



Whoever you are, wherever you find yourself  
in your journey of faith, you're always

# Welcome!

### Parish Office Hours—

Monday – Thursday 9:00am–4:00pm

Monday is the Rector's scheduled day off

315-685-7600

[www.stjameskan.org](http://www.stjameskan.org)

### Winter 2019 Adult Formation Classes

Start your 2019 by growing in new ways spiritually at St. James'. See the separate Adult Formation flier available during services for descriptions of each of the courses listed below. Assistance is available for the cost of the books. Sign-ups will begin Dec. 30.

#### Inspired: Slaying Giants, Walking on Water, and Loving the Bible Again

Facilitator: Erica Olson-Bang  
Sundays from 9-10:15 a.m.  
Class runs from January 13 - February 24  
Book: Inspired by Rachel Held Evans. \$12. Kindle version available.

#### Journey with Luke – a 50-day Bible challenge

Facilitator: Becky Coerper  
Wednesdays from 4:15-5:30 p.m.  
Class runs from January 9 - February 27  
Book: A Journey with Luke edited by Marek P. Zabriskie. \$15. Kindle version available.

#### Meeting Christ in Prayer

Facilitator: Katelynn Roffo  
Mondays from Noon-1:30 p.m.  
Class runs from January 14 - March 4  
Book: Meeting Christ in Prayer: An 8-Week Life-Enriching Experience Based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius (Available from facilitator for \$14).

#### What Do We Believe: Gender and the Creeds of the Church

Facilitator: Chuck Stewart  
Sundays at Noon  
Class runs from January 13 - February 17, except Feb. 5 during the Annual Meeting.  
Book: Gender and the Nicene Creed, Elizabeth Rankin Geitz, \$14.95. Kindle version available.

### The Women of St. James' Thanks Everyone for Successful Cookie Baskets!

55 Baskets were creatively crafted by Lois Laxton and filled with delicious cookies and treats this Christmas Season. They were delivered to those housebound parishioners spreading the joy of Jesus to everyone that received one. The Women would like to thank everyone who donated cards for the baskets, baked cookies, assembled the baskets and delivered all over the community. This is truly a cooperative effort that yields such love to those who participate. In preparation for next year, Lois Laxton is collecting Christmas cards. Please consider donating your Christmas cards to the cause and drop them at the Church. Thank you so much.

### Epiphany Sunday is Today!

Join us for a fellowship brunch after the 7:30 and 9:00 am services in the Parish Hall. Be a Magi! St. James' is collecting a pound of pantry items to help those moving to a new home. Flour, cleaning supplies, spices, soup, anything small helps those just starting out. These donations will be distributed to local outreach efforts such as the Rescue Mission and the sponsored refugee families.

### Youth Activities in January

(Grades 6-12)  
Youth Skating Overnight  
SAT JAN 12–SUN JAN 13  
Info & registration at [cnyepiscopal.org/2019-skate](http://cnyepiscopal.org/2019-skate). FREE overnight for youth at St. Paul's in downtown Syracuse. Includes volunteering at a local outreach program, skating in the Clinton Square Ice Rink, and Sunday morning worship with friends old and new.

...magi from the East  
arrived in Jerusalem and  
asked, "Where is the one  
who has been born king  
of the Jews? We saw his  
star when it rose and have  
come to worship him."

Matthew 2:1-2

The First Sunday in Epiphany  
January 6, 2019

## Second Sunday January 13th at St. Luke's in Camillus 5-7pm

Join in the fun, fellowship and growth in faith. All welcome for grades 6-12-Bring a friend! Enjoy a meal, participate in a program and end with a customized worship service complete with youth band!

## Episcopal Night at Syracuse Crunch Hockey

FRI JAN 11 ---7 PM

Ticket purchase info at [cnyepiscopal.org/crunch](http://cnyepiscopal.org/crunch). Bring a friend, bring your family for an Episcopal night out at Syracuse Crunch hockey! Tickets are \$21 (includes \$5 food/drink voucher). Please call Matt Thompson at (315) 473-4444 x134 to order no later than Monday, January 7th. Mention promotion code CNYE.

## Potluck Dinner with Katelynn Roffo, St. James' Seminarian

Wednesday, Jan. 16th 4:30-6:30pm  
Come enjoy a meal and time to chat with Katelynn! Social time will begin at 4:30, dinner will begin at 5 and then end with worship at the 6pm Healing Eucharist. The main dish will be provided. Please bring a dish to pass and share! This is the perfect time to experience the peace of the Wednesday night service and talk with Katelynn. If you plan on attending, please email Katelynn Roffo at [Katelynn@stjameskan.org](mailto:Katelynn@stjameskan.org) or leave a message in the Parish Office 315-685-7600. This helps us be sure there is enough food for all!

