

**Mass Schedule**

Monday, 6:30am

Tuesday, 6:30am

Wednesday, 6:30pm

Thursday, 6:30am

Friday, 8:00am

Saturday, 8:00am

Saturday, 5pm

Sunday, 8am

Sunday, 10:30am

CCD PK-12 Classes

9:00am to 10:20am

**Confessions**

30 min. before Sunday  
and Holy Days Masses  
20 minutes before Daily  
Masses and by appt.

**Exposed Eucharistic Adoration**

Thursday 7pm to 8pm.  
Benediction at 7:50pm

**Stations of the Cross**

Friday during Lent  
7:00pm



# Saint James Catholic Church

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## May 30, 2021

### The Most Holy Trinity

“Behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.”

*Matthew 28:20*

**May 31 Mon:****Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary F***Zep 3: 14-18a or Rom 12: 9-16/ Is 12: 2-3. 4bcd. 5-6/ Lk 1: 39-56***Jun 1 Tue:****Justin, mt M***Tb 2: 9-14/ Ps 112: 1-2. 7-8. 9/ Mk 12: 13-17***Jun 2 Wed:***Tb 3: 1-11a. 16-17a/ Ps 25: 2-3. 4-5ab. 6 & 7bc. 8-9/ Mk 12: 18-27***Jun 3 Thu:****Charles Lwanga & co., mts M***Tb 6: 10-11; 7: 1bcde. 9-17; 8: 4-9a/ Mk 12: 28-34***Jun 4 Fri:***Tb 11: 5-17/ Ps 146: 1b-2. 6c-7. 8-9a. 9bc-10/ Mk 12: 35-37***Jun 5 Sat:****Boniface, bp, mt M***Tb 12: 1. 5-15. 20/ Tb 13: 2. 6efgh. 7. 8/ Mk 12: 38-44***Jun 6 SUN:****THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST S***Ex 24: 3-8/ Ps 116: 12-13. 15-16. 17-18 (13)/ Heb 9: 11-15/**Mk 14: 12-16. 22-26*

Mass		May 29-30	June 5-6	June 12-13	June 19-20
<b>Sat. 5:00 pm</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Jerry Lentfer		Diana McCown	Joe Vinton
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Randy Eickmeier	Kurt Larkins	Scott Osterhaus	Randy Eickmeier
	<b>Server</b>	Mason Henn	Logan Wilken	Nate Eisenbarth	Dawson Burenheide
	<b>Server</b>	Bryson Clements	Wyatt Fortner	Max Zavala	Easton Burenheide
	<b>Usher</b>			Scott Clements	Scott Clements
	<b>Usher</b>			Robert Braden	Robert Braden
	<b>Offertory</b>			Wilken Family	Larkins Family
<b>Sun. 8:00 am</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Michelle Milke	Janet Ragland	Chris Hytrek	Michelle Milke
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Chris Hytrek	Tony Sullivan	Pat Milke	Chris Hytrek
	<b>Server</b>	Andrew Oelke	Eli Van Brocklin	Mason Eickmeier	Ryland Hochstein
	<b>Server</b>	Austin Oelke	Max Jacobson	Carson Eickmeier	Reed Hochstein
	<b>Usher</b>			Blain Johnson	Blain Johnson
	<b>Usher</b>			John Vrbka	John Vrbka
	<b>Offertory</b>			Bean Family	Bell Family
<b>Sun. 10:30 am</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Shirley Yates	Larry Etmund	Karl Gramann	Shirley Yates
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt
	<b>Server</b>	Carson Louch	Simon Robinson	Hayden Nielson	Sam Troxel
	<b>Server</b>	Brady Troxel	Sam Robinson	Nolan Nielson	Ty Troxel
	<b>Usher</b>			Neil Dominy	Neil Dominy
	<b>Usher</b>			Don Hinds	Don Hinds
	<b>Offertory</b>			Brenner Family	Dominy Family
<b>Collection Counters</b>				Randy & Colleen Eickmeier / Amy Argo	Julie Pfungsten / Lauren Ehmen

**Parish Potluck** will be Sunday June 13th after the 10:30 mass. Meat will be provided (fried chicken) bring a side dish and/or dessert to share. This will also be the "Thank You" dinner for Father Walsh - for all the leadership he has given to our parish in the past two years. More reminders will be coming but want to have the date set for the calendars!!

**Companions on the journey** - The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, invite single women, ages 18-40 who are considering religious life, to attend our Monastic Experience July 16-22, 2021. We hope to give participants a more in-depth experience of our way of life. Those who come will experience our rhythm of prayer, work and recreation. There will be daily input on prayer, monastic life and discernment, as well as time for personal prayer and faith sharing. There is no cost to attend. Participants must be fully vaccinated before attending. To learn more, please visit [www.benedictinesisters.org](http://www.benedictinesisters.org). To register, please contact Sr. Maria Victoria at (660) 944-2221 ex. 127 or email [vocation@benedictinesisters.org](mailto:vocation@benedictinesisters.org).

