

**ALL SOULS DAY**  
**“REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE**  
**GONE BEFORE US...”**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST ALL SAINTS DAY**  
**ANTICIPATED SUNDAY MASS**

**4:00 PM** ☩ **CALABRIA & CIANCI FAMILIES**  
*Requested by: Family*

**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 2ND ALL SOULS DAY**  
**THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE**  
**FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

**7:30 AM** ☩ **ALL SOULS ENROLLMENT**

**9:30 AM** ☩ **MOLLY & BOB HARDING**

*Requested by: Family*

**11:30 AM** ☩ **PARISHIONERS OF ST JAMES**

**MONDAY NOVEMBER 3RD WEEKDAY**

**8:00 AM** ☩ **JOSEPHINE PROCACCINI**

*Requested by: Denise & Annie Okoniewski*

**7:00 PM** ☩ **ALL SOULS ANNUAL MASS**

**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 4TH ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO**

**8:00 AM** ☩ **ARTHUR L. BRIER**

*Requested by Wife: Joanna*

**WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 5TH WEEKDAY**

**8:00 AM** ☩ **JOHN SPIES**

*Requested by Wife: Josephine*

**THURSDAY NOVEMBER 6TH WEEKDAY**

**8:00 AM** ☩ **ROBERT HARDING**

*Requested by: Fr. Dave  
& St. James Parishioners*

**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 7TH WEEKDAY**

**8:00 AM** ☩ **VITO SABBATINO**

*(7th Anniversary)  
Requested by: Betty & Grandchildren*

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8TH ANTICIPATED SUNDAY**  
**MASS**

**4:00 PM** ☩ **PARISHIONERS OF ST. JAMES**

**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 9TH THE DEDICATION OF THE**  
**LATERAN BASILICA IN ROME**

**7:30 AM** ☩ **JOSEPH VIGNONE**

*Requested by: Angelina Vignone*

**9:30 AM** ☩ **DOUGLAS KAMANSKY**

*(31st Birthday Greetings)  
Requested by: Mom & Dad*

**11:30 AM** ☩ **SEBASTIANO & GIROLAMA**

**D'AGOSTINO**  
*Requested by: Tony & Lena Morello*

**YOUTH MASS**

**NOVEMBER 16, 2008**

**9:30AM MASS**

Practice will be held November 5th and 12th at 5:45PM in the church. Teens are encouraged to share their musical and singing talents. We are also looking for teen readers. Contact Sharon for more information at 712-5245.

**HOLIDAY FOOD COLLECTION**

The following non-perishable food items are needed:

Instant Potatoes	Stuffing	Gravy	Rice
Cranberry sauce	Sweet Potatoes		Vegetables
Pasta/Rice side dishes	AuGratin Potatoes		Soups
Pasta Sauce	Macaroni & Cheese		Tuna Fish
Peanut Butter	Jelly	Cereal	Oatmeal
Canned Fruit	Cake mix	Brownie mix	Pancake Mix
Frosting	Coffee	Tea	Hot Chocolate

Thank you for your support and donations. If you wish to make a monetary donation, envelopes marked **FOOD DRIVE** are available in both vestibules of the church. Mark Williams is very grateful to St. James Parishioners for all they give and do for the Rocky Hill Food Bank.

**FOOD**  
*for the* **NEEDY**

Our food drive is next weekend November 8th and 9th. Please bring your donations to the sanctuary in the Church. Our food drives are held the second weekend of each month. Thank you.

**BULLETIN CUT-OFF DATE**

Please note, the cut off-date for the bulletin, for the weekend of November 29th & 30th is November 19th. The bulletin has to be sent on November 21st. Thank you for your cooperation.

**ST. GEORGE CHURCH GREEK MINI-FESTIVAL**

St. George Church will hold a Greek mini-festival at their Community Center, 301 West Main, New Britain, on Friday, November 7th & Saturday, November 8th from 11:00AM to 11:00PM. There will be Greek food, music and admission is free.

**MOZART'S REQUIEM K626**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2008 AT 4:00PM**

Come and listen to the composition that has always been shrouded in legend and mystery since Mozart's death on All Souls Day. Mozart's Requiem K626 and other great works will be performed by the Musica Sacra Choral Society & Orchestra, under the direction of David Finley. The performance will be held at The Shrine of Saint Anne, Waterbury. Suggested donation is \$20.00. The proceeds will go to the Shrine Restoration Fund. For more information please call 203-756-4439.

