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Knights of  
Columbus 2022 Scholarship  
Program  
Knights of Columbus Molalla Council

will have scholarship applications out by March 14,2022. We will award 2 \$1,000.00 scholarships to a Knight member or relation living with Knight members family. This a one year scholarship, which you may reapply for each year. Application is open to H.S. seniors graduating during current year; a full time student attending a 4 year college, community college, or a trade school.

Coffee & Donuts needs your donations of coffee to serve each Sunday. Thank You So Much for your support!

**RCIA** If you are an adult, not baptized or baptized other than the Catholic baptism, and would like to join the Catholic Church, the RCIA is a venue to learn the Catholic faith more and eventually get initiated or fully accepted in the Catholic faith. The instruction/formation runs about a year (10 months). If you are interested, join us anytime. Normally, initiation happens at Easter Vigil. Easter Vigil is on the eve of Easter Sunday. Call 503-829-2080 for more information. Come and see.

**Parish Mission and Vision**  
*We are a Christian community from varied roots, united by God, guided by St. James the Greater, worshiping, evangelizing and helping each other toward holiness.*  
*Somos una comunidad Cristian de raíces variadas, unidas por Dios, guiada por Santiago el mayor, adorando, evangelizándo y guiando mutuamente hacia la santidad.*  
  
*We form our young, adults, and families to develop Christian values, that all may serve the church and community through faith.*  
*Formamos a nuestros jóvenes, adultos y familias para desarrollar valores cristianos, que todos pueden server a la Iglesia y a nuestra comunidad por medio de la fe.*

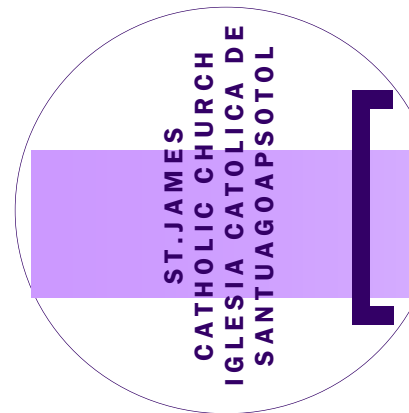
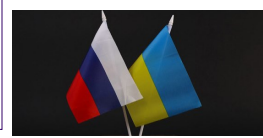
**C A L E N D A R**  
March 20, 10:20am Synod Discernment Session  
Marzo 20, 12:00pm Primer Escrutinio (RICA)  
Marzo 20, 1:30pm Proceso de Discernimiento por el Sinodo  
March 25, 6:00pm Soup Supper  
March 25, 7:00pm Stations of the Cross (San Juan Diego Group)  
Marzo 27, 12:00pm Segundo Escrutinio (RICA)  
March 31, 7:00pm Lenten Penance Service  
April 1, 6:00pm Soup Supper

**Vicariate Schedule of Lenten Penance Service**  
March 22, 6:00pm St. Patrick, Canby  
March 24, 7:00pm Sacred Heart, Gervais  
March 29, 7:00pm St. Mary, Mt. Angel  
March 31, 7:00pm St. James, Molalla  
April 5, 7:00pm St. Paul, St. Paul

On Friday, March 25, the Solemnity of the Annunciation, Pope Francis will consecrate Russia and Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. On the same day in Fatima, Cardinal Krajewski, Apostolic Almoner and envoy of the Holy Father, will make the same consecration. The Latin Rite Catholic bishops of Ukraine, who requested that the Holy Father make this consecration, are asking the

**Collection Update for March 12-13, 2022**  
General Collection \$ 3 527.76  
Expenses (weekly estimate) \$ 4 316.00  
**Deficit \$ 491.24**  
Thank you all for your constant support to the welfare of our parish family. We ask you to continue to help us as our parish is also experiencing financial stretch. If you are not comfortable doing online giving, the envelopes works fairly well. Please consider doing so. God bless you.

whole world to join the people of Ukraine in praying a novena leading up to the day of consecration. Download novena from the archdiocesan website, look for the subject mentioned in the title.



Pray for Ukraine. Pray for Peace. Pray for the refugees.



MARCH 20, 2022

# THE SCALLOP

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## MASS INTENTIONS: MARCH

Aaron Kaye +	19
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St. James Parish	21
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Irene, Onnie Burch, family +	23
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## MASS SCHEDULE

**M to F at 9:00AM**  
**Sat at 5:30PM (Eng)**  
**Sat at 7:00PM (Span)**  
**Sun at 8:00AM and 10:00AM (English) and 12:00PM (Spanish)**  
**Adoration on Thursdays at 9:30AM to 8:00PM**  
**Confession Sat at 4:00-5:00PM but is always available as needed.**

