

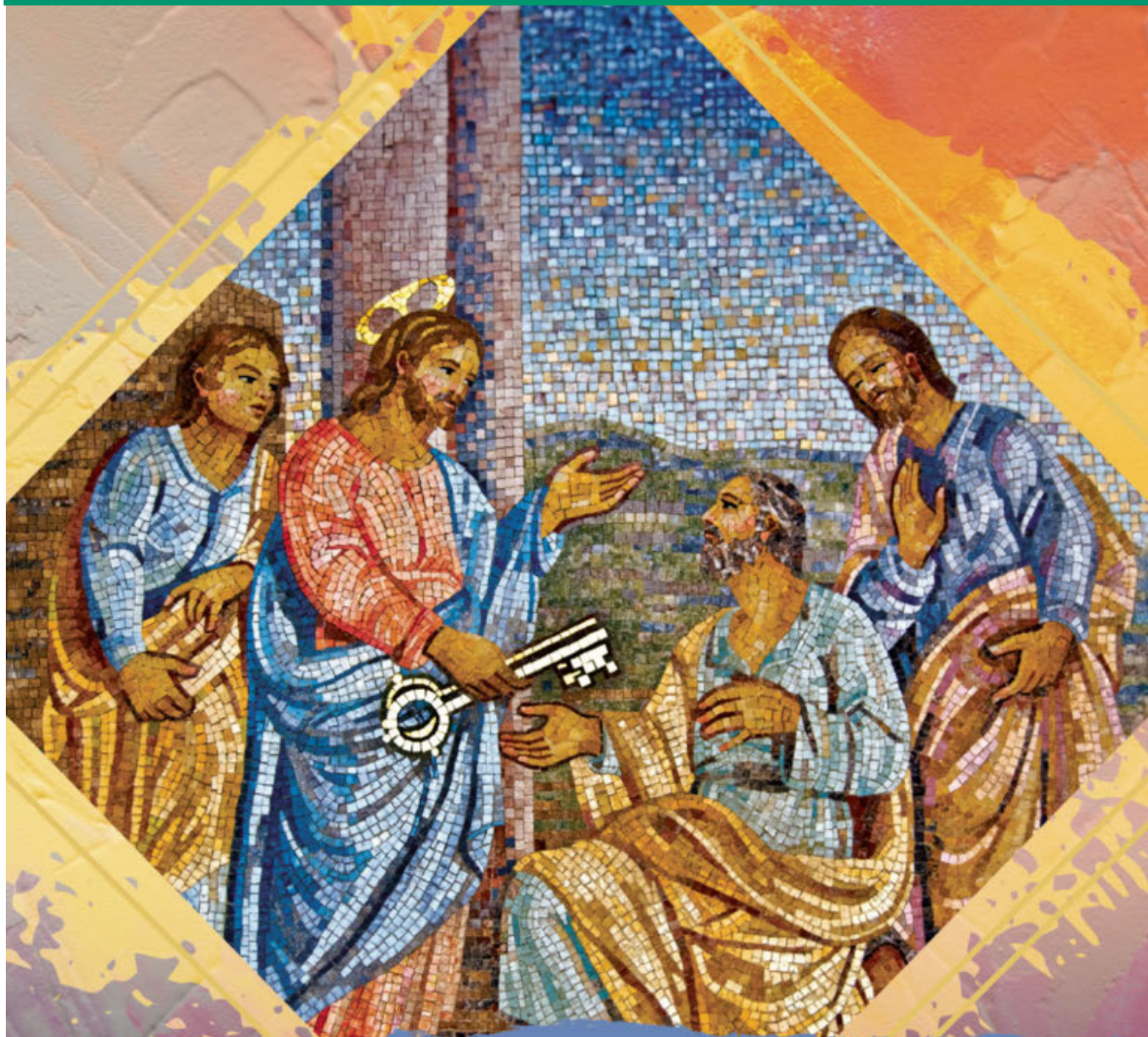


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St. James Roman Catholic Church,  
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### SUNDAY MASS

