



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

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# Pastors Letter

Beginning this week a familiar sound has returned to St. James. **The Carillon Bells** tolling the hours from the bell tower have finally been repaired. A big thanks to **Patrick Cunningham's crew led by Mauricio** for courageously and continually braving the vertical ladder inside the tower 70 feet up, then managing to get up to the ceiling of the dome for the repair work. It was a task that had us stymied for many months.

As we prepare for Christmas you will notice that the **Nativity scene** is in its normal place in front of the St. Mary's altar. However, the stable is **completely new**, replacing the rickety stable we have used for many years. **Bob Hernandez, Mike Staal and John Cabibbo** took on the task of building the new stable and we are so grateful to them for the many hours it took to complete the construction. The hand painted background was done by artist **Jana Denhart**. (photo below)

As we enter into this last week before Christmas and all the last-minute things we have to do before families begin to gather, we pray that Christmas might be an opportunity for you to **open your hearts** to the power of **God's love for you** and strengthen your hope and trust in **Him who has created you** for the glory of the kingdom and **Christ who has come into our midst** that we might be freed to **walk in love** and hope through the journey of our lives.  
Msgr. Mike & Fr. IK



## Eucharistic Ministers:

The Sign-up Sheets for **Christmas and Feast of Mary Mother of God** Masses are now in the Sacristy. Please come in and sign-up.

## Christmas at Family Promise of the South Bay

The Family Promise office is **collecting gift cards** that parents in the program will use to buy Christmas gifts for their children. Cards of any value from stores such as **Target, Kohl's and Old Navy** would be greatly appreciated.

If you would like to donate card(s) to brighten Christmas for the families and children in Family Promise, please mail or drop them off by **December 19**  
**Family Promise OSB office**  
**2930 El Dorado St, Torrance 90503**

Gift cards can also be specified for use by the families during the year (**such as for birthdays or new shoes or clothes—the kids grow!**) and **dropped off at any time.**

For more information please contact  
**Judy Pang, jmpang@aol.com, 310 375-5783.**  
**Thank you for your generosity!**



**American  
Red Cross**

**POWER** *in the* blood

*You can put the power of faith into action and help save a life!*

## Blood Drive

**Sunday, December 18 8am-2pm**

to make an appointment: [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and enter sponsor code **StJamesParish** or call the church office 310.372.5228

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting [RecCrossBlood.org/RapidPass](http://RecCrossBlood.org/RapidPass) to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

## Welcome!

*Friends and Family*  
**GATHER HERE**

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

# Christmas Mass Schedule

Come, Let us Adore Him!

**Christmas Eve Saturday, December 24**  
8 am Daily Mass

**4 pm Vigil Mass**—Fr I.K. Children's Choir  
**6 pm Vigil Mass**—Fr. Jim Youth Choir

**11 pm Mass** All Priests  
**Carols begin at 10:30 pm**—Adult Choir

Come Early, Bring the Family and Friends.  
**Share the Gift of your Faith**

**Christmas Day Sunday, December 25**  
(No 5:30 pm Mass)

**6:30 am Mass** Fr. I.K. Cantor & Piano/Organ  
**8 am Mass**—Msgr. Mike Cantor /Piano/Organ  
with Brass Ensemble

**10 am Mass**—Fr. I.K. Adult Choir with Brass Ensemble

**12 Noon Mass** Msgr. Mike Resounding Grace

**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.

**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 310.541.403.**



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**gift shop** for \$10. It is a wonderful way to bring in the holiday, and makes a great gift for friends and family. This is the last weekend before Christmas. Get yours, today, while supplies last. Give the CD to your family member or friend who may be away from church for a while as a way to introduce them to the beauty of our Mass. **Merry Christmas from the Youth Choir!**

## Holy Innocents Day Prayer Service

Parishioners are invited to a Mass and Rosary-centered service at the **Shrine to the Unborn** **Wednesday, December 28th, 2016** in Holy Cross Cemetery.



