

Pre-Mass Announcements for the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Good afternoon **or** morning! Welcome to Saint James the Apostle Church. This weekend as we celebrate the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time we ask you to please silence all cell phones.

Our announcements this weekend are:

- 1) Lent begins in two weeks on Wednesday, February 18. Masses on Ash Wednesday will be at 8am and 7pm. Ashes will be imposed **DURING** Mass. Additionally, the individual imposition of ashes will be available in the narthex between Noon and 1pm and 5pm to 6:30pm.
- 2) Our third annual Night Prayer with the Burial of the Alleluia is on Tuesday, February 17 at 6pm.
- 3) Crusader Cash is available in the narthex. A portion of every purchase benefits our school.
- 4) Next weekend, we will listen to Bishop Spies's homily about the 2026 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal. Please consider your pledge to the CMAA. 70% over our goal is rebated to our parish.

SATURDAY at 4pm and SUNDAY at 9am ONLY:

- 5) Our Communal Anointing of the Sick Service is this weekend between the 9am and 11am Masses.

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

Our opening hymn is 642 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*, 642. Please stand.