



Sunday Masses: (Sat. 5:30 pm) | Sunday 6:30 am, 8, 10, 12 noon, 5:30 pm Monday-Friday 8, 12 noon | Saturday 8 am

Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us!

We are not complete without you!

Maybe you grew up Catholic.

Maybe you think of yourself as Catholic.

Maybe you haven't been to church  
in a while.

Or, you are worried that you won't  
be welcomed here.

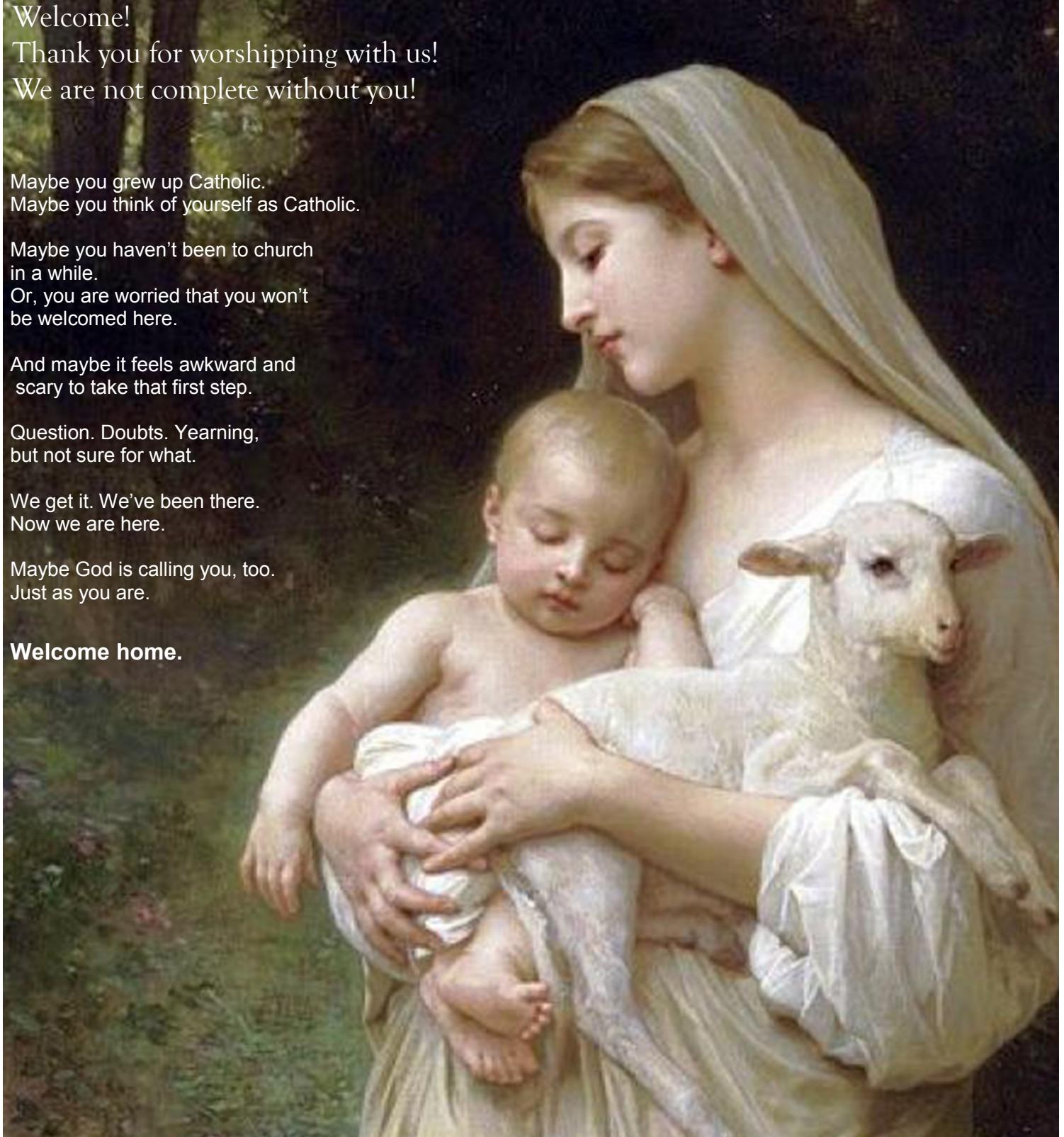
And maybe it feels awkward and  
scary to take that first step.

