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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.

We form our young, adults, and families to develop Christian values, that all may serve the church and community through faith.

Somos una comunidad Cristiana de raíces variadas, unidas por Dios, guiada por Santiago el mayor, adorando, evangelizándo y guiando mutuamente.

Formamos a nuestros jóvenes, adultos y familias para desarrollar valores cristianos, que todos pueden server a la Iglesia y a nuestra comunidad.

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 on Easter Sunday. Call 503-829-2080 for more infor-

mation.
Come and see.

C A L E N D A R

June 2, 5:00pm Confirmation June 5, Pentecost Sunday 9:00am Mass 10:00am Free French Toast Breakfast June to August Registration for Sacraments Preparation

July 11-15 Vacation Bible School

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Parish Council Members

Carol Freeman
Marilyn Kendoll
Edrin Delgado
Marilyn and Jeff Wilson
Alma Gomez
Pam Jones
Enedilson Rodas
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This council advises Fr. Cit regarding pastoral and financial matters of the parish. The Parish Council's regular meeting is every third Tuesday of the Month in the hall at 6:30pm. Parishioners can audit in the meeting.

Collection Update for May 14-15, 2022

Collection \$ 4 472.25 Estimated Expense for the Week \$ 3 100.00

Thank you all for your constant support to the welfare of our parish family. Please continue to help us in the best way possible that you can.

Show your love to our parish. Be generous of your time, talent and treasure. For volunteers and donations, contact the office 5038292080.

Vacation Bible School is July 11-15. To register your children, please talk to Miguel Serrano 503-829-2880. We also need volunteers.



Celebrate the Church's birthday as a community of believers here in St. James, Molalla. Our Mass is at 9:00am and then, at 10:00am a free French Toast Breakfast will be hosted by our Knights of Columbus and Altar Society.

Invite your fellow parishioners and friends to this event. Save the date.

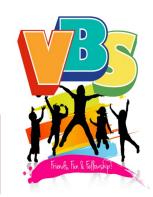
June 5, 9:00am Mass, 10:00am free breakfast.

Celebre el cumpleaños de la Iglesia como comunidad de creyentes aquí en San Santiago, Molalla. A las 10:00am un desayuno gratuito de tostadas francesas será organizado por nuestros Caballeros de Colón y la Sociedad Altar, luego nuestra Misa en español a las 12:00pm.

Invite a sus compañeros feligreses y amigos a este evento. Guarde la fecha.

Junio 5, 10:00am desayunos gratis,

12:00pm Misa



Fr. Cit's Column

May 22, 2022

VI Easter

St. James

Catholic Church

For a synodal Church

The pilgrim Church. The Church stands on a solid foundation, firm and immovable. According to St. Paul, no one can prevail over the

Church, not even the gates of hell will have power over it.

Throughout the ages, with so many battles to endure, the power of the Gospel sustained and was spread widely. The message of God remained and planted in all fertile land, growing, flowering, bearing fruit. And as it continued to stay, the Kingdom of God was revealed forward.

Yes, the Church moves forward, while it is stands on solid ground. She is pilgrim; she journeys ahead towards the coming of the Kingdom which God promised to all his chosen people. On the journey, she is both the guide and protector inspired by the advocate, who is also guide and protector. But the image of the Church as guide and protector is that of a mother. Like a mother, she spreads her wings to protect her brood. She leads them to their safety.

We can say that as a pilgrim, the Church is moving, speeding towards a destination. More than just that, she is actually evolving to become who she is, the new heavens and the new earth. In other words, she is becoming the fulfillment of the mind of God.

Becoming as opposed to arriving. She has to be the faithful steward expected when the bridegroom arrives. Thus, what is necessary here is transformation, not change of place or arriving at a destination.

What do we become? Agents of love. People of love. Manifestation of love. That is what God's vision of new heaven and new earth is. In Christ's priestly prayer, he prayed to the Father that the church, the people of God, may be one with him, just as he is one with the Father. To be grafted to him, we, his branches will only have life if we continue to be attached to him, the vine. And to bear fruit, the vinedresser has to prune the branches. This image of unity is the fulfillment of love. When all are one with God and God has all the people in his Kingdom, the vision is completed.-30-

La Iglesia peregrina. La Iglesia está sobre una base sólida, firme e inamovible. Según San Pablo, nadie puede prevalecer sobre la Iglesia, ni siquiera las puertas del infierno tendrán poder sobre ella. A lo largo de los tiempos, con tantas batallas que soportar, el poder del Evangelio se mantuvo y se extendió ampliamente. El mensaje de Dios se mantuvo y plantó en toda tierra fértil, creciendo, floreciendo, dando fruto. Y mientras seguía quedándose, el Reino de Dios fue revelado hacia adelante.

