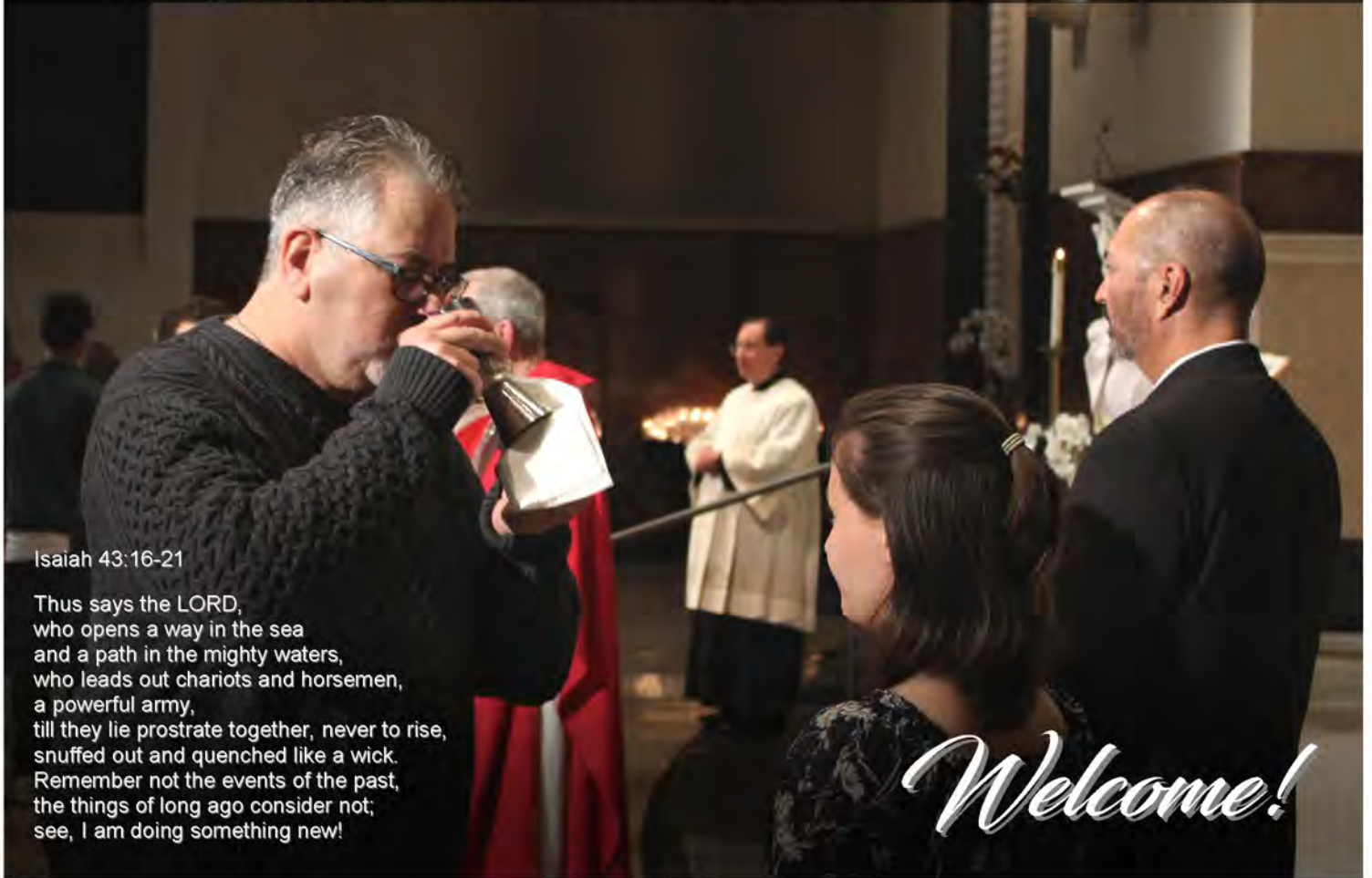




SAINT JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH

415 Vincent Street | Redondo Beach, CA 90277

April 6, 2025 | Fifth Sunday of Lent | 310.372.5228 | WWW.SAINTJAMES.CHURCH



Isaiah 43:16-21

Thus says the LORD,
who opens a way in the sea
and a path in the mighty waters,
who leads out chariots and horsemen,
a powerful army,
till they lie prostrate together, never to rise,
snuffed out and quenched like a wick.
Remember not the events of the past,
the things of long ago consider not;
see, I am doing something new!

