

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

415 VINCENT STREET, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA 90277

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
May 29, 2016

“As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup,
you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.”

- 1 Corinthians 11:26



Clergy

Msgr. Michael Meyers, Pastor
Fr. Ikechukwu Ikeocha (Fr. IK), Assoc. Pastor
Fr. James Kavanagh, Pastor Emeritus
Deacon Bob Miller

Mass Schedule

Daily: 8 am & 12 noon, Saturday at 8 am
Vigil: Saturday at 5:30 pm
Sunday: 6:30 am, 8 am, 10 am, 12 pm, 5:30 pm

Confessions

Saturdays 4 to 5 pm or by appointment.

Parish Office

124 N. Pacific Coast Highway
310.372.5228

E-Mail: Office@SaintJames.Church

Website: SaintJames.Church

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8 am to 8 pm
Friday 8 am to 7 pm
Saturday 9 am to 12 noon
Sunday Closed

PARISH EVENTS & INFORMATION

Special Collection Priest Retirement Fund

Next weekend, all parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Los Angeles will be asked to give generously to support the Retirement Fund for Archdiocesan Priests. At each Mass on June 4th & 5th, a second collection will be taken to benefit this important program. Currently, the fund provides for more than 100 priests who are retired. Over the next ten years, that number is expected to increase significantly. With minimal compensation, and in many cases, no pension, these men often retire with nothing to fall back upon. Your contributions can change that. The Priest Retirement Fund offers us a way to give back to our Catholic priests who have served us so faithfully. Your contribution will help archdiocesan priests live modestly and peacefully in retirement. Help us offer thanks for their years of devotion to God, and faithful service to our parish communities. Look for the brochures in the pews next weekend for more information.

Q&A

Q: Consider these elements: You're presented with a mystery of faith. You celebrate the sacramental liturgy. You experience a surge of heart. You look toward heaven in a cry of recognition and love, with a spirit of humility. You raise your mind and heart to God. Christ comes to meet you as part of this gift of God. What are you doing?

A: You're practicing *Christian Prayer*. Read about the varied, amazing beauty of prayer in Part Four of *The Catechism Of The Catholic Church*.

The St. James Women's Guild Presents an evening of... Exciting and Inspiring Speakers:

Samantha Pierce, Parishioner
"The Way, The Walk of St. James"

Miguel Ruiz, Seminarian
"Spirituality"

We welcome everyone (men, women, parishioners and guests) to join us on **Wednesday, June 8th at 7 pm in Kavanagh Hall**. This is a free event.

St. James Pictorial Directory

Celebrating our 125th Anniversary

In July 2017, we will celebrate the 125th Anniversary of our Parish. As part of our festivities, we are putting together a Pictorial Directory. We will begin taking pictures in September and plan to be finished before Harvest Festival. Having your picture in the directory is free, plus you will receive a complimentary 8x10. Additional prints are available to purchase at a reasonable price and they will be back in time to give as Christmas gifts.

We are hoping to have **all** of our parishioners included in this special part of our parish history. To schedule your photo-sitting appointment, you can either visit our parish website and click on the link (*Life Touch Picture*), or you can type the following link into your web browser:

<https://www.securedata-transl4.com/ap/stjamescatholicchurch/index.php?page=10>

Volunteers Needed: If you are interested in being a host to greet our parish families as they arrive for their photo-sitting appointments, please contact Robin at 310 372-5228 or robin@SaintJames.Church. Each shift is 2 1/2 hours (there are three shifts per day from September 6 - October 16). You can sign up with your spouse or a friend, and all volunteers will receive discount vouchers from Life Touch to purchase pictures. This is a wonderful opportunity to not only serve your parish, but to get to know more families in our community.



We are getting excited to host our homeless families next week. If you were unable to attend the orientation on Saturday, but are still interested in being a volunteer, contact Judy Pang at 310 375-5783 or jmpang@aol.com. Thank you for your prayers and support of the Family Promise families.

St. James Business Owners Forum

Our next meeting is Wednesday, June 1st at 7:30 am in Room 6 of the Parish Center.

FAITH IS...

Faith is not merely praying upon our knees at night; Faith is not merely straying through darkness into light...

Faith is the brave endeavor, the splendid enterprise, the strength to serve, whatever conditions may arise.

