

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!

...you are anxious and worried about many things.
There is need of only one thing.
Mary has chosen the better part.. Lk. 10:41-42



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

Pastor's Letter

Dear Friends and Families of St. James,

St. James Property Development Update

The Parish Center property has been listed for us by the Archdiocese and they are coordinating the sale of the property.

Initial bids have come in from a few developers and I understand that others have indicated that they will be submitting bids as well. It is still too early in the process to comment on what is happening with the sale. We will be including in the sale of the property some lease-back provisions so that we can continue all of our programs through this coming school year.

We are just now receiving proposals from 3 experienced church facilities architects to be considered for the design of the new Parish Center on our "Community Campus" property.

We will be reviewing their proposals and meeting with them to discuss our project in the next few weeks so that we can select an architect who will best help us in this transition phase of our parish.

We are confident in the abilities and qualifications of the architects and so are excited that we are getting close to beginning to actually work on the design of the buildings and development of the property.

Blessings,

Msgr. Míke

Knights of Columbus



To the men of our parish, please consider joining the Knights of Columbus, Council 1990.

Sign up: www.kofc.org/joinus.

Enter **1990** for the Council and **MCGIVNEY2020** for the special promotion.



Blood Drive—July 24th

On Sunday, July 24th—7:30am to 2 pm in the church parking lot.

To sign up go to redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code: StJamesParish or call 1.800.733.2767.

You may also sign up that day. Give Blood and help save lives. Thank you!

National Needs Combined Collection Today, Sunday, July 17^{th.}

- Makes it possible for us to continue strengthening Catholic faith, values, and education through the Catholic Communication Campaign's television, radio, and print messages.
- Helps supports some of the poorest dioceses in the country that depend on annual collections. Through vital evangelizations programs, the Black and Indian Home Mission provides aid to some of the needlest African-American and Native American communities.
- Enables us to insure the highest standards of quality Catholic education through the Catholic University of America's exceptional programs of scholarship, research, and service.
- Strengthens the Church at home, and helps to provide basic pastoral resources and services to needy ethnic communities in scattered and isolated areas through the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

Envelopes are in the pews.

Thank you for your generosity!

Would You Like to Complete Your Sacraments?

Are you a baptized Catholic, but have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation?

If so, contact us about becoming a candidate to complete your Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation).

To receive further information and details on this process, please contact **Deacon Bob & Patty Miller** at **dnbob99@gmail.com** or call us at **310.371.0985**.

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

Thank You!

July 17th is Bundle Sunday!



Please donate your USABLE discards of clothes, household goods, small appliances and misc. items to our parking lot from 8:30am to 1:30 pm.

Please do not bring large items to the truck. Also, no car seats, baby cribs, strollers or mattresses.

For FREE pick-up of large tax-deductible donations like appliances and furniture or vehicles, please call St. Vincent de Paul at **800-974-3571.**

Isn't anyone listening to you?



It's something we do well.

If you feel it would be helpful to have a confidential space and caring listener as you are trying to work out a problem in your own mind, please consider a Stephen Minister.

We would be happy to act as a sounding board as you work out solutions.

Stephen Ministry Connect 310.541.1403

Medjugorje Rosary Prayer Group

We continue to pray the rosary in the midst of this difficult time. We meet in Kavanagh Hall every Monday at 7 pm. Experience inner peace. All may offer their own intentions.

Dean Campazzie 310.372.5182



Our parish ministries continue because so many people need our help.

Recurring gifts helped sustain our parish in unprecedented times, and



continue to be a vital source of support for ministries that are a lifeline to those in need in our community.

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. 90277 or in church baskets.

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 Use the code CA560

Use Faith Direct's Text-to-Give number

Simply text any dollar amount to St. James' Number: 424.317.8878

Thank you for your generous support of Saint James!

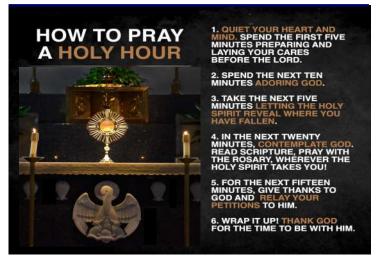


Maybe you haven't been to church in a while. And maybe you are worried that you won't be welcome here. We get it. We've been there. Now we are here.

When you attend, you'll have a chance to hear powerful music, learn from authentic Catholic clergy, and grow in faith.