**Mass at 2:00 pm** at the Risen Christ Chapel with main celebrant **Bishop Joseph Sartoris**, followed by a rosary procession to the Shrine. The procession will be led by the **Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree Color Corps**. Hymns, a scriptural reading and a homily will follow. **Please bring your family and friends.**

Holy Cross Cemetery is at 5835 West Slauson Ave., between Sepulveda and La Cienega.  
**Tom Ullman, 310.670.0605.**

## Children's Christmas Choir

**All children are invited to sing at the 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Children's Mass on December 24.**

Practice from 9-10am in room 5, Parish Center  
**December 18**

**Performances:**

**December 17**, 11-12:30 singing at convalescent homes

**December 18**, 6-7:30 pm caroling through the lighted area in south Torrance

**December 24**, singing at 4pm Mass, Christmas Eve

**Contact Robin Potchka 310.722.3573**  
drpotchka@gmail.com

# Growing in Faith

## SAINT JAMES NILAND SCHOLARSHIPS

### 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



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 after Dec 5, 2016 and are due back no later than Feb 28, 2017.

## 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

## 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 past 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.

## St. James Medjugorje Rosary Prayer Group



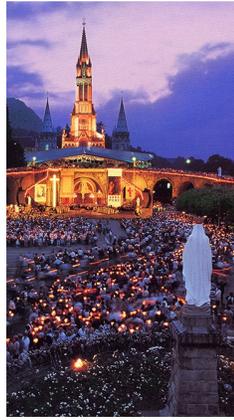
Invites you to join us on any Monday at 7:00 pm in Kavanagh Hall for praying the rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Consecration prayers.

All present may offer their own intentions.

Most meetings last about one hour and ten minutes.

Lupe Hernandez at 310.374.4242.

## Pilgrimage to Spain & Lourdes with Msgr. Mike



Join us in celebrating our 125th anniversary of St. James Parish by going on a pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela, Spain, founded by our patron, **Saint James**.

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

**Sept. 13-25, 2017 - \$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.

Ely at **310.944.3355**  
email **fredely@verizon.net**

## Here's where to find parking for Mass



## Help bring Joy to a Child at Christmas

Look for **Our Giving Tree** in the church vestibule next Sunday. **Take an ornament. Return a gift** and a blessing to someone for our **Feed the Needy Christmas Luncheon** or a child at **San Miguel** in Watts. Call Barbara at 310.530.2756 with questions.

## 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 **skelly3156@gmail.com** .



## 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

## Women's Guild

### Be part of the Women's Guild.

Come and **join us** for fellowship, social and spiritual friendship and lots of fun every **2nd Wednesday of the month In Kavanagh Hall**.  
Spiritual Director— Deacon Bob Miller



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## Pregnancy Help Center



Wow!  
Thank you!

You gave \$8,974!

The **Baby Bottle campaign** to benefit

the Pregnancy Help Center to help them continue to provide free services, including ultrasound exams, and help even more women make life affirming choices about pregnancy.  
Your support saves lives!



[www.PhcTorrance.org](http://www.PhcTorrance.org)

310.320.8976

## Youth Ministry

### Meet one of our Core Members Peter Malufau

**Hometown?** Born at Gardena Memorial Hospital in Gardena, CA. Raised in Carson, CA

**High School?** THEE Carson High School :)

**College/University?** El Camino College, Southern University, Baton Rouge LA Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts

**Favorite Restaurant/Food?** As much as we all love food, we can all agree that our mothers cooking is the best so I'm going with MOM!

**Favorite Bible Verse?** The bible verse of the Combat Infantryman Isaiah 6:8 "Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" "Here I am," I said; "send me!"

**Why you joined the Core Team?** Again, Isaiah 6:8.

**Fun Fact?** Thanksgiving 1983. When my mother's water broke, my father rushed her to the hospital. After what my mother said was the easiest push of her life, my father remembered he left the turkey baking in the oven. He rushed home and discovered it was burned. However, the Thanksgiving turkey my mother was baking in her own tummy, came out perfectly golden brown and handsome as ever: Her Thanksgiving Baby...ME! I'm sure my first words as a baby were "gobble gobble". Haha



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CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

**Y1 and Y2 Combined night,  
Sunday, Dec. 18 after 5:30 Mass**

Y1 Confirmation night January 8 -  
Y2 Confirmation night January 15

**LIFE TEEN**  
Leading Teens Closer to Christ

Life Teen Summit Nights for all High School Teens  
Join us Monday, December 19

7:00 - 8:00pm (doors open at 6:30pm)

Meet in the Teen Lounge (parish office)

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.

Nativity Rehearsal - Monday December 19, 6:00pm in the Church (please reserve your spot ahead of time).

