

St. James Episcopal Church

204 N. Lee Street
Leesburg, FL 34748

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JANUARY 2026 MESSENGER

Happy New Year

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Please mark your calendars for the 139th Annual Parish Meeting which will take place on **Sunday, January 18th, 2026 at 11:30 am in the Parish Hall**. We will review key events from 2025, confirm our budget, elect four new vestry members, and look forward to what God has in store for us in 2026.

The Vestry is furnishing the main course of pulled pork and turkey. We are asking parishioners whose last names start with **A-J** to bring a dessert and parishioners whose last names start with **K-Z** to bring a side dish.

Also, During the Sunday School hour on January 18, 2026 from 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m., we will offer a specific overview of our parish finances and our budget before the Annual Meeting.

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The Vestry Nominating Committee has chosen four candidates, whose biographical information is included in this Newsletter. Nominations of eligible candidates may be made from the floor at the annual meeting. If anyone intends to nominate someone, please let us know by the week before the meeting, so that names and information can be made available.

MEET OUR VESTRY NOMINEES!

My name is **Cherie Knowles**. I have been married to my husband, David for 46 wonderful years! We have two sons, John and Tim, and have been blessed with a lovely daughter-in-love, Ashley and two beautiful grandchildren, Corbett (4) and Sage (10 months).

David and I have been members of St. James for over 38 years, as having a Christ centered household is most important to us, and we found it through the worship at this Spirit-filled church.

I grew up in Northern Indiana, so I can appreciate lake snow effects! My Mom and Dad moved down to Florida in 1969 where we settled in Winter Park. I went to UCF (which was Florida Technical University at the time) and USF and made my career as a speech pathologist for Lake County schools, having moved to Leesburg in 1976.



CHERIE KNOWLES

After 43 years of teaching, I am now retired. I enjoy assisting in any way I can at St. James, take every opportunity to spend time with family and friends, and find peace in church and on the water as David and I have been avid boaters.

Being raised in a Christian household, I began service early. When I was a teen, I served as a Lay Eucharistic Minister at St. Margaret Mary in Winter Park. I also taught Sunday school to first graders. When I moved to Leesburg, I did the same at St. Paul's, but worked with second graders and had the privilege of teaching the First Communion preparedness class.

When I came to St. James, David and I joined the choir and sang for about 25 years. I then was blessed to become an usher and Eucharistic Minister in our church. When Dr. Pratt Carter (my mentor) could no longer serve at the Thursday healing service, it was my pleasure to commit to assisting as I could. This has been an especially beautiful blessing. Margaret Branham and I started a period of fellowship following this service which has been favorably received. I have been a second pair of eyes, ears and hands for our most wonderful Youth and Family Director, Beth Williams. Our church has been gifted with not only talented musical directors, but with a children's choir that is beyond measure! I was also on standby for our Parish Administrator if needed, and truly enjoyed working in the office as it allowed me to be a part of a wonderful group of people who are the heartbeat of our parish and keep it all going.

Yes, I am a hugger, and I reach out to all of you with much affection, knowing that the right decision will be made to fill our Vestry with just the right people to serve our church, but mostly our Mighty God.



My name is Sean Lahey and I was born in 1972 and raised in Longwood, Florida. I was active in the Roman Catholic Church growing up. I graduated from St. Leo College, with a degree in Business Administration and a specialty in management. I have been a Commercial Insurance agent for nearly 30 years. My wife Lara and I were married in 2005 and after meeting Lara, I joined her in attending the Episcopal Church. I was confirmed in the Episcopal Church while attending the St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Eustis, FL.

SEAN LAHEY

I am a proud husband and father and my wife, myself and children are very active members of St. James. My children, Noah, Clara, Sara and Sofia have been involved in the St. James children's ministry since the spring of 2024. I serve as a consultant with the St. James Finance Committee and I currently sit on the following boards: Central Florida Laps4Life, Life Choices Medical Center, Lake100, and the Lake County Planning and Zoning Commission.

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My name is Nancy Moran and my love for sacred music began at the age of three. My mom was the superintendent of the Sunday School at the Locust Valley Dutch Reformed Church. Being the youngest in my family by six years, my brother attended the Sunday School and I toddled along behind. We would sing hymns, such as "Jesus Loves Me" and then after church I would go home and play the song on the piano. Thus began my career in music, especially sacred music. And my repertoire expanded when I started lessons on the organ finally being tall enough to reach the pedals.



