

Next week:

Tuesday 10:00 am **Bible Reading with Al in Belleville**
Wednesday 7:00 pm **Advent Study at 77 Aspen
(the McComiskey's)**
Friday 10:00 am **Work Party**

Next Sunday:

6:00 pm **Praise Music**
6:30 pm **Christmas Eve Communion Service**

If you are wondering what is happening in the coming weeks, check out our calendar on our web site (www.stjamesfellowship.ca) Select ENGAGE then CALENDAR

Next Sunday:

Readings: Is 62:6-12, Ps 97, Titus 3:4-7, Lk 2:(1-14)15-20
Greeters: Marie & Aaron Weese
Lector: John Reimer

Tithes and Offerings

Last Sunday's offering:	\$527
Average Sunday offerings:	\$814
Planned Monthly Giving's (weekly equivalent)	\$89
So far this year Tithes and Offerings:	\$41,024
Variance from Budget:	-\$2,560

Building Fund \$11,065

We need at least \$910 per week to meet our budget.



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Biblically faithful, gospel sharing, Anglican churches



Welcome to St. James Anglican Fellowship, a member of the Anglican Church in North America.

10 am. Holy Communion Service:

Lector: Sylvia Burke
Greeters: Sam and Rose White

Music:

Processional: On Jordans Bank The Baptist Cry
Gradual: Oh Come, Oh Come Emanuel
Offertory: Come You People of the Promise
Communion: Mary's Boy Child
Emmanuel
Recessional: It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

Our **Christmas Games Night and Pot Luck Supper** was a great success, thank you to all who came and all who helped out.

We have a box at the back of the church for contributions to the **Food Bank and to the CDC**. Please try to remember this important cause when you come to church on Sunday.

Our regular Bible Studies (on James on Wednesday night, and following the lectionary on Tuesday afternoon) are beginning again after the New Year.

On Wednesday night we are having the final Advent Study for this year. Consider coming! You are very welcome.

Be sure to mark the 14th of January in your calendar. We will be having a anniversary celebration, and a visit from our Bishop the **Rt Rev Charlie Masters**. We plan to have a celebration lunch after church too.

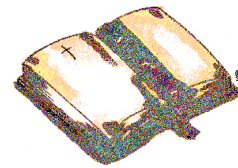
Hope, Peace, Joy and Love are all good things to focus on at any time of the year. Use the Advent season!

Be sure to congratulate all of the Children and their teachers for the wonderful presentation this morning! They are such a blessing to us.

Advent 3

The Collect prayer for today is:

Lord Jesus Christ, who sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation: Grant that the ministers and stewards of your mysteries may likewise make ready your way, by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, that at your second coming to judge the world, we may be found a people acceptable in your sight; who with the Father and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, now and forever. Amen



Readings for today:

Isa 65:17-25, Ps 126, 1 Thes 5:12-28, Jn 3:22-30

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion here. If you do not wish to receive, feel welcome to come forward for prayer or a blessing.

Do you know someone who is shut in and would like a visit from Steve this Christmas? Talk to Steve, or call him at 613-438-3874.

Ministry Priorities:

1. Bold Witnesses
2. Biblically Grounded
3. Loving Children
4. On Mission
5. Planting and Growing Churches

Our Christmas Eve Service (next Sunday) will be at 6:30 pm. Be sure to bring the whole family to this wonderful celebration of Jesus birth. We are not having a morning service on Christmas Eve.