Question. Doubts. Yearning,  
but not sure for what.

We get it. We've been there.  
Now we are here.

Maybe God is calling you, too.  
Just as you are.

**Welcome home.**



Office Hours: Mon.- Thurs. 8 to 12, 1 to 8 pm | Fri. 8 to 12, 1 to 7 pm | Sat. 9 - 12 noon | Sun. Closed

415 Vincent Street | Redondo Beach, CA 90277 | 310.372.5228 | [www.SaintJames.Church](http://www.SaintJames.Church)

# Pastors Letter

Thank you all for your beautiful Christmas cards and prayers. Thank you so much for being God's instrument of **blessing in our lives** by your being part of the St. James **family**. We assure you of our **special prayers** every day in the New Year 2017 during our Masses.

May the Holy Spirit of God continue to **empower you** and **guide you** in your life's ministry and **strengthen you** in moments of your weakness and **heal you** from your illnesses.

**New Year's Day is the feast of Mary the Mother of God.** Invite her and her son Jesus as **part of your family** in the New Year so that you may experience daily **miracles in your life**. God bless you every day of the New Year.

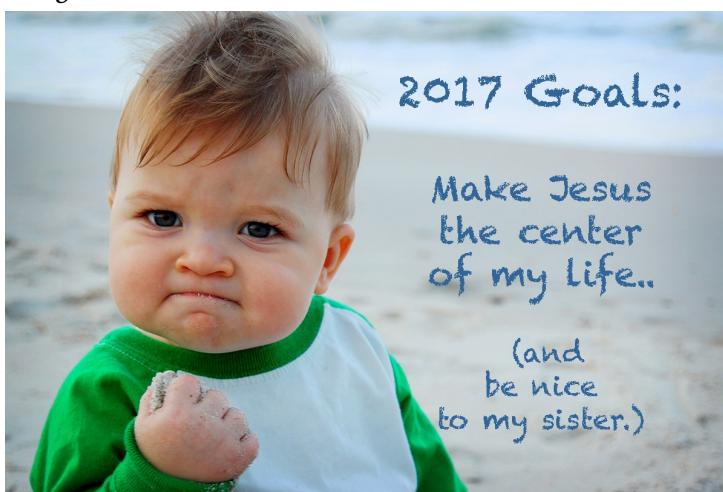
Last year, in their **67th** year of marriage, when I called my parents to wish them a happy New Year, my dad answered the phone. "**Well, Dad, what's your New Year's resolution?**" I asked him. "**To make your mother as happy as I can all year,**" he answered proudly. Then mom got on, and I said, "What's your resolution, Mom?" "To see that your dad **keeps** his New Year's resolution."

## The Best New Year's Gifts:

To your friend - loyalty;  
To your enemy - forgiveness;  
To your boss - service;  
To a child - a good example;  
To your parents - gratitude and devotion;  
To your mate - love and faithfulness;  
To all men and women - respect;  
To God - your life.  
To yourself – to read “Resisting Happiness”

**Have a Blessed New Year.**

*Mgr. Mike, Fr. IK, Fr. Jim, Deacon Bob*



Always Welcomed, Always Loved.



Whether you're **visiting** beautiful Redondo Beach or **looking for a church** to belong to, St. James will **always welcome you**. We have been home to anyone looking to **grow to spiritual maturity** and **deepening their faith** since the 1800's.

We have been serving Redondo Beach since before it became a city; our 125th anniversary is in 2017.

**Come and join us and we promise we'll make you feel right at home too.**

We have been caring for people in the community for generations through our **Feed the Needy ministry**. We're reaching out to homeless families with our participation in the **Family Promise of the South Bay**.

We have been **bringing sacraments and encouragement** to those in prison, homebound or in hospitals.

Our expanding **youth ministry** is changing the lives of young people as they grow in **fellowship with each other and develop a deepening faith**.