Learn to be the holy, healthy, vibrant person that God has created you to be. Learn to use your gifts to make a difference in the lives of others.

> Maybe God is calling you back. Just as you are. Welcome home.



Benediction and Adoration

July 15th and Aug. 19th after the 8am Mass until 12 noon

Holy Hour Adoration July 22nd at 7pm

"Come to Me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you..." Mt. 11:28

Bingo! Bingo! Bingo!

Every Thursday night in Kavanagh Hall! Doors open at 6pm. Early bird game at 7pm

No Coffee and Donuts this weekend.

Parishioners Federal Credit Union

Parishioners Federal Credit Union provides a wide range of financial products and services to meet the needs of our members who are associated with Catholic parishes



and other Catholic-affiliated organizations in Southern California. We value our members and strive to provide the best quality service while maintaining the values and standards of the Catholic community.

Parishioners Federal Credit Union was founded and chartered in 1961 thanks to the efforts of Monsignor J. Augustine O'Gorman of St. James Parish in Redondo Beach. He realized that a member-owned financial cooperative would understand his parishioners' needs and share their values as no other bank could.

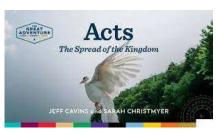
For more information or to join the credit union, please visit **www.parishionersfcu.org**, call **310.320.4588**, or come see us at

2355 Crenshaw Blvd, Suite 100, Torrance, CA 90501

Tuesday Night Bible Study

The St. James Tuesday Night Bible Study group is currently studying

"Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom" by Ascension.



Please join us this
Tuesday in
Kavanagh Hall
at 7 pm as we cover
Chapter 11-12:
The Church in Antioch

This study will help you to see your place

in the Church as a disciple of Christ.

If you are not able to participate in person you can also join us using Zoom. Please contact

Donna Wilson: dwilson94@gmail.com

Come, share and participate in our Church Community.



O Lord, who may dwell in your sanctuary?
Who may abide on your holy mountain?
The one who leads a blameless life and does what is right, who speaks the truth from the heart—PS.15

Saint James LiveStream on YouTube

If you are unable to attend Mass in person, you can join us for Daily Mass every day at 8am and Sunday Vigil Mass Saturday at 5:30pm



Visit SaintJames.Church and click on this link:

We livestream the 8am daily Mass and 5:30 pm Saturday Vigil Mass Click Here>

If you subscribe to our channel, you'll receive an email whenever we are broadcasting our Masses. Here's the link to our YouTube channel – Click here!

There are showing the priest celebrant on the calendar page. This is located at the View Masses button or top menu under Mass | Online Masses.

We welcome you to join us in person for Daily Mass and praying the **Rosary after each 8am Mass.**

Our church is open for quiet prayer 7am-7pm.

Feed the Needy Ministry

We thank you for all your donations!

We continue this year of providing meals on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Because of your generosity, we have continued to feed our homeless community throughout the months of the pandemic.

Our work continues and we once again ask for your assistance to ensure that we maintain the items needed for our homeless community members.



We always need the following items:

hamburger buns cheese sticks

fruit (oranges, bananas & grapes)

chips granola bars

lunch meat & cheese 8 oz. water and juices

Some of these items can easily fit into their backpacks.

In addition to the food items we are in need of **toiletries** and socks. The above items can be dropped off M,W,F from 11-2pm at Kavanagh Hall.

Due to the pandemic and limited storage space we are unable to accept used clothing.

Again we thank you in advance for your generosity in allowing us to keep our homeless community fed and healthy.

If you have any questions regarding our ministry I can be reached at **310.488.9480**.

Línda Cabíbbo, Ministry Coordinator



Thank you to the three St. James teams that participated in the 35th Annual Walk for Life South Bay on May 21st benefiting the families served by the Pregnancy Help Center. You raised over **\$4,000** which will help to provide free pregnancy services like pregnancy tests, ultrasound exams, and BrightCourse education classes to women in crisis pregnancies.

Your support saves lives! supportphctorrance.org

For information or assistance call the Pregnancy Help Center at **424.263.4855**. Choose life!





The Gathering Place

If your family has suffered the loss of a loved one, **The Gathering Place**, a nonprofit associated with Providence Little Company of Mary, offers support groups for children and adults.

For more information, please visit their website at www.providence.org/locations/gathering-place.