Welcome!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Stations of the Cross:

Every Friday in Lent at 7:30pm

Daily Mass:

Monday - Friday:

8:00am & 12:00pm

Saturday: 8:00am

Sunday Mass:

(Saturday) Sunday Vigil 5:30pm,

6:30am, 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, 5:30pm

CLERGY

Pastor: Fr. Matt Murphy

Associate Pastor: Fr. Thaddeus Agbasonu

Pastor Emeritus: Fr. Jim Kavanagh

In Residence: Fr. Chibuike Okeagu

Deacon Couple: Dcn. Bob & Patty Miller

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday:

8:00am - 4:00pm (Closed for lunch 12 - 1pm)

CHURCH HOURS:

7:00am - 6:00pm daily

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Benediction after Stations of the Cross

Holy Hour Adoration: Apr. 25th, 7pm

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

GIVE:

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PASTOR'S CORNER

Hello beautiful children of God!

In our Gospel for the Fifth Week of Lent (John 8:1-11), we encounter the woman caught in adultery, a scene that's often used to highlight Jesus' mercy and forgiveness. But if we dig deeper, there's something far more profound at play—something that reveals the heart of Jesus and the invitation He extends to all of us.

The woman was caught in the act, exposed and condemned by the law. She had no defense. In that moment, the crowd had every right to stone her, according to the Mosaic Law. But Jesus doesn't rush to judge. He pauses, writes in the sand, and challenges those ready to condemn: "Let the one who is without sin cast the first stone." In that single sentence, He cuts through the crowd's self-righteousness. It's not just about the woman's sin; it's about the fact that we *all* fall short. The stone throwers slowly disperse, one by one, until only Jesus remains.

But here's the point of significance—Jesus doesn't leave her in her sin. He says, "Go and sin no more." His mercy isn't an excuse to keep living in sin; it's an invitation to freedom. He doesn't just forgive her; He empowers her to change.

This story is a reminder that Jesus meets us where we are, in the depth of our brokenness, but He never leaves us there. His forgiveness is not a free pass to continue to live in sin and misery, but the power to live differently. In this moment, He gives the woman—and He gives us—a chance at new life. He invites us to rise from the ashes of our failures and walk in His grace, knowing His mercy is always there to guide us back to the truth.

God bless,

Fr Matt Murphy

A NOTE ON PHISHING SCAMS

We would like to remind everyone to stay vigilant against email/texting phishing scams. Please note that neither **Fr. Matt**, **Fr. Thaddeus** nor any parish staff will ever e-mail you asking for money, gift cards, or personal information. If you receive such a message, it is not legitimate. If you have concerns about a suspicious email, please contact the parish office directly **310.372.5228**.

Thank you for helping us keep our parish community safe!

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES

All services are at 7:30pm

Monday, April 7 - American Martyrs

Tuesday, April 8- St. James

Wednesday, April 9- Our Lady of Guadalupe

Thursday, April 10- St. Lawrence

TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday – April 17

8 am Morning Prayer

7:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

11:00 pm Night Prayer

No 8am or Noon Mass

Good Friday – April 18

8 am Morning Prayer

12 noon & 7:30 pm Solemn Liturgies

1:30 pm Stations of the Cross

No 8am or Noon Mass

Parish Office Closes at Noon

Holy Saturday – April 19

8 am Morning Prayer

7:30 pm Easter Vigil

No 8am Mass

EASTER SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Easter Sunday – April 20