9:30 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
Español/Spanish  
(Church & On-line)

### DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday  
7:30 a.m.  
(Chapel & On-line)

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

### LOCATION

2907 South Wabash  
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### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of the Month  
8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.  
(Chapel)  
Every Saturday  
*And Confessions*  
@ Missionary Servant House  
3347 S. Michigan  
3:30 to 5pm

## 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and  
are convinced that you are the Holy One of God.” - Jn 6:68-69

## 21ER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

“Tú tienes palabras de vida eterna; y nosotros creemos y sabemos  
que tú eres el Santo de Dios”. - Jn 6, 68-69

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# AUGUST 25, 2024



# ON THE WAY....



May the grace and peace of the Holy Spirit be with us forever.

Back to school. Even those of us who are long gone from school, like your humble servant, can get caught up in the rhythm of the school year. As the school year begins it feels like the start of something new. It reminded me of a saying from St. John Henry Newman: “To live is to change, and to be perfect is to have changed often.” During the time we are in school we experience many changes. Obviously the change in our knowledge of the world is what we are most aware of as we study the various disciplines which are contemporary education. But we are also changed by our interaction with people other than family members. Our bodies are changing which we express in playing various sports. Our appreciation changes as we are exposed to art and music and all the other aspects of culture. Yes, we change often.

John Henry Newman is a good patron to guide us as we go through change. Famously he changed to become a Catholic when he became convinced of the truth which the Church stands for. As a result, Catholic education has come to look on him as something of a role model. Three years after Newman died, a Newman Club for Catholic students began at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. In time, his name was linked to ministry centers at many public and private colleges and universities in the United States. In 1993 the Cardinal Newman Society was established with Saint John Henry Cardinal Newman as its patron to promote and defend faithful Catholic education. Newman was a lifelong advocate for education that teaches students to reason and discover truth. He came to realize that a genuine commitment to truth, including the Truth that is revealed by God, requires a strong Catholic foundation and adherence to the teachings of the Church, to promote and defend faithful Catholic education. The Society seeks to fulfill its mission in numerous ways, including supporting education that is faithful to the teaching and tradition of the Catholic Church; producing and disseminating research and publications on developments and best practices in Catholic education; and keeping Catholic leaders and families informed.

We don't refer to our own campus ministry here at St. James as a Newman Society but the principles which guide our efforts are similar to those which motivated St. John Henry Newman. When Newman was named a cardinal in 1879, he took as his motto “Cor ad cor loquitur”— which is translated, “Heart speaks to heart.” It is not with superior pedagogical techniques or clever ideas that we will strengthen the Catholic faith. It is rather with hearts that speak to other hearts. It is loving acceptance of one another in all of our differences. It is a genuine love for other people as made in God's image, as precious in God's sight. These lessons are, of course, not only important for those in college but for those in elementary school, high school, and, quite frankly, all of life. Let's use the beginning of the school year as a time to resolve to become the kind of beloved community God wants us to be.

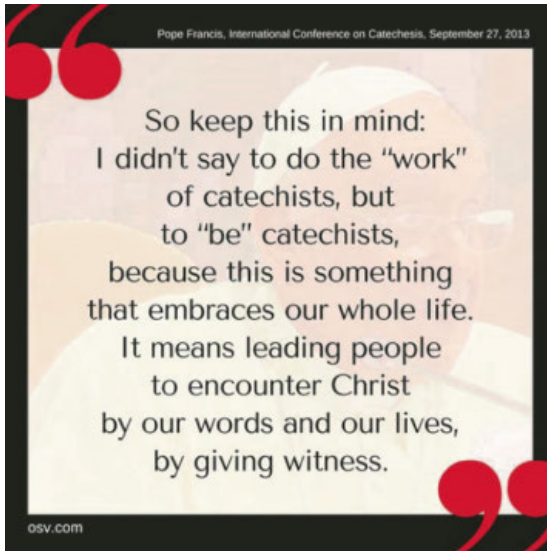
In the Most Holy Trinity,  
Fr. John Edmunds, S.T