Religious Education

Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

Families, registration for Religious Education for the 2022-2023 school year is now open on the parish website! **SaintJames.Church/RE**

Whether your family has been involved in Religious Education for years or this will be your first time joining us, we are excited to welcome you into our program. When you visit our registration page, you will see that we have added a family faith formation experience for our families with children in Kindergarten.

You will also see that we have moved the time for our Junior High classes to Tuesdays from 4-5:15 instead of in the evenings.

Please call the Office if you have any questions. We will be happy to assist you.

Along with enrolling children in Religious Education, we are also in the process of recruiting and training Catechists and Aides to help serve in the classrooms next year.

Catechist isn't just a fancy word for teacher. A
Catechist is someone who is first and foremost a
witness to our faith, a person who knows the love of
God and who shares that love with others. Yes, a
Catechist teaches children about our faith, but they
first echo the love of God in their lives and in the lives
of others.

If you feel called to share the love of God with others, please contact the Office of Religious Education at **310.379.3221** or email us at

religioused@stjamesparish.org. We will provide you with training to be ready to serve as a Catechist or Aide this September.

The Religious Education Program has Catechists who serve in many areas, including in our Religious Education classes, our Sunday School program, and our Children's Liturgy of the Word program.

Our community needs your gifts. Please consider how the Holy Spirit is calling you to serve our parish during the coming school year.

God Bless!

Andrea Sullivan, Director of Religious Education

Saint James Preschool

Registration information can be found here:

SaintJames.church/Preschool
Call 310.376.5550



SAINT JAMES YOUTH MINISTRY

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Registration for the upcoming 2022-2023 Confirmation year is now open!

If you have a teen that's currently in high school and has vet to be Confirmed, now is your chance to sign up!

Sessions begin in September so make sure to sign up before it's too late. Please visit our youth ministry website for more information on how to register.

As our ministry continues to grow, we are also looking to

recruit more members to join our team.

For more information on how you can share your gifts & talents with the community, please contact us at one of the options below.

Gretchen Nobleza

Director of Confirmation & Youth Ministry

Contact us:

saintjamesym@gmail.com Email: Website: www.saintjamesym.weebly.com

424.265.8336 Text:

saintjamesym.rb

@saintjamesym





St. James Catholic School

Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

We are accepting registration for the 2022- 2023 school year for grades TK - 7.

New Student registration is available on our website **SaintJames.school or SJSCatholicschool.org**Please email the school **office@sjscatholicschool.org** or phone **310.371.0416** to schedule a tour and a meeting with the Principal.

St. James School has a **Transitional Kindergarten**Program! **If your child is turning 5 after the Sept. 1**st
deadline for kindergarten, then TK is the correct
placement.

Please call St. James for more information and a private meeting to discuss the best placement for your child.

Why attend St. James School?

- □ Religion and faith intertwined in all aspects of the school day.
- ☐ Excellent academics, excellent test scores, students that are well prepared for high school.
- ☐ Teachers that are committed to faith and excellence.
- $\ \square$ Strong community
- ☐ Instruction in Spanish, Art, PE, and Music.

A Catholic School Education is a gift and a blessing! God Bless you,

Noreen Maricich, Principal



It's normal to grieve a pregnancy loss, including the loss of a child by abortion.

It can form a hole in one's heart, a hole so deep that sometimes it seems nothing can fill the emptiness. You are not alone... **hopeafterabortion.com/**

Extended Care Program Supervisor

St. James is looking for an individual to manage the Extended Care Program.

We are searching for someone who can supervise and schedule aides, can communicate with parents, can organize activities and homework and who loves children.

The supervisor needs to be on site from 15 minutes before school dismissal until the last child has been collected at 6pm. Our dismissal times are Mon – Thurs 3:15 and Fridays 12:30. Please contact Mrs. Maricich at nmaricich@sjscatholicschool.org if you would like to discuss this position. An ideal job opportunity for someone who is looking for a part-time position with challenges and rewards.

Join the Catholic Daughters of America

We donate generously to several charitable causes.



Members give their time, energy and support to help others in the service of Christ. CDA members enjoy each other's company at their monthly meetings held on the third Wednesday of each month at Kavanagh Hall.

At this time, we are inviting all Catholic women of all ages from all surrounding parishes who are dedicated to Church and country to join our Court. Before each meeting we start by saying the holy Rosary.

We have various functions throughout the year to help raise funds for the different charities we support.

