

"Sermon on the Mount" by Laura James

## Holy Eucharist Fourth Sunday after Epiphany January 29, 2023 at 10 a.m.

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## Welcome to St. James Cathedral!

Whether you are visiting or are a regular worshipper, you're not just welcome at St. James - you belong! This booklet contains everything you need to worship with us today. If you would like to learn about the mission and ministry of the cathedral, please complete one of the visitor cards available in the rear of the chapel and place it in the offering plate or hand it to a clergy person.

### CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Children are always welcome at St. James. We also offer nursery care with a changing station for parents of our youngest members. There is an open space to the front right of the pews for children to play under your supervision.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

We offer God's gracious gift of Holy Communion to anyone who wishes to receive it. All are invited to receive the chalice by guiding it to your lips. If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward and cross your arms over your chest. Let the priest know if you would need a gluten-free wafer. We are also happy to bring Communion to you if you are unable to come to the altar rail. Please let a priest know if this would be helpful for you.

#### PARKING

On Sundays, reduced-rate parking is available at R.O.W. Parking Garage (50 E. Ohio) for \$2 for up to six hours from the time of entering the garage. Discounts are also available for all-day parking at Ohio Ontario Self Park (33 W. Ontario) for \$10. To receive a reducedrate parking voucher, please go to the Welcome Center desk in the narthex.

#### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Restrooms are in the Welcome Center connected to the east end of the cathedral and below the front entrance of the cathedral.

#### LIVE-STREAM NOTICE

A reminder this public service will be live-streamed and your image or the image of any children or vulnerable adults in your care may appear in the video. By your entry and presence in this service, you agree on behalf of yourself and any children or vulnerable adults attending with you to be photographed, filmed, and/or otherwise recorded, and also agree to our use of such images in any and all media.

Lisa Hackney James

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James, Provost of the Cathedral



## Gathering

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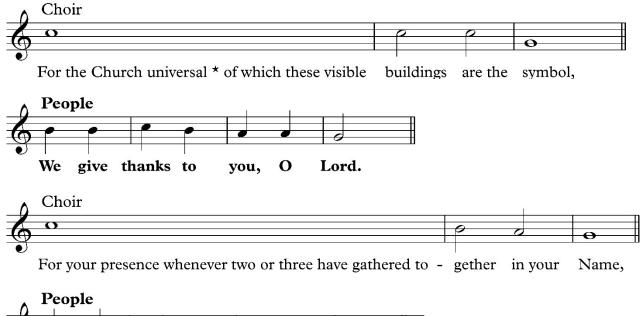
An Evocation of "Urbs Beata Jerusalem"

Gerre Hancock (1934–2012)

#### Please stand.

#### A LITANY OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE CHURCH

*Cantor* Let us thank God whom we worship here in the beauty of holiness. Eternal God, the heaven of heavens cannot contain you, much less the walls of temples made with hands. Graciously receive our thanks for his place, and accept the work of our hands, offered to your honor and glory.





For this place where we may be still and know that you are God, We give thanks to you, O Lord.

For making us your children by adoption and grace, and refreshing us day by day with the bread of life,

We give thanks to you, O Lord.

For the knowledge of your will and the grace to perform it, We give thanks to you, O Lord. For the fulfilling of our desires and petitions as you see best for us, We give thanks to you, O Lord.

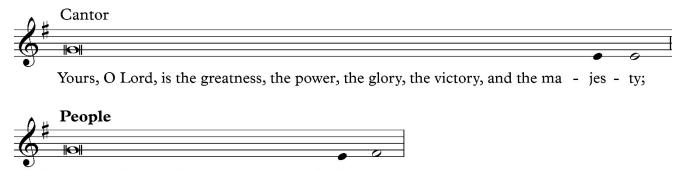
For the pardon of our sins, which restores us to the company of your faithful people, We give thanks to you, O Lord.

For the blessing of our vows, and the crowning of our years with your goodness, We give thanks to you, O Lord.

For the faith of those who have gone before us, and for our encouragement by their perseverance,

We give thanks to you, O Lord.

For the fellowship of James, our patron, and of all your Saints, We give thanks to you, O Lord.



For everything in heaven and on earth is yours.

