Reflection: How has the God revealed His glory to you?

**MASS SCHEDULE:**
- **Saturday Vigil:** 5:00pm
- **Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00 noon, and 7:00pm
- **Spanish Mass:** 2:30pm
- **Daily:** 6:30am, 8:30am & 12:00 noon
- **Saturday:** 8:30am

**Federal Holidays:**
- 6:30am and 8:30am only
- **Holy Days:** 7:30pm Vigil
- 6:30am, 8:30am, 12:00 noon and 7:30pm

**FIRST FRIDAYS:**
- **Exposition:** 9:00 - 11:45am
- **Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament:** 11:45am
- **Eucharistic Holy Hour:**
  - Sunday: 5:00pm
  - Third Thursdays: 7:00pm

**CONFESSIONS:**
- **Friday:** 11:15 - 11:45am
- **Saturday:** 3:30 - 4:30pm & 7:30 - 8:00pm and by appt.

**RECTORY HOURS:**
- **Weekdays:** 9:00am - 1:30pm
- **Saturday:** 9:00am - 1:30pm

**This Week at St. James**

**Sunday, January 20**
- Parish Library Open
- 10:00am – 2:00pm
- House of Ministries, 913 Park Avenue

**Monday, January 21**
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- School and Rectory Offices Closed
- No Noon Mass

**Wednesday, January 23**
- Mass of Special Intentions
- Church, 6:30pm

**Saturday, January 26**
- Boys’ Confirmation Retreat
- 10:00am – 1:00pm
- Heller Hall, Door 13
Stewardship: Second Collection Next Week: Church in Latin America

For many in Latin America and the Caribbean, a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and a shortage of ministers present obstacles to practicing the faith. Your support to the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. To learn more about how you can make a difference, please visit //www.usccb.org/latin-america.

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Bulletin Deadline: Friday at 9:00am
10 days before Sunday publication date
Via website form posted under Events/Bulletin/Bulletin Submissions.
Our past two Sundays have taken us beyond the birth of Christ – acknowledged by earthly kings and literally heralded by God as his “beloved Son.” Though Jesus tells His mother in today’s well-known Gospel that his time “has not yet come,” we know from John the Baptist that it has. John’s prophetic and profound realization that “I must decrease as he increases” paves the way for the Miracle at Cana.

Cana is interesting to me as it reveals not only Jesus’ divinity but his humanity. Prompted by Mary, he says essentially, “I’m not ready.” I think it’s easy to see Jesus as fully grasping His role as Savior, yet our readings are peppered with recollections of Jesus going away to pray; to listen to God. God the Father saw His destiny; Mary His mother did too.

Mary knew as many mothers do that her child was ready to become all they were meant to be. Jesus’ retort of essentially, why should I care there’s no wine left, has become the stuff of cartoons and Hallmark cards. However, it’s easy to overlook just how Mary must have felt at that moment. Did the words of Simeon come back to her, that her heart would be “pierced?” Did she recall the moment when she and Joseph searched for days for Him only to find Jesus in “his Father’s house?” How difficult must it have been for her then to encourage Jesus? For her words and His actions set in motion the “final” act of our salvation.

I remember my mother encouraging my vocation to the priesthood. From the time she brought me to Saint James to pray with the Charismatic Group as a young teenager, to the moment I lay prostrate before the Lord, her unwavering belief in my destiny guided and supported me. She saw, as Saint Paul wrote: “[t]o each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.” I continue to pray that whatever gifts I have bring others to the joy I feel in my relationship with the Lord.

How many times have we heard, “there’s no time like the present?” Well, add one more today. There is no time like today to use your God-given talents to benefit others. There is no time like today to “announce his salvation day after day.” Your time and mine have come.

