

St. James Parish Family

201 N. Missouri Street
Potosi, MO 63664

Rev. Joseph Welschmeyer, Pastor



Archbishop Robert Carlson—Ordained May 23, 1970
He is the 9th Archbishop of St. Louis, MO. Installed June 10, 2009. www.archstl.org



Fr. Edward Rice—Ordained January 3, 1987.
He has been the Director of Vocations for the Archdiocese of St. Louis since July, 2008. His email address is: edwardrice@archstl.org

Worship:
Tues, Wed, Thur, Fri. 8:00 AM
Saturday: 4:30 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
10:00 AM

Office Hours:
9:00 AM—4:00 PM
Mon-Fri
Phone: 573-438-4686
888-868-8188

Confessions: Saturday
4:00 until Last One
Baptism: Arranged
by appointment
Marriages: Arranged by
appointment at least 6
months prior.

**Parish School of Religion
Or Parish Hall**
Phone: 573-436-0144

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stjameschurch@centurytel.net
WEBSITE:
www.stjamespotosi.org

DATE: AUGUST 30, 2009
THE 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF:

MON, "No Masses are Celebrated on Mondays"
TUES, 8:00 AM Ike Roy
WED, 8:00 AM PSR Teachers
THURS, 8:00 AM Greg Edgar
FRI, 8:00 AM Special Intention
SAT, 4:30 PM Betty Chazelle
SUN, 8:00 AM Jonathan Kidd
10:00 AM The People of the Parish

ENVELOPES.....\$3,157.00
LOOSE\$232.00
CHILDREN...(4)... \$3.45
VOTIVE LIGHTS..... \$37.00
GIFT SHOP..... \$120.00
Fr. Ibok..... \$715.00
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL\$64.00

FOR THE WEEK OF:
August 23, 2009
RECEIVED: \$3,389.00

SPECIAL MINISTRIES FOR WEEK SEPTEMBER 5TH & 6TH

Eucharistic Ministers

SAT, 4:30 C. Laurie DeGonia
L. Nadine Morgan
R. Charles Schloemer
SUN, 8:00 Marvin Wright
Patti Pleimann
Susan Mathis
SUN, 10:00 Linda DeClue
Randy Eaton
Laura Fulbright

LECTORS

SAT, 4:30 Charlie Schloemer
SUN, 8:00 Sharon Forrester
SUN, 10:00 Laura Fulbright



SERVERS

MUSIC
SAT 4:30- Chala Short
SUN 8:00-Rebecca Richards
SUN 10:00-Anita Govero
SAT 4:30- Colby Boyer, Lane Short, Morgan Logsden
SUN 8:00- Chris Mathis, Taylor Reed, Amber Jones
SUN 10:00- Amanda Fulbright, Kate Goza, Shianne Portell



DRIVER FOR NEXT WEEKEND
SUNDAY: Kim Coleman



GIFT BEARERS

4:30 Mr. & Mrs. Matt Gibson
8:00 Lisa Gillam Family
10:00 The Mary Gibson Family



HEAVENLY DUSTERS
Nicki Warden

Marriage Encounter Weekend: "to make a good marriage better". For dates and registration call 314-469-7317 or www.stl.wvme.org
Pre-Cana Conference: 314-792-7182
Catholic Family Services: 314-544-3800
Birthright: 1-800-300-3518 Hotline: 1-800-550-4900
Contact Project Rachel: 314-792-7565 or the website: www.stlprojectrachel.org

THE BIBLE TIMELINE: *The Story of Salvation*

The Bible Timeline is for adults of all ages. Each session will combine a DVD presentation by Scripture scholar Jeff Cavins with time for group discussion. This will be an extraordinary opportunity for all the adults and young adults in our parish. We invite you to sign up for one of our small groups. We will offer *The Bible Timeline* at various times. You can sign up for a group that will meet at parish hall on Thursdays at 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM. **Sign-ups** will take place (**August 29 & 30 and on September 19 & 20**) after all the Masses. Join us for *The Bible Timeline* here at St. James Parish in the Parish Hall beginning October 1, 2009 and continuing every Thursday. For more information about our Scripture study, call Sharon Forrester at 573-436-1936



The St. James Ladies Sodality will meet this Tuesday, September 1st at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall.



A reminder that the PSR **teachers** will meet over the evening meal at the parish hall on the night of Wednesday, September 2. School doors will be open at 4:30 p.m. Teachers meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. New teachers/catechists will be welcomed.

The PSR student **emergency forms** have been mailed to our PSR parents. These forms are to be completed, and returned **BEFORE** the students return to their opening class on the first class night, Wednesday September 9th. Parents are asked to place these completed **emergency forms** in the distinctively marked box or basket in the entrance of our church. These need to be processed before the students arrive on September 9th.