Sun 08/25	21st Sunday In Ordinary Time	
	9:30 a.m.	Mass (Presentation Hall & On-line) <a href="https://zoom.us/j/622647147">https://zoom.us/j/622647147</a> Passcode: SJSUNDAY (57935957)
	†	<i>Van Bensett by Saira Bensett</i>
	1:00 p.m.	Mass - Español/Spanish (Presentation Hall)
	5:00 p.m.	On Campus Mass (Godbox)
Mon 08/26	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
Tues 08/27	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
Wed 08/28	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line) † <i>Birthday of Mena Marano</i>
Thurs 08/29	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line) † <i>Ernest Billups by Vanice Billups</i>
Fri 08/30	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
Sun 09/01	22nd Sunday In Ordinary Time	
	9:30 a.m.	Mass (Presentation Hall & On-line) <a href="https://zoom.us/j/622647147">https://zoom.us/j/622647147</a> Passcode: SJSUNDAY (57935957)
	†	<i>Debra and Shirley Barker by Phyllis Barker</i>
	1:00 p.m.	Mass - Español/Spanish (Presentation Hall)

St. James will soon begin our weekly sessions, formerly known as RCIA, and now referred to as OCIA (Order

of Christian Initiation for Adults). The sessions introduce the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church to individuals who wish to learn more about Catholicism, including the opportunity, if they wish, to become Catholic through the Sacraments. It is a time of teaching, formation, conversation, and conversion to come to know, love, and develop a relationship with God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Contact Mary Ann at 312-842-1919 ext. 207  
or email [faithformation@stjameswabash.org](mailto:faithformation@stjameswabash.org)



Did you know that the church's name for those who teach the faith is "catechist" which comes from a Greek word meaning "echo?" Pope Francis instituted the work of catechists as a lay minister. Perhaps you are called to echo the word in our upcoming Sunday School program. Help is needed: Catechists, classroom aids, and helpers for all levels. No experience is necessary, just a lot of love for sharing the word of God, love of children, and a heart willing to serve. Please contact Mary Ann (312-896-1911 or [faithformation@stjameswabash.org](mailto:faithformation@stjameswabash.org)) with any questions or to volunteer.

Thank you and God bless you!



### Saint of the week

St. Damien de Veuster of Moloka'i (1840-1889) cared for the physical, medical, and spiritual needs of those exiled to the leper colony on the Hawaiian island of Moloka'i. His life of service shed light on the effects of this devastating disease and allowed people to see those afflicted with it with more compassion and love.

### Prayer of Declaration

Lord,  
In the season when faith is hard,  
help me to be as bold as Peter  
who picked you above all others  
saying, "To whom shall I go? You  
have the words of eternal life."  
You're my God.  
I'm yours.  
There is nowhere else I would  
rather be.  
Amen.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & RECONCILIATION

**SATURDAYS**  
**3PM - 4:30PM**

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St. James has a google form for submitting prayer requests:

<https://forms.gle/ZgbVkgarRRgDmJR6A>



**Our Home Bound:**

Judy Archer  
Margie Bass  
Paul Freeman  
Juanita James  
Barbara Southhall

**Our Sick:**

Aayliah Cooper  
Patsy Cunningham

Marvelean Doss  
Claude Fisher  
Paul Kanzer  
Linda Griffin Kennard  
Nancy McCarthy  
Samuel Akuo Opong Duah  
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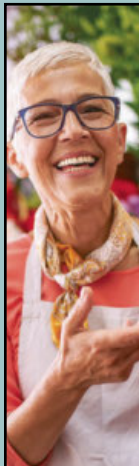
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