Spend a few moments talking to members of **our parish family**, browse through our every expanding list of **ministries**, and **consider volunteering** for where God is leading you.

Your life will be **forever changed** as we grow together on the path to **spiritual maturity**, becoming **the holy, healthy, vibrant person that God has created you to be**.

## Reflection

"And Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart."

Supernatural communication was **nothing new** for Mary. The **angel Gabriel** had already appeared and spoken to her when she agreed to bear God's Son. Her husband **Joseph** also had a kind of divine intervention in the dream where the angel told him to **go ahead** and marry her. When she was first pregnant, her cousin Elizabeth had been **led by the Holy Spirit** to know the secret that **Mary was "the mother of my Lord"** (Lk 1:43).

Now, **Jesus has just been born** and a crew of earthy shepherds appears at her door with a **message from heaven**: that the Savior has been born. And Mary **believed** them. She did **not doubt** their sincerity or the authenticity of their message. She took the words to heart, **and meditated** upon the meaning of it all.

What **might strike us as peculiar** in all of this is that God chose to speak to Mary in a variety of ways. This holy and immaculate woman, this Mother of God, **did not always receive direct communication** from on high. Sometimes, **God chose to speak to her through other people**. Sometimes, he revealed himself to them in order to reveal himself to her. **And God does the same with us.**

It's **easy to daydream** about having our own personal revelation from God, to hear his voice loud and clear, directing, encouraging, and supporting us in our times of need and confusion. **But this isn't the standard pattern** of God's operation. Mary was tuned in enough to **hear God's voice all around** her instead of expecting it to always sound the same. We can imitate this same kind of openness by **seeking to discover how God** may be speaking to us through the **voices of others**.

## San Miguel — Thanks You!

The Sisters and staff of **Presentation Sisters Learning Center** want to extend our deepest gratitude for your **generous donation of Christmas toys** that we received this year.

You made it possible for **200 children of the Watts** community to receive toys on Christmas.

We thank you from the bottom of our **hearts** for your continued support.

May **God bless and reward you** and your families during the New Year!

## Welcome!

# Friends and Family GATHER HERE

Welcome one another, then,  
as Christ welcomed you,  
for the glory of God.  
Romans 15:7

### Looking for a new way to begin the New Year?

Bring in the new year with your family here at Saint James. Begin by celebrating Mass at 10:30 with Fr. I.K. and move to **Kavanagh Hall for our New Years' Party!** They'll be plenty of music and dancing.

### Welcome Parents of Young Children!

**Relax! God loves the wiggly little saints and we do too!**

We understand how difficult it is to attend Mass with all the supplies a family with young children needs.

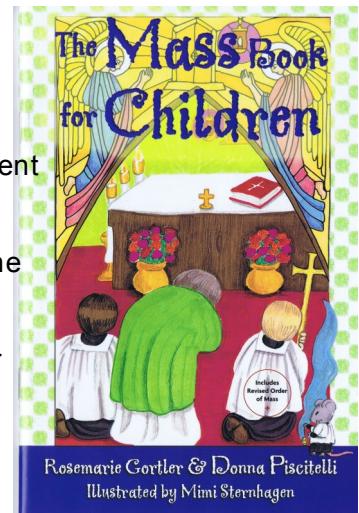
**We want you and your children to feel welcomed here.**

We encourage you to **sit near the front** so they can see what is going on.

**Please support these families** with encouragement and smiles.

**Look for these books** in the back of the church for use during Mass. **Please return** to the basket when done for others to use.

They are **available in the Gift Shop** if you'd like to take them home with you.



### Need Someone to Listen to you?

Do you feel like life is **hopeless**? Do you feel **depressed and lonely**? Are you recovering from the loss of a loved one or a recent **divorce**? We suggest you call a Stephen Minister. This is a ministry of trained people who **will listen to you** in a very confidential way and give you spiritual guidance. **Hotline 310.541.1403.**

# Growing in Faith

## Holy Hour Adoration

Every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 7 pm.



Benediction and Adoration 3rd Friday of the month beginning

after 8am Mass until 12 noon Mass.

Spend some quiet time with the Lord.