Masses at Church

6:30 am Sunrise Mass

8 am, 10 am & 12 noon

Mass at O'Gorman Center

4625 Garnet St., Torrance

9:30 am

Mass at Community Campus - Chapel

128 N. Broadway, Redondo Beach

10:15am

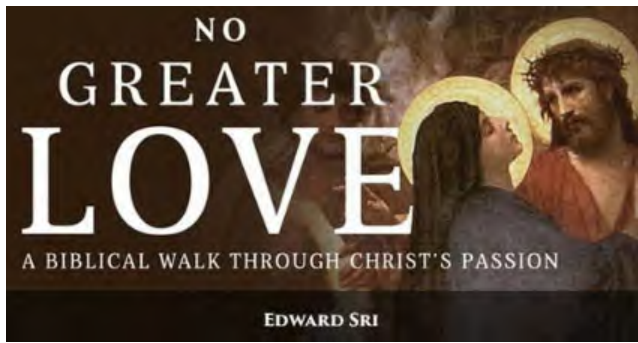
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COFFEE & DONUTS ☕ 🍩

Join your friends for fellowship, coffee and conversation MOST Sundays after the **8 & 10 am Masses in Kavanagh Hall.**

Hosted by Bible Study Ministry

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY



The St James Bible Study group will not be meeting on Tuesday, April 8th. Please join us on **Tuesday, April 15th** when we will be covering "No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion" **Session 5 - The Seven Last Words.**

Please contact *Donna Wilson* (dwilson94@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining this study.

Come, share and participate in our Church Community.

SINGLES FRIENDSHIP CLUB

April meeting CANCELLED, next meeting, **Sunday, May 4th**, after the 12pm Mass in **Kavanagh Hall**.



During the hike, we marveled at the beauty of our shoreline. After the 2-hour scenic hike, we enjoyed a breakfast brunch at a local eatery and a visit to a local French bakery.

We thank God for our St James Parish Community and the wonderful friends He has given us through the Friendship Club.

If you are **single, divorced or widowed (ages 45+)** call Ely | 424-398-9987



HEALING THROUGH GRIEF SUPPORT WORKSHOP

TOPIC: COPING WITH GRIEF AND LOSS

WHEN: MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2025

TIME: 10:30 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

LOCATION:

**ST. JAMES CHURCH IN KAVANAGH HALL
415 VINCENT STREET,
REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277**

Providence Bereavement Services is offering a grief support workshop for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one at least three months past the date of death and up to two years. Our purpose is to encourage healing and confidence in those experiencing a death of a loved one.

Healing Through Grief will provide participants:

- An opportunity to share their feelings in a safe place
- Embrace memories
- Have compassionate support
- Relate to others who are also grieving
- Develop new methods of coping and problem solving

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

***PARTICIPATION IS FREE**

***SPACE IS LIMITED**

A phone assessment and registration forms are required before registration is complete. For more information about our groups or to register, please call **(310) 543-3437** or email nancy.langevin@providence.org.

WOMEN'S CORNERSTONE RETREAT

MARCH 14-15



"Dear Cornerstone Team,

I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to all of you for organizing such an amazing retreat. This was my first time attending a Women's Retreat, and it was truly a transformative experience. I learned so much from the incredible sisters I met and felt deeply moved by the truth of God's message to my heart.

I am looking forward to seeing you soon and I am already excited for next year's retreat! A special thank you to my dearest friends, Susie Reed and Annali Tablan, for introducing me to this incredible experience. Those holy 26 hours brought me back to my spiritual roots- my Catholic Faith- and I am beyond grateful.

Blessings to you All, with love and appreciation!"

-Carla



DID YOU KNOW?

2025 Child Abuse Prevention Month Resource Booklet

In recognition of April as Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Office of Safeguard the Children has created the 2025 Child Abuse Prevention Month Resource Booklet. This useful Resource Booklet will help parishes and schools plan and prepare for Child Abuse Prevention Month. It is also available to individuals who wish to know more about Child Abuse Prevention Month.

For more information please visit,

lacatholics.org/child-abuse-prevention-month.

ST JOHN SEMINARY OPEN HOUSE

St John Seminary, the house of formation for the priests of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and surrounding dioceses, is hosting their annual open house on Saturday, **April 5 from 1:00pm-4:00pm**. Meet, experience, and tour the leading seminary of priestly formation in the SW Region of the United States. Everybody is welcome and no RSVP is required.