Fast forward, I taught music in middle school for 27 years, and when I was not **NANCY MORAN** in the classroom, I taught piano. I also served as an organist and choir director in several churches.

Upon marriage, I converted to Catholicism. I struggled with a lack of music and eventually after many years found myself more and more uncomfortable in the Catholic church, but I liked the ritual and following the liturgical year.

On the first Sunday of June 2019 I attended St. James. When I sang, many people encouraged me to sing in the choir. I signed the guest book and introduced myself to Father Tom. When I attended the following Sunday and shook Father Tom's hand again, he said "Nancy, how nice to see you again" Hooked! I knew then that I had arrived home. A smaller church where everyone is friendly and very involved in the worship service.

I joined the choir and worked with Deb Carraway to play organ and piano duets together. Not only do I sing in the choir, but I play handbells too and play for the Healing & Anointing Services on Thursday mornings. I am a Lector and a Lay Eucharist Minister and these last two ministries really helped to deepen my faith. Last, but not least I am a member of ECW. I feel so blessed to have come to St. James and to be able to share my love of sacred music. I am honored to have made wonderful and supportive friends in the choir, as well as, many in the congregation. The more involved I become the more my faith continues to strengthen. “I am Home”.



DEE SAYLOR

My name is Dee Saylor. In my professional career I worked at the same company for 45 years. This company had many different names: Lukens Steel, Bethlehem Steel and I believe the final name was Cleveland Cliffs. I had many different positions at the steel mill. I had some great bosses who gave me opportunities and challenges. I started out as a Secretary, was a Programmer, Security Administrator and finally an Accounting Analyst. My background gave me experience in budgets and financial planning.

I have been married to Michael Saylor for 41 years. We have two sons, three grandchildren, one great granddaughter and another one arriving in June. They all live in Maryland.

I previously attended St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church in Oxford, PA. I started attending St. Chris in 1966 when I was baptized and then confirmed. As an adult member, I served on the Altar Guild and Memorials. I was a member of ECW and secretary, Treasurer, Vice President and President. I also served on the Vestry for a number of terms. I held the positions of Secretary, Treasurer and Accounting Warden. I was also on the Search Committee for two of their priests.

I started attending St. James in 2016 where I attended part-time. In 2022 I started attending full time and I am currently a member of the St. James Altar Guild and ECW. Last year I was Co-Vice President of the ECW and volunteered at the Jody’s Gift Shop.

I am very interested in becoming a Vestry member.

WELCOME TO ALL OUR WONDERFUL VESTRY NOMINEES!

Feast of the Holy Name



Please join us for the Feast of the Holy Name with Eucharist on Thursday, January 1, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel.



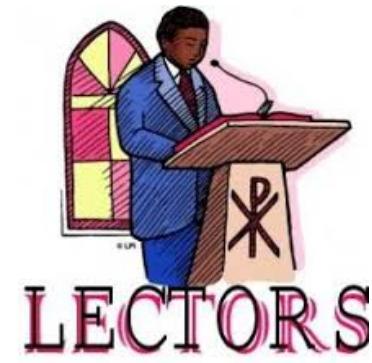
A STEWARDSHIP THANK YOU



For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.” (Ephesians 4:10)

We'd like to thank all of you who made your financial commitment to St. James for 2026. If you would still like to make a pledge, you can send in your card, or contact the church at **office@stjames-leesburg.org, or 352-787-1981.**

GIVING ENVELOPES for 2026 are now available for pick up in the Parish Hall. Thank you for your generosity!



2026 SCHEDULES

The above schedules have been emailed. A hard copy of these schedules will be mailed on Friday, January 2, 2026.

Looking for volunteers to help with the schedules. If you are interested or if you have any questions regarding the schedules, please call the church office at 352-787-1981 or email office@stjames-leesburg.org

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<h1>JANUARY</h1> 						
4 The 2nd Sunday after Christmas 8:00 Eucharist (RITE I) 9:00 Connect Series <i>9-12 Jody's Gift Shop Open</i> 10:15 Eucharist (RITE II) 11:30 Cantate	5 6:00 Beginner Ukulele 6-8 Deanery Meeting 7:00 Advanced Ukulele	6 9:00 ECW Board Meeting 10:00 ECW General Meeting (Parish Hall)	7 10:30 Caregiver Support Group (Parish Hall) 12:00 Coffee & Philosophy (Coffee Snob) <i>10-2 Jody's Gift Shop Open</i> 4:30 Jubilate 5:45 Bell Choir 6:30 Adult Choir	1 8:30-12 Library Open 10:00 Healing & Anointing Service <i>10-2 Jody's Gift Shop Open</i> 3:00 Grief Support (Chapel) 6:30 Bible Study-The Book of Revelation (Parish Hall)	2 <i>10-2 Jody's Gift Shop Open</i>	3 HAPPY
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CONNECT" ORIENTATION SERIES

