



**News for the Week of
February 3, 2019**

**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

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Sunday

7:30 am | Traditional Eucharist
9:00 am | Traditional Eucharist w/ Choir
9:00 am | Saints in Training (K-5 Sun.Schl.)
9-10:15 am | Inspired Adult Formation Class (Nursery)
10:30 am | Staffed Nursery (Lower Level)
10:45 am | Contemporary Holy Eucharist
12:00 pm | Annual Meeting

Monday *Rector's Schedule Day Off*

9:30 am | Yoga in Chapel w/ Eva Pajak
12:00-1:30pm | Meeting Christ in Prayer Adult Formation Class (Parkside Rm.)

Tuesday

7:30 am | Centering Prayer ~ Lakeside Rm.

Wednesday

9:00 am | Staff Meeting
4:00-5:30pm | Journey with Luke Adult Formation Class (Lakeside Rm.)
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

Next Sunday, February 10

7:30 am | Traditional Eucharist
9:00 am | Traditional Eucharist w/ Choir
9:00 am | Saints in Training (K-5 Sun.Schl.)
10:30 am | Staffed Nursery (Lower Level)
10:45 am | Contemporary Holy Eucharist
5:00 pm | Second Sunday, Middle/High School Youth program at St. James' Skaneateles
12:00 pm | Reinvest Program

**For The Most Up-to-Date Information
regarding Events at St. James'
Visit our website:
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**Bake Sale to Support Youth Visit to
El Salvador**

Lyda Buck is holding a Bake Sale in the Parish Today!! Be sure to get your baked goods and empanadas for Game Day. Lyda is raising money to go on the medical mission trip to El Salvador with Young Life. The money she raises helps pay for her transportation. Thank you in advance of your generosity.

Youth pilgrimage to El Salvador

Sign up by: March 31st • Trip: July 17–July 24
The Rev. Deacon Chuck Stewart and the Rev. Jeanne Hansknecht invite youth in grades 8-12 and college-age young adults to accompany them in pilgrimage to our Companion Diocese of El Salvador. This eye-opening journey may change your life forever. Thanks to funding from the Diocese of Central New York, the cost to each pilgrim is \$450, plus airfare (generally about \$800). Interested? Please contact Deacon Chuck Stewart (315) 685-8578, chuck@stjameskan.org or Mother Jeanne Hansknecht as soon as possible.



February 10th 12:00 - 1:30 PM
St. James Episcopal Church
96 E. Genesee St, Skaneateles

Learn how our financial resources can be used as a tool to effect positive change. By integrating sustainability into our investments, savings accounts, loans, and philanthropy, we all have the power to effect change.

Learn more or sign up! @Reinvest CNY Skaneateles Workshop

Contact us at ReinvestCNY@gmail.com or 315-637-5153

Visit our website! www.reinvestcny.com



**St. James' Annual Meeting
— TODAY —**

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 Olsen-Bang and Cathy Valentine.

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.)

***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).

Buildings & Grounds Resource Team Members Wanted

As St. James' grows and the community takes advantage of all there is to offer here at this fantastic building, there are areas of support needed. Dave Plogman is the head of the Buildings and Grounds Committee and truly does an amazing job but there is more than one person can handle. St. James' is looking for individuals to form a team to lend a hand with routine items such as locking up, shutting off lights & appliances, replacing light bulbs, and other building maintenance items. The members of this Resource Team will be asked to assist at certain events in a rotation and as needed basis. The goal is to create a large pool of individuals to enable each person to only have to handle a few dates a year. Once the team is formed, there will be a training and guidance for all items. St. James' is looking to begin a rotation in May which is both the start of the St. James' Sabbatical as well as wedding season. God has given this building to all of us and it is our responsibility to be good stewards for proper safety and function for years to come. Please pray and consider joining this group. If you would like to join or learn more, please contact Laura Posecznick at laura@stjameskan.org.

Opportunity to Participate in Poverty Simulation

All Auburn Churches, in conjunction with Seneca/Cayuga Community Action Agency, is sponsoring a Poverty Simulation on Saturday, February 9 from 9 to 11:30 am at Booker T. Washington Community Center in Auburn.

This event is part of All Auburn Churches' ongoing initiative to stand and work in solidarity with those experiencing economic insecurity in Auburn. This is a great opportunity for St. James' folks, particularly those involved with the Rescue Mission, who have not yet had the chance to participate in a poverty simulation.

Please contact Debra Rose Brillati (debra_rose@live.com, 617-515-8958) to register OR to serve as a volunteer for the event.

JOIN the FUN! Be an Acolyte!

Be a part of the service-make a difference. Youth encouraged to participate. If you want to find out more, contact Becky or Laura Posecznick.

Second Sunday—Next Sunday at St. James' 5-7pm.

If you would like to help with meal prep, please contact Laura Posecznick at laura@stjameskan.org.

Mardi Gras Volunteer Appreciation Night • Friday, March 1st 5-7pm

All Welcome to come and celebrate the amazing volunteers that make St. James' the bustling place of faith. This year the theme is Mardi Gras! Wear your favorite mask! Beads! Enjoy mardi gras food & music! There will be gift basket raffles and a best mask/costume contest! Let's shake off the winter blues and party! Donations for basket prizes are now being taken. Look below at the items best suited for basket raffles. All money raised for the gift baskets go toward supporting St. James' ministries. We have more ministries so we need to raise more money! If you would like to be a part of set up, decorations, food, or clean up, please contact Laura Posecznick at laura@stjameskan.org. Laissez Les Bon Temps Rouler! (Let the Good Times Roll!)

Please Donate by Feb. 22nd

Gift Basket Raffle Item Ideas:

- **Gift Cards**—Restaurants, stores, spas
- **SU clothes** or merchandise
- **Wine/Craft Bee**
- **Scratch off tickets**
- **Kitchen items** (decorative napkins, glassware, gadgets)
- **Spa items** (bath bombs, lotions, makeup)
- **Sports merchandise** (hats, shirts, golf balls, tickets)
- **Services** (snowplowing, landscaping, etc.)
- **Artwork**

El Salvador Medical Mission

We are still hoping for more Anti-Fungal cream, Muscle Rub, Anti-Itch cream and Cranberry tablets. If you have questions contact Jim O'Neill, 315.604.0003. All items will be collected in the basket near the office.

Readings for February 3, 2019

Jeremiah 1:4-10, Psalm 71:1-6 and Luke 4:21-30

This week, please pray for:

Parishes: All Saints' Church, Johnson City; The Very Rev. Christine J. Day, Rector, Christ Church, Jordan; Samaritan Center Jubilee Center, Syracuse

In our Diocese: give thanks to the Medical Mission volunteers as they leave for El Salvador this week

Our Companion Diocese: San Pablo, San Juan de Letran, Usulután, The Rev. Antonio Lopez

The Episcopal Church: the Rt. Rev. Robert Fitzpatrick, Bishop of the Diocese of Hawaii

Those expecting a baby: Bridgette Pietrowski

St. James' Episcopal Church, The Rev. Dr. Becky Coerper, The Rev. Toppie Bates, The Rev. Dr. Charles N. Stewart, and all leaders and staff.

The Anglican Communion: the Anglican Church of Burundil

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

Please continue to pray for 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 (neice 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: Sid Chester, (step-father of Patty Orr), Mark Waitman, Bill Pavlus.