ARCHDIOCESE OF TOGETHER IN MISSION LOS ANGELES

As we celebrate the Jubilee Year of the Catholic Church, we invite you to make a special gift to **Together in Mission** to mark this sacred time of renewal & hope.

As one Catholic community of faith, rooted in prayer, let us reflect on how we can support our underserved parishes and schools in the **Archdiocese of Los Angeles**. Did you know that one in every five parishes and one in every four Catholic schools rely on financial assistance to continue their vital ministries? Your generosity directly impacts these communities, providing the resources they need to thrive.

This year's cumulative *Together in Mission* goal is \$17.7 million, representing the collective efforts of our Catholic family across all five regions. Your parish's goal and progress throughout the year can be tracked on the Together in Mission Leaderboard at togetherinmission.org. Let us come together to make a difference and bring the love of Christ to those in need. Please consider making a special Jubilee Year gift to Together in Mission today!

www.timgive.org

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CHRISM MASS

We invite you to celebrate this year's Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels. On **Monday, April 14, 2025**, Archbishop Gomez, joined by the bishops and priests of the archdiocese, will gather at the Cathedral to celebrate the Chrism Mass. The Chrism Mass will be livestreamed starting at **6:45PM**.

To access the livestream of this Eucharistic Celebration visit our Holy Week page.

The Chrism Mass is one of the most solemn and important liturgies of the Church year. Archbishop Gomez will consecrate the sacred oils used in the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick and Holy Orders.



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Virtual Diaconate Information Day

Sunday, July 13, 2025 | 2 pm—4 pm

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Next Session: October 12, 2025

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To register scan the QR code or email Deacon Melecio Zamora at dmz2011@la-archdiocese.org

THE ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (OCI)

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I extend to you an **invitation to embark on a journey of faith and discovery** in the sacred mystery of Christ's Church.

The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCI) offers a path of encounter with the living God, who calls each of us to communion with Him through the sacraments and the fullness of truth found in the Catholic Church.

In these times, when many **seek answers to life's deepest questions**, the Church stands as a beacon of light, offering the eternal wisdom of Christ's Gospel and the rich heritage of faith handed down through the ages.

To those who are drawn to know Christ more fully and to enter into the life of the Church, the OCI is a **place of grace** where you will be accompanied by fellow parishioners who have already answered the call to discipleship.

Here, you will be **nourished** by the Word of God, encounter the **profound reality of the sacraments**, and be guided by the **teachings of Holy Mother Church**.

This is not merely a program of instruction but a **spiritual pilgrimage** into the heart of the Church, where the saving love of Christ is made present. I encourage you, dear friends, to respond to this call with **open hearts**.

Whether you are **discerning** your place within the Church or have already begun to sense **God's gentle invitation**, the OCI offers a space of prayerful reflection and growth in faith.

What starts as a spark of **curiosity** may grow into the flame of a life lived in Christ.

May the Lord guide you as you seek to know Him more deeply, and may you find in the Church the **true home** of your soul.

For more information, please contact the parish office or me directly at **OCI@Stjamesparish.org**

Together, let us walk this sacred path toward Christ, the source of all truth and life.

Yours In Christ,



Ben Aranda,
Director of OCI

ADULT CONFIRMATION

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)*. If you have not received your First Holy Communion, this class will prepare you to do that as well.

To receive further information and details on this process, please contact:

Deacon Bob & Patty Miller
via email **dnbob99@gmail.com**.

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



LEGION OF MARY

**Meetings will meet every
Saturday at 9:30am in
the Community Campus Chapel**

I encourage you, my dear brothers and sisters in Christ, to deepen your devotion to our blessed Mother Mary as Legionaries. We hope you consider becoming a member and **join us!**

The worldwide Legion of Mary has been called **"a miracle of these modern times."**

Cardinal Suenens wrote: "Today, two currents dominate the life of the Church: the Marian current and the apostolic current." These two currents meet and blend harmoniously in the Legion of Mary, which has been a providential instrument in the hands of Mary and the Church for the spread of the Kingdom of God on earth.