In order to have people learn more about St. James, a series of Power Point presentations is provided several times a year. These sessions are designed to explain various aspects of St. James to people who are new to the congregation. However, they are open to everyone, and every session to date has included both "new" and "old" members. The sessions stand independently -- you do not need to come to all of them. Pick and choose the ones that interest you.

Each session lasts about 30 minutes. The presentations take place in the Parish Hall, starting at 9:15 a.m.

January 4th: Why We Do What We Do

Many people are unfamiliar with a liturgical church. "What is all this getting up & down?" "Why are there different colors on different Sundays?" "What do all those bells mean?" This presentation will take you step-by-step through a typical service at St. James.

January 11th: The Stained Glass Windows

When you first enter St. James you will be surrounded by beautiful stained glass windows. This presentation will provide an overview of what these windows represent.



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Young Adult Group Begins New Study



St. James began a young adult Bible study group in 2026, spearheaded by Sean and Lara Lahey. **The group is open to people between 18 and 30 (ish) years of age.** They meet on **Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm. Dinner is included. There is no cost to participate.**

On January 11, the group will begin their journey through the St. James Spiritual Formation Course. We offered this course to the parish at large last Lent. It is a fun, interactive, and experiential approach to faith development. Some of the topics up for discussion during the course are the nature of the relationship between God and His people, the importance of prayer, the development of the Bible we have today, ministry and stewardship, how God's people work together, and how we can share our faith in a compelling, genuine way. We plan that the course will take six Sundays to complete.

We are excited to offer this opportunity for all young adults who might be interested, wherever they are on their spiritual development path. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact **Dorry Curran at 949-633-8471 or tinkrvl@gmail.com.**

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Happy New Year! Please take note on when rehearsals start again. The church calendar for January may not include these changes.

 **Choir on January 7th 6:45 p.m.** 
Bells on January 28th at 5:45 p.m.



CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP



The Alzheimers-Dementia Care Givers Group welcomes all who have a loved one or are caring for a loved one with Alzheimer's or dementia. We meet on the first Wednesday of the month to discuss the ways and means of expressing compassion and how to care for our loved ones in the midst of a difficult challenge.

All discussions are kept in strict confidentiality. Please note that our meetings are for caregivers only (and not the one with A/D) to allow the freedom to share as needed. Our next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, January 7th, 2026 at 10:30 in the Parish Hall.**

We hope to see you then, Jeff Livesay



GRIEF SUPPORT

Our next Grief Support Gathering is this Thursday, January 08, 2026 at the St. James Episcopal Chapel located behind the church (204 N. Lee Street in Leesburg). Meet and Greet will start at 3:00 on the Veranda In front of the Parish Hall. Bottled water and a small snack (usually chocolate) are provided.

Our conversation topic for January is “Understanding Grief Brain Fog”. Struggling to focus, forgetting things, or feeling mentally drained (overwhelmed) is a normal response and an important part of the healing process after losing a loved one. It is important to know that this is only temporary, and you are not alone. Join us as we share our experiences and possible ways to help us cope with grief brain fog.

Hope to see you Thursday, January 8th at St. James Episcopal Church Chapel . Our grief support group meets once a month and is open to anyone who has lost a loved one and needs support from others who know firsthand what they are going through.

**Susan Cyrus,
Grief Support Facilitator**



DAUGHTERS OF THE KING



The Daughters of the King meet on the **2nd Wednesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.** Our next meeting, scheduled on **Wednesday, January 13th.**

If you are interested in joining the Daughters of the King, please contact: **Catherine Holt.**

All are welcome!

ST. JAMES MEN'S MINISTRY

The Men's Ministry holds a prayer breakfast on the **3rd Wednesday of each month at 8:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall.** Their next meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, January 21st.**

If you are interested in joining the Men's Ministry, please contact: **Ted Kermode.**

All are welcome!

ECW NEWS

A WORD ABOUT ECW FUNDRAISING \$\$\$\$\$\$

It seems as if I do a lot of talking about fundraising. Let me take a moment to explain why this is so close and dear to our ECW hearts. Last year, through the hard work of ECW and the generosity of the St. James's parishioners, St. James was able to help support our community by donating to over 20 local charities.

Throughout the year we will be highlighting some of these charities to keep you informed of our community outreach ministries and the important impact we have. If you are not familiar with these worthy organizations, please look them up!

Children's Advocacy Center ~ \$2,000

Haven (Spouse Abuse Shelter for Lake and Sumter ~ \$1,000

Operation Homebound ~\$500.00

We would like to take this opportunity to recognize and thank our parishioners for their generous support of our fundraising efforts. Please know how much we appreciate you as do the recipients of our charitable giving.

We thank you for your support. *Barnelia Woodward*

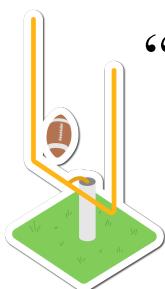
TUESDAY, JANUARY 6TH

ECW Board Meeting takes place
9:00 a.m. in the St. Nicholas House.
ECW General Meeting takes place at
10:00 a.m. in the Parish Hall.

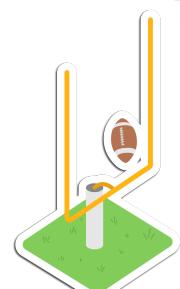
CHAPTER MEETINGS ~JANUARY 20TH

10:00 a.m. ~ St. Anne's (Parish Hall)
10:00 a.m. ~ St. Francis' (St. Nicholas House)
3:00 p.m. ~ St. Cecilia's (Parish Hall)

Current And Future Opportunities To Support ECW's Fundraising



**“Souper Bowl” takeout soup for the Game
February 8th!!**



**Tablescapes, “Love Is In The Air”
is on February 14th.**



DECEMBER FOOD DROP

Our DECEMBER FOOD DROP took place on a sunny and calm day, with volunteers, Terri and Van Galyon, Barbara Logan, Tanina and Dick Singletary along with Bob and Rita Clements meeting cheerful and generous givers of food and monetary contributions from St. James to the Leesburg Food Bank. The holiday food exchange will take place at the Leesburg Food Bank on Tuesday before Christmas. Please know the holiday spirit is made brighter with your donations. God's blessings to you and thank you.

TOTAL COLLECTED: ~ 638 pounds of food ~ \$900.00

TOTAL TO DATE: ~ 48,566 pounds of food ~\$58,602

St. James Parishioners you are appreciated!

We will meet again for the FOOD DROP on **Wednesday, January 21**, from 9:00-12:00.

God cares for people through people.

And one of the greatest gifts is the ability to give.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!! ~ ECW GRAND AUCTION ~MARCH 7, 2026

It's hard to believe, but the ECW Grand Auction is just two months away! This is a huge fund-raiser for ECW's outreach efforts, and it has traditionally been strongly supported by the St. James Community. A project of this size requires "many hands" in order to be a success, and we are hoping you will be able to help.

HOW CAN I HELP?

1. **PRAY** that this event will provide meaningful financial support to the programs that have been chosen by ECW.
2. **DONATE** something to the Auction. We need items for both the Live Auction and the Silent Auction. Not everything is appropriate, so if you have an ideas please discuss it with the Chairperson, Bob Tindall:
3. **VOLUNTEER** to help with the Auction. We have a specific need for someone to take care of the Food & Beverages. And there are several other ways you can help as well.
4. **ATTEND** ~Tickets are only \$5.
5. **BUY** lots of stuff!

For more information, please contact:

Bob Tindall (717) 575-3092 /walruselect@gmail.com

or call the church office at **352-787-1981**.

ST. JAMES POLO & T-SHIRTS

Men's Polo Shirts Sizes

Sm, Med, Large, XL \$25 each
2XL, 3 XL, 4XL, 5XL \$30 each



Women's Polo Shirts Sizes

Sm, Med, Large, XL \$25 (short sleeve) \$30 (¾ sleeve)
2XL, XL, 4XL \$30 (short or ¾ sleeve)

Children's Polo Shirts Sizes

Sm, Med, Large, XL \$25 each

Screen Printed Tee Shirts

Adult : S, M, L, XL \$15

2XL, 3 XL, 4XL \$20

Children's: S, M, L, XL \$15



EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR TRAINING

One of the very important ministries at St. James is the Eucharistic Visitor Program. The Eucharistic Visitors take communion to people who are unable to make it to St. James. This very nourishing ministry helps keep people connected to St. James at times when they are unable to be physically present.

