



Reflection from Fr. Mike Roach

This weekend as we celebrate the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, we are mindful of the gift of the Eucharist. Here at St. James, the Eucharist brings us together and calls us everyday to “Do this in memory of me.”

We have the opportunity now to live out the message of the Gospel as we reach out to accompany St. Therese Little Flower and to welcome the parishioners of St. Louis as their parish closes. St. James will support these parishes as we journey together through this transition.

St. James is blessed! We have a wonderful pastoral administrator, Ben and now Fr. Don Farnan as our new pastor. His new position at Rockhurst is to reach out to the community. We are also blessed to have Fr. Garry continue as our Sacramental Minister.

Special thanks for welcoming me in 2014. I realize that while I was not able to be present as often as I liked, it's been a great opportunity for me. Indeed, I have been blessed by St. James KC.

This community of St. James is wonderful; know that I am with you in spirit.

Fr. Don and I are good friends, and I am so happy he will be part of this community and the changes to come.

Blessings & Peace to all,

Fr. Mike