

**MASS FOR THE WEEK
February 11 - February 18**

SAT., 2/11 Our Lady of Lourdes

5:30 Herman & Madden Families/Mr. & Mrs.
Robert Herman

SUN., 2/12 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 Jane Frances Carbone/Les Carbone
8:15 Anthony Parkes/Ann Parkes
9:30 Joseph E. Lang/His Wife
10:45 Special Remembrances of the Week
12:00 Claire & William Faistl/Susan & Don Faistl
5:30 The People of the Parish

MON., 2/13

6:25 Rose DiPiero/The Spitz Family
8:00 Rose DiPiero/The Raphalion Family

**TUES., 2/14 Saints Cyril, Monk & Methodius,
Bishop**

6:25 Salvatore & Rose Straface/Dtr., Michele
8:00 Anna Marie Callahan/Husband, Robert

WEDS., 2/15

6:25 Dec'd. Members of the Harris Family/
Emma Ducey & Family
8:00 Michael Allingham/Loretta Johnson

THURS., 2/16

6:25 Denise Toscano/Robert & Gail Stockley
8:00 Martin Connolly, Living/M. Connolly

**FRI., 2/17 The Seven Holy Founders of the
Servite Order**

6:25 Grandma Sinisi/Granddtr. Michele Ronga
8:00 Elaine Seibert/Harold & Randee Cassidy

SAT., 2/18

8:00 Mary Jane Knoll/Anita LaRosa
5:30 John Ducey/Emma Ducey & Family

SUN., 2/19 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 Catherine Theiss/William Theiss
8:15 Mary & John Galatro/Marion Ponturiero
9:30 Janice Tyndall/Her Family
10:45 Special Remembrances of the Week
12:00 Michael R. Truex, Jr./His Wife
5:30 The People of the Parish

Mass Readings

Sun., 2/12 Sir 15:15-20 Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34
1 Cor 2:6-10 Mt 5:17-37
Mon., 2/13 Gn 4:1-15, 25 Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21
Mk 8:11-13
Tues., 2/14 Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10 Ps 129:1a, 2, 3ac-4
Mk 8:14-21
Wed., 2/15 Gn 8:6-13, 20-22 Ps 166:12-15, 18-19
Mk 8:22-26
Thurs., 2/16 Gn 9:1-13 Ps 102:16-18, 19-23, 29
Mk 8:27-33
Fri., 2/17 Gn 11:1-9 Ps 33:10-15 Mk 8:34-9:1
Sat., 2/18 Heb 11:1-7 Ps 145:2-5, 10-11 Mk 9:2-13
Sun., 2/19 Lv 19:1-2, 17-18 Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13
1 Cor 3:16-23 Mt 5:38-48

Memorials

Ad Marjorem Dei Gloriam

Our Lady's Candle Is Offered In Loving Memory of
Ellen Perry Brennan by Brian & Erin Brennan

MASS REMEMBRANCES. This Sunday at the
10:45 Mass, we remember our special intentions of
the week: A Special Intention; Joseph Czyz/Family;
Albert Gallagher/Edward & Aileen Harrington; Fe
Belarmino, B'day./Rex Gimotea Family; Joseph
Lombardi/Ingrid Hoffman & Family; Sean Doerr/
Grimm Family; Patricia Ann Cashin/Courtney
Davis; Grace C. Friscia/Ken Hynes; Jacob
Quartararo/Family;



Please Pray for the Sick

Come to us, O risen Savior, faithful physician of
our bodies and souls, and grant relief to our sick
and aging who suffer: Joe; Ed Holian; Catherine
Sharkey; Donna Halse; Debbie Fitzpatrick; Karen
Degenhart; Andre; Maire Gallagher;

Please Note: Names on the Prayers for the Sick
list will be removed at the end of the month.
Please feel free to call if you would like someone
kept on the list for the new month.

Please Pray for the Recently Deceased

Deceased Parishioners, Family and Friends of St. James Parish: Mary Kay Weber.

Please pray for the men and women of our armed

forces, especially Capt. Steven Carbone; Staff Sgt. Matthew D'Alessandro, USMC; Steven James Gluth; Owen Michael (Bergin) McCann USN; Jason Palendrano; Staff Sgt. Matthew Roberts; Jonathan Welch; Shane Martin Dalton, USMC., Capt. Nicholas Abbate & Capt. Justin Abbate (brothers); Majors Brian C. Jones(Truex) & Crystal Jones (Husband & Wife); Capt. Josh Pershing; Brendan Gilroy; Lcpl. Brian Dilger, Jr., USMC; LTC Robert Duchaine; Maj. Carlo Brancato, USMC; Capt. Robert Beery; Capt. Thomas Beery; Capt. Sean Screen (Iraq); Sgt. James Conklin (Afghanistan); 1LT Cooper Lewis, USMC; Pvt. Robert Bartos, Army; Spec E4 Thomas F. Welch, V; Navy, AOAA Brian J. Truex; Cpl. Kevin Andia, USMC; Staff Sgt. Miguel Soto; Jeffrey Trezza, LTJG;

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FOCUS: God gave us commandments because he loves and cares for his people.