If you would like to become a Eucharistic Visitor, we will be having at training session soon. **This training will occur after the 10:15 Service on Sunday, January 25, 2026.** We will meet in the Parish Hall.

If you are interested in participating in this training, please contact the Office at **352-787-1981** and indicate that you will be attending.

PRAYER SHAWLS

Prayer shawl ministry is a ministry of compassion and the love of knitting or crocheting. The shawls are a source of God's unconditional love, wrapped around a person for comfort and solace, for people going through a difficult time, as well as, times of celebration and joy. If you are interested in this Ministry, you may contact Joyce Walworth.



KEEP FLIPPING THOSE TOPS

the times of year we are grateful and count our many blessings. As you enjoy
family and friends, pulling flip tops, Ronald McDonald House is also grateful,
for pulling the tabs. These tabs make it possible for families of critically ill
need hospitalization to have comfortable lodging and meals, gratis. Many blessings
and a happy New Year.

The monetary donations you send will support the “Home away from Home” for these families.

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Florida

To make a gift by mail, send your check made out to RMHC of Central Florida to
P.O. Box 547537 Orlando, FL 32854-7537. To make a gift by phone call 407-206-0957.

P.S. Your donation is tax deductible.

Many Blessings to all for the coming year. *Meg Bremer*



LIBRARY CORNER

A New Year, a new mission and renewed hope. I am writing a message to you, dear reader, about **EPIPHANY**, a day celebrated on January 6th, twelve days after Christmas and the end of the brief, twelve day period known as **CHRISTMASTIDE**, during which the three Wisemen, Balthazar, Caspar, and Melchior, guided by the Star in the East traveled to Bethlehem, with their gifts, and beheld Jesus in the Manger, and honored him as their King. Think of all the carols, the evangelical scripture that record this blessed event.

Above the altar in the St James sanctuary hangs a glass Epiphany star, which commemorates this glorious event. Read more about it on Wikipedia or in books from our parish library.

The next Christian church season is Lent, which begins on Ash Wednesday, February 18th.

Until then, thanks to Ronnie Young for designing and crafting our beautiful **EPIPHANY STAR**, and thanks to the parish crew who place it so high for all to enjoy and remember when.

P.S. Please visit your Library

Margaret Braham, The Parish Librarian



Crescendo Choral Festival

Mark your calendars! The St James Adult Choir and the St James Youth Choir will be participating in the Crescendo Choral Festival on **Sunday, Feb. 1st at 4pm!** This free community event will take place at **Morrison United Methodist Church in Leesburg**. This year, our singers have the privilege of working with special guest conductor and composer, Joel Raney! This is a **FREE** event, but a **ticket IS required**, so speak with a choir member if you plan to attend. We hope to see you there as we represent our church within this great music community!



ST. JAMES PRAYER LIST

SHORT TERM ~ 3 WEEKS



Dot Vedder	December 1st	Sean Lahey	December 10th
Phillip Pearson	December 4th	Kathy Geyer	December 15th
Eileen Tooker	December 8th	Margaret Saxton	December 15th
Martha Biby	December 8th	Kurt Cessna	December 18th
Mick Hall	December 8th	Karen Sofield	December 18th
Jon Goodman	December 8th	Janet Davis	December 29th
Charlie Davidson	December 8th	Tammy von Lehn	December 30th
Brit Burdick	December 10th	Paul & Charlie Smigel	December 30th
Sean Lahey	December 10th	Ava Grace Golder	December 31st

3 MONTHS

Tim Thomson	October 15th	Becky Mitchell	November 5th
Art Hollows	October 23rd	Jim Mitchell	November 5th
Jared Mymudes	October 23rd	Cricket Morrison	November 10th
Georgina Fauta	October 23rd	Fred Heald	November 14th
Carlos Alvarado	October 23rd	Beverly Borke	November 17th
Jose Mestre	October 23rd	George Borke	November 17th
Hank Fisher	October 23rd	Denise Meier	November 17th
Bob Clements	October 14th	Craig Pierson	November 18th
Frank Peter	October 14th	George Sullivan	November 18th
Donna Shanosk	October 15th	Karen Cleeton	November 19th
Kathy Shanosk	October 15th	Annabelle Wright	November 19th
Cynthia Kennedy	November 5th	Tommy von Lehn	December 30th