"Be still and know that I am God." Ps 46:10

## Adult Education—Bible Study

Whether you have personal questions about **love, suffering, guilt, loneliness, success, God, the future or the meaning of life**, the Bible has answers for you.

Our DVD lecture series is "**The Journey from the Head to the Heart**". Fr. Anthony Ciorra helps us find peace & happiness as we come to accept that God is always in control of our lives. Join us on this spiritual journey in pursuit of wisdom.

Meeting are in **Kavanagh Hall** every Wednesday at 8:45 AM, through January 17, 2017.

**Joe Zelik 310. 370.1645**

### Tuesday Evening Class:

We will resume in January, 2017.

Topic & dates to be announced.

**Mikey or Angeles Haney: 310.798.8224**

## St. James Medjugorje Rosary Prayer Group



Invites you to join us on any **Monday at 7:00 pm** in Kavanagh Hall for praying the rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Consecration prayers.

**All present may offer their own intentions.**

Most meetings last about one hour and ten minutes.

**Lupe Hernandez at 310.374.4242.**

## SAINT JAMES NILAND SCHOLARSHIPS



**Five scholarships** for seniors that will **graduate** from **Torrance West, Redondo Union or Bishop Montgomery High School** and plan to attend a college or university in 2017.

These annual scholarships are offered to **promote the involvement of young people** in St James Parish ministries. In accordance with the terms of endowment the **Niland Scholarships** are offered based primarily on **need, service to the parish/church/community, involvement in church activities**, and acceptance to an accredited college and are not based solely on grade point average (GPA).

To apply you must be a **registered member** of St James parish, a **practicing Catholic** i.e. confirmed and attending Mass regularly.

**Application packets** will be available in the parish office and are due back no later than **Feb 28, 2017**.

## Adult Confirmation

Are you a baptized Catholic, but have not yet received your **Sacrament of Confirmation??** If so, contact us about becoming a candidate to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and complete your Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation).

Our preparation classes are held on **Thursday evenings at 7:15pm**. Our Winter, 2017 cycle of classes begins on **Thursday, January 12, 2017**. Upon your successful completion, you would receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. James on Friday, May 19, 2017.

If you know of someone who may benefit from this process, please feel free to pass this information along to them.

To receive further information and details on this process, please contact **Deacon Bob & Patty Miller** at **310.371.0985** or send an email to **adultconfirmation@aol.com**.

## Pilgrimage to Spain & Lourdes with Msgr. Mike



# Madrid

Please join our St James Community with Msgr Mike in a **pilgrimage to Spain on Sept 13-25, 2017** to celebrate our 125th anniversary following the path of our patron saint, **St James the Great**.

This pilgrimage **includes Lourdes** as a bonus.

Highlights of the pilgrimage include **Madrid, Segovia, Avila, Salamanca, Santiago de Compostela, Burgos, Loyola, Zaragoza,Montserrat, Barcelona & Lourdes**.

**\$3799 includes round-trip air, 11 nights' stay at 4-star or better hotels, all breakfasts & dinners, baggage handling, transfers, deluxe motor coach, tour manager & guides, etc.**

For more info, please call **Ely at 310.944.3355** or email to **fredely@verizon.net**.

## About Kids and School—Reading between the lines

When children express that something is wrong at school or with other activities, it's often the job of caregivers to read between the lines to determine what's really going on. They might say "I'm bored" and need your guidance finding a better school-life balance or engaging in more challenging academic work. Ask them to **give examples** and to help you understand what is going on. If the **child is still being vague**, remind them that **they can tell you anything and that you'll listen with an open mind**. As parents and caregivers, you have the opportunity to help kids deal well with negative **feelings and challenges**. And, if they are being mistreated in some way, keeping an open line of communication with kids will enable you to be their **advocate**.

For a copy of the VIRTUS© article "Communication Tip No. 15: When Children Complain about School," email [jvienna@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org) or call 213.637.7227.

## Sunday School

Would you like your children to learn about God's love for them?

Would you like them to be familiar with favorite old and new testament **bible stories**?



Would you like them to know basic Catholic prayers, but also to feel comfortable **just talking to God** in their own words?