## Training For Chalice Bearers

January 6th 12pm and

January 29th At 6:30pm

This is a training to recertify any current chalice bearers as training is only good for 5 years or anyone who wishes to join this rewarding ministry. If you are uncertain of your certification status, please contact Laura Posecznick ([laura@stjameskan.org](mailto:laura@stjameskan.org)). If you wish to attend either training, please feel free to email Laura the date you prefer. All Eucharistic Minister certifications must be up to date by Feb. 1st. If you do not recertify, you may not be able to participate until you fulfill the training. Thank you all for your active part in worship. St. James' is blessed to have so many who want to enrich services each week. Feel free to contact Becky ([becky@stjameskan.org](mailto:becky@stjameskan.org)) or Laura with any questions.

## February 3, 2019 St. James' Annual Meeting

The St. James' Episcopal Church will hold its 203rd Annual Meeting on Sunday, February 3, 2019 immediately following the 10:45 am service. The State of the Parish and the 2019 Budget will be presented. Warden and Vestry positions will be voted upon.

The Vestry Slate being presented is:  
Jr Warden - Colleen Gannon

Members for 3 year term - Cathy Buck, Erica Olson-Bang, TBA

In addition to nominations by the Nominating Committee, nominations may be made by written petition of fifteen (15) "members in good standing" \*as defined by St. James' By-Laws (see below) The petition must also be signed by the Nominee. Nominations by petition shall be submitted to the Chair of the Nominating Committee (Carolyn Legg) at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the Annual Meeting, but not more than thirty (30) days prior. (Accordingly, the dates for submitting nominations by petition for 2019 are January 4 - 13.)

## Lakeside Performing Arts Series Presents: Michael Larkin & Dr. Nicholas Kilkenny

in concert at St. James' Church on January 27th 4pm. Donations of \$10 appreciated for all adults. Kids under 18 free. This should be an amazing concert with our own Worship Band Director Michael Larkin showcasing his musical talents.

## This Week at St. James' Epiphany Sunday—January 6, 2019

Join us for a Fellowship Brunch following the 7:30 and the 9:00 am services

7:30 am	Traditional Eucharist
9:00 am	Traditional Eucharist w/ Choir
9:00 am	Saints in Training (K-5)
10:30 am	Staffed Nursery (Lower Level)
10:45 am	Contemporary Holy Eucharist

**Monday** Rector's Schedule Day Off  
9:30 am | Yoga in Chapel w/ Eva Pajak

**Tuesday**  
7:30 am | Centering Prayer ~ Lakeside Rm.

**Wednesday**  
9:00 am | Staff Meeting  
6:00 pm | Holy Eucharist w/ Healing Prayers  
6:45 pm | Worship Band Rehearsal

**Thursday**  
9:15 am | Yoga in Chapel w/ Eva Pajak

**Friday** Parish Office Closed  
7:30 am | Centering Prayer ~ Lakeside Rm.

## This week, please pray for:

Parishes: Trinity Church, Fayetteville; The Rev. Dr. Renee Tembeckjian, Rector All Saints Church, Fulton; The Rev. Dr. Leon Mozeliak, Parish Priest, House of Grace Hospitality, Jubilee Center, Cortland

In our Diocese: and give thanks for our Bishop and for all our clergy as they guide us in the new year

Our Companion Diocese: La Divina Providencia, El Maizal, Sonsonate, The Rev. Mario Benitez

The Episcopal Church: the Rt. Rev. Matthew Alan Gunter, Bishop of the Diocese of Fond du Lac (Wisconsin)

Those expecting a baby: Bridgette Pietrowski

Our neighbors: First United Presbyterian Church, and all leaders and staff.

The Anglican Communion: the Anglican Churches in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia

All those who are sick or in need of prayer: George & Natalie Newman, Dick Pitman, Kim, Bob Abbott (father of Laura Abbott) Patrick Malvaso (brother of Marie Hughes), rena Pasternack, Ginny Pfau, Bill & Penny Allyn, Steve Driscoll, Griffin Palen, Sharon Gannon, Patrick Arliss, Kate, Robert Morse, Jamie, Aziz Goksel, Bob Duckett (brother of Nancy Corl), Lynda Welch.

Those listed on our long-term prayer list: Gwen Birchenough, Carol Abbott, Mary Fiorini (sister of Rita Keyes), Pat Gannon, Roseanne Relfe, Kathaleen Underwood, Larry Cole, Joe Spalding, Sara Rooda (granddaughter of Jim & Nora Brown), Mimi & George Byran, John Bisaha (brother of Rita Keyes), Jim & Tara Lanning, Matthew Cornachio, Ashley, Clint, Steven, The Scholl Family, Barbara Libbie (mother of Jeff Davis), Steven, Kevin, Rita Buck, Christine Cornachio, Cathy Valentine, Roxanne Soprano, Jennifer Carson (niece of Linda Lavery), Peter Randall, Donna Randall, Tom Weston (friend of Susan Gibidies), and Linda Bonaduce (sister of Pam Stewart)

We also bless thy holy name for all the servants departed this life: Bill Pavlus, Nancy Clarke

## \*Definition of Members in Good Standing:

Any member of the congregation above the age of eighteen (18) years provided that such person shall be a stated worshiper in the Church, that such person should be an active Communicant of this Parish (receives Communion at least three times per year), and that such person shall contribute to the support of this Parish (with time, talent and treasure).