

Welcome, Visitors!

We are delighted that you are here! We hope this visit will be a great blessing to you in your journey of faith. Please fill out one of Connection Cards found in the back of the pews, so that we know you were here. Find out what's going on in and around St. James at www.sjpres.org.

Our Mission and Vision

The mission of St. James is to ignite a contagious passion for Jesus Christ, becoming God's instruments of transformation, here and in the world. To fulfill this mission, we are striving to be a church that is Christ-centered, inwardly strong and outwardly focused. We are a congregation that joyfully chooses to see ourselves and one another through the lens of God's Grace.

Children

We love having children in worship and we want parents to feel comfortable while they worship with their children.

- Worship bags with age appropriate activities are available for kids during service. These can be found in the Narthex (our lobby).
- The Prayground is for children and their families to remain in worship during the service and engage in sensory activities, as well as learn about what it is like to be in worship.
- The Wiggle Room located in the back of the sanctuary is intended for babies and their parents.
- If nursery (ages 0-5) would be a blessing to you during Worship, please reach out to Becky@sjpres.org to arrange care for future services.

Youth Group

We are a group of middle and high schoolers who are head-over-heels excited about how Jesus has ignited unending joy in our hearts. We meet weekly on Sunday evenings from 6-7:30pm.

Discipleship Hour: **The CHOSEN**

Our Fall and Spring Discipleship Hour will focus on the groundbreaking TV show about the life of Jesus. The study guide called "What Does It Mean To Be Chosen?" parallels each episode, connecting readers to the Bible in a brand- new way, including a deeper look at Isaiah 43 and its fulfillment in Jesus and the lives of his followers. Every other week we will watch the episodes together in the sanctuary. The following week we will break into our small groups to discuss. If you miss an episode there are many ways to catch up including on the St James App! This is a church-wide study happening each week after worship from 10:30 - 11:30am. Please check out our website or visit the Welcome Desk in the Narthex for more information.



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*"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them,
for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."*

-Mark 10:14

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Scripture

The Little Children and Jesus

13 People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. **14** When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. **15** Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it." **16** And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in Heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from the evil one.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.

Prelude

Liz Kuykendall-Kunz

Call to Worship

Pastor Eugene Scott

*Opening Praise

We Are Called To Be God's People

#415

How Great Thou Art

#147

Welcome & Announcements

Pastor Wayne Darbonne

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Wayne Darbonne

*Song

Who You Say I Am

Offering: Family Promise

Kath Stone

Offertory

I Have Called You By Your Name

SJ Choir

**Doxology*

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Statements of Faith

Ben Kunz

Alex Kunz

Hearing The Word of God

Scripture:

Mark 10:13-16

Sermon: "How Do We Receive the Kingdom Like Children?"

Series: The Chosen

Pastor Eugene Scott

Confirmation of Faith

Alexander John Kunz

Benjamin Herold Kunz

*Closing Song

The Blessing

*Benediction

Pastor Eugene Scott

Postlude

SJ Band

* Please rise in body or in spirit