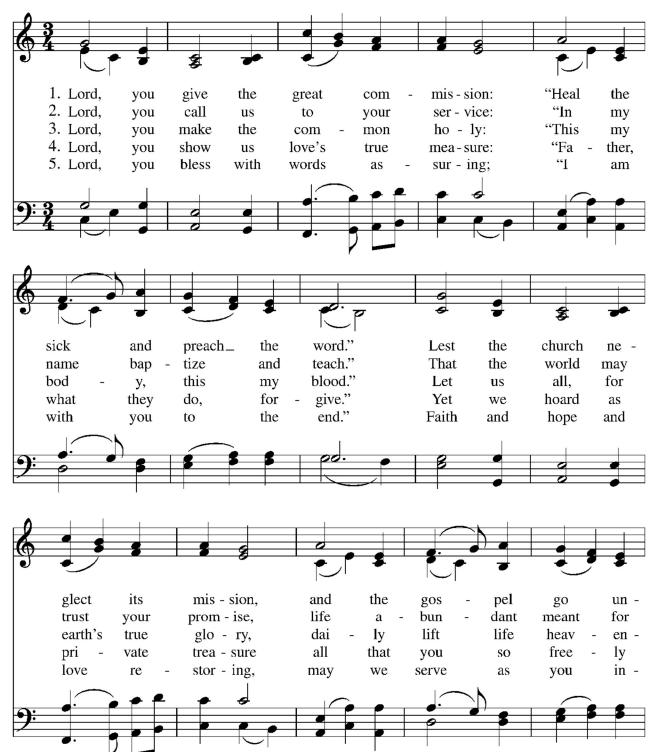


Yours, O Lord is the king - dom; And you are exalted as head over all. A - men.

Based on Ein feste Burg by Martin Luther (1483–1546), arr. Stephen Buzard (b. 1989)

INTROIT HYMN

Wonder, Love, and Praise 780





Words: Jeffery Rowthorn (b. 1934) Music: Abbot's Leigh, Cyril Vincent Taylor (1907–1991)

#### OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Presider* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

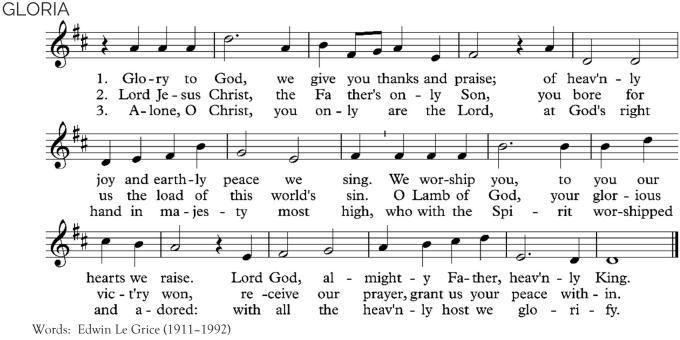
All And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The presider welcomes the people to the service.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The presider pronounces God's forgiveness.



Music: Woodlands, Walter Greatorex (1877-1949), alt.

#### COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider	The Lord be with you
All	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

O God, teach us the hidden wisdom of the gospel, so that we may hunger and thirst for holiness, work tirelessly for peace, and be counted among those who seek first the blessedness of your kingdom. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

Please be seated.

# Liturgy of the Word

A Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians. (1:18–31)

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart."

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

Consider your own call, brothers and sisters: not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, things that are not, to reduce to nothing things that are, so that no one might boast in the presence of God. He is the source of your life in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification and redemption, in order that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 

All

#### Please stand. **GRADUAL HYMN** Hymnal 51 We the Lord's peo - ple, heart and voice nit - ing, praise him who 1. u 2. This Lord's house, is the home of all his peo - ple, school for the 3. This is the Lord's day, dav of God's own mak - ing, day of cre -4. In the Lord's ser - vice bread and wine are of - fered, that Christ may and dark-ness own light, called us of his out sin in to faith - ful, for the re - fuge for the sin - ner, rest pil - grim, a - tion, of of the day re sur - rec - tion, day Spi - rit, take them, bless them, break, and give them to all his peo - ple, 0 0. that he might a noint us a roy al priest - hood. ha - ven for the all find wel - come. wea ry; а sign of hea ven's day joic - ing. ban quet, for re -\_ his own life im part ing. food ev er last - ing.

Words: John E. Bowers (1923–2019), alt. Music: *Decatur Place*, Richard Wayne Dirksen (1921–2003)

#### HOLY GOSPEL

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. (5:1–12)All Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying, "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

	The Gospel of the Lord.
All	Praise to you, Lord Christ.

#### SERMON

The Very Rev. Lisa Hackney-James Provost of the Cathedral

#### Please stand. NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each petition, the response isReaderLord, in your mercy,

All Hear our prayer.

The presider concludes, praying

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my own peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, now and for ever.**Amen.** 

#### PEACE

The presider says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All And also with you.