If you are looking for a Catholic women's group to join, we are the one! Please call Kristin Flannery for further information if you are interested. 310.529.6813

Email courtourladyofvictory@gmail.com

Human Trafficking Awareness

TRAVELING THIS SUMMER? Hotel rooms have complimentary shampoo, soaps, etc. Remember to bring

unopened items to the collection barrel for trafficking victims in the church vestibule.

Many thanks. Contact:

Rick Page CandRPage@verizon.net

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



This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad.

Ps. 118:24

This weeks Topic: Seek His Kingdom

The summer of 2022.

It's a season of longer days marked by work, play and travels, perhaps amid the now second-nature search in pocket or purse for a mask. As we continue to face the obligations, tasks, appointments and demands on our time, we may experience moments of uncertainty, almost as a whirlwind about what we can accomplish. One may even have searching questions that seek a kind of daily motivational philosophy of action.

Q: How does our Catholic faith provide daily direction?

A: The Catechism of the Catholic Church helps in clarifying Catholic foundational and motivational beliefs:

Paragraph #1724-

"The Decalogue, the Sermon on the Mount, and the apostolic catechesis describe for us the paths that lead to the Kingdom of heaven. Sustained by the grace of the Holy Spirit, we tread them, step by step, by everyday acts."

> #1718- "...in seeking you, my God, I seek a happy life..."

#1719- "The Beatitudes reveal the goal of human existence, the ultimate end of human acts..."

This is our faith, part of the essence of the living and actionable philosophy of Catholicism. And as St. Paul wrote: "Philosophy without religion is a vain thing." Pope Benedict talked about a time to: "...reassess priorities and reflect on how to live out faith with eternity in mind."

The Saint James Choir sings a song that also touches on our daily directional choices. It's a song based on Matthew Chapter 6, which speaks to us across centuries of faith:

"Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all things shall be added to you. Alleluia."

As we grapple with the myriad of life's realities, graces and challenges, trying to do our best while juggling the economy of time choices, we may constantly ask ourselves:

What's on the calendar? Is that appointment today? What should I do first? Do I have time?

Goodness! What time is it?

The Book of Hosea gives us a clarifying, validating bottom line in Chapter 10:

"...it is time to seek the Lord."

Seeking God first in our daily choices... sustained by the grace of the Holy Spirit...step by step... with eternity in mind.

Gospel Meditation

"Our families need to ask for the gift of the Spirit! Through prayer, even in the busiest times, we give time back to God, we find the peace that comes from appreciating the important things, and we encounter the joy of God's unexpected gifts.

Through daily prayer may our homes become, like the house of Martha and Mary, places where Jesus always finds a warm welcome (Pope Francis)." While it is necessary to attend to the details of hospitality, learning how to be present to people, experiences, and God is sometimes more important. Creating homes that are welcoming environments requires not only organization and structure but members who truly enjoy being there and celebrating life with one another.

Details can often get the best of us. While attending to details is important to success, our obsession with them can be problematic. Whether wanting to make a good impression, fear of failure, insecurity, or emotional immaturity, throwing ourselves into the "details" of hospitality can distract us from being present to those we want to serve. Conversely, focusing exclusively on being present without any attention to detail also sets our attempts at hospitality up for disaster! We need a balance of both. But creating a truly welcoming space in our homes and within ourselves requires still more.

We have to be empty of ourselves. Becoming a welcoming, hospitable person is not possible in someone focused on their own needs and desires. If the one we serve is the one who looks back at us in the mirror, then there is no space for anyone else. While Martha and Mary had different ideas of what it means to serve, they both had the inner space and freedom to do so. They were detached from themselves. Detachment becomes the challenge to hospitality and creating a God -centered, open-hearted space in our lives. When we impulsively act out of our personal agendas, violence, abuse, pride, greed, lust, power, control, passion, and self-aggrandizement encroach upon the space needed to be present to another human being. Not only can others not find a home in us, but even God cannot find a home in us! ©LPi

No sin is new to him. No wrongdoing too great. **Come to Confession and** experience mercy and joy. Confession is available Saturday from 4-5 pm in Church or by calling the office for an appointment with a priest.

