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Growing Jaithfully

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2024

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#### ANCHOR LINES

# Capital Campaign Highlights





Gratitude Sunday

Leaves of gratitude placed by our congregation.



To learn more about our Growing Faithfully Capital Campaign, please visit our website at <a href="https://www.stjamesfairhope.org/capital-campaign">www.stjamesfairhope.org/capital-campaign</a>

Download our Vision Brochure, view architectural renderings, read through our 28-day devotional, and more

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# Parish News & Events

# ST. JAMES WOMEN'S RETREAT

The St. James Women's Retreat was held at Camp Beckwith April 19 & 20th, and was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who participated, and thank you to Reverend Amanda Dosher for coordinating this special event.









## Parish News & Events

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TO HELP WITH
THIS FUN EVENT!

# Pentecost Picnic

SUNDAY, MAY 19

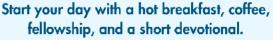
**FOLLOWING THE 10:30 SERVICE** 

Volunteers needed!



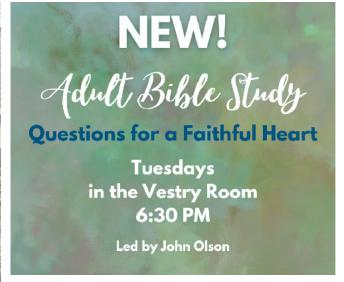
SCAN THE CODE TO RSVP OR EMAIL INFO@STJAMESFAIRHOPE.ORG











Blessing Box - have you noticed the new "blessing box" on the St. James campus? Please leave non-perishable food items, and hygiene items. If the box is full, please save your items and try again another day. To learn more, visit the Blessed to Blessings Facebook page for Baldwin County here.

## Children & Youth News





VBS volunteers needed! No matter your availability, talents, or experience, we have opportunities for all to help with VBS! Please contact Natalie if you would like to help with this fun, fulfilling experience!

stjameseyc@stjamesfairhope.org



Our Youth Sunday ushers did a wonderful job!



Senior Recognition Sunday

Congratulations and best wishes to all

of our graduating seniors!

# **Upcoming Children & Youth Events:**

May 15: 4pm-5:15pm Postcard Ministry

May 19: 4pm-7pm You Group End of the Year Party

**May 19:** 5:30pm-6:30pm Sr. High EYC with Fr. Forbes (parking meadow)

May 22: 5pm Prodisee Pantry and dinner

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# School News

It is hard to believe we are only two weeks away from the end of another successful year at St.

James Episcopal School. We recently held our annual Night of the Arts showcasing our students' creativity. The children had been studying different artists' styles and techniques and the evening gave them the opportunity to share their work with parents and guests. In addition to individual art, each class made a collaborative art piece for our silent auction. Guests were also entertained by special performances from our after school B'Dance ballet class. The event raised over \$2000.00 for our school. Thank you to everyone that helped us with this spectacular event.



School Board members and Director Shelley Miller attended Night of the Arts.

Teacher Appreciation Week was celebrated the week of April 29 - May 3. A special thank you to our fabulous teachers and staff for all their dedication to our school. The parents showered the school staff with special gifts and treats all week.

As our school continues to grow we still have space available for the 2024 - 2025 school year in our PK3 through first grade. Please tell your friends and neighbors about our hidden gem.

Our last day of school will be Thursday, May 24th. We are anxiously preparing for another exciting Summer Camp program that will begin June 10th for 6 weeks.

Thanks again for your continued support and prayers for our parish school. Please feel free to come by and see all the wonderful things that are happening in our school.

Blessings,
Shelley Willer



# School News



We had a wonderful turnout for our annual St. James Episcopal School
Night of the Arts!















We are a community anchored in Christ, seeking God, sharing His love and serving others.

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# Parish Office Hours Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM Friday ~ CLOSED

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## **OUR CLERGY**



Rev. De Freeman, Rector



Rev. Forbes Sirmon, Associate Priest



Rev. Amanda Dosher, Associate Priest

## **OUR VESTRY**

Jeanie Smith, Senior Warden Margaret Cadden, Junior Warden Mary Mullins Redditt, Clerk Bruce Stone, Treasurer

## **Class of 2024**

Ben Codding
Peter Gaillard
Laura Jones
Matthew Myrick

## **Class of 2025**

Margaret Cadden
Tracy Corte
Jim Daniell
Dee Gambill

## **Class of 2026**

Dan Campbell Bill Dowdle Jennifer Lambert Misty Whitehead

# Weekly Recurring Schedule

## **SUNDAYS:**

7:30 AM Holy Eucharist in the Chapel 8:30 AM Holy Eucharist in the Church 10:30 AM\* Holy Eucharist in the Church \*also online Children's Chapel at 10:30 AM Nursery available at both services

#### **MONDAYS:**

9:30 - 10:30 AM Gentle Yoga, Green Hall 1:30 - 2:30 PM Chair Yoga, Green Hall 6:30 - Women's Bible Study

### **TUESDAYS:**

6:30-7:30 PM - Adult Bible Study

## **WEDNESDAYS:**

7:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Chapel 9:00 AM Wednesday Morning Bible Study 12:30 PM Centering Prayer 7:00 Adult Choir Practice

### **THURSDAYS:**

12:00 PM Healing Service 5:45 PM Yoga, Green Hall 7:00 PM Chess, Green Hall

### 3rd SUNDAY of the Month:\*

Following the 7:30 service, and between the 8:30 and 10:30 services - Parish Breakfast

For staff email addresses or other contact information, go to the About Us tab on our website at stjamesfairhope.org or click here for St. James Staff.

Anchor Lines Deadline: The Next Anchor Lines will be published June 4, 2024. Please email information to be published in the Next issue to communications@stjamesfairhope.org, no later than 5:00 pm on the Thursday prior to the published date.

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