~ Fr. Posey
Mass Intentions for The Second Week of Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 19
5:00 p.m.  +Donald R. Penland

Sunday, January 20
7:30 a.m.  Jane Checkan
9:00 a.m.  Karen Freschi
10:30 a.m. +Emmette and Mary Ann Beauchamp
Noon  Living and Deceased Members of the Kopinski Family
2:30 p.m.  +Souls in Purgatory
7:00 p.m.  People of St. James

Monday, January 21
(Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day)
6:30 a.m.  +Elizabeth Lyman
8:30 a.m.  +Karen A. White

Tuesday, January 22
6:30 a.m.  +Barbara Teresa Krzywicka
8:30 a.m.  +Mary Boland
Noon  +Milagros Alfaro

Wednesday, January 23
6:30 a.m.  +Nilda Perez
8:30 a.m.  +Marina Zambrano
Noon  +Christine Cunnane

Thursday, January 24
6:30 a.m.  +Anita Jones
8:30 a.m.  +Bill Olcheski
Noon  +Vincent James Santolini

Friday, January 25
6:30 a.m.  +Sr. Francis Joseph Loughran, I.H.M.
8:30 a.m.  +Thomas T. Coipuram, Sr.
Noon  +Finley Horner, Sr.

Saturday, January 26
8:30 a.m.  +Hilda Bankert
5:00 p.m.  +Audrey Everidge

Sunday, January 27
7:30 a.m.  +Ricardo Saramosing, Jr.
9:00 a.m.  People of St. James
10:30 a.m. +Giovanni and Maria Bernardone
Noon  +Patricia D. Burke
2:30 p.m.  +Souls in Purgatory
7:00 p.m.  Laura Lareau and +Michael A. Lareau

This Week’s Saints and Special Observances

Sunday:  Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:  St. Agnes; Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Tuesday:  Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children; World Youth Day
Wednesday:  St. Vincent; St. Marianne Cope
Thursday:  St. Francis de Sales
Friday:  The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle; Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends;
Saturday:  Ss. Timothy and Titus

Today’s Readings

First Reading  — As a bridegroom rejoices in his bride, so God rejoices in the chosen ones (Isaiah 62:1-5).
Psalm  — Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations (Psalm 96).
Second Reading  — All the varied gifts in the Christian community are from one Spirit (1 Corinthians 12:4-11).
Gospel  — Rejoicing at a wedding celebration in Cana, Jesus replenishes the wine supply (John 2:1-11).
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Readings for the Week

Monday:  Heb 5:1-10; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday:  Heb 6:10-20; Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c; Mk 2:23-28, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer
Wednesday:  Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday:  Heb 7:25 — 8:6; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Mk 3:7-12
Friday:  Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Saturday:  2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 or Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 3:20-21

Remember in Your Prayers...

the sick of our parish family:
Patricia Gaughan
Leonard Gilleo
Joan La Rocca
Laura Lareau
Ann McDermott

and the deceased of our parish family:
Frank Amorosi
Frances L. Griffith
Elizabeth S. O’Brien

Pray for Those Serving Our Country

Please pray for our disabled veterans, military retirees, and those serving overseas in the military and foreign service, especially Justin Berg,
Capt. Albert C. Young,
Michele Petersen, and Roger Van Sanford.
It Snowed! Do we Have PREP?

As we are now in winter and weather can sometimes be less than pleasant, please know that PREP follows the closure decisions of the Falls Church City Public Schools. If they close or dismiss early, then PREP is canceled for that day. For links to the Falls Church City Schools webpage and Twitter page, visit: https://bit.ly/2FwkqDO.

Thank You!
Jesus Christ is the Light of the world. A Light no darkness can overpower.

PRESENTATION OF THE LORD CANDLEMAS
Saturday, February 2, 2019

Since the early centuries, Christians have marked the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord by blessing candles for use in church and home. We will bless candles this year during the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Saturday, February 2. All who are there will be invited to take a candle home to use during the year for special celebrations and feast days.

In this way, We will keep the seasons of the year together in the Light of Christ, a Light no darkness can overpower.

St. James Seniors Welcome You to Wipe Away Those Winter Blahs February 21

Come join the St. James Seniors on this winter evening in Heller Hall (Door 13) from 5:30pm to 7:30pm as we watch the movie “Tortilla Soup”

The movie, which will begin at 5:45pm, is sure to make you laugh and whet your appetite!

Tortilla Soup, Cornbread, and Dessert will be served. Since our theme is “Wipe Away Those Winter Blahs,” consider a snowflake inspired dessert to donate.

