, Bob & Jane Zoeller, and Ernie Zuech

SENIOR LUNCHEON Senior Luncheon will be held **Tuesday**, **March 8th** at 12 Noon. The Boatwright & Leroux families will host this month's meeting. We will be having Soups this month. We already have about 4 soups. Please bring either bread, salads or dessert. Thank you! **CRE** for grades K-8th is held each **Wednesday 6:00-7:15pm** at St. James Church!! Contact Carey Auschwitz, crebartlesville@gmail.com.

# **UPCOMING DATES FOR CRE**

**THIS** Sunday, March 6th is **CRE** Sunday at St. James! There will be a pancake breakfast at St. James to support the CRE Program as well from 9-12. Help support our CRE program.

## **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH**

Wednesdays at 6:30pm (in the Youth House) March 9th Youth Adoration is scheduled Contact: Cassie Rebeor, bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com

## **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

Sunday, March 6: Reflection 8 in our book, pg. 113-118 NO CLASS March 13 & 20 - Spring Break Contact: Cassie Rebeor, bartlesvillecatholicyouth@gmail.com

## **ST. JOHN SCHOOL NEWS**

St. John School is in need of substitute teachers. If you are interested or have questions, contact the school office 918-336-0603.

**OPEN ENROLLMENT** for all families of the Bartlesville regional community will begin March 1. For questions and a school tour call 918.336.0603. Enrollment and Financial Applications https://www.sjcs-ok.org/for-parents.

**OPEN HOUSE** March 31st 6-7pm there will be a musical program and you can tour school classrooms and visit with teachers. Bring a friend, who is not a SJCS student or immediate family member, and earn a surprise!

**FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS** are now available to apply for the 2022-23 school year. To be considered for all financial aid scholarships, **please complete the application by April 15**. Open enrollment If you would like to tour the school, please contact the school office at 918-336-0603.

# LIVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Put on by the Youth of Our Lady (Dewey), St. James & St. John

Sunday, March 6 at 5pm - Our Lady (Dewey)

Wednesday, March 23 at 5pm - St. James

Sunday, March 27 at 5pm - Sacred Heart Sapulpa

Wednesday, April 6 at 7pm - St. Therese Collinsville

Friday, April 8 at 7pm - St. John

#### SPIRITUAL READING BOOK CLUB St. James & St. John Parishes

The Spiritual Reading Book Club will meet **Tuesday, March 8th** at 2:00pm in Conference Room 2 at St. John. We will discuss Chapters 12-15 of James Martin's Learning to Pray. The book can be ordered from Amazon for \$19.20.

## **DIVINE MERCY LENTEN MISSION**

Please join us in the church (St. John) for two evenings in Lent, Sunday & Monday, March 20 & 21, at 6:30pm, for teachings to aid in our Lent journey.

The mission will be led by Fr. Chris Alar, MIC, a priest with the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception. For more information: www.thedivinemercy.org/events.

#### RCIA - "A Catholic Moral Vision" Presenter: Deacon Charlie

God placed in the human heart a desire for beatitude—for true happiness—which is found only in Him. His moral law is the pathway to happiness. Virtue brings true freedom because it helps a person rise above his selfish desires and give the best of himself to God and to others. Reconciliation and grace offer the strength necessary to overcome sin and grow in virtue. With the Church, it is not difficult to become a saint. Do we believe it?

> Join us! Tuesday, March 8th at 7pm in Fr. Lynch Hall Contact Kim Barbour, RCIA coordinator at rcia@st-johnbartlesville.org or 952-270-4665

LENT PENANCE SERVICE THIS Tuesday, March 8, 5:30-7:30pm (St. John) "come and go"- 4 priests available

WEDNESDAYS IN LENT after Ash Wednesday will have Holy Hour with Adoration and Confession available after the 5:15pm Mass.

> FRIDAYS IN LENT (all at St. John's) Fish Fry-5pm

Holy Hour-6pm Stations of the Cross-English-7pm Stations of the Cross-Spanish-8pm

LENTEN MISSION With Fr. Chris Alar, MIC (at St. John's) Tuesday, March 20 & 21—6:30pm

FRIDAYS IN LENT-FISH FRY! Thankfully, we are once again able to gather together in Fr. Lynch Hall each Friday during Lent for a time of food and fellowship before our evening devotions. Fish Fry meals begin THIS Friday, March 4, 5-7pm. We ask for a donation of \$10, but, please don't let that stop you from joining us. Give as you are able. If you can give more where others can't give as much, we're grateful for that as well. THIS WEEK'S MENU (March 11): Fried catfish, fried cod, baked salmon, corn casserole, hush puppies, pea salad, including a soup and salad bar provided by the Home & School Association. For extra purchase: the Catholic Women will have a dessert table.

# FAITH & WORKS ANNUAL APPEAL

The Faith & Works appeal reminds us, that, together, we can do more to help with services and ministry resources than any single parish can do alone. Please remember to put the name of your parish at the top of the donor form when you mail in your card or bring it to the church office.

Thank you for being a part of our Diocese and for contributing to this appeal. God bless you !

> Please pray for the repose of the soul of parishioner Edward Joseph Gehringer, who passed away on Sunday, February 27. His family fondly remembers his long-time relationship with Fr. Bill Skeehan. Funeral services, including a military

honor guard for his service in the Marines, are pending. Edward will be interred at the Fort Gibson National Cemetery. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord.