

Sunday Masses: (Saturday 5:30 pm) | Sunday 8, 10, 12 noon | Monday-Saturday 8 am only



Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us!
We are not complete without you!

*"I give praise to you,
Father, Lord of heaven and earth,
for although you have hidden these things
from the wise and the learned
you have revealed them to little ones.
Mt 11:25*

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8 to 12, 1 to 4 pm | Saturday & Sunday Closed

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Pastor's Corner

Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

We are getting ready to schedule our Sacraments that have been postponed. **First Holy Communion** will have three dates starting July 12th to July 19th.

Sacraments of Initiation for our seven Elect is on July 26th and **The Rite of Confirmation** will take place between August 16th and August 30th. The Coordinators for these Sacraments will be contacting you within the next week to let you know which dates and times you are scheduled.

We are also happy to share with you that we have hired **Gretchen Nobleza** as our Youth Minister. Gretchen has been active in our choirs at both the Noon Mass and 5:30 Sunday evening Masses and has worked as part of the Youth Ministry team for the last 6 years.

Confessions have also started again on Saturdays from 4 to 5 pm. Fr. Emmanuel and I are both finding spots under the trees in the parking lot and setting up chairs there to enable us to keep a bit of distancing and allow us to talk to a number of people as safely as possible.

We have also resumed our **Holy Hours** in front of the Blessed Sacrament in the church on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month from 7 to 8 pm.

Our Sunday Masses are limited to just 100 people for each Mass. Registration is online on our website: **SaintJames.Church/reopen**. Please call the office at **310.372.5228** if you don't use a computer and are unable to register online.

If you find that all the Sunday Masses are full, please consider joining us for one our Weekday Masses at 8 am each day so that you can more fully share in the gift of the Eucharist with us.

Join us on **Independence day, Saturday, July 4th for the 8am Mass** as we thank God for his blessings and the freedom we enjoy to worship him in this country.

Blessings,
Msgr. Mike

Got Wipes?

We are desperately looking for anti-bacterial wipes! If anyone has a connection to where we can purchase some or would like to donate to the church, please call the Parish Office at 310.372.5228. Much appreciation!!

Welcome!

Friends and Family GATHER HERE

Welcome one another, then,
as Christ welcomed you,
for the glory of God.

Romans 15:7

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. Questions.
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.

Parish Office Open for You!

Come visit us!

Our hours are from 8am to 4pm, closing for lunch from 12 noon to 1pm.

Masks will be required and we will regulate the number of visitors for safe distancing.

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday, July 3rd in observance of the Independence Day holiday.

*"We hold these truths to be self-evident,
that all men are created equal,
that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights,
that among these are life, liberty,
and the pursuit of happiness.*

That, to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed".

May God Bless America.



Safety Ministry and Sanitizing Ministry Sign-Ups

Safety Ministry (3 for each Sunday Mass) will be at the door and will greet everyone to make sure each person is:

wearing their face mask (they should bring their own mask)

Verify registration by receipt or list
give each person a squirt of hand sanitizer before entering

Inside the church, make sure that everyone is safely distanced from others

At Communion, give a squirt of sanitizer to each communicant after they have passed the collection basket.

Sanitizer Ministry (2 for each Mass)

will sanitize the entire church after every Mass.

We have 2 battery operated misters to spray the entire church, including restrooms, vestibules, cry rooms, sanctuary and sacristies.

The work is easy, but critical to maintain the safety of the church for all. And takes just a few minutes after the church is empty.

Sign up! Visit: [SaintJames.Church/Safety](https://saintjames.church/safety)

Bundle Sunday

On **Sunday, July 12th** our parish is having a Bundle Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Please bring your usable clothing and usable household items between 8:30 am to 1:30 pm to the church parking lot. Your donations will help needy individuals.

For large items including furniture and large appliances, please call **323.224.6280**

Time, Talent, Treasure

Many of our current ministers are At-Risk people and are choosing to stay Safer at Home. We need additional Sunday and Weekday Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans, Ushers, Welcomers, Church Environment, Funeral Ministry and Adult Altar Servers (our school children will not be serving at this time) We will rely on the generosity of many NEW people to join our current ministers in service to the church. Our volunteers will need to come from our younger families, young adults and teens. The work is simple, but the gift to the community is invaluable. Training will be provided for each of these ministries.

You can register on our parish website, <https://saintjames.church/new>, or call the parish office at **310.372.5228** to volunteer so we can train you for the ministry and gather again as a community of faith.

You may register for more than one ministry.

Join our Online Bible Study

The St James Tuesday night online bible study group will start a new study based on Bishop Robert Barron's 'The Sacraments' beginning on June 30th.

Please join us on Tuesday evenings between 7:00-8:30p for this 6 week discussion group.

If you are interested in joining us please email Randy Sgro (rsgro@sbcglobal.net) or Donna Wilson (dwilson94@gmail.com) so we can extend the Zoom meeting invitation to you.

When the church and Kavanagh Hall reopen we will resume our study of

Matthew : "The King and His Kingdom".

Come, share and participate in our Church Community.

Donna Wilson 310.308.6457

Randy Sgro 310.413.4191

Thank you for your support

Thank you for the many calls of appreciation that we can still be together as a parish family as best we can with this outreach.

We are grateful for your willingness to continue supporting St. James financially which will be especially critical these next few months.

If you are able, your best options are:



Mail your envelopes to the

St. James Parish Office
124 N. Pacific Coast Hwy.
Redondo Beach, CA 90277

Place in the Rectory mail slot at 415 Vincent St. A 90277. or in church baskets in the Communion line.

Set-Up **Automatic Payments** with your bank

Enroll in Faith Direct's E-Giving
By calling toll free 1-866-507-8757 or
<https://www.faithdirect.net>
Please use the code **CA560**

Use Faith Direct's Text-to-Give number
Simply text any dollar amount to St. James'
Number: **424.317.8878**



Dear Friends and Families of St. James,

The school office is open! It has been so nice to see faces, even in masks. The school will be open from 8:00a – 12:00p during the summer. We do ask that only 1 family at a time be in each office, visitors wear masks and practice social distancing.

We are accepting applications for the 2020 -2021 school year and are available for school tours and meeting the principal.

Msgr. Meyers and I are happy to announce that we have received word from the Department of Catholic Schools that on campus instruction will resume for the fall. The DCS has worked with public health to create a *Starting the School Year Smart* document that will help us plan for modifications to in-person instruction. St. James administration and faculty will create a detailed plan and protocols in the upcoming weeks that will meet the needs of our campus and our enrollment.

God Bless you,
Noreen Maricich

 **SjsCatholicSchool**
<http://SjsCatholicSchool.org>

Daily and Sunday Mass are Online

We will continue to record our Masses at St. James and make them available on our website. We'll be recording the Daily 8am Mass and posting by 10:30 am.

The Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:30 Pm will be available by 9 am Sunday morning.

You can register to attend Saturday Vigil or Sunday morning Mass by visiting
<https://saintJames.church/reopen>

Acts of Kindness Everywhere

Even in times such as this with COVID-19 affecting what we do, we find people reaching out to help neighbors and even strangers. It is truly a difficult time for many, and if you find that you could use the help of a good listener to share your experience or have someone to pray with, a Stephen Minister would be happy to remind you that there is still kindness in the world.
The Connect Line number is **310.541.1403**

Gospel Meditation

We are all familiar with the refrain,

“You have put on Christ. In him you have been baptized. Alleluia, alleluia!”

In Baptism, we “put on” Christ. In putting on Christ, we put on all that Christ is and represents: hope, faith, and love. We are no longer bound to the sins and failures of the flesh, that part of us that resists God and relies exclusively on human means. It also means that we are not in debt to our past, complete with its sins, failures, regrets, fears, and unfulfilled dreams. There is always hope. In putting on Christ, we put on God’s vision for the world, for all of His children and for us. We have been given a road map to guide our paths and a blueprint to follow for our life’s journey.

There is no need for regret, and we are not tethered to our past. Is there anything in your past that you regret? Any decision or memory that continues to haunt you? We have all made mistakes, and we have this uncanny ability to continue beating ourselves up over things we can no longer do anything about, except learn from them. To put on Christ means that I can now bring God’s unconditional love to my hurtful memories and sinful choices. With each new moment and every new choice, I can start clean and live in freedom.

Imagine adults when the disciples were preaching and baptizing. They came to baptism not really knowing who they were, with pasts that were broken, seeking to live the joy of the Gospel they heard spoken to them and wanting the love they saw witnessed in the lives of those who believed. What tremendous celebrations their baptisms must have been! They could now have the support of a community, full participation in the sacraments of the church, focus for their disordered lives, consolation, healing, and an understanding of what life is really all about.

Our lives are meant to be celebrations of the Spirit we have received in Baptism. How does that joy get expressed in and through you? When we truly understand that we have put on Christ, our burdens can become much lighter. It is odd that so many Christians look like they are carrying the weight of the world on their shoulders. Wouldn’t it be wonderful if those weights could be lifted and joy experienced!
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Human Trafficking Awareness

If you have items (beds, cooking utensils, household items) that can be donated for victims beginning a new life, please send your contact information to us so that we can notify you when the need arises.

candrpape@verizon.net

F.A.I.T.H. MINISTRY of St. James and
St. Lawrence Martyr

Readings

Monday

The Lord is gracious and merciful.

Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22 / Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday

The house of Israel trusts in the Lord.

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 / Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday

Seek always the face of the Lord.

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 / Mt 10:1-7

Thursday

Let us see your face, Lord, and we shall be saved.

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9 / Mt 10:7-15

Friday

My mouth will declare your praise.

Hos 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23

Saturday

The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty.

Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33

Sunday

The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.