Mary Mother of Mercy – Intercede for us.

Fr. Thaddeus Agbasonu (SMNM)

UPCOMING DATES

Confirmation Nights

Year 2: Sunday, April 13th

Year 1: Sunday, April 27th

Last weekend, our Year 2 Confirmation candidates embarked on a weekend long retreat. We had a group of 181 people that consisted of our candidates, Teen Disciples and our adult team. So many emotions to unpack but once again, God prevailed! Lives were transformed, chains were broken, bonds were strengthened & trust was built in God. What a true REVIVAL!!! Please keep our teens in your prayers, especially as they get closer to receiving the *Sacrament of Confirmation* on May 23rd.



If you have any questions on joining our team or any future youth ministry events, please feel free to contact us at the information provided below.

Gretchen Nobleza

Director of Confirmation & Youth Ministry

Contact us:

Email: youthministry@stjamesparish.org

Website: www.saintjamesym.org

Text: 424.265.8336

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

In these final weeks of Lent, don't forget to check out our Lent Resources at
<https://www.saintjames.church/resources/>.

You will find lots of information and ideas to help you draw closer to God during your Lenten journey.

Children's Liturgy of the Word will not be held next weekend on Palm Sunday. We will be back for our final session for the year on Sunday, April 27.

Finally, please keep in your prayers the children and adults who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil, as well as the children preparing to receive their First Communion in May.

Any questions? Please call the Office of Religious Education at **310-379-3221** or email at religioused@stjamesparish.org.

God Bless!

Andrea Sullivan,

Director of Religious Education

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ST. JAMES STUDENTS HELD THEIR ANNUAL JOG-A-THON LAST WEEK. PHOTO COURTESY OF ST. JAMES

Private Elementary School St. James Catholic School

Friday, March 7, was the annual St. James's Jog-a-Thon, with students and staff doing laps on the track to raise money for field trips and other events. Students had just recently completed its science fair and academic decathlon, both returning for the first time since pre-pandemic.

Seventh and eighth-graders are now completing fundraising for an April trip to Washington, D.C.

Another new event this school year is a weekly seventh and eighth-grade Q&A with Pastor Matt Murphy, of St. James Church in Redondo Beach. School Masses, which were previously held once a month, are now held every Friday.

"We've been making a lot of great changes," said interim principal Christine Gurrola. Another, upcoming change is the hiring of a new principal.

St. James was founded in 1918, and offers transitional kindergarten through eighth-grade classes. Most students are Catholic, but the school is open to students of all creeds. "We take every faith. All are welcome," Gurrola said. Annual tuition for St. James is \$6,837. — Garth Meyer

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ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Enrollment Has Started!
Grades TK-8

St. James School is beginning open enrollment for the **2024-25** school year.

Come visit! We are taking weekday appointments for private tours for prospective families.

Online applications and testing dates will be available for enrollment submission starting in February.

Fill out our enrollment inquiry form
(www.tinyurl.com/3d6av42c)
or give us a call to schedule
an appointment.

310.371.0416 or visit www.SaintJames.school or
www.sjscatholicsschool.org



SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP AID

Please join our *Sunday Night*
Youth band in worship during our
5:30pm, Sunday Mass.

Scan: virtual worship aid
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MINISTRIES & GROUPS

BINGO

Every Thursday night in Kavanagh Hall! Doors open at **6pm**. Early bird game at **7pm**. Play all night for **\$15** One pack covers all games St. James School receives the profits.

Questions? Contact: **Parish Office 310.372.5228**

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA

Please join the CDA #1344 Court Our Lady of Victory.

Our Court gathers monthly for fun and fellowship on the third Wednesday of each Month at Kavanagh Hall.

We meet at 6:30 to pray the Holy Rosary, followed by refreshments, and our meeting.

This group is open to Catholic women of all ages and from any parish. Our activities include group outings as well as some FUNdraising activities, like participating in the Holiday Boutique or our CDA Annual Tea.