The people greet each other in the name of the Lord.

## Holy Communion

#### OFFERTORY

Your offering supports the ongoing mission of St. James Cathedral, including the St. James Meals, Meals Among Us, and Summer in the City. <u>Contributions are welcome online</u> at SaintJamesCathedral.org/give, by texting "SJC" to 73256, or you may place checks and cash in the collection plate.

#### The choristers sing OFFERTORY ANTHEM

John Dankworth (1927–2010)

Light beyond shadow, joy beyond tears, love that is greater when darkest our fears; deeper the peace when the storm is around, dearer the Christ to the lost who is found.

Light of the world, Jesus shining, shining! Sins of the world, see him dying, dying! In our darkness, he is light, in our crying, he is love, in the noise of life imparting peace that passes understanding: light beyond shadow, joy beyond tears, love that is greater when darkest our fears; deeper the peace when the storm is around, dearer the Christ to the lost who is found.

Please stand.

#### OFFERTORY HYMN

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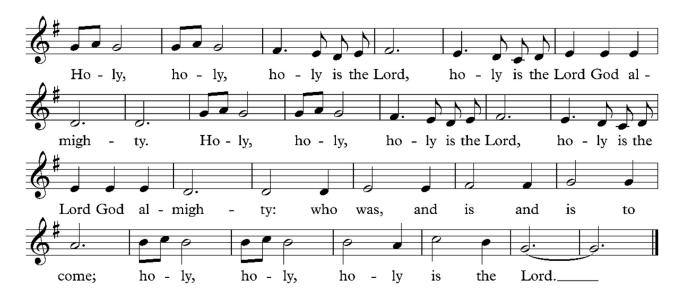


Music: Two Oaks, Haugen

#### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

Presider	God be with you.
All	And also with you.
Presider	Lift up your hearts.
All	<b>We lift them to the Lord.</b>
Presider	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All	It is right to give God thanks and praise.
Reader All	Why is it right to give God thanks and praise? Listen, and we will hear.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore with all the angels of heaven we lift our voices to proclaim the glory of your name and sing our joyful hymn of praise:



We thank you, loving Father, because, when we turned away, you sent Jesus, your Son. He gave his life for us on the cross and shows us the way to live. Send your Holy Spirit that these gifts of bread and wine may be for us Christ's body and his blood.

Reader	Why do we share this bread and wine?
All	Listen, and we will hear.

On the night before he died, when darkness had fallen, Jesus took bread. He gave thanks, broke it, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my body, given for you. Do this to remember me."

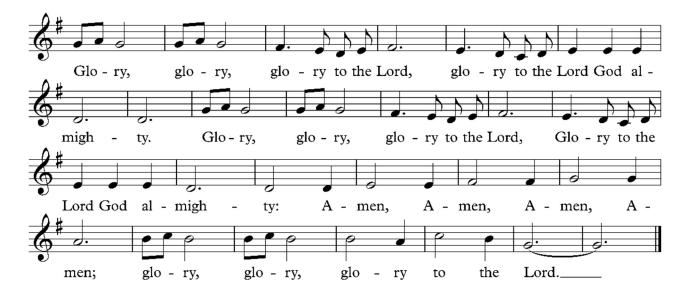
After they had eaten, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and shared it with his disciples, saying: "This is my blood, poured out for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins."

So Father, with this bread and this cup we celebrate his love, his death, his risen life. As you feed us with these gifts, send your Holy Spirit, and change us more and more to be like Jesus our Savior.



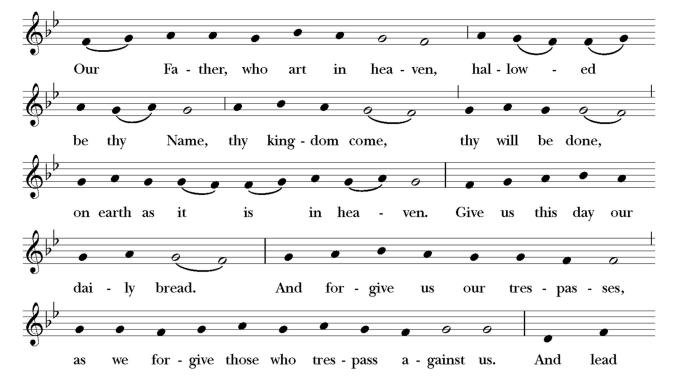
ReaderHow do we follow Jesus Christ?AllListen, and we will hear.

