Pre-Mass Announcements for the Fourth Sunday of Lent

Good afternoon <u>or</u> morning! Welcome to Saint James the Apostle Church. As we celebrate the Fourth Sunday of Lent, please silence all cell phones.

Our announcements this weekend are:

- 1) The Parish Office will close at 11 A.M. on Wednesday, April 2nd so staff members may attend a Diocesan Training.
- 2) We will offer two Holy Hours next week. We invite you to join us on Thursday at 7 P.M. or on Friday, immediately following daily Mass.
- 3) Our first Area Wide Day of Reconciliation will be on April 4 at Divine Mercy Parish in Lombard from 9 A.M. 9 P.M. In particular, Fr. Keith will be there from 10-11 A.M. offering confessions in both English and Spanish.
- 4) Stations of the Cross continue on Friday, April 4 at 7pm only, followed by a simple meal of Soup and Bread in Sebahar Hall.

Sunday, 9am ONLY:

5) The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available after Mass from 10-10:45am every Sunday during Lent *continuing today*. Thank you in advance for your silence after Mass out of respect for this sacrament.

Finally, please check the bulletin, website, and weekly FlockNote for more information. Our opening hymn is 475 *Return to God* 475. Please stand.