LONG TERM

Baby Autumn, Michael Baker, Patricia Bailey, Nathan Battle, Marion Belson, Peggy Berutich, Nina Bonney, Beverly Bounds, Todd Boyd & Family, Joe Branham, Margaret Branham, Dorri Brooke, Susan Burden, Mabel Burns Scott Butler, Judy Cable, Luke Cain, Carreins Jr., Beverly Caswell, Leroy McClurg, Amy McCombs, Jasmine Cleeton, Birdy Connelly, Kristin Conner, Corinne, Lisa Craig, Beth Crossley, Beverly Cox, Kurt Cessna, Paul Dallaire, Janet Davis, Angel Deacon, Randy Denk, Berni Dodeci, Jimmy Draime, David Dudley, Daniel Durst, Barbara & Don Fodor, Gabriella, Richard Herbert, Art Hollows, Kami Hecker, Isabel, Brook James, James Kevin, Kaley, Cynthia Kennedy, Dee Kermode, David Knowles, Ann Kupferberg, Sally Lawrence, Katie Leware, Elizabeth Linberger, Margaret Peggy Link, Linda Long, David Lossing, Jase Martin, Bill Mann, Becky Mitchell, Jim Mitchell, Brandon Morrison, Caroline Morrison, Belinda Morton-Rusk, Jared Mymudes, Curt Oestreich, Gail Ostrander, Earl Peck, Amber Prescott, Cindy Raczkowski, Diana Reis, Jack & Judy Rigby, Nancy Ann Rishe, Paul Rizzo, Bubba Robinson, Holly Rouse, Robert Sanchez, Steve Scharber, Donna & Kathy Shanosk, Jameson Small, Doug Springmann, Fredrick Stevens, Peggy Steeves, Ann Seagraves, Pat Thomas, Shelly Thomas, Danny Thompson, Dot Vedder, Julitta Velton, Kevin Watkins & Rob Yeager, Sue Roeglin, Jan West.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1st	Beth Graham	21st	Bill Cauthen
	Kathleen Taylor		Jason Gray
3rd	Donna Ziegelman		Dianna O'Kelly
4th	Laura Braun	22nd	Terry Mitchell
5th	Bert Sofield	23rd	John Oldham
9th	Steve Treiber	23rd	Shelly Logan
	Amy Careins	24th	Barbara Logan
11th	Steve Boney	26th	Carole Fischer
	Iris Robuck		Ryan Oldham
12th	Noah Lahey		Joan Smalley
13th	Bob Geyer	27th	Deb Macintyre
	Alfred Howard	28th	Ronnie Young
14th	Linda Tucker	29th	Austin Breeden
15th	Mary Hooper		Rev'd Art Hollows
	Cele Oldham	30th	Keneta Gaillardet
	Elijah Trees		Sue Greenwood
18th	Brenda Carter		Sharon McCabe
	Marc Crouch	31st	Gary Abbott
	Stuart Mowatt		Joseph Branham
	Mitchell Gray		Ansley Gray
	Karen Sofield		
19th	John Wilson		
20th	Jan Vicale		

JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Ray & Ann Ozanne	12th	Ronnie & Nancy Young	27th
David & Denise Lawrence	13th	Scott & Cynthia Sharer	31st
Mike & Linda Springer	15th		

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday Services:

8:00 a.m. (Rite 1) & 10:15 a.m. (Rite II)

Healing & Anointing Service:

Every Thursday at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel

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Please visit our website at: www.stjames-leesburg.org

CLERGY & STAFF

Rev'd Thomas Trees,

Rector

Cell & Email - (352)-643-118 / frtrees@stjames-leesburg.org

Rev'd Art Hollows,

Deacon

Rev'd Sebastiana Springmann

Deacon

Victoria Mymudes

Parish Secretary

John Wilson

Parish Organist/Choir Director

Elizabeth Williams

Youth Ministry & Choir Director

Wylie Hill

Sexton

VESTRY

(Senior Warden) Terri Galyon, (Junior Warden) Bert Sofield,

(Treasurer) Tom Grizzard

Members: Nigel Bailey, Bill Binneveld, Claire Meade, Rita Clements, Tony Cobb, Susan Cyrus, Linda Grizzard, Stuart Mowatt, Dan Robuck, Dick Singeltary

Our Mission

Saint James seeks to be a community that grows more Christ like, expressing the love of Jesus Christ in our worship, our outreach, and our commitment to discipleship. 16