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22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

- Lk 14:13-14

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SAINT JAMES



185 Winter Street Haverhill, MA 01830

Confession in English Saturdays: 3:00 - 3:30 PM



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114 Lincoln Avenue Haverhill, MA 01830 Confession in Brazilian Thursdays: 7:00 PM - 7:25 PM

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday/Wednesday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Thursday/Friday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Closed Monday, Weekends, and Holidays

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

4:00 PM SJ (English) & 7:00 PM SJ (Vietnamese)

Sunday

8:30 AM SJ (English) & 10:00 AM SJB (English) 11:30 AM SJ (Spanish) & 11:45 AM SJB (Brazilian)

Daily Masses

Monday - Wednesday - Friday 9:00 AM SJB (English) Wednesday & Friday 7:00 PM SJ (Spanish) Tuesday - Thursday - Saturday 9:00 AM SJ (English) Thursday - 7:30 PM SJB (Brazilian) Holy Day Masses as Announced

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BAPTISM AT ST. JAMES CHURCH:

English - 4th Sunday at 1:00 PM, on the following months: February, April, June, August, October, and December. Spanish - 3rd Sunday of every month at the 11:30 AM Spanish Mass.

BAPTISM AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH:

English - 2nd Sunday at 10:00 AM Mass on the following months: February, April, June, August, October, and December. Brazilian - 4th Sunday of every month at the 11:45 AM Brazilian Mass.

BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTION: Both Parents and Godparents must attend. *English*: 2nd Sunday of the month on the following months: March, June, September, and December at 1:00 PM, at St. James Lower Church. *Spanish*: 1st Saturday of every month at 1:00 PM, at St. James Lower Church. *Brazilian*: 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 PM, at St. John the Baptist Lower Church. Parents are asked to preregister at the Parish Office/Rectory one month before baptism instruction takes place. Please bring the child's birth certificate and a Confirmation certificate for at least one of the Godparents.

MARRIAGE: Arrangement with a priest of the Parish at least six months prior to the wedding.

RECONCILIATION: *English*: Saturdays, 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM, at St. James Lower Church or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office if you have a family member or friend who is unable to attend church due to age or infirmity. We will provide pastoral visits with administration of the Sacraments.



If you are looking for a spiritual home, please introduce yourself to any member of our Parish staff or fill out a registration form available at the entrance of the church. If you would like more information about the Catholic Church, please contact the Parish office at (978) 372-8537.



Readings for today's Mass begin on Page 208 of the Breaking Bread Missal 2025. Proper parts of the Mass begin on Page 3.





The Masses at St. James Church will resume in the upper church beginning with the 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday, September 6th. Thank you.







Saturday, August 30, 2025

9:00 AM (SJ) **Rev. Francis X. Mawn**, Remembrance 4:00 PM (SÍ **Leo Carbone**, 18-Year Anniversary Remembrance, Requested by Family

7:00 PM (SI) **Vietnamese Mass**

Sunday, August 31, 2025

8:30 AM (SJ) Rev. Richard J. Shmaruk, Remembrance

10:00 AM (SJB)Rev. Joseph P. McDermott, Remembrance

11:30 AM (SJ) Jovita Cantu Cruz, Fernando Velazquez, Arturo Toma Velazquez, **Venustiano Velazquez**, Remembrance Miguel A. Lapaix, 50–Years, Remembrance, Requested by Family Luis Chavez, Maria De La Luz Chavez, Jose Juan Nieto Chavez, Remembrance Francisco Velazquez, Remembrance Juana Louisa Abreu, Birthday (Living)

11:45 AM (SJB) Brazilian Mass

Monday, September 1, 2025

9:00 AM (SJB) Henry Fernandes, Remembrance, Requested by Family

7:00 PM (SJ) Adoration (Spanish)

Tuesday, September 2, 2025

9:00 AM (SJ) Rev. William Carroll, Birthday, (Living), Requested by Johnston Family

9:30 AM (SI) Adoration

Wednesday, September 3, 2025 9:00 AM (SJB) Parishioners of St. Gabriel Parish 7:00 PM (ŠÍ) **Mass** (Spanish)

Thursday, September 4, 2025

9:00 AM (SJ) Bill Linehan, Birthday Remembrance, Requsted by Family

9:30 AM (SJ) **Adoration** 7:30 PM (SJB) **Mass** (Brazilian)

Friday, September 5, 20259:00 AM (SJB) **Bridget E. Sweeney**, Remembrance 7:00 PM (SJ) **Mass** (Spanish) 7:30 PM (SJB) **Mass** (Brazilian)

Saturday, September 6, 2025

9:00 AM (SJ) Byron, Michael, Sueane, & Robert **Matthews**, Remembrance

4:00 PM (SI Miguel, Maria, & Nicholas Medeiros, Remembrance, Requested by Family

7:00 PM (SJ) Vietnamese Mass

Sunday, September 7, 2025

8:30 AM (SJ) Eda Lupi & Linda Perkins, Anniversary

Remembrance, Requested by Family 10:00 AM (SJB)**Clifford J. Cyr Jr.,** Remembrance 11:30 AM (SJ) **Bolivar Batista**, 5-Month Anniversary