**EDGE**

**XLT - Sunday December 18**  
after 5:30 Mass

Nativity Rehearsal - **Monday, December 19** at 6:00pm  
Please reserve your spots ahead of time.

Gabriel Reyes, Director

[saintjamesym@gmail.com](mailto:saintjamesym@gmail.com) 310.372.5228 x 20

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

Are you happy? Overwhelmed?

## RESISTING HAPPINESS



A true story about why we sabotage ourselves, feel overwhelmed, set aside our dreams, & lack the courage to simply say no sometimes... & how to start choosing happiness again.

**MATTHEW KELLY**  
Author of *THE 100% BUCKLE UP! LIVING WITHOUT COMPROMISE*

**Is your passion of purpose gone** and your dreams fleeting? Are you the best version of yourself?

In *Resisting Happiness*, Matthew Kelly addresses the questions above and the **resistance** that stands between you and happiness.

As part of our continuing commitment to better understand and deepen our faith, we will be **gifting these books to our parishioners at Christmas.**

If you are interested in **forming a discussion group** on this book, please contact the office. **We'll match you** with others who would like to do this. Let us know when your schedule is available, and **where you'd like to meet.** You can meet at local coffee shops, restaurants or at your home.

## 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.

## Welcome Parents of Young Children!

**Relax! God loves the wiggly little saints and we do too! Please welcome families with young children to mass with smiles and encouragement!**

We understand how difficult it is to **attend Mass** with all the supplies a family with young children needs. Many of us have been through this and **understand what it's like.**

If we do what we can to **encourage families to pray together** at Mass when they are young, the seeds planted will help **them develop a deeper faith they can turn to as life becomes ever more difficult.** Want to do more to help these families? **Consider helping at Children's Liturgy of the Word.**

## Reflection

"She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus." Joseph heard these prophetic **words in a dream.** They were words of anticipation, of what was to come. And in a sense, they ushered in a kind of Advent for Joseph. With this divine message, Joseph began a period of **holy waiting.** He now knew that the Messiah was going to be coming into his own home, and he had just nine months to **prepare!** We can only imagine how Joseph might have spent these precious days. Most likely he did more than prepare a physical home for his soon-to-be-born Son; he must have also used these days to **prepare his heart, mind, and soul** for such a tremendous mission.



Today, **we stand in a position not all that different from St. Joseph.** We also know that the Messiah will be arriving--not just in remembrance at Christmastime, but in reality at the second coming. But unlike Joseph, **we don't have an exact timeframe.** We don't know when Jesus will return. We just know that we **need to be ready!**

During the season of Advent we are challenged to recall this fact and strive to **get our hearts in order.** The days are short now until Christmas, and for all we know they might be short until Christ's return as well. **What remains to be done?** Aside from wrapping presents and planning parties, where do we yet **need to tidy up our habits** to properly celebrate the real meaning of this festive season?

How can we make sure that we don't get swept away in the **external preparations,** forgetting the work that needs to be done in the **invisible silence of our souls?** God may not speak to all of us directly in our dreams, but **He does speak to us clearly through His Word.** May we recognize today the **mission** he has laid before us.

Sunday	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Saturday
18 <b>Women's Guild Potluck 1:15 Red Cross Blood Drive</b>	19	20	21	22	23 <b>Parish Office open 8-4</b>	24 <b>Office open 9-12 Christmas Eve  4 pm – Fr. IK 6 pm – Fr. Jim Carols @10:30 11 pm Fr. Mike</b>
25 <b>Christmas Day Masses 6:30am 8am 10am 12 noon No 5:30 Mass</b>	26 <b>Mass 8, 12  Parish Office Closed</b>	27 <b>Office open 8-12</b>	28 <b>Office open 8-8</b>	29 <b>Office open 8-8</b>	30 <b>Office open 8-4</b>	31 <b>Office open 9-12 New Year's Eve  5:30 pm Mass 10:30 pm Mass  Dance party with Fr. IK in Kavanagh Hall after 10:30 Mass</b>
Jan 1 <b>Happy New Year's Day  Masses: 6:30, 8, 10, 12 noon, &amp; 5:30 PM</b>	2 <b>Office Closed</b>	3	4	5	6	7



Everything we have is a gift from God, including our ability to earn money. We believe that it is through our generosity and sharing from our first fruits that we are able to fulfill the mission that God has entrusted to us –changing lives and saving souls.

Visit [www.SaintJames.Church](http://www.SaintJames.Church) or the parish office.