—Anonymous

FaithDirect

Are you starting to plan your summer vacations? Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: CA560. Your gifts through Faith Direct will help stabilize our parish finances through the busy (but beautiful) summer months. Thank you for your continued support.

PARISH EVENTS & INFORMATION

Need a VIRTUS Class....

We are offering an Original Class "Protecting God's Children"

June 22nd at 6 pm - 9 pm Kavanagh Hall

To register, please visit: virtusonline.com or call the Parish Office.

All volunteers are required, by the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, to be VIRTUS trained.

A family that prays together, stays together.

A group of parishioners are circulating the statue of Our Lady of Fatima, Queen of the Holy Rosary. If you are interested in receiving the Blessed Mother for one week, please call Carole Franco at 310 542-3674.

DID YOU KNOW

Increase self-esteem through praise

Praise is just as important as providing food and shelter for a child. Praise is an important aspect of raising a confident child. When you praise a child, not only do you raise their self-esteem and self-concept but you increase their overall self-worth. One thing you can do is focus on the child and describe what you see. For example, you can say: "You are so patient. That means a lot to your little brother." For additional tips on praising children please contact Joan Vienna at: jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or 213 637-7227.

Parents, please accompany your children to the restroom when in church.

This is also a good practice to adopt in all public places.



Vacation Bible School at St. James!

The St. James Moms Group is hosting a Vacation Bible School this summer. Join us as we journey through the Year of Mercy with crafts, games, music, and more. **Volunteers are needed!**

Please see SaintJames.church/vbs for more information about volunteering. Registration will begin on June 1 on the website.

When: July 25-28, 2:30-5:00 pm

Where: Parish Center

Who: Children ages 4 - Gr 5 (age in fall)

Cost: \$25 per child

Volunteers! We will have jobs for teens, jr. high students, and adults! See the website for more information about volunteer needs.

HOW DO I BECOME A CATHOLIC?

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith and receiving, or completing, your Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist), please contact Deacon Bob & Patty Miller at 310-371-0985 or email us at deaconbob99@aol.com.

Youth Ministry & Confirmation

Confirmation Registration for the 2016/2017 school year will begin on June 13th.

Gabriel Reyes, Director
saintjamesym@gmail.com
310.372.5228 x 20

<http://saintjamesym.weebly.com/>
www.instagram.com/saintjamesym

St. James Moms Group

We are a diverse group of women gathering for mutual support and fellowship as mothers. Whether you're a first time mom or a veteran, kids at home or in school, there's something for every mom in the group. We meet on Tuesday mornings from 10:30-11:45, in Rm 4 of the Parish Center. If you would like to learn more about our group, Please contact Karen at: karen.cuni@gmail.com.

St. James School presents our new.... Summer Institute

You do not have to be currently attending St. James School or be a parish member to attend summer school. Summer Classes are open to **all** grade school children in grades K thru 7th. The Summer Institute offers two week courses for all ages covering many fun interests including language arts, science, graphic design, athletic conditioning and even TV production. **All classes include a field trip!** Go to website below and click on the Summer Institute logo to see course catalog and enrollment information. Spread the word and share with friends and family. See you at the St. James School Summer Institute. www.stjamesweb.com



PARISH MINISTRIES

ADULT CONFIRMATION

If you were Baptized in the Roman Catholic Church, but haven't completed your Sacrament of Confirmation, you may qualify as a Candidate to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and complete your Sacraments of Initiation.

Deacon Bob & Patty Miller 310.371.0985
adultconfirmation@aol.com

ADULT EDUCATION/BIBLE STUDIES

Tuesday Evenings: A 20 Lecture DVD Presentation, "**Acts - The Spread of the Kingdom**" by Jeff Cavins began January 19th and runs through June 14th in Kavanagh Hall at 7 pm.

Wednesday Mornings: A 24 Lecture Presentation: "**The Great Adventure, a Journey through the Bible**" by Jeff Cavins started on October 7 and runs through June 1st in Kavanagh Hall at 9 am.

