



# WEEKLY

Week of September 1, 2024

**Whoever you are, wherever you find  
yourself in your journey of faith,  
you're always WELCOME at St. James'!**

## Welcome Mother Pilar & Family!

**St. James' the wait is almost over-the Rev. Pilar F. Padrón Parnell will be preaching on September 8!** Sunday, September 8 is Kick Off Sunday with the start of the Choir, Children's programming and the last lakeside service for the season. You do not want to miss any of it!

**The following Sunday, September 15 at 3pm in the Parish Hall will be a "Meet & Greet with the Parnell Family".** This casual afternoon tea will give us all an opportunity to welcome Pilar, Scott, Charlene, and George to the St. James' family and Skaneateles community. There is an online RSVP on the website or you can call in how many will be attending to the Parish Office. Additionally, we are requesting some food items, small tea sandwiches and desserts. If you can help with an item or two, please sign up online or with the Parish Office. Any questions, please contact Laura Posecznick at [laura@stjameskan.org](mailto:laura@stjameskan.org).

**Don't forget to support the Skan Fire Dept. Field Days Sat-  
August 31/Sunday-September 1!**

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday September 1

7:30am Rite I Eucharist-**Rev. Jim Corl**  
9:00am NO Service  
10:45am Contemporary Eucharist  
with Praise Band- **Rev. Toppie Bates**  
Lakeside

### Monday -Labor Day/Office Closed

9:30am Yoga

### Tuesday

7:45am Centering Prayer Zoom

### Wednesday -Mother Pilar First Day

12pm Healing Eucharist  
6pm Evening Prayer

### Thursday

9:30am Yoga

### Friday

1:15pm Making Sandwiches Kitchen  
7:45am Centering Prayer Zoom

### Sunday September 8 -Kick Off

**Preacher: Rev. Pilar Padrón Parnell**

7:30am Rite I Eucharist  
9:00am Rite II Eucharist  
**9:00am Mini-Saints & Saints in  
Training Sunday School -lower level**  
10:45am Contemporary Eucharist  
with Praise Band-Lakeside

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Evening Prayer  
Wednesdays 6pm  
In-Person & Online

RSVP for Parnell  
Meet & Greet  
Online or Call the  
Parish Office





**Volunteers Wanted to Make PBJ Sandwiches Weekly on Fridays at 1:30pm in the Parish Hall!** Each week, St. James' is committed to feeding 150 homeless neighbors. Stop by any Friday at 1:30pm to help! Contact Linda Lavery with any questions.

Thank You Kate Allyn & Mackenzie for delivering altar flowers to homebound parishioners. With Kate going back to college, a new Monday morning flower deliverer is needed -if you are interested in helping with this sweet ministry contact Nancy Graham or the Parish Office.

### Table Top Groups (aka Foyer Groups) ARE BACK!

In September we will reorganize the Table Top groups and start again for another 3 months, getting to know more people. And groups will continue to be an intimate size of six people. If you were not able to join in March and would like to start in **September, just let the office know or Nancy Graham 315-317-0138 before September 1st.** More information about the St. James' Table Top Groups can be found in the August 2024 Spirit!



Attention Families- September is Almost Here! State Fair, Field Days, School & Sunday School All Coming Around the Corner! Be sure to sign up your child for Mini-Saints (Ages 3-6yrs) or Saints-

In-Training (Ages 7-12yrs). Registration forms are located on the website and the welcome tables. Contact Miss Mo with any questions.

**September 8:** Kick Off Sunday -Mini-Saints & Saints-in-Training Begin at 9am in the lower level classrooms.

### September 15: 3pm Meet & Greet with Mother Pilar & Family!

Come welcome the Parnell Family to St. James'! RSVP for the Afternoon Tea and please sign up to bring a food item. You can RSVP and sign up online by clicking on a home page banner or contact the Parish Office at 315-685-7600.



Thank you Father Joe & Kristen!



**Thank You for Catching Up with Your 2024 Financial Pledge!** Questions on your total pledge, please contact Nicole Bova at 315-685-7600.

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## Attention Families! Special Guided Tour of The Skä•noñh Great Law of Peace Center September 21 at 1 p.m.