Did you know that St. James offers **Sunday School during the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. Masses?**

Our Sunday School program helps the **3, 4 and 5 & 6 (kindergarten) year – old child** develop a foundation of faith by helping them to know God through the **gifts He has given us**.

Our **developmentally appropriate** lessons are based on bible stories. Each week the lesson is sent home so that you may go over it again within the family setting.

The children are provided a binder for the lesson sheets, thereby **creating a bible storybook** to have at home.

At Sunday School, **children meet other children**, play games, sing songs, learn prayers and bible stories and engage in creative activities that enhance the lesson.

They have a **simple snack** and some special celebrations and participate in the mass at **Thanksgiving and Christmas**.

Parents have the opportunity to **participate** in various ways, but can also enjoy Mass and know that their **children are safe and happy** participating in a faith experience created just for them!

Sunday School is held in the **preschool classrooms**. To be eligible for Sunday School, children must be potty trained and **3 years old by Sept. 1st**.

It's **not too late** to enroll; we have spaces available at both 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Want to learn more?

Contact **Sheila Kelly** 714. 391.3949  
email [slkelly3156@gmail.com](mailto:slkelly3156@gmail.com) .

## Bishop Sheen—Joseph & Mary

It seems hardly possible that God would have attached a **young mother**, probably about sixteen or seventeen years of age, to an old man. If He did not disdain to give His Mother to a young man, John, at the foot of the Cross, then why should He have given her an old man at the crib? A **woman's love always determines the way a man loves:** she is the silent educator of his virile powers. Since Mary is what might be called a "virginizer" of young men as well as women, and the greatest inspiration of Christian purity, should she not logically have begun by inspiring and virginizing the first youth whom she had probably ever met—**Joseph, the Just?** It was not by diminishing his power to love but by elevating it that she would have her first conquest, and in her own spouse, the man who was a man, and not a mere senile watchman!

**Joseph was probably a young man, strong, virile, athletic, handsome, chaste, and disciplined; the kind of man one sees sometimes shepherding sheep, or piloting a plane, or working at a carpenter's bench.** Instead of being a man incapable of loving, he must have been on fire with love. Just as we would give very little credit to the Blessed Mother if she had taken her vow of virginity after having been an old maid for fifty years, so neither could we give much credit to a Joseph who became her spouse because he was advanced in years. **Young girls** in those days, like Mary, took vows to love God uniquely, and so did **young men**, of whom Joseph was one so preeminent as to be called the "just." Instead, then, of being dried fruit to be served on the table of the king, he was rather a blossom filled with promise and power. **He was not in the evening of life, but in its morning, bubbling over with energy, strength, and controlled passion.**

How much more beautiful Mary and Joseph become when we see in their lives what might be called the **first Divine Romance!** No human heart is moved by the love of the old for the young; but who is not moved by the love of the young for the young, when their bond is the Ancient of Days, Who is God? In both Mary and Joseph, there were **youth, beauty, and promise.** God loves cascading cataracts and bellowing waterfalls, but He loves them better, not when they overflow and drown His flowers, but when they are harnessed and bridled to light a city and to slake the thirst of a child. In Joseph and Mary, we do not find one controlled waterfall and one dried-up lake but rather **two youths** who, before they knew the beauty of the one and the handsome strength of the other, willed to surrender these things for Jesus.

Leaning over the manger crib of the Infant Jesus, then, are not age and youth but youth and youth, the consecration of beauty in a maid and the surrender of strong comeliness in a man. From these two spouses, who loved as no couple on earth has ever loved, learn that it takes not two to love, but three: you and you and Jesus. Do you not speak of "our love" as something distinct from the love of each one of you? That love, outside of both of you, and which is more than the addition of your two loves, is the **love of God.**

## Mom's Group

Moms! Please join us for **fellowship** and discussion of *Resisting Happiness* which will be distributed at Christmas.

We will cover the central themes of the book including how we can overcome resistance in our lives as **mothers and as we guide our families to happiness.** Our first meeting of 2017 will be **January 10th.**

The St. James Moms Group meets **Tuesday mornings at 10:30 at the Parish Center.**

**Childcare is available** for little ones.

No need to RSVP.

