

# St. James Catholic Parish

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## Staff

Fr. Kevin P. Elbert, *Pastor*

## Contact Information

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## Sacrament of Penance

St. Clement - 3:00-3:30 p.m. on Saturdays  
St. Luke - 3:00-4:00 p.m. on Saturdays  
Or By Appointment

## Parish School: Lakewood Catholic Academy

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**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.

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

## Mass Schedule

	<u>St. Clement</u>	<u>St. Luke</u>	<u>St. James</u>
Saturday Vigil	4:00 P.M.	4:30 P.M.	
Sunday	8:30 A.M.	9:00 & 11:00 A.M.	10:30 A.M.
Weekday	8:15 A.M. Thurs.	8:15 A.M. Mon., Tues., Wed.	8:15 A.M. Fri.

### Parish Staff & Business Hours

Fr. Kevin Elbert, Pastor  
 Deacon Danny Bryan, Pastoral Support  
 Mrs. Colleen Houk, Director of Faith Formation  
 Mrs. Janet Guetle, Organist  
 Mrs. Andrea Krueger, Secretary  
 Mr. Frank Stasko, Maintenance  
Office Hours  
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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 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Mk 6:53-56  
 Tuesday 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Mk 7:1-13  
 Wednesday 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Mk 7:14-23  
 Thursday 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Mk 7:24-30  
 Friday 1 Kgs 11:29-32, 12:19; Mk 7:31-37  
 Saturday 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Mk 8:1-10  
 Sunday Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1  
 Mk 1:40-45

### Offertory Collection – January 28

Weekly Offering	\$1,115.00
Online Weekly Offering	\$805.00
Monthly Offering	\$200.00
Online Monthly Offering	\$687.00
Total	\$2,807.00



*Thank you for your generosity to St. James Parish.*

### Mass Intentions This Week - St. James

Friday, February 9 - Weekday

8:15 am **Harold Kenny, Jr. †**

Sunday, February 11 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 am **Martin Bobal †**

### Mass Intentions This Week - St. Clement

Thursday, February 8 - Weekday

8:15 am **McGuire & Healy Family**  
**(Living & Deceased)**

Saturday, February 10 - Saint Scholastica

4:00 pm **Denny & Patty McGuire**

Sunday, February 11 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am **The Vybiral Family**  
**(Living & Deceased)**

### 40 Days for Life - Coming up Soon!

**From February 14 - March 24** you are invited to join with others for **40 Days for Life** - 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You are also invited to stand and peacefully pray anytime between 7:00 am to 7:00 pm during the 40-day vigil.

For more information, please contact **John Noall** at [clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com](mailto:clevelandpraysforlife@gmail.com).

### Remember our Faithful Departed

Please remember Patricia Ann Smith in your prayers and all the souls of the faithful departed.

Through the mercy of God, may they rest in peace... Amen



### Coffee & Donuts

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



### LCA Athletic Board

In the weeks ahead, the LCA Athletic Board (LCAAB) will accept applications from individuals interested in joining the Board. While certain professional skills, such as balancing the program's budget are essential, enthusiasm for youth sports is the first requirement of all LCAAB members.

If you are already involved in LCA athletics, and you are interested in using your enthusiasm to assist in the LCA athletic program, please email the **LCAAB**. Application deadline is **March 22nd**.

For any questions, **please email Pete Corrigan at: pcorrigan@gmail.com**

### Boy Scouts

We have a special invitation for 5th, 6th, and 7th grade boys looking for outdoor adventure this summer.

Talk to the young men from Troop 287, the only Catholic-based Boy Scout Troop in Lakewood.

They will be in the back vestibule after Mass and eager to tell you how Scouting has helped them build confidence, lifelong skills, and a closer appreciation for God's beautiful creation – the great outdoors.

**Please take a minute to stop back and enjoy some good conversation with these young men!!**

### World Day for Consecrated Life

This Sunday, February 4, we celebrate World Day for Consecrated Life. We give thanks for those who have consecrated their lives to God and the Church through the vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience. The consecrated life is one way that women and men live out their baptismal commitment as followers of Jesus.

Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life and be sure to thank them on their special day. Please keep them all in your prayers.

### Baby Bottles - Today

Please turn in your Baby Bottles and Donations today (February 4) and put them in the baskets at the church doors. Thank you so much for all your support!!

### Lent - Message from Father Kevin

We are quickly approaching the beginning of our Lenten journey.

Our Lenten journey begins with Ash Wednesday on Wednesday, February 14.

We will celebrate Mass with the distribution of ashes at 8:15 am at St. Luke and 5:30 pm at St. Clement.

St. Luke was chosen for the morning Mass because it is the typical Wednesday morning Mass location. St. Clement was chosen because the Community Meal is scheduled for St. James that Wednesday and there would not be enough parking along with noise issues.

Please note that Father Kevin also has Mass that day at our school, Lakewood Catholic Academy.

We will pray Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at St. Luke at 7:00 pm. Eucharistic Adoration will follow from 7:30 pm until 8:30 pm.

Also, there will be Stations of the Cross (**Family Friendly**) at St. James on Fridays from 4:30 to 5:00 pm before each Fish Fry.

A priest will be available for confessions most weeks. What a great way to add prayer to our Lenten practice of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Be sure to come to St. James Fish Fry on Fridays for dinner either after Stations of the Cross here at St. James (4:30 to 5:00 pm) or before heading to St. Luke for Stations of the Cross and Eucharistic Adoration at 7:00 pm.



The **St. James Fish Fries** are back again this year from February 16 to March 22.

This is the perfect opportunity to make new friends while working together. New parishioners, you are especially invited to participate. **Please join our Fish Fry Team!!**

**Questions?** Please contact **Mary Simon** at: **216-612-6264** or **bnangel2322@icloud.com**

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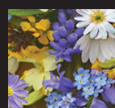
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