LITURGY OF THE WORD: The first reading exhorts us to freely choose to keep God's commandments, for they help keep our feet planted on the path to life. The second reading reminds us of the importance of seeking true wisdom from God. In the Gospel, Jesus teaches that he has come to fulfill the law – not to abolish it. He came to show us how to live and love.

THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES

BSA (Broad Street Auditorium) HS(High School)
SUNDAY,2/12

REP; Gr. K-7, 9:15-10:30AM, 8th Gr., 9-10:30AM
3PM, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church
6:30-8PM, St. James Youth Group: "God Squad"

MONDAY,2/13

TUESDAY,2/14

7:30 PM, Folk Choir, Church

WEDNESDAY,2/15

6 PM, Rosary Prayer Cenacle, the Convent

7 PM, St. James Choir, Church

7:30PM, RCIA, Parish Meeting Room

THURSDAY,2/16

7:30-9M, Peace of Christ Prayer Grp., Parish Mtg. Rm.

FRIDAY,2/17

SATURDAY,

6:30AM, That Man Is You, Student Center

SUNDAY,2/18

REP; Gr. K-7, 9:15-10:30AM, 8th Gr., 9-10:30AM
3PM Divine Mercy Chaplet, Church

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM OUR PARISH**Young Adults Group:**

Are you between 21-39 years old? Looking to get more involved in parish activities? Sign up for the YAG email list by visiting www.stjames-redbank.com/youngadults.html

We'll keep you updated on upcoming events, discussions, service projects, and socials! Like our Facebook page for more information:

[*https://www.facebook.com/YoungAdultsSJR/*](https://www.facebook.com/YoungAdultsSJR/)

"SOUPER" BOWL OF CARING: St. James Youth Group, "The God Squad," is sending a big thank you to our parishioners for contributing to the annual "Souper Bowl" of Caring collection. Due to your outstanding generosity, \$2000 will be distributed to Our Daily Bread, St. Anthony's Food Pantry, and the Barn for the Poorest of the Poor to assist them in their charitable work. May God bless you for your kindness!



BOY SCOUT SUNDAY will be celebrated at the 12 noon Mass on Sunday, February 19th. All youth and adult members involved in the Boy Scouts of America, past & present, are encouraged to participate. We will assemble, in uniform, at 11:15AM in the school cafeteria and process together to Mass. Following the Liturgy there will be refreshments and fellowship in the cafeteria. Please contact Denis Longo at 732/542-4083 with names of the youth and adults who have earned religious awards, and an estimated head count so that we may reserve enough pews in front.

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Join us each Sunday at 3PM in the Church for the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

OUR DAILY BREAD: Please remember those in need with your donations to our Poor Boxes.
Thank you!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God...it is right to give Him thanks and praise. **Come to the Peace of Christ Prayer Group** for an opportunity to get together with others who give thanks and praise to our God and pray for each other's needs. We meet in the High School Meeting room on Thursday evenings at 7:30 PM .



ROSARY PRAYER CENACLE invites you to say the Whole Rosary, sing hymns to Our Lady and read the meditation every Wednesday at 6PM in the Convent.

OUR LADY NEEDS YOUR HELP: Please come say the Rosary every 2nd & 4th Monday, 2 to 3 PM at the Meridian Rehab Center, Shrewsbury. Call Lucy Rounds, 732/747-9044 for information.

REBOOT! LIVE! and Beyond

We would like to extend a very special thank you to everyone who made last week's Reboot! Live! event possible. Reboot was an endeavor that took many months of planning to accomplish. To all those who helped to get the word out, sell tickets, coordinate our gathering spaces, or who attended one of the three sold-out events (at Red Bank Catholic High School on 2/1, at Saint James School on 2/1, or at Nativity Parish on 2/2), we could not be more grateful, and trust that you found the experience to be a blessing in your lives! Special thanks to Monsignor Lowery, Red Bank Catholic High School, St. James Elementary School and the Church of the Nativity for accommodating such huge events. And, of course, to Chris Stefanick and Real Life Catholic, for spreading the Gospel message in such a real and inspiring way to nearly 2,500 of us in two days! Let's keep the momentum going; invite someone to Church, join a Bible Study, or consider joining one of our many parish ministries. Live the life God created for you! God Bless, Ann-Marie DeStefano (St. James Parish), Shawn Mack (St. Anthony of Padua) and Annie DiDomenico (Church of the Nativity)



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Families must be registered in St. James Parish in order to enroll children in this program and submit a copy of the Baptism certificate for new students who were not baptized here. Call 732 747-6006 for information and forms. Classes meet on Sunday mornings from September through April. Children are expected to continue religious education studies after reception of their sacraments in order to be fully prepared for the celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation in 8th grade.

THE DIOCESE OF TRENTON**FROM OUR SCHOOLS****20th Annual Catholic Men for Jesus Christ:
Saturday, February 25th.**

St. Joseph Parish, 685 Hooper Ave., Toms River.
The theme of this year's conference is "Into the Breach". The day runs from 8AM to 3PM with Mass being celebrated by Bishop David O'Connell, as well as inspiring talks by US Congressman Chris Smith; Tim Staples, a nationally renowned Catholic apologist and evangelist; and Marie Joseph, Executive Director of the Legacy of Life Foundation. There will also be music, Catholic vendors, and the opportunity to fellowship with other men who are looking to grow in their walk with Jesus and dynamically live out their Catholic faith. A youth breakout session will also be offered for young men from 8th grade to college age.