High School student Volunteers, you are welcome and so **NEEDED** to help as you have in the past. A successful PSR program has need and a place for you to work "behind the scenes" as volunteers. Please contact **Mrs. Kathy Thompson**, PSR principal **ASAP**.

All parishioners can join in prayers for the success of the new term of religious education classes. The ill and the home-bound can also join in our prayers and offering up your pains for the successful PSR term. When ever one group or sector of our parish is left out, then the parish family and it's future will suffer.

ST. JOACHIM FALL FESTIVAL

St. Joachim Parish (Old Mines) will be holding its annual Fall Festival on **Sunday, September 13, 2009**, beginning at 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM Fried Chicken and Roast Beef dinners will be served

FALL FESTIVAL SUNDAY, SEPT. 13TH
ASSUMPTION CHURCH Herculaneum, MO
Chicken & Roast Beef Dinners
Adults: \$9 Children 6-10: \$3 Under 6 Free

HOLY FAMILY PARISH, FREEBURG, MO PICNIC

SUNDAY, SEPT. 6TH
Chicken & Roast Beef Dinners
Served from 11:30—7:00
Adults:\$9.00 Children 6-11 \$4.00 5 & Under Free
Quilt Auction 5:00 PM (All Hand sewn quilts)

FRIED CHICKEN OR BEEF DINNERS

The Knights of Columbus of Washington County will be having a Fried Chicken & Beef Dinners, **Sunday, September 6th** from 10:30 AM to 2:00 PM at the K. C. Hall in Old Mines

RCIA

Please watch the parish bulletin for further announcements on this year's Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). This class will be forming and taking shape in October. This group of adults wishing to join the Catholic Church will be instructed by the pastor, Fr. Joe Welschmeyer. Parishioners please be sure to alert those who have indicated to you that they wish to enter full-communion with the Catholic faith, by way of Baptism. If a Christian person is already baptized in another Christian denomination, the Catholic Church recognizes all baptisms as valid, **except** for the Christian Scientists and the Mormon/Latter Day Saints of Jesus Christ Church.

Parish Council Topics

These are the topics from the August 11th meeting. Much of the meeting centered on finalizing plans for the parish Fall Festival set for September 27th. The grand raffle prizes were completed, and chairpersons approved, the infrastructure and support materials were gone over. The beer supplier and chicken frying by the Washington County K.C. is in order. Paul Villmer and Nedra Sitzes will assist Brian and Kathy Pashia as co-chairpersons & kitchen supervisors.

The parish hall air conditioning has been replaced and revamped. The work was done by the Crystal City Heating and Air Conditioning. This firm also provides service to the parish church heating and air conditioning.

Emergency weather radios have been placed in the church sacristy, organ loft, and in the PSR office. This step was taken after the 10 a.m. Mass congregation had to be dispersed, and the Mass canceled as a tornado approached the town of Potosi on Sunday March 8th.

New dining tables have been purchased and set up in the parish hall.

Joe Bust Painting has been chosen by bid to paint the parish hall and downstairs of the school building. The bid does not include painting the parish kitchen. This is because the refurbishing of some of the plumbing, cabinetry and stainless steel appointments are still under study.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has asked to pave a circle drive from the food pantry around to the green metal building housing the parish van. The pastor and council ok'ed the request, with the SVdPS funding the pavement project.

Mr. Tom Richter of the Archdiocesan buildings and real-estate office visited the parish on August 12th to discuss the "parish church roof replacement" options. The present cedar shake wooden shingles were put on St. James Church and rectory in December 1985 by the Barnes Construction and Roofing Company of Farmington, Mo. (24 years ago).

The finishing materials are being sent to the guidebook publishing company for the parish address & policies directory. The second directory "The parish photo directory" is being set up for the second week in October. **ALL** parishioners are encouraged to have their photos taken for the new directory. It will be very helpful to have **all** our new households in the directory.

The PSR teaches will meet at a dinner meeting on September 2 and the PSR students and Confirmation class will have their opening class on Wednesday, September 9th. Fr. Joe Welschmeyer will lead the Confirmation Class along with a married couple and one other adult.

The next parish council meeting will be Tuesday September 8th.

SCORE TOUCHDOWNS WITH ST. JAMES FOOTBALL SEASON BEGINS SEPTEMBER 10TH. Don't forget to mail in your money for your "Team Certificates"! Remember this is just a one time cost of \$25.00. If you do not understand how to play, call the rectory, we are here to help. When mailing in your registration, please mark the envelope "Football".