Mickey or Angeles Haney (Tuesday Evenings) 310.798.8224
 Joe Zelik (Wednesday Mornings) 310.370.1645

BAPTISM

Parents are invited to visit the Parish Office and pick up our *Baptism Information Packet*. We encourage parents to begin this process prior to the birth of their child. Please allow at least three months to complete the pre-Baptism preparation process. See our website www.SaintJames.Church for more information, including a schedule of Baptism and class dates.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Care Centers - Miki Finken 310.316.3890
 Homebound - John Cable 310.372.5228

GIFT SHOP

415 1/2 Vincent St., Redondo Beach 310.374.1964
 Hours: Wed - Fri 10 am - 4 pm Sat 9 am - 12 noon

MARRIAGE

Those wishing to be married should complete a Marriage Intake Form. Please see our website for more information. Please note that the Church requires a minimum preparation period of six months.

MUSIC

Kevin Babuder, Director 310.376.5065

PRESCHOOL & TODDLER TIME

Wendy Bell, Director 310.376.5550

RCIA

"Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults"

To become a Catholic or to learn more about our faith.

Deacon Bob & Patty Miller 310 371-0985

RCIA FOR CHILDREN (Grades 4-8)

Religious Education 310.379.3221

RCIA FOR TEENS (Grades 9-12)

Gabriel Reyes 310.372.5228

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Diana Holly, Director 310.379.3221

ST. JAMES SCHOOL

Grades K-8

www.stjamesweb.com

Sr. Mary Margaret, Principal

4625 Garnet St., Torrance 90503

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Religious education for children age 3 through K during the 8 am & 10 am Masses

Sheila Kelly 714.391.3949

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

stjamesYAG@gmail.com

facebook.com/groups/stjamesYAG

Faith Sharing and Social Activities for "working professionals."

WOMEN'S GUILD

Helping the parish grow by sharing our time, talents and treasures .

Ely Ronkowski 310.944.3355

Paula Bourke 213-435-3606

*You can obtain a full list of ministries in our Parish
 Ministry brochure located in the Church.*

Register at the Parish or View & Edit your Parish Records Online

With our new on-line program, you can either register for the first time at the parish, or you can view your existing records and edit them as needed.

New Parishioners: Become a registered parishioner at St. James by visiting: <https://connectnow.parishsoft.com/losangeles>

Existing parishioners: You can also visit that site to view and edit your own church records.

The first time you log in, you will need to hit **register** and create a user id. You will be assigned a temporary password via email, and then you can re-enter the site to update or create your own member and family information - be sure to also include your sacramental records. Detailed instructions are printed up and are located in the vestibule of the church. If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

Our Parish Mission Statement

The mission of St. James Church is to build up the Body of Christ by evangelizing to those weak in faith, healing the hurt and alienated Catholic, and nourishing the faith and commitment of its active members. We encourage those in our Faith Community to be:

- involved in regular Mass attendance
- participants in the sacramental life of the Church
- committed to personal spiritual growth
- registered and contributing members of the Church
- supportive of the community through ministry and service in right relationship with God and one another.

PRAYERS & READINGS

Please pray
for us:

LIVING

NAOME COLLOMA
CHRISTIAN COLLONA

DECEASED

TRENT WELLS
LUIS FABIO

*Do you suffer from
Celiac Decease?*

*Does it prevent you
from taking the Eucharist?*

At St. James, we want everyone to participate in the Holy Eucharist, so we have Gluten-Free hosts available - just see the Sacristan prior to the start of Mass. Also, If you call the parish office, we can see which Masses have a greater need and possibly do a gluten-free communion station to make it easier for you.



Weekly Mass Intentions

<u>SATURDAY</u> 5:30 PM - MM	<u>MAY 28</u> MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA & ALAIN BENLIAN (D)
<u>SUNDAY</u> 6:30 AM - VP	<u>MAY 29</u> MARTHA SCHAUB (D) & JERRY MYLES (D)
8:00 AM - IK	ANN CHORBI (L) & DEL SCHOENBAECHLER (D)
10:00 AM - MM	ST. JAMES PARISHIONERS & ANDY CHORBI (L)
12 NOON - IK	MAYBELLINE SORIANO (D) & NAOMI PINEDA (D)
5:30 PM - MM	MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA & MIGUEL TANKIAT (D)
<u>MONDAY</u> 8:00 AM - IK 12 NOON	<u>MAY 30</u> MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA NO NOON MASS
<u>TUESDAY</u> 8:00 AM - MM 12 NOON - MM	<u>MAY 31</u> MARTHA SCHAUB (D) MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA
<u>WEDNESDAY</u> 8:00 AM - MM 12 NOON - VP	<u>JUNE 1</u> ERIC WILSON (D) RAYMOND MOYNEUR (D)
<u>THURSDAY</u> 8:00 AM - VP 12 NOON - VP	<u>JUNE 2</u> WILSON FAMILY (L) GUILLERMO RUBIANO (D)
<u>FRIDAY</u> 8:00 AM - VP 12 NOON - IK	<u>JUNE 3</u> DARRYL RUBERT (D) DION COLUSO (D)
<u>SATURDAY</u> 8:00 AM - IK	<u>JUNE 4</u> OUR PARISH CHILDREN & TEENS & MARYJANE & STEPHEN JAMBOR (D)