Cost is \$25 in advance (\$30) at the door); \$10 for students. Breakfast and lunch provided. For more information go to www.catholicmenforjesuschrist.org. To register by mail, send the name(s) of each person registering, your check, and a self-addressed stamped envelope to: Catholic Men for Jesus Christ, PO Box 816, Morrisville, PA 19067.

Men's Priestly Vocation Discernment Meeting:

If you are a single Roman Catholic man between the ages of 18 and 40 who would like to know more about an exciting and powerful approach to life in the Lord, join us for this month's Priestly Vocation Discernment Meeting on Sunday, February 26th from 6:00 p.m. (Mass) - 8:00 p.m. at St. Mary of the Lakes Church, 40 Jackson Rd. in Medford. Join Father Mike Wallack, Father Dan Swift and Father Carlos Florez for a discussion on the priesthood, discernment and vocations, and dinner. Please RSVP (or for further information) by contacting Father Dan at father_dan@smlparish.org.

Red Bank Catholic High School:

CAFETERIA HELP WANTED, Hours, 7AM to 2PM, school days. No special skills required. Please obtain an application from the RBC main office.

Saint James School**Looking for a nurturing and engaging Preschool or Kindergarten?**

Give us a call, schedule a tour - learn about what Saint James School has to offer. Bring a friend!

Thursday, February 23 for Preschool, Kindergarten through 8th Grade 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Saint James Hosts Free Preschool Program**Searching for a good Preschool? We have it right here!**

Saint James School is hosting a fun filled **free** program called *Read, Rock, and Roll!* for parent and child! Get a head start on preschool and ensure that your child is ready to enter a fall school program.

The program is held for 6 weeks starting March 8th and meets on Wednesdays from 10 - 11 AM at Saint James School. We welcome children ages 2 ½ - 5, space is limited and fills up quickly. Please register your child by calling 732 741-3363 ext. #2. Although these story times and activities are aimed at preschool children, younger siblings are welcome. Come and visit our exceptional preschool learning program, explore the space, meet new families and see all that we have to offer! Visit our website at www.mysaintjames.com for more information.

Catholic Schools Week

We would like to thank all of our students, parents, teachers, and fellow parishioners for making our Catholic Schools Week a very successful and meaningful event. *The opening celebration is kicked off with an entire school mass. Every day throughout the week activities are planned for all, that support activities for appreciating students and teachers. Our Student Council and teachers plan many activities for their students throughout the week, which include an Adopt a Classroom, a daily Saint quiz, spirit days, and a spirited pep rally.*

We had a very active open house for both future families and also for our current parents, grandparents, and friends who toured the school and visited the classrooms with much enthusiasm. It certainly was a week that provided a great opportunity for others in our community to learn about our great school and to celebrate Catholic Schools Week!

COMMUNITY NEWS**Second Collection for the Church in Central & Eastern Europe** will be taken up next weekend.

This collection supports the Church in over 20 countries, many of which are still struggling to recover in the aftermath of Soviet rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection next week.

More information can be found at

www.uscb.org/ccee

Holy Land Pilgrimage: Join Msgr. Sam Sirianni, Fr. Daniel Peirano & Fr. Anthony Sirianni on a trip to the Holy Land; November 12-20, 2017. For complete details please join us for a meeting on March 27th at 7:00pm at St. Robert Bellarmine Church, 61 Georgia Road, Freehold. For more information contact Graycar Travel, 800-214-6723.

The St. James Senior Citizens Club meets the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month at the Red Bank Senior Center at **1 PM**. Call Sr. Ethel for more information, 732/741-0724.

Catholics United For Life invite you to join the Rosary Vigil For Life every Saturday, 9AM to 10AM rain or shine, at the planned parenthood abortion facility, 69 East Newman Springs Road, Shrewsbury.

**INTENTIONS OF HIS HOLINESS,
POPE FRANCIS I FOR FEBRUARY**

For Evangelization: Comfort for the Afflicted.

That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

OUR PARISH MINISTRIES – to get involved email your contact info to saintjamesredbank@verizon.net

Faith in Our Future Greg Arnold

Adult Choir	Ashley Kate Gimotea	Our Daily Bread	Martha Christofili
Folk Choir	Joe Clark	Hospitality	Stephanie Snow
Knights of Columbus	Jim Booth	Senior Citizens	Sr. Ethel Friedman
Social Concerns	Jim Schmitt/Kathy Panepinto	Youth Group	Ann-Marie & Dave DeStefano
That Man is You	Jack Paul	Altar Servers	Christian Buckman
Lazarus Ministry	Pat Ahlemeyer	Religious Ed Program	Fillie Duchaine
RCIA	Deacon Bryan Davis	Peace of Christ Prayer Group	Sue Kuhar
Ushers	Pat Flood		