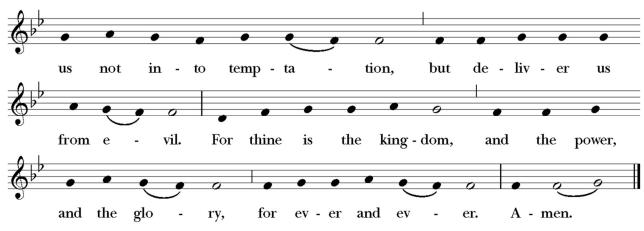
Help us, Father, to love one another, as we look forward to that day when suffering is ended, and all creation is gathered in your loving arms. And now with all your saints we give you glory, through Jesus Christ, in the strength of the Spirit, today and for ever.



LORD'S PRAYER

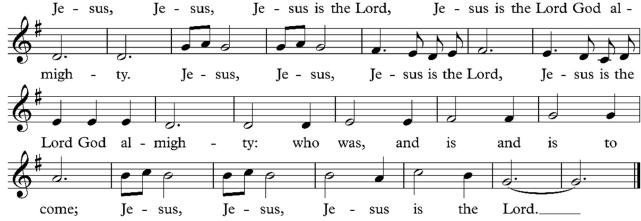
Hymnal S119





Music: Plainsong; adapt. Charles Winifred Douglas (1867-1944)

## BREAKING OF THE BREAD Je - sus, Je - sus, Je - sus is the Lo



#### The presider says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

We offer God's gracious gift of Holy Communion to anyone who wishes to receive it. If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward and cross your arms over your chest. Let the priest know if you would prefer a gluten-free wafer or alcohol-free wine.

#### The choir sings

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Jonathan Dove (b. 1959)

Seek Him that maketh the seven stars and Orion and turneth the shadow of death into the morning.

Alleluia, Yea, the darkness shineth as the day, the night is light about me. Amen.

-Amos 5:8; Psalm 139

#### POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

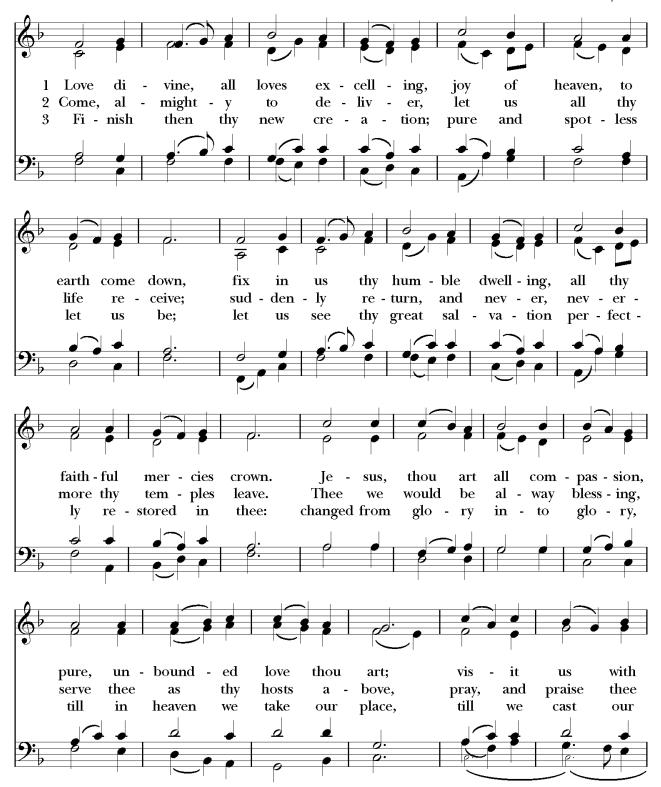
Please stand. The presider says

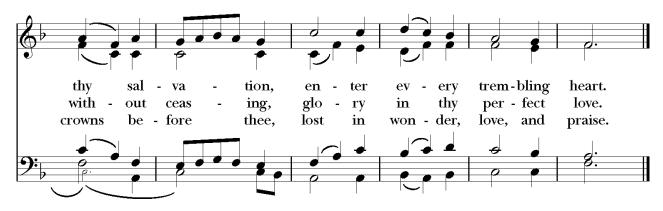
Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.



**POST-COMMUNION HYMN** 





Words: Charles Wesley (1707–1788) Music: *Hyfrydol*, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811–1887)

#### THE ST. JAMES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PRAYER

The presider says

Let us pray.

Faithful God, you call us to be living stones in a spiritual temple. Bless the mission and outreach of this cathedral church.