Readings

Monday

To the upright I will show the saving power of God. Mi 6:1-4, 6-8 / Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday

Lord, show us your mercy and love. Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 / Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday

I will sing of your salvation. Jer 1:1, 4-10 / Mt 13:1-9

Thursday

With you is the fountain of life, O Lord. Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 / Mt 13:10-17

Friday

My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God. Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17 / Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday

How lovely is your dwelling place, Lord, mighty God! Jer 7:1-11 / Mt 13:24-30

Sunday

Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me. Gn 18:20-32 / Col 2:12-14 / Lk 11:1-13

Prayer Requests

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

Fred Ronkowski, Amelia Charlin, Martha Rodriguez, Eleanor Kane, Bob Soufl, Nancy Cebra, Connie Rodriguez, Douglas Harkins

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

Marilou Gaspar, Michael Gallagher, Hugh Byrne, Triona McCarten, Joana Menezes, Blanca Ayala, Herman Sarmiento

For prayer requests or to request a Mass intention, please call or visit the Parish Office **310.372.5228**

Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open for your gift and spiritual growth needs.

Tuesday - Fri. 11-3pm Open Sunday 7.17.22 from 9-2pm

Peter Nobleza 310.374.1964 saintjamesgiftshop@gmail.com



Weekly Mass Intentions

Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	July 16 Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Thaddeus	Josefina & Gloria Pereira-Lima ቴ Dolores & Robert Souders, Sr. ቴ Carmelita Sebastian ቴ
Sunday 6:30 am	July 17 Fr. Thaddeus	Beverly Gervig ⊕
8 am	Msgr. Mike	Andrew Scott Julian Casino ⊕
10 am	Fr. JohnPaul	Mackenzie Smith Gloria Pereira-Lima ↔ Josefina Pereira-Lima ↔
12 noon	Fr. Jim	Stanley Creado ⊕ Justin Gabriel Angeles
5:30 pm	Msgr. Mike	Carmen Cirilo ⊕ Brian Speckmeyer
Monday 8 am 12 noon	July 18 Msgr. Mike Fr. Thaddeus	Julian Casino ϑ Gloria Pereira-Lima ϑ Josefina Pereira-Lima ϑ
Tues. 8 am 12 noon	July 19 Fr. Thaddeus Msgr. Mike	Julian Casino ∜ Josefina Pereira-Lima ∜ Gloria Pereira-Lima ∜
Wed. 8 am 12 noon	July 20 Fr. JohnPaul Fr. Jim	Julian Casino ∜ Rosemarie Dellratta ∜
Thurs. 8 am 12 noon	July 21 Fr. Jim Fr. JohnPaul	Julian Casino ∜ Rafael Soriano ∜
Friday 8 am 12 noon	July 22 Fr. JohnPaul Msgr. Mike	Henry Burke ∜ Steve Gould ∜
Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	July 23 Fr. JohnPaul Msgr. Mike	Roman Miane & Henry Burke & Agnes Gaynor &
Sunday 6:30 am	July 24 Msgr. Mike	Marcia Sorey មិ Henry Angelo Jaurretche មិ
8 am	Fr. Jim	Stephen Jambor 한 Bob Soufl
10 am	Msgr. Mike	Douglas Harkins Peter Hai Nguyen ⊕
12 noon	Fr. JohnPaul	Sr. Mary Rose Boito ਚੈ Anna Cottrell ਚੈ
5:30 pm	Fr. JohnPaul	Anne Balderas ௴ Timothy McGinty ௴

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Our Clergy, Here to Serve You



Msgr. Mike Meyers
Pastor
FrMike@SaintJames.Church

Confessions Saturday 4-5 pm in the church.

"Lord, cleanse me of my guilt"

Eucharistic Ministers for Homebound John Cable 310.372.5228

Eucharistic Ministers for Care Centers Miki Finken 310.316.3890



Fr. Thaddeus Agbasonu, SMMM Associate Pastor FrThaddeus@stjamesparish.org



Deacon Bob & Patty Miller

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DnBob99@Gmail.com



Fr. James Kavanagh
Pastor Emeritus
FrJim@SaintJames.Church



Deacon Mark & Louise Ramirez
Deacon Couple
DnMark2019@icloud.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



Noreen Maricich Principal Saint James School Office@3JSCatholic8chool.on 310.371.0416

St. James Elementary School TK-8th Grade 4625 Garnet Street Torrance, CA 90503 310.371.0416 Office Hours 7:30 am - 3:30 pm



Andrea Sullivan
Director of Religious Education
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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



Wendy Bell
Director of Preschool
& Toddler Time
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Preschool &Toddler Time Philopsophy
We believe in creating a warm and loving environment where children can learn about themselves, gain an understanding of others



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