MM - Msgr. Mike, IK - Fr. IK
JK - Fr. Jim, VP - Visiting Priest

Monday, May 30th - Memorial Day

The Parish Office will be closed and we
will celebrate one Mass at 8 am.

Weekly Responsorial Psalms & Readings

Monday:	In you, my God, I place my trust.	2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-16; Mk 12:1-2
Tuesday:	Among you is the great and Holy One of Israel.	Zep 3:14-18; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56
Wednesday:	To you, O Lord, I lift up my eyes.	2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2; Mk 12:18-27
Thursday:	Teach me your ways, O Lord.	2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-10, 14; Mk 12:28b-34
Friday:	The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.	Ez 34:11-16; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5b-11; Lk 15:3-7
Saturday:	My heart exults in the Lord, my savior.	2 Tm 4:1-8; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51
Sunday:	I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.	1 Kgs 17:17-24; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13; Gal 1:11-19; Lk 7:11-17

Holy Hours & Adorations

Litany of Sacred Heart
Every Wednesday at 12:45 pm

Holy Hour Adoration
(2nd and 4th Fridays)
7:00 pm

Adoration & Benediction
(3rd Friday of the Month)
Begins at the conclusion of
the 8 am Mass and continues
through the Noon Mass

**The St. James Medjugorje
Rosary Prayer Group meets
every Monday at 7 pm in the
Kavanagh Hall.**

You are invited to join us
and pray the Rosary, the
Divine Mercy Chaplet and
Consecration Prayers. We
have met for over 20 years,
and all are welcome.

You can always e-mail your
prayer requests to:
DivineMercyBillb@aol.com

Please remember to
keep our military
and their families in
your prayers.

EVENTS HERE AND AROUND THE DIOCESE

Shining Stars in Christ

Saint James' Shining Stars in Christ Committee invites you to a Gala Dinner honoring seven extraordinary men from our parish...



Terry Benson Richard Bungarden Fr. Jim Kavanagh Joe Kearney
Deacon Bob Miller Jorge Rodriquez Philip de Souza

Saturday, November 5, 2016

6 pm Appetizers & Wine

6:45 pm Dinner, Awards, Dancing

St. James O'Gorman Center



Reservations accepted at the Parish Office and Gift Shop.
For information on sponsorships, please call Ely at (310) 944-3355 or Joanne at (310) 316-2315.

\$70 Per person
\$65 if purchased by September 30th

Sponsor a table of 8 for \$560
\$520 if purchased before September 30th

This is a semi-formal, adult only event.

St. James
Gift Shop
310.374.1964

Wednesday - Friday:
10 am - 4 pm
Saturday:
9 am - 12 noon

**PLEASE DO NOT
PARK AT MCDONALDS -
THEY MAY TOW**

Instead, go east on Vincent (crossing over PCH), and make your first right into Central Court. You can park at our Preschool/Parish Office parking lot.

**In calm waters, every ship
has a good captain.**

Southern California Catholic Home Educators is hosting the 17th Annual Home School Conference and Curriculum Fair on Saturday, June 18, 8 am - 4 pm, at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 1015 Baker Street, Costa Mesa, CA 92626. Come for speakers, vendors, used curriculum, and your questions answered! For registration and additional information visit: their website at:

www.SouthernCaliforniaCatholicHomeEducators.org

Early bird discount ends June 11th.

Welcome!

Are you new to our area? Have you been attending Mass at St. James but not officially registered? We invite you to join us and become a member of our Church family. Please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket or at the Parish Office and we will mail you a registration form.

Name _____
Street _____
City/Zip _____
Phone _____
E-Mail _____

New Registration Change of Address
 Moving out of the Parish Would like Envelopes

THANK YOU AND WELCOME TO ST. JAMES!