Remembrance

Maria Cristina Pena Fallecida, 1-Year Anniversary Remembrance

11:45 AM (SJB)Brazilian Mass



As part of the annual Missionary Co-Operative Program, Father Joseph Ogazie of the Diocese of Abakaliki, Nigeria will speak at all our Masses this weekend, August 30-31 about The Society of St. Peter Apostle, one of the four Pontifical Mission Societies represented here in the Archdiocese

of Boston. Father Joseph will share stories of his experiences of the mission Church, where seminaries are sometimes turning away young men who want to say "Yes!" to a call from God but cannot because of their own poverty and that of their diocese. Father Joseph will help us build a spiritual connection to others whose daily lives may be very different from our own.

The Society of St. Peter Apostle is the official mission agency of the Catholic Church supporting seminarians with annual scholarships, support for their teachers, and help for the crumbling infrastructure of mission seminaries. To learn more, in advance, about the needs of seminarians in the missions and how you can make a difference through The Society of Saint Peter Apostle, visit our website:

https://www.propfaithboston.org/forming-church-leaders





The Sanctuary Lamp will burn before the Blessed Sacrament Altar at *St. John the Baptist Church* for:

> Louis Grieco Anniversary Remembrance



The **St. Gabriel the Archangel Prayer Connection Network** has the following prayer requests:

their faith

Nicole T. for cure of inoperable brain

For those who are addicted to pornography

For modesty in dress and behavior for both men & women

For the 2025-26 Religious Ed. Program Sam and Dylan G for a healthy baby Brian R. for substance abuse and mental health

Dot and her ailing husband Those suffering with PTSD Gesenia - special intention Jimmy M. - Cancer For parents of children with disabilities For an increase in the utilization of con- Peace in Ukraine, Middle East.

Christians who are being persecuted for Member of the military and their fami-

Nadine - stage 4 cancer

Pope Leo XIV - successful pontificate For safe return of abducted Ukrainian children

Kyla S. - suitable housing Linda M. - breast cancer Dianne Young - ovarian cancer Evelyn (14) for eyesight miracle. Victims of abuse who are living in silence, may they be given the grace to speak out and receive the help they need For those suffering with mental illness. Good, Holy, Faithful vocations Margaret - reconciliation with God Merrick - special intention

To request prayers, or to sign up to be on the network prayer list, please e-mail: stgabrielprayers@gmail.com. Please be aware that, in order to be published in the bulletin, we must receive prayer requests by the Tuesday 1-1/2 weeks prior to the bulletin weekend. If you do not have email, you may leave a message @ (978) 372-3824. Be sure to leave your phone number! Please let us know if/when prayer intention should be **updated or deleted.** Intentions will be listed for approximately one month unless we are told otherwise. Bless you! Gerry & Ann Marie Johnston

WEEKLY

08/09 - 08/10

Weekly Collection: \$3,391.00 Second Collection: (Special Monthly) \$2,056.00 \$ 381.00 Online Giving:

SECOND COLLECTIONS

08/30 - 08/31 - The Society of St. Peter Apostle

09/06 - 09/07 - Capital Improvements

09/06 - 09/07 - Humanitarian Crisis in Gaza



Special Collection for Humanitarian Effort in Gaza September 6th/7th



Given the enormous humanitarian crisis unfolding in Gaza, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops is asking dioceses to consider a special collection for relief efforts. Archbishop Henning supports this effort and is re questing that parishes consider taking up a special collection at our parish. Given the growing immediate needs for food, shelter, and medical needs, St. Gabriel the Archangel Parish will hold our collection on the weekend of September 6th/7th.

100% of the funds collected will go to support the work of the Catholic Near East Association (CNEWA) and Catholic Relief Services (CRS). The request concerns their humanitarian work for those suffering the effects of war and famine in Gaza.

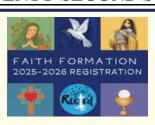
The parishes of the Archdiocese have been very generous in recent years when people across the globe and here in the United States are in need. Thank you for supporting our brothers and sisters suffering in Gaza. Please address your checks to "St. Gabriel Parish", with "Gaza Relief" in the memo. The Archdiocese will then send 100% of your donations to CNEWA/CRS.



IT'S ANNUAL CORI **SUBMISSION TIME...**

It's that time of year again! All parish volunteers and employees are required to fill out their annual CORI form. Forms are available in the back of our churches and at the parish office at 6 Cottage Street. If you volunteer in any capacity in the parish, you will need to complete a form and return to the parish office by September 30, 2025. Thank you in advance for your cooperation as we comply with this important Archdiocesan mandate. Please contact the parish office at 978-372-8537, with any questions. Thank you.