**“Is 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

# Prayer Requests

For those suffering illness, infirmity,  
and those in need of our prayers:

**Teresa Covington,  
Malinda Diener,  
Rose Rota Kathleen Liberi,  
Ada Sklar  
Grace Insogna,  
Gracie Insogna,  
Margaret Griffin**

From death to new life.  
For the souls of the recently departed,  
that through the mercy of God,  
they may rest in peace:

**Concepcion Perez,  
Roland Mannes,  
Elisa Dulay**

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM & READINGS

Monday

**My mouth shall be filled with your praise,  
and I will sing your glory!**  
Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a / Lk 1:5-25

Tuesday

**Let the Lord enter; he is the king of glory.**  
Is 7:10-14 / Lk 1:26-38

Wednesday

**Exult, you just, in the Lord! Sing to him a new song.**  
Sg 2:8-14 / Lk 1:39-45

Thursday

**My heart exults in the Lord, my Savior.**  
1 Sm 1:24-28 / Lk 1:46-56

Friday

**Lift up your heads and see;  
your redemption is near at hand.**  
MI 3:1-4, 23-24 / Lk 1:57-66

Saturday **Christmas Eve**

**For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.**  
2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 / Lk 1:67-79

Sunday **Christmas**

**A light will shine on us this day:  
the Lord is born for us.**  
Is 62:11-12 / Ti 3:4-7 / Lk 2:15-20

## Weekly Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday</b> 5:30 pm	<b>Dec. 17</b> Msgr. Mike	Jolanka Srsen † Barry Reynolds †
<b>Sunday</b> 6:30 am	<b>Dec. 18</b> Fr. Jim	Marco Vignale (L) Laura Palosarri (L)
8 am	Msgr. Mike	Mason Phillips † Joseph Nowak †
10 am	Fr. IK	St. James Parishioners Kap Soo Lee †
12 noon	Msgr. Mike	James Rava † Kathleen Rios †
5:30 pm	Fr. IK	Patricia Cara † Carolyn Mitchell (L)
<b>Monday</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 19</b> Msgr. Mike	Ted Vlahos †
12 noon	Fr. IK	Marcella Luke (L)
<b>Tuesday</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 20</b> Fr. IK	Ricardo Fernandes †
12 noon	Msgr. Mike	Jerry Sampson †
<b>Wed.</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 21</b> Fr. Jim	Edward Buckels †
12 noon	Msgr. Mike	Estei Castelio (L)
<b>Thursday</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 22</b> Fr. IK	Mila Valero (L)
12 noon	Fr. Jim	The Gojcaj Family (L)
<b>Friday</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 23</b> Msgr. Mike	Ricardo & Rose Fong, Sr. †
12 noon	Fr. IK	The Gojcaj Family †
<b>Saturday</b> 8 am	<b>Dec. 24</b> Msgr. Mike	<b>Christmas Eve</b> Thomas A. Clavin †
4 pm	Fr. IK	Children of St. James Parish Children of the World
6 pm	Fr. Jim	Godofredo Lopez † Gretta O'Connor (L)
11 pm	Msgr. Mike	Frank & Julie D'Lando † Magdalena (Jill) Griesbauer † Claudio & Perseveranda Ofina †
<b>Sunday</b> 6:30 am	<b>Dec. 25</b> Fr. IK	<b>Christmas</b> Margaret & Tom Broderick (L) Clement Brady (L)
8 am	Msgr. Mike	Manuel Ramirez † Karen Whalen †
10 am	Fr. IK	St. James Parishioners Ida Mae Miller †
12 noon	Msgr. Mike	Pino Marzocchi † Natividad Cutchon †

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



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Msgr. Mike Meyers  
**Pastor**  
FrMike@SaintJames.Church



Fr. Ikechukwu Ikeocha - 'Fr. IK'  
**Associate Pastor**  
FrIK@SaintJames.Church

**Reconciliation/Confession**

Saturday 4-5 Pm  
or by appointment

**Eucharistic Ministers  
for Homebound**

John Cable  
310.710.8756

**Eucharistic Ministers  
for Care Centers**

Miki Finken  
310.316.3890



Fr. James Kavanagh  
**Pastor Emeritus**  
310.372.5228



Deacon Bob & Patty Miller  
**Deacon Couple**  
DeaconBob99@AOL.com

## 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*



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310.371.0416  
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**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.



**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