**Snacks** are provided for kids and moms. We also have an evening book club and social events throughout the year. See [www.saintjames.church/moms](http://www.saintjames.church/moms) for more information.

## Catechism Q + A

**Q:** I began my tour of The Catechism of the Catholic Church in alphabetical order. Letter A included fascinating, informative reading regarding **Angels.** What liturgical topic beginning with the letter B can you suggest I explore?

**A:** Try a subject with well over fifty citations in the index. One of the seven sacraments, continue your exploration of faith with the beauty and significance of **Baptism.**

## Youth Ministry



Y1 Confirmation night January 8  
Y2 Confirmation night January 15



Monday January 9, 2017  
Nativity presentation at Christmas Eve (4:00pm Mass).  
Any 7th and 8th graders who want to join the Nativity  
Please contact Gabe to reserve your spot.

**EDGE** Middle School Ministry  
for 7th and 8th Graders  
<http://saintjamesym.weebly.com/edge.html>

Gabriel Reyes, Director  
[saintjamesym@gmail.com](mailto:saintjamesym@gmail.com) 310.372.5228 x 20  
<http://saintjamesym.weebly.com/>

## Tuesday Evening Bible Study

GALATIANS: **Set Free to Live** 8-DVD Sessions  
by JEFF CAVINS—Starting on  
**Tuesday, January 10th at 7 pm at Kavanagh Hall**

Galatians: **Set Free to Live** speaks of the extraordinary **gift of salvation** that Jesus has won for us, explaining how we can unite ourselves to Christ's redeeming sacrifice. **Reignite your love** for God as you learn about the deep love God has for you.

**Come and join us.** Bring your Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church.

No registration required and no charge for admission.  
Questions? call **Angeles or Mickey (310) 798-8224**

Welcome! We've Missed you!



Your Father in heaven wants you to **come home**, and so do we. The longing you have in your heart can be fulfilled through Jesus and his Catholic Church. You are **not alone**. Countless of **your own brothers and sisters** in Christ have returned home, have come back to Confession and to Mass, and have experienced the joy of a renewed relationship with the God who loves them and accepts them unconditionally.

**Now, you can too.**

**You'll be welcomed here at Saint James, not judged.** We are **honored** by your presence and want you to **experience God's love** through members of His church here at Saint James.

**'There are no strangers here; Only friends you haven't yet met.'** - William Yeats

## Everyday Discipleship

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Listen. Think. Act.

That is a mantra or slogan for many different groups. Some seek to battle prejudice and bias. Other groups hope to eliminate poverty or reduce crime. I have even found some companies use it as a way of increasing engagement among their employees. In a nutshell, it is about taking in what you have heard and then reflecting on it before you act. The most fruitful actions are those that take place after careful reflection.

This is an important thing to remember for those trying to live a stewardship way of life. If we are honest with ourselves, too often most of us jump to conclusions too quickly or act in ways that cause friction because we didn't really think about the consequences of our actions. We are moving too fast in a world that seems to be moving ever faster.

When the shepherds came to visit Jesus, the newborn King, they told Mary everything that the angels had told them. Luke tells us that after hearing all this, she "kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart." No response. No panic. No action. Her reflection was the appropriate response.

In this New Year, you and I would do well to remember this Gospel account of Mary, the Mother of God. Let us resolve to listen more, reflect often, and then act accordingly. We are called to use our gifts wisely, sowing them in good soil. If we just throw them out, allowing them to simply fall wherever they may, have we really used them for God's glory? We need to listen. Think. Then act.

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## Inspiration for the week

We seek the same faith and courage that Mary possessed as she accepted the tremendous responsibility of being the Mother of God.

Life often requires great and heroic things of us and we often wonder how and if we are able to meet those challenges.

Mary did not doubt that God was with her, giving her everything needed to complete the task before her.