By the power of your Holy Spirit, enable us confidently to restore its fabric, trustfully to reimagine our vocation, and boldly to renew our ministries in your name.

Make this place a house in which your love dwells and in which all your people find welcome.

Grant this, we pray, through the One who leads us ever onwards in your service, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

#### BLESSING

The presider prays for God's blessing on the gathered people, saying

May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** 

#### DISMISSAL

DeaconGo in peace to love and serve the Lord.AllThanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

Prelude and Fugue in B Major

Marcel Dupré (1886–1971)



#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign up for our weekly newsletter at SaintJamesCathedral.org/enews or texting SJCenews to 22828

#### THIS WEEK

ST. JAMES ANNUAL MEETING: REMEMBERING OUR FUTURE is today! Lunch will be provided. We hope all will join us in the Great Hall following the service.

EPIPHANY COMPLINE will be offered on Wednesday evenings in St. Andrew's Chapel at 7 p.m. through February 15. Dinner in the Great Hall will be available prior. Please email Timothy Beltran del Rio at *tbeltrandelrio@fastmail.com* to RSVP.



#### UPCOMING

THE FORUM: EXPANSIVE LANGUAGE FOR GOD, INCLUSIVE LANGUAGE FOR GOD'S PEOPLE will resume on Sunday, February 5 at 10 a.m.

CANDLEMAS CHORAL EVENSONG on Sunday, February 5 at 4 p.m. will feature a congregational candlelight procession to symbolize Jesus as the light of the world. Music by Byrd, Praetorius, Josquin, and Tallis. Organ prelude by Stephen Buzard begins at 3:40 p.m.

BAPTISMS, CONFIRMATIONS, AND RECEPTIONS The upcoming season of Lent is a traditional time of preparation for members seeking a deeper connection to the church. If you are interested in being baptized, confirmed, or received please email The Rev. Canon Steven Balke at *sbalke@saintjamescathedral.org*.

ST. JAMES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN entitled *Restore Reimagine Rebuild* was launched at our Annual Meeting. All parishioners will be contacted with more information on this campaign, but in the meantime you can view the campaign brochure at *SaintJamesCathedral.org/Capital-Campaign*.

"We first came to St. James with our son, who was a choir member, about the summer of 2006 and sang in the choir one Sunday with him. He was married at St. James in 2007 and had the choir sing for the wedding. So when I retired in 2019, we moved to Chicago to be near family and visited St. James again, singing in the summer choir. The attractions for us are the extremely strong music program, professional clergy who prepare sermons and don't ad lib and ramble, the friendliness of the church members and professional staff, the diversity in the parish and the beautiful church. I was involved with repairs and upgrades at our previous church, so the St. James project, though bigger, is not a new experience for me. It is now time for major repairs to our beautiful building and to replace the organ. The Campaign Committee hopes to have a positive report by the annual meeting on January 29 and urges everyone to pledge toward the project."

- Norman Sunderman, Count Ministry

#### IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

FOR THOSE COMMENDED TO THE PRAYER OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Derek, Shirley, Frank, Rosemary, Joe, Sarah, Vicki, Richard, John, Faye, Kyle, Susan, Denise, the Laverick family, Veronica, Cynthia, Ginger

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AND HAVE BEEN COMMENDED TO THE PRAYERS OF THE CATHEDRAL COMMUNITY: Eva Tarenski, John Conrad, Randy Hooper

FOR ALL THOSE WHO DIED BY GUN VIOLENCE IN CHICAGO IN THE PAST WEEK INCLUDING: Benjamin, Ruben, Derrick, Demani, Bryan, Ramiro, Devsish, Jordan

DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE: Congregations in the Chicago-North Deanery: Cathedral Church of St. James in Chicago; All Saints in Chicago; Ascension in Chicago; Atonement in Chicago; Cristo Rey in Chicago Companion Dioceses of SE Mexico and Renk: La Divina Providencia in El Camalotal; St. Andrew in Wadakona

#### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

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	WO	RSHIP SCHEDULE	
SUNDAYS	8 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Spoken)	Chapel
	9 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Family)	Cathedral
	11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Choral)	Cathedral
		Live-Stream Service (see enews, webs	ite, or YouTube)
FIRST SUNDAYS	4 p.m.	Choral Evensong (Oct-Jun)	Cathedral
WEEKDAYS	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer (Sept–June)	Zoom
		(see	e enews, or website)
	12:10 p.m.	Holy Eucharist	Cathedral
	5:45 p.m.	Choral Evensong (Wednesdays, Sept-	<i>-June)</i> Cathedral

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