

Weekly Announcements June 16, 2021

When they came, Samuel looked on Eliab and thought, "Surely the Lord's anointed is now before the Lord." But the Lord said to Samuel, "Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for the Lord does not see as mortals see; they look on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart."

1 Samuel 16:6-7



A Word of Thanks

Dear friends of St. James,

I am at a loss for words to describe my emotions due to the outpouring of your love and support to me and Alexis over these past two months. From cards and texts that buoyed my spirits while in treatment, your welcome on my first Sunday back with you for worship, and all the prayers and gestures of kindness in between, you have been the face of Christ. You really have been.

There are so many to thank that I ask forgiveness from those I will surely leave out. Special thanks goes to Bishop Jake for his pastoral ministry as a bishop, his personal support, and his daily prayers. Dr. Joan Brunson has been a healer with her mind, soul, and words. I am so grateful for these two!

I want to thank the Vestry for their steady and "behind the scenes" direction; they are committed to this congregation - and it shows! A big thank you goes to Michael Sterne and the choir for their faithfulness in offering music each Sunday to the praise of God. Rita and Roy did a marvelous job of running the church office on a daily basis and directing pastoral or administrative needs to the appropriate person(s). I offer a huge amount of gratitude to my colleagues in ministry who stepped in and gave the best pastoral care and ministry of presence: thank you Deacon Michael, Mtr. Liz, Fr. Jim, and Fr. George. I am blessed by your presence and ministry!

With gratitude to be your rector, and for each and every one of you reading this note, I simply say - thank you!

Yours in Christ,

Tim+ Rector

Sad News

We are deeply saddened to share with you that Mary Goodwin died yesterday, June 15th. Details of her funeral will be sent once they are finalized. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary and keep her family in your prayers.

May her soul, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.





Charlotte Ann Ray

The funeral for Charlotte Ray, a devoted member of St. James for many years, is scheduled for this Saturday, June 19, at 10:30 AM in the Nave. A reception will be held in the Parish Hall immediately following the service.

May her soul, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Coffee Hour Ministry

A heartfelt "THANK YOU" to Melanie Torbett for organizing Coffee Hour these past 2 Sundays! This small event offered a feeling of "returning to normalcy" that we all have been craving since the pandemic.

Moving forward St. James would like to have volunteers who on a monthly basis are responsible for making Coffee Hour happen. If you are interested in being a volunteer, please call the office at 318.445.9845.

June 20th **The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

In-person Eucharist

@ 10:30AM

Childcare is provided!

Readings for the Eucharist can be found by clicking here.

June 20th **The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

Online Evening Prayer

@ 5:00 PM

The order of service & readings can be found by clicking here on our church website.

Join us via this ZOOM link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86348984077?pwd=Zmg5RjVMVUt6Q3dhaU0zbUxMZ1p0Zz09

Or call: 1.312.626.6799 and enter Meeting ID: 863 4898 4077 Passcode: 1620

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June 15 - 20	\$475
July 8 - 13	\$475
June 22 - 28	\$575
July 15 - 21	\$575
June 30 - July 6	\$575
June 6 - 13	\$675
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Summer Fun @ Camp Hardtner

Plan a fun-filled week for your child/teen, grandchild, niece, nephew or just a child/teen you love!

Go to

www.camphardtner.org/summer-camp to discover the right week for your age child/teen.

Or call 318.765.3794

Parish Prayer List

Please keep these members of our community in your prayers:

Kristie Fresh, Julie Niven, Randal Skinner, Sawyer, Gordon Roach, Dee Drell, C. A. Zachary, Laura Johnson, John, Bernard Parker, James Sinclair, Charlie Charrier, Johnnie Hart, Jerry Neal, Emily, Taylor Thompson, Todd Fuller, Jane Y. Harris, Chase Barnfield, Kip Hogue, Kyle, James Jay Watts, Janet & Carl Ahrens, Beth Virden, Glenn Guillory, Edna Schoolcraft, Karen Donahue, Jimmy Hurt, Charlotte Thrift, Mesta Bain, Margaret Broussard, Allie Bunyog, Dean M. Tyree, Linda & John Bazer, Ron Kingston, Cecile Brunson, Felicia, Rita Clancey, Barry Mercer, Annie, Jackie Jeanne,

Jaclyn Cutrone, Dietrich DeBoer, Beverly Butler, Bruce Gremillion, Murel Trimble, Emily, Betty Anne Close, Bill Leibke, Sarah, Jackie Moody, Sarah, Wayne and Barbara Moorehead, Pat Carter, Dr. Jack Jackson, Richard Norem, Kevin Hooter, Warren Paul, Cindy Smith, Jane Tyson, Gerard, and Mehre Hajighassem.

For those in the military:

Samuel Hayes, Steven Rougeau, Steven Brevelle, Franklin Watson, Kyle Jordan, Gill Tatman-Tyree, Donal McCarthy, Michael Geiger, Erskine Cook, Jr., Steven P. Lemoine, Patrick Downs, and Chris Babcock.

For those celebrating birthdays in June (day):

Theresa Levy (1), Angela Hayes (7), Susan Provosty (10), Rob Ratcliff (10), Gay Hester (11), Jane Searcy (11), Katie Chapman (13), Charlene Gates (15), Alice Gill (15), Elizabeth Milliner (16), Sara Marshall (20), Carstens McConville (21), Sallie Monk (21), Jerry Neal (21), Tom Yeager (21), Babs Leggett (22), Travis McCartney (22), David Shepherd (22), Graves Theus (22), John Brewer (23), Bennett Fresh (23), Susannah Theus (23), Henry Clancey (26), Richard Norem (28), Lindsey Torbett (28), Amy Norton (29).



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