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CHURCH HOURS
CLOSED ON M, W, F
T, TH 9AM - 7:30PM
PLEASE ENTER BY
SCHOOL SIDE
SAT 9AM - 5:00PM
SUN 9AM - 11AM
PARISH OFFICE
Monday & Tuesday
Thursday & Friday
9AM - 4PM
(Please Note Office is
Closed on Wednesday)

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CHURCH
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$20 per month

God is not remote from us. He is at the point of my pen, my pick, my paintbrush, my needle — and my heart and my thoughts.”

- Pierre Teilhard de Chardin
Parish Faith Formation

Faith sharing Opportunity

Adult Faith & Scripture Sharing is held on Thursdays at 6pm in the Parish Conference Room (located in the Parish Office Complex).

On Line Opportunity - FORMED.org

Formed presents "Presence." An documentary series on the importance of the Eucharist. To access formed, simply create a username and password to log in. The Parish Access code is: VNZVG7

Youth Ministry Opportunity

July 10 - Outdoor Game Night 6:30-9:00PM

Join the Youth Ministry leadership team in a game of corn hole, whiffle ball, bocce or kick ball in the BC yard on our first drop-in night. All are welcome!

In the midst of the vacation season, let’s remember not to take a vacation from Christ.

Parish Picnic at Manville Park

Serving from noon

Hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, pasta salad, pickles, watermelon

Food - beverages - games - prizes

PLEASE RSVP by July 14/15

FAMILY CATHEDRALS

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Registration forms can be found on the St. James Parish website (www.saintjamesmanville.org) and parishioners may also check the social media (Facebook and Instagram) of the St. James Parish Office of Formation, Evangelization & Outreach.

FAITH FORMATION CATHECISTS

The Faith Formation Program is looking for catechists for our younger parishioners for the upcoming year. Please contact Moira McCarty at moira.stjames@gmail.com or 766.1558 Ext. 3.

Parish Change of Address

The mailing address for correspondence with St. James Parish will return to the former P.O. Box 60.

The mailing address is:

St. James Parish
P.O. Box 60
Manville, RI 02838-0060

For emergency identification the parish office is directly behind St. James Church—45-A Division Street.

Dear Parishioners,

Our Patronal Feast celebration is fast approaching. On Sunday, July 22 we will gather as a parish family to rejoice in the love of God. The God who has changed our ‘mourning into dancing’ and who has ‘wonderfully’ made us. I hope everyone will think about joining the community at the 10AM Mass and then at the Parish Picnic in Manville Park. It promises to be a great time to reminisce about former times, reconnect with family and relax with friends. Please let the Parish Office know if you can attend.

The Patronal Feast of St. James is an expression of what it means to be part of God’s Family. Megan McKenna in reflecting upon the idea of our connectedness within the family of God wrote:

“Do this: Be compassionate and then we may take the bread of compassion at Eucharist with our whole soul and mind and heart. Being compassionate toward others, making neighbors of all people is the beginning of communion. We become the friends, the companions of God, those who break bread with God when we break open our lives and care for the needs of our neighbors as our God has done with us.”

May we treasure our communion with God and one another.

The parish is in the preparation stages of the Grateful for God’s Providence Capital Campaign. The parish will be informed as to how we can all participate and help make the campaign successful.

The 2018 St. Ambrose/St. James Mission Trip is almost here. Please pray for the 15 members of Team 2018 who will be visiting Jamaica from August 4—11. Pray that the grace of God will be poured out upon the residents of the Mustard Seeds Communities of Jamaica and that God’s grace will be bestowed upon the Mission Team 2018.

The St. James Youth Ministry is beginning a Drop-In Night on July 10. It promises to be a fun night for our young people. I encourage all our young people to join our Youth Ministry Leadership Team 6:30—8:00 PM.

Peace,

Fr. Tom