**ST. JAMES PASTORAL STAFF**

*Father David Baranowski, Pastor  
 Betty Kreder, Administrative Assistant  
 Joy O'Sullivan, Music Director  
 Robert Pallotti, Deacon  
 Thomas Sacerdote, Director of Religious Education*

**Your Sacrificial Offering**

**WEEKLY OFFERING 10/26/08**

**\$8,370.84**

rom the Pastor's Desk

Dear Fellow Parishioners:

Some people have asked why I have not celebrated the 4:00PM Mass in recent weeks. Father Vujs is only able to come to us for the 4:00PM and either the 7:30AM or 9:30AM Mass for the moment. I am grateful for Father Bob's priestly assistance at whatever Mass and hopefully you feel the same way. Father's help may not be permanent so let's enjoy his presence among us.

I know that all of us are concerned about the current financial crisis around the world. Thanks to all who continue to generously help to support all of the activities of our parish community. Your gifts of Time, Talent and Treasure are signs of your good Stewardship.

Finally, a question on the ballot of November 4th regards calling a Constitutional Convention. We have not had one in about 40 years (I am told). Such a convention would help to shape the laws for our state. I, and all the Catholic Bishops of Connecticut urge you to vote "Yes" for a constitutional Convention. It can send our legislators an important message. Don't forget to vote this Tuesday. It is our right, our privilege and our duty as Americans.

Father Dave

**NOVEMBER BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

During the month of November, we remember our departed loved ones in prayer. Here at St. James, there will be a book & a display to the right of the sanctuary, remembering and honoring those souls throughout the month of November. You are invited to list the names of your deceased loved ones in our "November Book of Remembrance" beginning November 1st. The book will also include All Souls' Envelopes that we received.

 In Loving Memory

On Monday, November 3rd, at 7:00PM there will be a Mass to remember, in a special way, those parishioners who have died during the past year. There will be a candle lighting ceremony in their memory. A light reception will follow the Mass and everyone is welcome to join us in the parish center.

**CARILLON CHIMES**

NOVEMBER 1, 2008  
FOR ALL SAINTS

NOVEMBER 2, 2008  
FOR ALL SOULS

NOVEMBER 7, 2008  
MOLINA FAMILY



PANCAKE BREAKFAST, THIS SUNDAY,  
NOVEMBER 2ND, FROM 8:30AM-11:30AM

PLEASE COME OUT AND SHOW YOUR SUPPORT  
TO THIS YEAR'S CONFIRMATION STUDENTS. THEY  
ARE DOING GREAT WORK AND THEY MAKE A  
GREAT BREAKFAST!

Adults \$6.00, Children 3-10years of age \$3.00, and children  
2 and under are free.

**ANNUAL BABY SHOWER COLLECTION!**

We will be accepting new baby items and monetary donations for our spiritually adopted babies at all Masses this weekend November 1st & 2nd. Suggested items are: disposable diapers (all sizes), baby wipes, receiving blankets, T-shirts, layette items, bath items, feeding bibs, crib sheets, etc. Bring your loose change to fill the bottle located in the cribs that will be set up at both side entrances of the church. If you have any questions or would like to help the Respect Life Committee please call Terri or Gerry Luczak.

**CHANGE FOR CHANGE**

OCTOBER, 2008 \$114.91

Just a reminder the collection for Change for Change is every third weekend of the month. Thank you for your support.

**STEWARDSHIP CHALLENGE!!**

*"I came down from heaven not to do my own will, but the will of the one who sent me." (John6:38)*

Jesus teaches us the essence of stewardship. We are put here on earth not to do whatever fulfills us, but rather to fulfill the plan that God had in mind for us. Each of us has unique blessings and gifts that enable us to fulfill God's will for us. When we don't share those gifts, some part of 'God's plan is left undone. Sadly, we are often more inclined to want to "do our own thing," rather than to do God's work. The words of the Our Father, "Thy will be done," should be our constant stewardship prayer.

**ATTENTION PARISHIONERS!!**

The *Community Life Committee (Fun Committee)* would like to thank everyone who attended our *Pasta Dinner* on October 11th. Your support of St. James means so much. We'd like to extend a special thank you to the *Knights of Columbus, 4th Degree Knights*, for their presence and participation during the *Vigil Mass*. Since we received so many compliments about the *meatballs*, Irene Soltan was nice enough to share her recipe with all of us. So here's Irene's famous recipe, enjoy:

**Irene's Meatballs**

**1 Lb. Hamburger**                      **2 tbsp. chopped parsley**  
**1 tsp. garlic powder or 1 clove chopped garlic**  
**1 tsp. salt**                                      **¼ tsp. pepper**  
**½ cup dry bread crumbs**      **¼ cup milk**                      **1 beaten egg**  
 Combine the meat, garlic, parsley, salt, pepper, bread crumbs, milk, and egg. Mix thoroughly and shape into 6 meatballs (the size of the meatballs is up to you). Brown meatballs in a frying pan and then add to your favorite sauce and cook until meatballs are tender about 1 to 1 ½ hours. You can double or triple the recipe.