Because of her Son's special relationship with his Father, we too can cry out "Abba, Father" and draw strength from the infinite and generous love God bestows upon us.

| Sunday  | Mon  | Tue                           | Wed                          | Thurs                        | Fri                          | Saturday   |
|---|--|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| <b>25</b><br><b>Christmas Day Masses</b><br>6:30am<br>8am<br>10am<br>12 noon<br><b>No 5:30 Mass</b> | <b>26</b><br><b>Mass 8, 12</b><br>Parish Office Closed | <b>27</b><br>Office open 8-12 | <b>28</b><br>Office open 8-8 | <b>29</b><br>Office open 8-8 | <b>30</b><br>Office open 8-4 | <b>31</b><br><b>Office open 9-12</b><br><b>New Year's Eve</b><br>5:30 pm Mass<br>10:30 pm Mass<br><b>Dance party with Fr. IK in Kavanagh Hall after 10:30 Mass</b> |
| <b>Jan 1</b><br><b>New Year's Day</b><br><b>Masses:</b><br>6:30, 8, 10,<br>12 noon, &<br>5:30 PM    | <b>2</b><br>Office Closed                              | <b>3</b>                      | <b>4</b>                     | <b>5</b>                     | <b>6</b>                     | <b>7</b>   |



Thank you to all who demonstrated God's love to the needy, by preparing and serving a delicious meal, and singing Christmas carols and donating, wrapping and giving toys to the children.

# Prayer Requests

For those suffering illness, infirmity,  
and those in need of our prayers:  
**Pat Jackson, Mary Lee Jarrett, Scharlene Chavez.**

From death to new life.  
For the souls of the recently departed,  
that through the mercy of God,  
they may rest in peace:  
**Bobbye Kelly, Marilou Gaspar, Gilbert Reyes**

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM & READINGS

Monday

**All the ends of the earth have seen  
the saving power of God.**

1 Jn 2:22-28 / Jn 1:19-28

Tuesday

**All the ends of the earth have seen  
the saving power of God.**

1 Jn 2:29-3:6 / Jn 1:29-34

Wednesday

**All the ends of the earth have seen  
the saving power of God.**

1 Jn 3:7-10 / Jn 1:35-42

Thursday

**Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.**

1 Jn 3:11-21 / Jn 1:43-51

Friday

**Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.**

1 Jn 5:5-13 / Mk 1:7-11 or  
Lk 3:23-28 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

Saturday

**The Lord takes delight in his people.**

1 Jn 5:14-21 / Jn 2:1-11

Sunday

**Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.**

Is 60:1- 6/ Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 / Mt 2:1-12

'Are any among you sick?

Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord; and the prayer of faith will save the sick man, and the Lord will raise him up; and if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.' (Jas. 5:14-15).

Call the office 310.372.5228



## Weekly Mass Intentions

|   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <b>Sat.</b><br>8 am<br>5:30 pm<br>10:30 pm                      | <b>Dec. 31</b><br>Fr. IK<br>Fr. Jim<br>Fr. IK                               | Noah Overly †<br>Walter Cox †<br>David Nicholson †<br>Ann Nichols †<br>Kellie Nolan †   |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>6:30 am<br>8 am<br>10 am<br>12 noon<br>5:30 pm | <b>Jan. 1</b><br>Msgr. Mike<br>Fr. IK<br>Msgr. Mike<br>Fr. IK<br>Msgr. Mike | <b>New Year's Day</b><br>David Franco †<br>Yelba Rodriguez †<br>Homer & Mary Ann Evenson †<br>Parcellano Family (L)<br>St. James Parishioners<br>Gabriel Gomez Lacar †<br>Florante Baldado, Sr. †<br>Mary Ann Massaro †<br>David Nicholson †<br>Luis Flores † |
| <b>Monday</b><br>8 am<br>12 noon                                | <b>Jan. 2</b><br>Fr. IK<br>Msgr. Mike                                       | Annie Wheeler (L)<br>Godofredo Lopez †  |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br>8 am<br>12 noon                               | <b>Jan. 3</b><br>Msgr. Mike<br>Fr. IK                                       | Cesar Herminia Valero †<br>Carmel & Jan Bartosik (L)  |
| <b>Wed.</b><br>8 am<br>12 noon                                  | <b>Jan. 4</b><br>Msgr. Mike<br>Fr. Jim                                      | Julia Valero †<br>Blaise Bartosik (L)   |
| <b>Thurs.</b><br>8 am<br>12 noon                                | <b>Jan. 5</b><br>Fr. Jim<br>Fr. IK  | Ralph Chadwick †<br>Sandra Santos †   |
| <b>Friday</b><br>8 am<br>12 noon                                | <b>Jan. 6</b><br>Fr. IK<br>Msgr. Mike                                       | Bobbye Truhe †<br>David Evans †   |
| <b>Sat.</b><br>8 am<br>5:30 pm                                  | <b>Jan. 7</b><br>Msgr. Mike<br>Msgr. Mike                                   | Jack Henri †<br>Louis Sesto †<br>Dianne Dizard †  |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>6:30 am<br>8 am<br>10 am<br>12 noon<br>5:30 pm | <b>Jan. 8</b><br>Fr. IK<br>Fr. Jim<br>Msgr. Mike<br>Fr. IK<br>Msgr. Mike    | Rose & Fine Chang †<br>Fr. Brendan Kearney †<br>Karen Whalen †<br>Summer Alvarez †<br>St. James Parishioners<br>Paul Guba †<br>Christopher Ishida (L)<br>David Nicholson †<br>Matilde Garcia Lopez †<br>Ida Pirolli †   |

