

St. James Catholic Parish

Corner of Detroit & Granger Avenue • Lakewood, Ohio • Pastor – Fr. Joseph Workman Pastoral Support – Fr. Deogratias Ruwaainenyi

Mass Schedule

Monday-Wednesday-Friday 8:15 a.m. Saturday Vigil, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Holy Days of Obligation, TBA

Contact Information

Saint James Parish Office 17400 Northwood Avenue Lakewood, Ohio 44107

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Sacrament of Penance

St. James - By Appointment St. Clement - 3:00-3:30 p.m. on Saturdays Or By Appointment

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

Lakewood Catholic Academy (LCA)

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Parish Staff & Business Hours

Fr. Joseph Workman, Pastor

Fr. Deogratias Ruwaainenyi, Pastoral Support

Deacon Danny Bryan, Pastoral Support

Mrs. Alyssa Nadin, Bookkeeper

Mrs. Colleen Houk, Director of Faith Formation

Mrs. Diane Mravec, Parish Secretary Ms. Susan Lezan, Director of Music

Office Hours

Monday-Wednesday-Friday: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

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For any emergency anointing or a Funeral Director, please call St. James Pastor, Fr. Workman, who can be reached at St. Clement Parish, **216-226-5116.**

Bulletin Deadline

<u>All announcements</u> for submission need to be in by <u>Monday at noon</u> the week of publication.

Scripture Readings for the Week



Monday 1 Cor 2:1-5; Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday 1 Cor 3:1-9; Lk 4:38-44

Thursday 1 Cor 3:18-23; Lk 5:1-11

Friday 1 Cor 4:1-5; Lk 5:33-39

Saturday 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday Ez 33:7-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

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Mass Intentions

Monday, August 31 - Weekday

8:15 am **Dan Ziegler (Living)**



Wednesday, September 2 - Weekday

8:15 am † George & Diane Pekar

Friday, September 4 - Weekday 8:15 am † Louis Wendt

Saturday, September 5 - Vigil

4:30 pm † Charles Dailey, Sr.

Sunday, September 6 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 am For the Parish

New Office Procedures

- Adjusted Business Hours still in effect.
- NO ADMITTANCE in the office at this time.
- Contact us by phone or email both will be monitored closely.
- If dropping off anything, please use door mail slot.
- If picking anything up, please make arrangements by phone and it will be left outside the door on the table.

Thank you for your patience and understanding at this time.

Come ~ **Pray** the **Rosary**



The Rosary | Thursdays | 7:00pm Courtyard

Join us to pray the Rosary together, while safely social distancing in our peaceful church courtyard. Please bring your own chair, and meet near Mary's statue.



Last week, we heard Peter's profession of faith in Jesus as the Messiah and the

words spoken by Christ to Peter: "You are Peter and on this rock I will build my church." The conversation between Jesus and Peter continues in today's gospel and takes a very different turn. The suffering and death of Jesus will cast a shadow over the rest of the gospel. Peter is shocked to hear Jesus speak for the first time of His approaching suffering, death and Resurrection, shocked that the Messiah should suffer such a fate. Amid the differing opinions about God's Messiah, there was no expectation of suffering and death. Jesus Himself, however, understood that the Messiah was also to be a "suffering servant." The lesson for Peter is a lesson for all. Whatever our position in the Church, we must be open to the unexpected ways of God, ready to learn new things, not to prefer "man's way" to God's. The Christian is not called to position and prosperity in this word, but to self-sacrifice in the service of others. This is a constant challenge, which will often lead us on narrow and difficult paths. We can only face this reality knowing that Jesus has trodden the path before us, and that this road leads to the fullness of life. The first reading, from one of the "confessions" of the prophet Jeremiah, reveals the prophet's struggle and enduring commitment to preaching the word.

Am I open to the unexpected ways of God?

What are the crosses in my life that I refuse to carry willingly?

Let us pray for the courage and endurance we need in our Christian lives. Let us pray for all who seek to alleviate the sufferings of others.

AM 1260 The Rock is praying for you! AM 1260 The Rock prays daily for the intentions of our listeners. In addition, the nuns at Christ the Bridegroom Monastery in Burton pray for your intentions as well. Send your prayer request to: prayers@am1260therock.com or call us at 216-227-1260, option 1.



August 22	4:30 pm	St. James
August 29	4:30 pm	St. James
Sept. 5	4:00 pm	St. Clement
Sept. 12	4:30 pm	St. James
Sept. 19	4:00 pm	St. Clement
Sept. 26	4:30 pm	St. James

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults



Do you know someone who has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? **INVITE THEM** to join our RCIA Process.

The RCIA is open to adults from all faith traditions who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church.

During our first several weeks, we will explore topics such as: Who is Jesus? Why and How do I pray? How does God guide us?

How was the Bible formed? And other topics!

If you are interested or know someone who might be interested, please call Deacon Danny at: (216) 375-9340 or email him at: dlbryan@gmail.com.

News from AM 1260 The Rock!

AM 1260 The Rock is pleased to support The Seven **Sisters Apostolate.** This Apostolate is a call to strengthen the Church by ensuring that a Holy Hour is prayed each day of the week for the sole intention of your pastor or a specific priest. Learn How to Start a Group at Your Parish! Please go to: www.am1260therock.com and click on the "Archive" tab and then choose "Special Recordings" to find the audio recording of the Seven Sisters Apostolate Info Session. We were blest to have the foundress of this Apostolate, Janette Howe, on this Zoom call. Hear how other parishes in Northeast Ohio have started their Seven Sisters Apostolate and are currently praying for their Parish Priest! To receive a special Seven Sisters prayer book, or to find out more about this Apostolate, please call: Bernadette Boguski at (216) 227-1260.

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