Is 55:10-11 / Rom 8:18-23 / Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9

Prayer Requests

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

Meghan Bauer,

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

**Nita Caprio,
Henry Glodoveza,
Josefina Eusebio**

Feed the Needy Needs YOUR help!

We are still serving lunches on Mon., Wed. and Fri. Please help us to continue to serve those who are in need in our community. We need food items that can go into a sack lunch: Sandwich meats, cheeses, hamburger buns, chips, cookies, oranges, small size drinks small snacks. Please drop off at Kavanagh Hall M,W, F at noon. Bless you for your generosity!

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	July 4 Msgr. Mike Fr. Emmanuel	Mary Jane Jambor † Alberta Miner † Henry Glodoveza †
Sunday 6:30 am	July 5 No Mass	
8 am	TBD	Michael Smith Joanne Newman † David Franco † Robert Cuzzi & Family Querobe Argel † Kathy Benson †
10 am	TBD	
12 noon	TBD	
5:30 pm	TBD	
Monday 8 am 12 noon	July 6 TBD No Mass	Maybelline Soriano †
Tuesday 8 am 12 noon	July 7 TBD No Mass	David Anthony Mercado †
Wed. 8 am 12 noon	July 8 TBD No Mass	Alejandra Alba †
Thurs. 8 am 12 noon	July 9 TBD No Mass	Michael Guerin Roth †
Friday 8 am 12 noon	July 10 TBD No Mass	Umberto Saraullo †
Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	July 11 TBD TBD	Loretta Ann Roth † Jerry Lopez † Ed Staal
Sunday 6:30 am	July 12 No Mass	
8 am	TBD	Mike & Helen McGarry † Teri Gaiten † St. James Parishioners Domingo Kwong † Brigid Hanniff † Nenita Bautista †
10 am	TBD	
12 noon	TBD	
5:30 pm	TBD	

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



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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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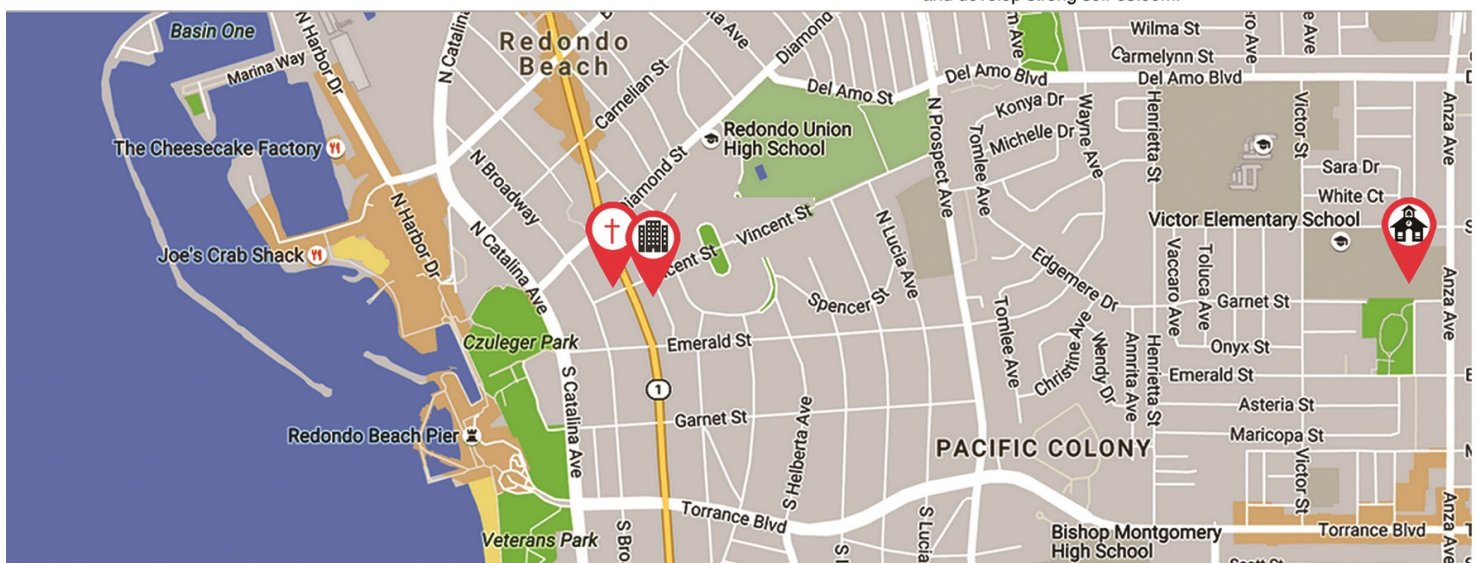
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Religious Education Office hours
Monday – Thursday
10 am – 3 pm
and during class times:
Tuesday 4 pm – 8:15
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Preschool & Toddler Time
Philosophy
We believe in creating a warm and
loving environment
where children can
learn about themselves,
gain an understanding of others
and develop strong self-esteem.



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