RSVP by February 19 to:
Mary Anne Stallings at 703-244-2610,
Cae Gilley at 703-533-3845, or
Susan Jackson at 703-533-3482

Rides are available upon request. If school is closed for inclement weather, this event will be cancelled.
Parish Communications Survey — Please Return by January 31

Hi, I’m Duane Hyland, the Director of Communications here at St. James. I am hoping you can take a few minutes, between today and January 31, to complete this survey and return it to the designated baskets in the Church, or visit: https://bit.ly/2Q6KArR, and fill it out online. Your answers will help us improve how we get news out to you. Thank you for your help!

1. The Church currently uses several communication platforms to get news out to the Parish community. Please circle the ones you find most useful to you.
   A. St. James weekly Bulletin  
   B. St. James Website  
   C. Church Electronic Signs  
   D. St. James Facebook Page  
   E. St. James Twitter Announcements  
   F. Monthly Electronic Newsletter  
   G. Mailings  
   H. Pulpit Announcements  
   I. Word-of-Mouth  
   J. News from my Ministry Lead

2. How often do you visit the St. James Website?
   A. Daily  
   B. 2-3 times a week  
   C. 4-6 times a week  
   D. Less than once a week  
   E. We have a Website?

3. How often do you visit the St. James Facebook Page?
   A. Daily  
   B. 2-3 times a week  
   C. 4-6 times a week  
   D. Less than once a week  
   E. We have a Facebook Page?

4. How often do you check the St. James Twitter stream?
   A. Daily  
   B. 2-3 times a week  
   C. 4-6 times a week  
   D. Less than once a week  
   E. We Tweet?

5. How often do you read our Electronic Newsletter?
   A. Every time I receive one  
   B. At least once a month  
   C. Infrequently  
   D. Never  
   E. We have an Electronic Newsletter?

6. What information is most valuable to you? Circle as many as apply:
   A. Mass and Confession times  
   B. Parish news and events  
   C. Prayer Intentions  
   D. Parish history  
   E. St. James School news  
   F. Stewardship information  
   G. Diocesan news and events  
   H. Faith formation events and activities  
   I. Ministry news and events

7. If you could change three things about the weekly Bulletin, what would they be?

8. What additions, if any, would you like to see made to the website in the coming year?
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Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge
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Saturday, March 2, 2019
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Mass of Special Intentions — January 23

Make time to attend our monthly Mass of Special Intentions, held on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm. Designed to meet the needs of our community, this Mass provides an opportunity to bring spiritual requests to our parish family. We support one another in prayer as well as fellowship. You can submit intentions via the boxes in the Church, by writing in the Book of Intentions in the vestibule, or by contacting the Rectory at 703-532-8815 or at rectory@stjamescatholic.org.

New Year Bringing New Parking Changes Around St. James

As many of you know, the City of Falls Church has approved construction of the Founders Row development, which will include 93,000 square feet of retail space and 400 apartments. Founders Row will occupy the entire space adjacent to the St. James Convent field and House of Ministries, bordered by Broad Street, West Street, and Park Avenue. Construction has begun and is expected to take three years to complete, bringing the local traffic disruptions one would expect from such a massive project. To encourage Founders Row customers to park in the development’s parking garage, the City is implementing permanent parking restrictions on Park Avenue between West Street and Spring Street. The Church side of Park Avenue will be restricted to two-hour parking; the residential side of Park Avenue will be limited to resident-only parking. If you have been parking on the residential side of Park Avenue to attend Mass and other events at St. James, now is a good time to change your parking habits. To avoid the expected construction-related traffic disruptions and the new parking restrictions, remember that you may park in any of our parking lots: at Park & Spring Streets (A Lot); at Park & Oak Streets (B Lot); and in the Teacher’s Lot (C Lot) off of Broad Street. All three lots are a city block or more away from the construction site.

Car Raffle Tickets are Coming Soon — Check the Bulletin on January 27 for All the Details!
### January Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

Evangelization – In the Service of the Transmission of Faith
That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

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### This Week in Our Parish

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#### Monday, January 21

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, School and Rectory Offices Closed, No Noon Mass

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### Weekly Reflection

**Readings:** Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 96:1-2,2-3,7-8,9-10; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11; John 2:1-11


**Reflection Question:** How has God revealed His glory to you?

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