**SKY Camp (Catholic Summer Camp for Youth)** is a fun, prayerful, and powerful experience for children going into grades 5-9! Camp activities include Mass, swimming, catechesis, skits, Reconciliation, campfires, basketball, crafts, archery, music, and a multitude of outdoor games. For more information about SKY Camp as a camper or as a staff volunteer, contact [www.campkateri.org](http://www.campkateri.org) or [CampKateriT@gmail.com](mailto:CampKateriT@gmail.com). Dates:

SKY Camp (rising grades 5th-7th)

Session 5: June 13-15 (Sun-Tues)

Session 3: June 6-8th (Sun-Tues)

SKY Teens (rising grades 8th-9th)

Session 4: June 10-12 (Thurs-Sat)

Session 6: June 17-19 (Thurs-Sat)

**Diocesan Canoe Trip** is open to high school youth and college students. Adults are also invited along as sponsors/drivers. Join us in a couple of lazy days along the Niobrara River, along with fellowship, Mass and a lot of fun! Hurry, because space is limited: July 11-13, 2021 [26 spots remaining] and July 13-15, 2021 [60 spots remaining] are the two options.

### **Steubenville High School Youth Conference**

Steubenville Conferences are specialized to address the needs of today's Catholic youth. With an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, the High School Youth Conferences challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world.

Expect a high-energy youth conference where thousands of teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, small group discussions, and fellowship with other teens. Students entering 9th grade through just graduated seniors are able to attend. <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/04-ym-2021-steubenville-conference>

### **Steubenville STL Mid-America**

**When: July 16-18, 2021**

**Location: Missouri State University, Springfield MO**

**Date Night Series** co-hosted by the Emmaus Institute on "Marriage in Scripture". These free nights will have appetizers, drinks, a short talk, and time for couples to discuss. June 17th, and July 22nd from 7-9 (talk is at 7:30) May 20th will be held at the Newman Center in Lincoln, future locations TBD. No RSVP required.

**Are you longing for an encounter with Jesus?** Do you need the space to pray and worship the Lord? "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble of heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light" (Matthew 11:28-30). Jesus is yearning to meet you in your longing for Him. Join us as we pour our hearts to the Lord in adoration and worship during IMF's (International Missionary Foundation) nights of prayer and praise. All are welcome to one or more of the nights at John XXIII Chapel, 3700 Sheridan Boulevard. The dates are June 4, July 2 and August 6 from 8:00-9:30pm.

**In the back of church is a sign up for the fireworks fundraiser. Also, there is a site for signing up (signupgenius.com) Cortland. Thank you for your participation in this Knights of Columbus and parish fundraiser. Joe Vinton 402 830 8338- Brad Wilken 402 943 8422 Neal Dominey 402 750 2940**

**"Day of Grace for Moms in Transition"** On June 5th, 2021, the FLO will be hosting a "Day of Grace for Moms in Transition" from 9-4 at the John XXIII Diocesan Center. This day long retreat is for moms of high school juniors and above and will address the spiritual implications of the changes accompanying your children leaving home. Cost is \$35 or \$10 for virtual. More info at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/transitionmoms>

**Retreat for Moms of Young People** -June 26th, 2021, the very popular Retreat for Moms of Young People will be happening at the Good Counsel Retreat house. Fr. Ben Holdren will be giving a series of talks for moms of younger children. This is a daylong retreat and babies are welcome. Virtual option available also! For more info and to sign up: <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/ymretreat>

### **NOTES FROM FATHER WALSH...**

**Retreat.** I will be on retreat this week, beginning Monday night and concluding Thursday night. There will be morning Mass on Monday (Memorial Day) at 6:30am. Our next parish Mass will be Friday, June 4 at 8:00am. Please remember me in your prayers this week. Annual retreats are always important to us, but I feel the need for special graces on this one. It's been a rough year and the move has been challenging. Your spiritual support is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

**A Memorial Petunia Plant.** As you know, my good friend, Fr. Copenhagen, passed away on Easter night (April 4). Another close priest friend of mine, Fr. Brouillette, suggested that I get a hanging petunia basket as a memorial gift, and care for it. Fr. Copenhagen loved these flowers, and would decorate his deck with several of these plants each spring and summer. So, I purchased a hanging basket, placed it on the table in my patio area, and have cared for it for the last month or so. I'm no green thumb when it comes to flowers. But this plant has blossomed in a beautiful way. I give it a pitcher of water daily, and daily groom it by plucking dead flowers. It's been a fun project, a great way to remember my friend, and a beautiful sight on the patio. I didn't know flowers had such power of healing and joy. Copenhagen's probably thinking: what took you so long, dummy!

**One More Project.** I am working on a final project in the sacristy, a work table to replace the card table we presently have which is a bit marred by wax, hot ember burns, and stains. I have a table in the rectory that I have used for a television stand, that is very nice, 50 inches long and 18 inches wide. It also has two drawers and a shelf. I ordered a granite top for it, from Midwest Tile and Marble and went to pay for the top last week and was told: 'Father, we'll give it to you.' I was asked to offer Mass for Judy Renner (a sister of the owner) and I offered an additional Mass for the intentions of this work group. Don't know when the top will be ready, but I am hoping it will come before the 14th of June. I've enjoyed the little things we have been able to do to make our church more beautiful.