

# From St. James' with Love

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Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving  
and raise a loud shout to Him with psalms. Psalm 95.1-2

## *St. James' Church*

*invites you to join us*

*in giving thanks to God for all His goodness to us.*

*at our*

## *Harvest Festival*

*Come sing, be glad and rejoice in Him.*

*Sunday October 5, 2008*

*Conversation and light refreshment at 9:30 on the lawn.*

*Church begins at 10:30*

*Following Holy Eucharist*

*"Feast in the presence of the Lord your God..." (Deut. 14.26)*

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## *Bountiful Harvest Dinner*

*Choice Top Sirloin Roast of Beef, salad, potatoes, fresh vegetables, homemade bread, dessert*

*"For it is the Lord your God who gives bountiful harvests..." (Deut. 16.15)*

*God provides this abundant food at no charge,  
trusting you will enjoy His company with family and friends.*

## **PRAYER CORNER**

We ask all at St. James Church to keep the following people in their prayers.

Carolyn	John	Barb	Patty
Shannon	Eileen	Doug	Jessica
Mike	Greg	David	Maria
Bill	Betsy	Jim	Richard
Adrienne	Georgia	Gene	Peter
Lori	The Howard family	Bob	Glen
June	Charlene	Pat	Nancy
Valerie	Joy	Rachael	Cora
Betty	Ted	Teralin	Amy

Those who serve our country in the military, especially Vance, Forrest and Zac.  
The Church of Kisima in Kenya    Trinity Church in Canaseraga    Those who suffer with addictions  
(Please let Mother C. know how people on the prayer list are doing.)

## **RUMMAGE SALE**

*Thanks to everyone who helped with this year's Rummage Sale, especially Leah Nichiporuk, who was our chair. What a lot of work! Thanks to all who gave, marked, worked and hauled. This year's profit was \$650!*

## **Red Cross Progressive Dinner**

Sincere thanks to all who worked on the Red Cross Progressive Dinner, and especially our chair, Nancy French. Nancy and Floyd set everything up and organized the whole affair. This year St. James' provided the main course of roast pork, homemade applesauce, baked potato, vegetable medley and roll. Bruce White was our cook, and the food was beautiful as well as delicious! We served 136 people a delicious meal, and the Red Cross made approximately \$1600.

## **JOSEPH'S HAMMER**

You'll notice that we have a little house at the back of the church. It has been placed there to help Joseph's Hammer with some of the costs of their projects. Joseph's Hammer, which is located at St. Gabriel's Church, is an ecumenical mission project. They have helped so many people with ramps, repaired doors, replacing broken glass, repairing torn screens, fixing windows, repairing bathrooms, etc. Some of our parishioners have benefited from their work. Their actual budget is small, but there are some expenses involved. The work is volunteers. The little house has an opening in which to place your loose pocket change. Your change will help change the lives of people in the Hammondsport area who need help. When you see the little house, reach in your pockets and see what change you can give to make a change.

**We had 70 children at Vacation Bible School this year!!**

# KISIMA GOATS

PICTURES OF THE GOATS WE BOUGHT FOR THE PEOPLE OF KISIMA HAVE ARRIVED. TOM BIDWELL HAS PUT THEM ON OUR WEBSITE: [STJAMES14840.ORG](http://STJAMES14840.ORG) SO, BE SURE TO GO UP ON THE SITE AND SEE THE ABSOLUTELY WONDERFUL PICTURES.

-Thank you Bob Hunn for watering the lawns during the hot summer days!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL TREASURE BOX

The Sunday School is collecting items for a Treasure Box. Treasures are offered for birthdays, bringing a friend, memorizing a Bible verse, as a welcome or farewell, etc. We could use a new supply of treasures if anyone would like to help. Please check your house and see if there are any little “goodies” that you would like to add to our collection. Maybe you can find some treasures while at yard sales or store sales. Please see Sandy+ if you have any items to donate.

**\*\*SINCERE THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HAS KEPT THEIR PLEDGE CURRENT DURING THE BUSY DAYS OF SUMMER WHEN PEOPLE WERE NOT ALWAYS HOME BECAUSE OF TRAVELING AND VACATIONS.**

**\*\*Don't forget to leave your unused manufacturer coupons in the basket on the table in the Undercroft. Some people use the coupons to supplement their grocery budget.**

- - - Thanks go to Jim and Linda Grillo for planting all the new hostas at the back of the church. We also owe a huge thank you to Jim for mowing the lawn this year!