**Fr. Cit's Column** I am who am. This was the name God gave Moses when Moses asked him to whose agency he was working for. The name God gave Moses was, philosophically, the 'all and all'. I am who am. Being is very important. St. Thomas Aquinas explained that God is being but he, too, is not created. He is the creator of all created things, and he created all of them from nothing, not from something, for he, who is the I am, the creator, can create everything from nothing. When God sent Moses with the charge to free Israel, he took with him the power of God who is the source and foundation of all. That means, the God of Israel is the one true God, who is above all. Moses put his trust in God and went off and to the Pharaoh he issued the command from God to free Israel. This God of Moses is significant in the way we live our faith today. Of God is our all and all, how do we exactly live that kind of faith in God. The God we know is the foundation of the world. He has power in all things. He, too, is mercy and love. Because we cannot take ourselves off from the pit of damnation, then God chose to send his Son to redeem us. As Adam caused us the fall, in Jesus Christ, we are redeemed. Who can do that if God is not all powerful and mercy? While we wait the final revelation of the salvation Christ wrought through his death on the Cross, we persevere here on earth personal conversion, a way by which we cooperate in the economy of salvation. This we do through our knowledge of God, who is active in the guidance of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit enlightens our mind and empowers our soul to listen to Jesus and to be transformed in accord with the image of Jesus. The "I am who am" is God who manifest throughout time, to the prophets, kings and the poor. He is the same God who continues to manifest to this present day made efficient through the Church, the sacraments and the life of the parishes locally and universally. -30  
Yo soy quien soy. Este fue el nombre que Dios le dio a Moisés cuando Moisés le preguntó a qué albedrío estaba trabajando. El nombre que Dios le dio a Moisés fue, filosóficamente, el "todo y todo". Yo soy quien lo soy. Ser es muy importante. Santo Tomás de Aquino explicó que Dios está siendo, pero él tampoco es creado. Él es el creador de todas las cosas creadas, y Él las creó de la nada, no de algo, porque Él, que es el Yo Soy, el Creador, puede crear todo de la nada. Cuando Dios envió a Moisés con el encargo de liberar a Israel, se llevó consigo el poder de Dios, que es la fuente y el fundamento de todo. Eso significa que el Dios de Israel es el único Dios verdadero, que está por encima de todo. Moisés puso su confianza en Dios y se fue y al Faraón le dio el mandamiento de Dios de liberar a Israel. Este Dios de Moisés es significativo en la forma en que vivimos nuestra fe hoy. De Dios es nuestro todo y todo, ¿cómo vivimos exactamente ese tipo de fe en Dios? El Dios que conocemos es el fundamento del mundo. Él tiene poder en todas las cosas. Él también es misericordia y amor. Debido a que no podemos despegarnos del pozo de la condenación, entonces Dios escogió enviar a su Hijo para redimirnos. Así como Adán nos causó la caída, en Jesucristo, somos redimidos. ¿Quién puede hacer eso si Dios no es todo poderoso y misericordia? Mientras esperamos la revelación final de la salvación que Cristo hizo a través de su muerte en la Cruz, perseveramos aquí en la conversión personal de la tierra, una forma por la cual cooperamos en la economía de la salvación. Esto lo hacemos a través de nuestro conocimiento de Dios, quien está activo en la guía del Espíritu Santo. El Espíritu Santo ilumina nuestra mente y da poder a nuestra alma para escuchar a Jesús y ser transformada de acuerdo con la imagen de Jesús. El "yo soy el que soy" es Dios que se manifiesta a través del tiempo, a los profetas, reyes y pobres. Él es el mismo Dios que continúa manifestándose hasta nuestros días hecho eficiente a través de la Iglesia, los sacramentos y la vida de las parroquias a nivel local y universal. -30-



**Seminarian in Focus**

**Mr. Marcos Alvarado Trasmonte**  
 College III  
 Mt. Angel Seminary  
 St. Benedict, OR

"Everyone started saying, 'Why don't you go to the seminary?,' and my answer was that my English was not good enough. With that answer, I pushed away the idea of going to the seminary. Without knowing it, God was preparing me for just that."

**SEMINARIAN APPEAL**

The Seminarian Appeal provides substantial financial support to our Archdiocese seminarians and vocational discernment at all levels. This year's theme is, Remain in Me: Rooting our identity in Christ. We are truly blessed to be so intimately related to Christ through the sacraments administered by His priests. Considering the importance of the priesthood in your own sacramental life, please prayerfully reflect on how you can invest in our future priests. As the Lord has made us and anointed us as His children, let us praise Him through our generosity of the gifts we have received. A personalized commitment card may have arrived in your mail. Please prayerfully consider your gift and mail in your contribution directly to the Archdiocese.

If possible, please refrain from sending cash through the mail. If you did not receive a commitment card, pledge envelopes are available at your parish. You can also visit our website [advance.archdpx.org](http://advance.archdpx.org) to securely make your commitment online. You will receive an immediate confirmation via email for your records in addition to an acknowledgement letter in the mail. To join us in support seminarian education in western Oregon in any other way, please contact the

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**Parish Discernment Sessions**

Marzo 17, 6:00pm Iglesia (Span)  
 March 20th, 10:20am Hall (Eng)  
 Marzo 20, 1:30pm Salon (Span)

**SYNOD TIMELINE**

Now until August 15, 2022 – Prayer Phase  
 March 2022 – Parish (and other groups) Participation Phase

June 2022 – Archdiocesan Discernment Phase

July 2022 – Preparation of Report &

Submission to U.S. Bishops

August 15, 2022 – Conclusion of Local Participation in the Synod For additional Synod information and resources, please visit the Archdiocesan Synod webpage.



