

Pre-Mass Announcements for the The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Good afternoon **or** morning! Welcome to Saint James the Apostle Church. As we celebrate the Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, please silence all cell phones.

Our announcements this weekend are:

- 1) Please remember to pledge your contribution to the 2025 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal as 70% of our pledges over our goal is rebated to our parish to support our local ministries.
- 2) The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 13th due to the Columbus Day Holiday. Daily Mass on Monday will be at 8am. We will reopen on Tuesday, October 14th at 9am.
- 3) There will be a Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick offered on Saturday, October 18th at 5 P.M. Mass. All those seeking healing are invited to join us.
- 4) We will celebrate our annual “Welcome Sunday” on Sunday, October 26th at both the 9am and 11am Masses. Please invite a family member or friend with you who hasn’t attended Mass in awhile. Hospitality will follow in Sebahar Hall. Additionally, on that Sunday, October 26th, Bishop Hicks will preside at the 11am Mass to conclude our 25th/60th Anniversary celebrations.

Please check the bulletin, website, and weekly FlockNote for more information.

Our opening hymn is 953, *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!*, 953. Please stand.