*Dorie Lundy has kept the urns in front of the church filled with beautiful flowers this year. Thank you, Dorie.*

**Do not forget the Holiday Bazaar that is coming the first weekend of November. Nancy French, our chair reminds people to be making items and getting ready for the event.**

# September 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>31 Aug</b> 9:00a Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	<b>1 Sep</b> 7:30p Al-Anon LABOR DAY	<b>2</b> 3:00p Food Pantry 7:00p Bible Study	<b>3</b> 9:15a H/PORT MIN. MTG.	<b>4</b> 9:30a Clergy meet with Bishop Singh at St. Thomas' 12:15p Holy Eucharist	<b>5</b> 6:00p RED CROSS PROGRESSIVE DINNER Mash course at St. James' 7:00p <a href="#">First Friday Fellowship</a> <a href="#">Savona Federated Church</a>	<b>6</b> 11:00a Food Pantry
<b>7</b> 9:00a Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	<b>8</b> 7:30p Al-Anon	<b>9</b> 3:00p Food Pantry 7:00p Bible Study	<b>10</b> 7:00p VESTRY	<b>11</b> 10:00a Holy Eucharist at Green Meadows 12:15p Holy Eucharist	<b>12</b> 6:00p MOVIE NIGHT AT SANDY'S+	<b>13</b> 11:00a Food Pantry
<b>14</b> 9:00a Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	<b>15</b> 7:30p Al-Anon	<b>16</b> 3:00p Food Pantry 7:00p Bible Study	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 12:15p Holy Eucharist	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 11:00a Food Pantry
<b>21</b> 9:00a Holy Eucharist and Sunday School	<b>22</b> 7:30p Al-Anon AUTUMN BEGINS	<b>23</b> 3:00p Food Pantry 7:00p Bible Study	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 12:15p Holy Eucharist	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 11:00a Food Pantry
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## Lay Ministers Schedule

<b>September 2008</b>				
Sept. 7			J. Grillo	P. Manikas
17th Pentecost	L. Nichiporuk	N. Forenz	N. Torp	C. Manikas
Sept. 14			Connie Van Houten	N. Forenz
18th Pentecost	J. Morley	J. Grillo	E. Kosan	P. Forenz
Sept. 21			C. Bidwell	J. Grillo
19th Pentecost	C. Van Houten	L. Nichiporuk	N. Torp	L. Grillo
Sept 28			M. Herrick	T. Dykas
20th Pentecost	N. Forenz	C. Skinner	Cecil Van Houten	S. Dykas
<b>October 2008</b>				
October 5			S. Pulver	B. Frey
21st Pentecost	J. Grillo	C. Skinner	D. Erway	R. Frey
October 12th			M. White	P. Manikas
22nd Pentecost	J. Morley	N. Forenz	J. Grillo	C. Manikas
October 19th			C. Bidwell	T. Dykas
23rd Pentecost	L. Nichiporuk	J. Grillo	M. Herrick	S. Dykas
October 26th			N. Torp	M. White
24th Pentecost	N. Forenz	L. Nichiporuk	J. Rogerson	W. Kingham

## ST. JAMES' CHURCH WELCOMES YOU!

**Sunday School - 52 weeks a year!**

HOLY EUCHARIST

SUNDAY AT 9:00 A.M.

Vestry and Delegates to Convention

Wardens: James Grillo - first year, Barbara Brayer - second year

Vestry: Mary White, Floyd French, Jan Smith - 1st year

Ted Dykas, Bob Hunn, Nick Forenz - 2nd year

Tom Noteware, Leah Nichiporuk, Karen Derr - 3rd year

Delegates to Convention: Betty Frey -1st year, Thaddeus Dykas -2nd, Sue Dykas - 3rd

Alternate Delegates: Leah Nichiporuk, Charles Skinner

Clerk of the Vestry: Betty Frey

Treasurer: Karen Derr

Pledge Clerk: Barbara Brayer

Choir Director and Organist: Elenor Boutwell

Christian Education: Lin Bretherton

Deacon: The Rev. Thomas Williams, M Th.

Associate Priest: The Rev. Cora Booth, MTh.

Rector: The Rev. Sandra Curtis, MS Ed., M Div.

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