PRAYER



FASTING



ALMSGIVING

**40 CANS OF FOOD FOR 40 DAYS OF LENT**

food drive will begin Ash Wednesday March 2 until Easter Sunday April 17. This is sponsored by our Knights of Columbus to help St. Vincent de Paul in Molalla. We are asking for non-perishable food items. Barrels will be out in the Narthex for your convenience. Thank You for helping St. Vincent de Paul support families in need in Molalla.

**Holy Week Schedule**

Palm Sunday Masses

April 9, 5:30pm English

Abril 9, 7:00pm Español

April 10, 8:00am English (principal Mass)

April 10, 10:00am English

April 10, 12:00pm Español

Mass of the Last Supper and Washing of the Feet

*Misa de la Ultima Cena y Lavado de los Pies*

April 14, 6:00pm

Reposition and Vigil of the Blessed Sacrament

April 14, 8:00pm to 12:00am

Stations of the Cross *El Via Crucis*

April 15, 12:00pm

The Lord's Passion *Passion del Nstro. Señor*

April 15, 6:00pm

Easter Vigil *Vigilia Pascual*

April 16, 8:30pm

**EASTER LILIES**

If you would like to donate Easter flowers and offer a Mass for your deceased loved ones, you may drop an offering. Envelopes will be available soon.



**St. James Catholic Church Auction 2022**

This year's parish auction team has revved up preparing for this year's Annual Parish Dinner and Auction. Check in the Narthex are details and tickets that are pre-selling. Thank you very much. Dinner and Auction is May 7.

**KERMES ON EASTER SUNDAY**

After the 12:00pm Mass, St. James Hall/Ground  
 There will be food, music and entertainment. Join us and let's celebrate Family Easter feast. Bring your appetite. It's okay if you do not speak Spanish. Love is the language.



**EASTER EGG HUNTING**

Is open to all children and children at heart alike. St. James Church ground. After the 8:00am Mass. Invite friends. Individually wrapped candies and egg shells are accepted. Place them in the narthex.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**Visiting the Homebound:** Making visits to people who cannot get to Mass is a special ministry. It involves a social time for many and a chance to pray with and for the needs of that person. There is also a short rite used when the Holy Eucharist is given. If you would like to be a part of this team, call the office 503-829-2080.

**Youth Ministry:** This important ministry is in need of an energetic and charismatic leader with a great crew of volunteers to organize a program attractive to young people in building their faith. Contact the office (503-829-2080) if you can help in organizing this ministry.

**Religious Education:** We always need good people to teach our children about the Catholic Faith and to prepare them for receiving the Sacraments. No formal training is needed but some in-house training will be given. If interested, but unsure, at least think about becoming a teacher's aide. You will get a lot out of this ministry - it's fun and enlightening. Contact Miguel Serrano at 503-829-2880.

**Adoration:** Every Thursday, starting with 9:00am Mass and ending with Benediction at 8:00pm. You are welcome whenever it's convenient for you or volunteer for a specific time to spend one hour with Our Lord. Call the office 503-829-2080 if you would like to be a volunteer.

**Altar Society:** The Altar Society oversees the reverent care of the altar as well as maintaining the plants and flower arrangements that grace the sides of the tabernacle. *The Altar Society also sponsors fundraising events as well as community gathering events. We meet each month on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday at 10:30am and the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. All the ladies of the church are members and invited to come!*

**Knights of Columbus:** Is a national fraternity group of men who share with others in the parish. We have activities and events throughout the year. We are involved in the parish and community. For more information contact Doug Walkup 503-702-3603.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Is a food distribution to those families in need. Distribution is once a month on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month in the parish hall. Volunteers set up on the previous Monday night. For more information call Roy Salvetti at 503-829-6404.

**Music:** We always need people to join our choirs. They practice on Wednesday nights at 6:30pm. Call Steve or Claire Ferlan 503-829-9402 or Jim or Janell Casey 503-730-1900 for more information.

**Weeding, pruning, mowing or planting:** The Church grounds (the Campus) are always in need of help. You can choose a portion of the campus to do your thing in. Or, if you have equipment you can help maintain the larger grassy areas. Call the office (503-829-2080) to discuss the seasonal needs.

**The Auction:** We always need a good leader and a strong auction committee. But there are almost a hundred other volunteers needed to help prepare and serve the meal, to prepare hors d'oeuvres, to help with registrations, to collect donations, to set up displays and many more tasks. Call Carol Freeman at 503-329-0928 for more information.

**The 4th of July Chicken Barbeque:** This fun event can always use volunteers. Our Knights of Columbus men are in charge of cooking but they can always use help with serving and selling meals. Contact Roy Salvetti (503-829-6404) for more information.