The St. James' Racial Justice and Reconciliation Commission has arranged for families from St. James' and First Presbyterian Church to participate in a guided tour of the Skä•noñh - Great Law of Peace Center, 6680 Onondaga Lake Parkway, Liverpool, on Sept. 21. **Those interested in attending will meet at St. James' at 1 p.m. to arrange carpooling. The tour is limited to 30 participants. The tour will take approximately 1 and 1/2 hours. Admission fees are: free for ages 5 and under, \$7 ages 6-10, \$8**

**ages 11-17, 62+ and military, and \$9 ages 18-61.** The Great Law of Peace Center is a Haudenosaunee Cultural Center focused on telling the story of native peoples of Central New York through the lens of the Onondaga Nation. Topics include Creation, European Contact, The Great Law of Peace and more. The Onondagas, or People of the Hills, are the keepers of the Central Fire and are the spiritual and political center of the Haudenosaunee. The Center is nestled near the eastern shore of Onondaga Lake, a sacred place for the Haudenosaunee. It was on the shores of Onondaga Lake that the Peacemaker brought the warring Seneca, Cayuga, Onondaga, Oneida and Mohawk Nations together to make peace and form the Haudenosaunee Confederacy. **Participants must pre-register by Sept. 18 by calling the Parish Office at 315-685-7600 or register online by visiting StJamesSkan.org choosing the banner on the home page. Questions, please contact Judy Holmes at judyholmes76@gmail.com.**

## St. James' to host Sacred Ground Dialogue Series on Race and Faith -New group begins Sept. 10 via Zoom

Sacred Ground, a film- and readings-based dialogue series on race and faith, will begin at St. James Church, Skaneateles, on Sept. 10. The 12-session series will be held twice a month via Zoom from 6 to 7:30 p.m. The series is free and open to the public. **Participants should register for the series by contacting the church office at 315-685-7600 or emailing hosts Meg Osborne (mhosborne7@gmail.com) or Kathy Ploufe (kathyploufe@yahoo.com) by no later than Sept. 7.** Registered participants will receive a Zoom link via email to access the sessions. Created by the national Episcopal Church, Sacred Ground creates space for difficult but respectful and transformative dialogue on race and racism. The series invites participants to walk back through our history and reflect on family histories and stories of the original inhabitants of the land that would later become the United States. The series also explores the history of the slave trade and its aftermath, which continues to impact race relations today. Additionally, the impact of immigration and the experiences of people of Asian/Pacific ancestry and their contributions to the American story are explored.

Sacred Ground holds as a guiding star the vision of Beloved Community - where all people are honored and protected and nurtured as beloved children of God, where we weep at one another's pain and seek one another's flourishing. Join us and be transformed.

### Session dates:

**2024: Sept. 10 and 24, Oct. 8 and 22, Nov. 12 and 26, and Dec. 10.**

**2025: Jan. 14 and 28, Feb. 11 and 25, and Mar. 11.**



## Did You Know? By Emma Cowley

Calling all golfing enthusiasts! Renegade Golf, a Black-owned golf equipment company, has secured a distribution deal with PGA Tour Superstores! Founded in 2019 by Kenneth Duncan and Drew McLeod, Renegade Golf aims to make the game more inclusive and diverse. Duncan, an avid golfer, saw an opportunity to innovate the golf industry, focusing on creating products that feel welcoming and accessible to newcomers.

Renegade Golf offers a wide range of products, including golf bags, balls, and tumblers, all at affordable prices to increase accessibility. Renegade Golf is the first Black-owned golf ball company and distributor in the golf equipment space. If you are in need of new golf equipment or looking for gifts for any golf lovers check them out and support! For all your golfing needs: <https://renegade.golf/>

## St. James' Prayers for Week of September 1, 2024

**In our parishes, we pray for the people** of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Norwich and their priest, the Rev. Steve White, and the people of St. John's Episcopal Church in Oneida and their priest, the Very Rev. Arthur N. Smith. **In the Episcopal Church, we pray for the people** of the Diocese of Western Kansas and their bishop, the Rt. Rev. Mark A. Cowell. **In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the people** of Igreja Anglicana de Mocambique e Angola and their acting presiding bishop, the Most Rev. Carlos Simao Matsinhe.

**For those expecting a child:** Ciara and Brian Perkins (son of Kris & Dick Perkins), Danielle and Johannes Helgren & Lucia and Taylor Flowers (Johannes and Lucia are children of Christina and John Helgren),

**Congratulations on the birth of** Daisy Michele great-granddaughter of Donna Richards and Walker James & Rhett Carver Dundon family of Judy Bettis.

**Those who are sick and in need of prayer:** Bud Evans (brother of Don Evans), Nick Rossi, Reed Wilson, Jennifer Valentine, Mindy Gilbert, Irene Nickerson (mother of Steve and Marie), Bill Stinson (Uncle of Carolyn Legg), Peter & Sharon Andrus (friends of Terry Askey-Cole), Hayden Withey, Erik Withey, Sophia Soprano (granddaughter of Roxanne), Helen O'Neill, David Jarvis Invenio, Frank Ives.

