

St. James Catholic Parish

Corner of Detroit & Granger Avenue • Lakewood, Ohio

Mass Schedule

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

> SAINT CLEMENT Tuesday-Thursday, 5:15 p.m. Saturday Vigil, 4:00 p.m. Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Contact Information

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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 Marriage:** Diocesan Marriage policy requires that couples contact the priest at least six months prior to setting a date for marriage. Time is necessary for instructions and sacramental preparation. Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

New Parishioners: We welcome you to our community! Please contact the Parish Office to register. Anyone over 18 years of age, still living at home, should register as a single adult member of our community.

Parish School of Religion: Required for all children attending public school grades 1-8. For information, contact Colleen Houk, Director of Faith Formation.

Parish School: Lakewood Catholic Academy 14808 Lake Avenue • 216-521-0559 www.lakewoodcatholicacademycom

Faith Journey: R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiatiation of Adults) A process for those interested in the faith. Please contact the Parish Office.

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Parish Staff & Business Hours

Fr. John Chlebo, Administrator

Deacon Danny Bryan, Pastoral Support

Mrs. Alyssa Nadin, Office Manager

Mrs. Colleen Houk, Director of Faith Formation

Mrs. Janet Guetle, Organist

Mrs. Andrea Krueger, Secretary Mr. Frank Stasko, Maintenance

Office Hours

Monday-Wednesday-Friday: 9:00AM - 2:00 PM

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Email: <u>stjameslakewood@ohiocoxmail.com</u> Colleen Houk: <u>pcl.stjameslakewood@gmail.com</u>

Website: www.stjameslakewood.com

For any emergency anointing or if you are a Funeral Director, please call Saint Clement Parish, 216-226-5116.

Bulletin Deadline

All announcements for submission need to be in by **Monday at noon** the week of publication.

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28;

Lk 21:12-19

Thursday Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22

Friday Dn 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday Dn 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday Is 63:16b-17, 19b, 64:2-7; 1 Cor 1:3-9

Mk 13:33-37

Offertory Collection - Nov. 19, 2023

Weekly Offering \$4,510.00

Online Weekly Offering \$790.00

Monthly Offering \$400.00

Online Monthly Offering \$1,292.00

Total \$6,992.00

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Thank you for your generosity to St. James Parish.

Mass Intentions This Week - St. James

Monday, November 27 - Weekday

8:15 am All the Faithful Departed †

Wednesday, November 29 - Weekday

8:15 am **Deceased Members of Knisely &**

Marshall Families †

Friday, December 1 - Weekday

8:15 am **Deceased Members of the Simms &**

Gudenas Families †

Sunday, December 3 - 1st Sunday of Advent

10:30 am Pat Kopechek †

Mass Intentions This Week - St. Clement

Tuesday, November 28 - Weekday

5:15 pm Barbara McMaster †

Thursday, November 30 - St. Andrew

5:15 pm **Special Intention**

Saturday, December 2 - Weekday

4:00 pm Cayla Davis - Living

Sunday, December 3 - 1st Sunday of Advent

8:30 am Jacki & Terri Daly †

Baptized in the Spirit

Our Parish Community Welcomes...

Theodora Carmel Hiznay

Daughter of James & Aleksandra Hiznay

Baptized on November 19, 2023

Coffee & Donuts

Please join us for coffee and donuts after Mass. A special invitation is extended to new parishioners and visitors.



WE GIVE CATHOLIC

You are invited to make a difference for St. James Parish on November 28. This year, your gift will enable us to expand the courtyard lighting and security systems targeted in 2022 to include our parish offices, meeting rooms, and chapel. The new system will provide improved remote access and control to these additional areas, as well as to the church and Andrews Hall. Additionally, we will upgrade antiquated computers, network and audio-visual equipment with current technology for Parish Center operations and religious formation programs. If proceeds warrant, we plan to upgrade the existing Parish Center's HVAC in specific areas to better serve religious education programs throughout the year.

MATCHING GIFT - \$25,000! Your donation will count twice, thanks to a very generous matching gift from an anonymous donor. The donor has offered to match the total amount we raise, up to \$25,000! We are beyond grateful to this donor for supporting St. James through this fundraising challenge. Can you help us meet the challenge?

EARLY GIVING - New this year, both offline and online gifts can be made anytime starting now through Nov. 28th.

PRIZES - In previous years, we have been awarded prize money from the Catholic Community Foundation for the 2nd highest number of "unique" donors in the Small Parish Category for \$1000-\$1500 thanks to your generosity. Please consider donating separately among family members to help us win the prize. (Unique = identified by first name, last name +unique email address, can be same with credit card). Follow the leaderboards to see St. James progress towards our goals at www.wegivecatholic.org or www.facebook.com/StJamesLakewood/.

ONLINE GIFTS - To give, please visit our page, https:// www.wegivecatholic.org/organization/St-James-Parish-10 and click the **DONATE** button. Alternately, visit our website: https://www.stjameslakewood.com or simply scan the QR code below with your camera.

OFFLINE donations can be made if preferred. A team member will be downstairs after Masses on Nov. 26 to accept checks and answer questions. Or you can drop them off at the Parish Office by noon on Monday, Nov. 27 to count for this campaign. Make checks payable to St. James Parish and mark We Give Catholic on memo line. Please include your name, email address and phone number.

Thank you! We have been in awe at the outpouring of generosity in past campaigns.

God bless you for Giving Back!

Questions? Contact Mary Westmeyer at: marvwestmever@roadrunner.com



St. James Breakfast with Santa

St. James is bringing back its time-honored Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 2 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm in the Lower Church.

Your ticket includes a delicious buffet breakfast, crafts, stories by Mrs. Claus, a visit with Santa and much more.

Tickets are \$12.00 for adults 13+, \$5.00 for children ages 2-12 and no charge for children under 2 years of age.

You can get your tickets two ways:

After Mass on November 26 in the Lower Church (cash or check) or online at the St. James website (PayPal and credit cards accepted).

Questions? Email

StJamesSantaBreakfast@gmail.com or Text - Pat Buckhold at 216-375-7746.

The cutoff date for ticket sales is Monday, November 27. So put some jingle in your

life and whisper to the Jolly Big Guy your secret wishes 'cuz Santa is coming to St. James!

See you there!!

GIVING TREE

Its time for the St. James Giving Tree! We will once again be helping families through the Cleveland Catholic Charities Office of Migration & Refugee Services. participation will directly impact a refugee's life in the Cleveland area and help them rebuild their lives. The Giving Tree will run from now until December 17.

We encourage all parishioners to take an ornament with a needed item on it found in the baskets located by the church entrances. Return the item by 10:30 am Mass on December 17.

Place the item near the tree in the church and hang the ornament on the tree. Please do not wrap items. Let's fill the tree with ornaments! Thank you for your generosity!

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