We're here to help you become  
the holy, healthy, vibrant person that  
God has created you to be.



**St. James Catholic Church**  
415 Vincent Street Redondo Beach, CA 90277  
[www.SaintJames.Church](http://www.SaintJames.Church)

**Sunday Masses:** (Sat. 5:30 pm) | **Sunday** 6:30 am, 8, 10, 12, 5:30 pm | **Monday- Friday** 8 am, 12 noon | **Saturday** 8 am



Msgr. Mike Meyers  
**Pastor**  
[FrMike@SaintJames.Church](mailto:FrMike@SaintJames.Church)



Fr. Ikechukwu Ikeocha - 'Fr. IK'  
**Associate Pastor**  
[FRIK@SaintJames.Churcrh](mailto:FRIK@SaintJames.Churcrh)

#### Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday 4-5 Pm  
or by appointment



Fr. James Kavanagh  
**Pastor Emeritus**  
310.372.5228



Deacon Bob & Patty Miller  
**Deacon Couple**  
[DeaconBob99@AOL.com](mailto:DeaconBob99@AOL.com)

#### Eucharistic Ministers for Care Centers

Miki Finken  
310.316.3890

## Helping Children Grow in Faith

'Train the young in the way they should go;  
even when old, they will not swerve from it' Proverbs 22:6



Sr. Mary Margaret  
**Principal - Saint James School**  
[StJamesWeb.com](http://StJamesWeb.com)  
310.371.0416



Diana Holly  
**Director of Religious Education**  
[Diana@SaintJames.Church](mailto:Diana@SaintJames.Church)  
310.379.3221



Wendy Bell  
**Director of Preschool & Toddler Time**  
[Wendy@SaintJames.Church](mailto:Wendy@SaintJames.Church)  
310.376.5550



Gabriel Reyes  
**Youth Minister**  
Office 310.372.5228  
[Gabe@SaintJames.Church](mailto:Gabe@SaintJames.Church)  
text 424.265.TEEN (8336)

**St. James Elementary School**  
4625 Garnet Street  
Torrance, CA 90503  
310.371.0416  
**Office Hours** 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

**Religious Education Office hours**  
Monday – Thursday  
10 am – 3 pm  
and during class times:  
Tuesday 4 pm – 8:15  
Wednesday 4 pm – 5:30

We believe in creating a warm and loving environment where children can learn about themselves, gain an understanding of others and develop strong self-esteem.

**oneight**  
CONFIRMATION PROGRAM  
**X EDGE**  
**LIFE TEEN**  
Leading Teens Closer to Christ

**Church & Kavanagh Hall** 415 Vincent Street  
Redondo Beach, CA 90277

**Parish Office & Parish Center**  
124 N. Pacific Coast Highway

**School & O'Gorman Center**  
4625 Garnet Street Torrance, CA 90503