Dear Faith Formation Families,

The Confirmation Retreat is scheduled for Sunday, September 7th, 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM, at St. James Church. The retreat is for those students that have attended the 2024-2025 Faith Formation program for Confirmation.

The Sacrament of Confirmation service is scheduled for Saturday, September 13th, at 10:00 AM, at St. James Church.

2025-2026 Faith Formation Program Registration

Registration forms are now available in the back of both churches and are also available at the Rectory. Please complete and return the forms by **Sunday**, **August 31**, **2025**. Thank you.

If you have any questions, please contact Thanh Nguyen, Coordinator of Faith Formation at

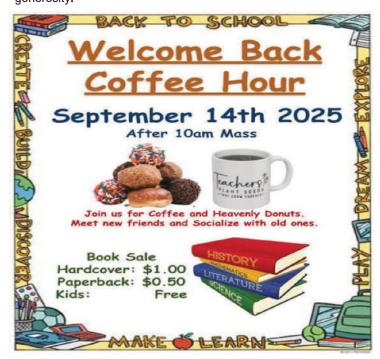
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Saint Vincent de Paul Society Diaper Need - Weekend of September 20th & 21st

The St. Vincent de Paul Society helps needy Haverhill families by distributing free diapers from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM on the second and fourth Saturday of each month from the rectory basement. We currently have more than 200 babies registered, so having enough diapers and wipes to help each child is a challenge. Diapers are expensive and are not provided by WIC or food stamps. Parents must also supply diapers to day care.

We are asking parishioners to please mark National Diaper Need Awareness Week by writing a check made payable to the **St. Vincent de Paul Society** the weekend of September 20th & 21st. We thank you very much for your continued support and generosity.





Brazilian Community St.John the Baptist Church

New Weekly Schedule

Monday Men's Rosary 7:30 PM Mothers Who Pray for Their Children 7:30 PM

Thursday Confession 7:00 PM
Mass 7:30 PM

Followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday Catechism (school year) 5:00 PM

Sunday Mass 11:45 AM

First Friday of each month, Mass at 7:30 PM



Eucharistic Prayer Cards are available at the church entrance. You can fill these out to let someone know you have been praying for them in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. There is no cost for these cards. Thank you.



Liz Murphy Open Hand Pantry

We are currently out of stock of the following items:

- Coffee (1 pound)
- Canned Vegetables
- Cereal (Raisin Bran, Cheerios, Corn Flakes, Shredded Wheat)
- Hot Chocolate (Individual Packets)
- Oatmeal (Individual Packets)

The pantry staff and the clients thank you very much for your continued support and generosity!



Rosary Rally for Our Lady of Fatima Saturday, September 13, 2025 at 3:00 PM St. John the Baptist Church Devine Mercy followed by the Rosary

Rally will be held outside so please bring your lawn chairs
Questions - Please contact Kelly Stronach at 978-373-0679





Estimadas Familias de Formación en la fe:

El Retiro de Confirmación está programado para el domingo 7 de septiembre, de 8:30 a. m. a 1:30 p. m., en la Iglesia de San Jaime. El retiro está dirigido a los estudiantes que cursaron el programa de Formación en la Fe para la Confirmación del curso 2024-2025.

El servicio del Sacramento de la Confirmación está programado para el sábado 13 de septiembre a las 10:00 a.m. en la Iglesia de St. James.

Inscripción al Programa de Formación en la Fe 2025-2026

Los formularios de inscripción ya están disponibles en la parte trasera de ambas iglesias y también en la Rectoría. Por favor, complételos y devuélvalos antes del domingo 31 de agosto de 2025. Gracias.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con Thanh Nguyen, Coordinador de Formación en la Fe en stjamesandjohnfaith@gmail.com





DISTRIBUCION de PANALES



La Sociedad de San Vicente de Paul distribuye panales a familias necesitadas de 10:00 AM a 11:00 AM el segundo y cuarto sabado de cada mes desde el sotano de la rectoria en 6 Cottage Street. Agradecemos todas las donaciones de panales y especialmente toallitas! Los panales no son proporcionados por WIC no estan cubiertos por cupones de alimentos.



Bautismo en Espanol:

Catequesis pre-bautismal: El primer Domingo del mes a la 1:00 PM en la Iglesia de abajo, obligatorio para los padres y padrinos. La registracion se debe hacer un mes antes en la Rectoria, con el acta de nacimiento.

<u>Bautismo en Espanol</u>: El tercer domingo de cada mes a las 11:30 AM Misa.

<u>Bodas</u>: Se debe consultar con el sacerdote o del diacono con 6 meses de anticipacion.

Confesiones: Sabados: 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM en St. James en la Iglesia de abajo o llamar a lar Rectoria por una cita.

Sacramento de los Enfermos: Si tienes un miembro de familia o amigo que no pueda asistir a la Iglesia por edad o enfermedad, por favor llamar a la oficina para que se le provee de visitas con la administracion de los sacramentos.







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