**FUND RAISER FOR MIKE LOURA**

Mike was riding his bicycle when a car tragically turned into him and severed his spinal cord. Mike was born in Wethersfield and is a loving husband and father of 8 year old Michaela and 6 year old Amanda. All proceeds will go towards his medical bills. There will be a spaghetti dinner on Saturday, November 8th, from 3:00PM-9:00PM. It will be held at St. James Parish Center. Contributions are: adults \$20.00, children 6-16 \$5.00, children 5 and under free. There will be a silent auction which includes Patriots and Celtics tickets.

**OFFICE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES**

On Wednesday, November 19, 2008 from 8:30AM to 12:00PM at the Archdiocese Center at St. Thomas Seminary in Bloomfield, Archbishop Henry Mansell will offer opening remarks at a seminar focusing on the life, works and words of Jean Vanier and Henri Nouwen and their relationship with people with disabilities. Keynote speaker, Michael O'Laughlin, a teaching assistant for Henri Nouwen while at Harvard, and the author of several books. Discussion and Fellowship will complete the morning. Call Mary McGrath at 860-242-3304 for more information.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

In this busy world, married couples often don't take time for themselves. A Marriage Encounter Weekend is a perfect opportunity for a couple to dedicate a weekend just to themselves. A time to concentrate on deepening their marital relationship. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 7th-9th. For more information please call Joe & Jane Staszowski at 860-644-7260.

**THANK YOU**

We appreciate your in-kind donation of St. James Parish Center for our Military Whist Fund Raiser. Your donation indirectly helps all our chronically ill and elderly clients have a better life in Rocky Hill. Thanks again.  
 Douglas Robbins, Program Director, Volunteer Care Teams

**MEETINGS**

Sunday, November 2nd **YOUTH GROUP MEETING**  
 6:30PM Rm. 1  
 Monday, November 3rd **NO MEETING FOR PASTORAL COUNCIL**  
 Tuesday, November 4th **SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY**  
 8:45AM Fr. Shea  
 6:00PM Cry Rm.  
 Wednesday, November 5th **STAFF MEETING**  
 11:00AM Rectory  
 Wednesday, November 5th **KNIT, CROCHET & SEW GOOD WORKS**  
 1:00PM-4:00PM & 6:30PM-8:30PM Fr. Shea  
 Wednesday, November 5th **YOUTH GROUP CHOIR PRACTICE**  
 5:45PM Church  
 Wednesday, November 5th **FAITH & FELLOWSHIP**  
 7:30PM Cry Rm.  
 Thursday, November 6th **PRECIOUS BLOOD PRAYER GROUP**  
 7:30PM Chapel  
 Sunday, November 9th **RESPECT LIFE**  
 10:30AM Rm. 1  
 Monday, November 10th **LITURGY COMMITTEE**  
 7:00PM Fr. Shea  
 Monday, November 10th **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, 3RD DEGREE**  
 7:00PM Parish Center  
 Tuesday, November 11th **SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY**  
 8:45AM Fr. Shea  
 6:00PM Cry Rm.  
 Wednesday, November 12th **YOUTH GROUP CHOIR PRACTICE**  
 5:45PM Church  
 Wednesday, November 12th **PARISH VISTOR TEAM**  
 7:00PM Cry Rm.  
 Thursday, November 13th **PRECIOUS BLOOD PRAYER GROUP**  
 7:30PM Chapel  
 Saturday, November 15th **FAITH & FELLOWSHIP TEAM**  
 Meet in parking lot at 12:30PM for Mark Twain & Harriet Beecher Stowe Trip

**PARISH UPDATE**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 STREET \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOWN \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CHECK ONE:**

CHANGE OF ADDRESS       REGISTER  
 MOVING OUT OF PARISH       VACATION  
 (If you are going on vacation, please provide the dates that you will be leaving and returning. This will ensure that the envelopes will be stopped and re-started on time.)  
**PLEASE SEND TO THE OFFICE. THANK YOU.**

**Readings for the Week of November 2, 2008**

Sunday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40  
 Monday: Phil 2:1-4/Lk 14:12-14  
 Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24  
 Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33  
 Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10  
 Friday: Phil 3:17-4:1/Lk 16:1-8  
 Saturday: Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15  
 Next Sunday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16 17/Jn 2:13-22