We use our time and talents to raise money for several, mostly local, charities in the service of Christ.

Contact: **Amie Jacoby**

Email: **AjaCobyCDA@gmail.com**

Email: **CourtOurLadyofVictory@gmail.com**

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 year.

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

In addition to the food items we are in need of **toiletries and socks**. We are unable to accept used clothing.

For more info: **310.488.9480**.

Linda Cabibbo, Ministry Coordinator

COOKIES FOR THE HOMELESS

If you like to bake delicious cookies, consider making an extra batch once a month for our homeless neighbors.

Call **Sandy: 310.542.4851** Thank you!

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS

Kids and teens, you have the right to say "NO" when someone talks about or asks you to do something that makes you uncomfortable, even when it is someone you know.

F.A.I.T.H. Ministry of St. James & St. Lawrence Martyr.

Get Involved!

Contact: **Rick Page CandRpage2@gmail.com**

CATHOLIC Q & A

J.P. ALEGRIA

IT IS A SHARING

When the Eucharistic Celebration ends, the order of the Mass calls for the deacon to dismiss the people.

The USCCB teaches that the Concluding Rites of dismissal actually give the liturgy its name, in that the word "Mass" comes from the Latin word "Missa." At one time, the people were dismissed with the words, "Ite missa est" literally meaning, "Go...the Church has been sent." We also learn that the word "Missa" is related to the word "missio," the root of the English word "mission."

Q: What is our mission, ecclesial and individually, as we leave Mass and go out into the world?

A: The mission and vision statements of St. James Church reference a discipleship that seeks to build up the body of Christ, and heal those weak in the faith; all a part of the spirit and practice of knowing and evangelizing our faith.

Pope John Paul II emphasized the directives and activities beyond the Mass as, "the importance of discipleship as a core element of the Christian life...to follow Christ and actively share the Gospel."

St. Francis of Assisi gave us a lovely vision of discipleship which is evocative of part of a template followed by the clergy, and though we are not members of the clergy, we are all called to be preachers of the faith; to live as St. Francis described:

"...a life of radical simplicity, [in] service to others... encouraging followers to live out the Gospel..."

Along these lines we often hear our Deacon Bob give a directive at the end of Mass wherein he calls on parishioners to "...serve the Lord by loving and serving one another."

The St. James Choir often sends us forth after Mass with a validating, resounding song of discipleship:

"We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need...Go make a difference in the world."

The Mass is ended. Go in peace. Thanks be to God.

Living out the Gospel in the light of Christ..

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

Sign up: **www.kofc.org/joinus**

MEDJUGORJE ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Join us! 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.

Contact: **Dean Campazzie 310.372.5182**

PRAYER REQUEST

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

**Norma Alvarado, Mary Cannon, Sherrie Friedman,
Cheryl Mahaffey**

For the souls of the recently departed, that through the
mercy of God, May they rest in peace:

Mark Forbes, Jeannette Melnyk

READINGS

Monday

**Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no
evil; for you are at my side.**

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62 / Jn 8:12-20

Tuesday

**O Lord, hear my prayer, and let my cry come to
you.**

Nm 21:4-9 / Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday

Glory and praise for ever!

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 / Jn 8:31-42

Thursday

The Lord remembers his covenant for ever.

Gn 17:3-9 / Jn 8:51-59

Friday

**In my distress I called upon the Lord, and he
heard my voice.**

Jer 20:10-13 / Jn 10:31-42

Saturday

**The Lord will guard us, as a shepherd guards
his flock.**

Ez 37:21-28 / Jn 11:45-56

Sunday

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Lk 19:28-40 / Is 50:4-7 / Phil 2:6-11 / Lk 22:14—23:56 or
23:1-49

MASS INTENTIONS

Offering Mass for a special intention is a long standing
tradition in the Catholic Church. Special graces are
obtained for whom the Mass is said.

