

ST. JAMES PARISH CHURCH

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 2025

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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HYMN FOR THE INTROIT: 844

1. Be still and know that I am God.
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2. I am the Lord that healeth thee.
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3. In thee, O Lord, I put my trust.
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HYMN FOR THE GRADUAL: 511

1. Blest are the pure in heart,
for they shall see our God;
the secret of the Lord is theirs;
their soul is Christ's abode.
2. The Lord, who left the heavens
our life and peace to bring,
to dwell in lowliness with men
their pattern and their King.
3. Still to the lowly soul
he doth himself impart;
and for his dwelling and his throne
chooseth the pure in heart.
4. Lord, we thy presence seek;
may ours this blessing be;
give us a pure and lowly heart,
a temple meet for thee.

HYMN FOR THE OFFERTORY:

1. All for God, we stand united,
Serving with a joyful heart,
Welcoming His flock with gladness,
Doing well our holy part.
Hands extended, smiles of mercy,
Guiding all into His care,
Serving God and His dear people,
Showing love beyond compare.
2. In His house, we find our calling,
Faithful ushers strong and true,
With humility we labor,
Giving all that we can do.
From the doorways to the altar,
Every step is filled with grace,
All for God and for His glory,
Let His light shine in this place.
3. Grateful voices lift in praises,
For the service we impart,
Blessed to share in holy moments,
Bearing Christ within our hearts.
Brothers, sisters, serve together,
In His strength, we shall prevail,
Serving God and all His people,
With a joy that cannot fail.
4. Through the seasons of our journey,
Still we serve in love and cheer,
Guided by His hand of mercy,
Every moment, God is near.
All for God, our faithful promise,
Till our work on earth does end
Serving God and His dear people,
Till we hear His "Well done, friend."

COMMUNION HYMN: 608

1. My God, and is thy table spread,
and doth thy cup with love o'erflow?
Thither be all thy children led,
and let them all thy sweetness know.
2. Hail, sacred feast, which Jesus makes,
rich banquet of his flesh and blood!
Thrice happy he who here partakes
that sacred stream, that heavenly food.
3. Why are its dainties all in vain
before unwilling hearts displayed?
Was not for them the Victim slain?
Are they forbid the children's Bread?
4. O let thy table honoured be,
and furnished well with joyful guests;
and may each soul salvation see,
that here its sacred pledges tastes.
5. To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost
the God whom heaven and earth adore,
from men and from the angel-host
be praise and glory evermore.

HYMN FOR THE BLESSING: 654

1. Jesus, friend of little children,
be a friend to me;
take my hand and ever keep me
close to thee.
2. Teach me how to grow in goodness
daily as I grow;
thou hast been a child and surely
thou dost know.
3. Step by step, O lead me onward,
upward into youth;

wiser, stronger, still becoming
in thy truth.

4. Never leave me nor forsake me,
ever be my friend,
for I need thee from life's dawning
to its end.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: 383

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
to his feet thy tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
who like me his praise should sing?
Alleluia, alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.
2. Praise him for his grace and favour
to our fathers in distress;
praise him still the same as ever,
slow to chide and swift to bless:
Alleluia, alleluia! Glorious in his faithfulness.
3. Father-like, he tends and spares us;
well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hands he gently bears us,
rescues us from all our foes.
Alleluia, alleluia! Widely as his mercy flows.
4. Angels, help us to adore him;
ye behold him face to face;
sun and moon, bow down before him,
dwellers all in time and space.
Alleluia, alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.