**Those listed on our long term prayer list:** Sean Holt, Joyce Thomas, Brian Hidy, Corinne Buterbaugh, Christine Dengler (sister-in-law of Kathy & Mark), Ed Cole, Steve Giocondo (father of Sara Jones), Vera Foehl, Sandy Fillingham, Rick Burton, Amanda Martin (daughter of Michele Lytle), Sue Palen, Sean Arliss (grandson of Sharon & David Arliss, Jonathan's son), Susan Scholl, Suzy Jones, Sherry Yellot, Terry Askey Cole & Larry Cole, Sue Newlin (mother of Molly Spalding), Kaiden (grandson of Jean Beeles), Ben, David & Gretchen (grandchild of Joan Johnson, her son & wife), Kelly Ryan, Sara Talley (granddaughter of Nora & Jim Brown), Sara Jones, Jacob Matlby (son of Kelly Ryan & Mike Spaces), Ed Blum, Robbie Clark (brother of Kristina Abbott), Adam Newlin (brother of Molly Spalding), Tara Covert Lanning, Merz family (family of Dan Johnson), Darwin Parker, Jude Ker, Edith Palmer (mother of Sue Palen), Nicole Hyde, Kathy & John Dote (sister & brother-in-law of David & Helen O'Neill), Linda Lavery, Judy Santillo & Ann Malvaso (sisters of Marie Hughes), Jim & Patrick (brothers of Marie Hughes), Helen Burlingame (sister of Brian Davis), Betty Hunt (mother of David Peebles), Joan Johnson, Marilyn Garofalo (mother of Chris Davis), Dot Pitman, Alexander Sturdivant (friend of Nancy & Rick Austin), Marie Bundy, Linda Hawley, Griffin Palen, Don Evans, Linda & Nick Rossi, Tacy Chantler (sister-in-law of Carrie Chantler), Euclide Mugisho & family, Roxanne Soprano, Cathy Valentine, Jeff Havemeyer, Sammy Birchenough, Adrian Coker (nephew of Michael & Danielle Larkin), Mary O'Neill, Bob Doolittle, Lisa Mitchel (friend of Nancy Harris), Linda Morse, Danae Hidy, Alberto Fry, Doris Buss, Belva Morton (mother of Kathy Ingianni), David Bates, Helen Dayal, Scholl family, Patrick & Jonathan Arliss, Jason Weston (son of Susan Gibides), Jim Corl, Kirsten Juhl (daughter of Jim & Nancy Corl), Gwen Birchenough, Sharon & Pat Gannon, Jennifer Carson (niece of Linda Lavery), Tricia McMurdy (friend of Nancy Austin), Ingrid McCurdy, Ella (friend of Ingrid), Noelle (daughter of Ingrid), Christine Posecznick (sister-in-law of Laura).

**St. James' holds Reverend Pilar F. Padrón Parnell and her family in prayer** as they prepare to move from Virginia to Skaneateles as St. James' new settled Rector. And we offer prayers of gratitude and new ministries to Father Joe & Kristen Mitchell as they transition to their next calling.

**For those families in law enforcement from New York State, North Carolina, and around the country whose dedicated loved ones died in the line of duty.**

**Those who have died:** Cecile Buck (mother of Andy and Cathy), Brian Schneider (son of Marilyn and Tom), Cynthia Schultz (cousin of Dan Johnson), Dorothy McMaster.

### If you would like to be added...

Prayer Lists above, please contact Nancy Graham at [nancy@stjameskan.org](mailto:nancy@stjameskan.org).

Birthday List Announcement, please contact Laura Posecznick at [laura@stjameskan.org](mailto:laura@stjameskan.org)

Email Prayer Chain, please contact Corinne Buterbaugh at [corinnebuterbaugh@gmail.com](mailto:corinnebuterbaugh@gmail.com)

E-Blast database to receive updates and news, please contact Laura Posecznick at [laura@stjameskan.org](mailto:laura@stjameskan.org)

Questions: Contact the Parish Office at 315.685.7600.

**Office Hours: Monday-Tuesday: 9am-3pm, Wednesday: 9am-5:30pm, Thursday 9am-12pm**

### Readings Sunday, September 8

Isaiah 35:4-7a

Psalm 146

James 2:1-10, [11-13], 14-17

Mark 7:24-37