If you would like to have a Mass said for someone,
please visit the Parish Office. We will help you with the
dates and times which are available. We have Mass
cards that you can send to whomever you choose as a
remembrance. The monetary offering signifies the
sacrificial nature of giving of something of yourself.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	April 5 Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Chibuike	Alice Keane Walter Baaden † Benjamin Cutuli
Sun. 6:30 am 8 am 10 am 12 noon 5:30 pm	April 6 Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Jim Fr. Matt Fr. Matt Fr. Thaddeus	David Franco † Rev Msgr. John B. Bernat † Lt. William Gamble Baffert † Phil Baffert † Angelina Pinedo † Elsa Calvillo Tejeda † Cpl. T. F. Gamble † Dermot P. Gamble USN † Marjorie Siegel † Desmond Quinn †
Mon. 8 am 12 noon	April 7 Fr. Matt Fr. Jim	Susan A. Gamble Patrick Stork
Tues. 8 am 12 noon	April 8 Fr. Chibuike Fr. Thaddeus	Victor Mera † Czeslawa "Jessie" Zdziarski †
Wed. 8 am 12 noon	April 9 Fr. Jim Fr. Matt	Ray Gilman Mark Forbes †
Thurs. 8 am 12 noon	April 10 Fr. Matt Fr. Thaddeus	Art Splawn † Steve Henderson †
Fri. 8 am 12 noon	April 11 Fr. Chibuike Fr. Thaddeus	Stephanie NG † Conchita Minaya †
Sat. 8 am 5:30 pm	April 12 Fr. Jim Fr. Thaddeus	Naipo Family Suzi & Ron LaGro † Regis & Marianne Martin
Sun. 6:30 am 8 am 10 am 12 noon 5:30 pm	April 13 Fr. Chibuike Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Matt Fr. Jim Fr. Matt	Palm Sunday Lucy Hermsdorf † Juan Torres, Jr. † Hector Empleo † Betty Hermelin † John Richards † Anthony Staal Carmen & Florencio Paule † Steven Henderson † The Ibarria Family Kim Edward Smith †

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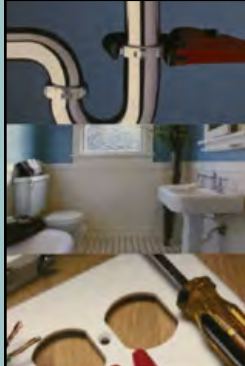
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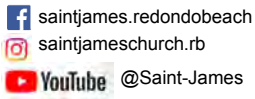


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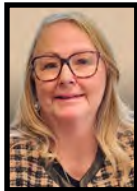
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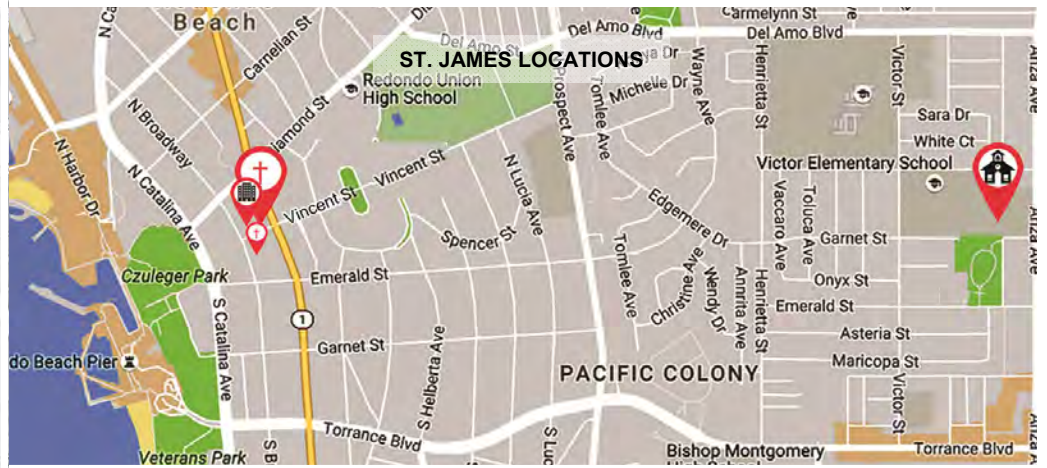
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