Sí, la Iglesia avanza, mientras está en terreno sólido. Ella es peregrina; viaja hacia la venida del reino que Dios prometió a todo su pueblo escogido. En el viaje, ella es la guía y la protectora inspirada por el defensor, que también es guía y protectora. Pero la imagen de la Iglesia como guía y protectora es la de una madre. Como una madre, extiende sus alas para proteger a su cría. Ella los lleva a su seguridad.

Podemos decir que como peregrino, la Iglesia se mueve, acelerando hacia un destino. Más que eso, ella está evolucionando para convertirse en lo que ella es, los nuevos cielos y la nueva tierra. En otras palabras, ella se está convirtiendo en el cumplimiento de la mente de Dios.

Ser en lugar de llegar. Ella tiene que ser la fiel azafata que se espera cuando llega el novio. Por lo tanto, lo que es necesario aquí es la transformación, no el cambio de lugar o la llegada a un destino. ¿En qué nos convertimos? Agentes de amor. Gente de amor. Manifestación de amor. Eso es lo que la visión de Dios de un cielo nuevo y de una tierra nueva es. En la oración sacerdotal de Cristo, oró al Padre para que la iglesia, el pueblo de Dios, fuera uno con él, así como él es uno con el Padre. Para ser injertados a él, nosotros, sus ramas sólo tendrán vida si continuamos atados a él, la vid. Y para dar fruto, el vinedresser tiene que podar las ramas.

Esta imagen de unidad es el cumplimiento del amor. Cuando todos son uno con Dios y Dios tiene a todas las personas en su Reino, la visión se completa.—30-

MASS INTENTIONS

May 21, 5:30pm
May 21, 7:30pm
May 22, 8:00am
May 22, 10:00am
May 22, 12:00pm
May 23, 9:00am
Myrna Brandes +

May 24, 9:00am Myrna Brandes +
Wally Zielinski + Timothy Zielinski
May 25, 9:00am Myrna Brandes +
Wally Zielinski + Timothy Zielinski
Irene Burch, Onnie Burch + family
May 26, 9:00am Myrna Brandes +
Wally Zielinski + Timothy Zielinski
Irene Burch, Onnie Burch + family
Matthew Maurer +

May 27, 9:00am Mattnew Maurer +

May 27, 9:00am Betty Terhaar, Emerita Loeb +

MASS TIMES M-F 9:00AM (English)

Sat 5:30PM (Eng),
7:00PM (Span)
Sun 8:00AM, 10:00AM, (Eng)12:00PM,
(Span)
Adoration 9:30AM—8:00PM
Confession Sat 4:00-5:00PM but always
available as needed

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

<u>Visiting the Homebound:</u> 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 1st Tuesday at 10:30am and the 1st 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 3rd 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.

<u>Music:</u> 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.

<u>The Auction:</u> 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 Barbecue: 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.



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15 de JULIO, 2022

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AUGUST 1-4, 2022

at Fr. Bernard Youth Center

Quo Vadis Days is a 4-day retreat for young Catholic men ages 15-18 to learn more about the priesthood, to deepen their faith, and to better discern God's call in their lives.

COST \$150

REGISTER BY JULY 15, 2022

For more information contact

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We are announcing the opening of registration for sacraments preparation for our children and youth. Registration for First Communion and Confirmation opens June 2022 for children who are First Graders and youth who are Eighth Graders. This formation year begins two-year program for First Communion and Confirmation.

For questions or registrations, please contact Miguel Serrano 503-829-2880.

We are also looking for volunteer catechists.



Sisters and Lay Women's 8-day Silent Retreat, Our Lady of Peace Retreat (Beaverton).

This year's theme "The Sacraments and Consecrated Life", will be led by retreat master Fr. Daniel Pattee, TOR. Included each day: Holy Mass and Conferences, Eucharistic Adoration, Evening and Night Prayer, Time for rest and reflection. Retreat begins Tuesday evening, June 14, with dinner and concludes after breakfast, Wednesday, June 22. Full Retreat \$600; Day commuter rate available, partial stays considered. Register online at www.olpretreat.org/retreats; phone the retreat house at 503-649-7127or email sisters@olpretreat.org.



Lord, hear our prayers for your most vulnerable!

Please join us in prayer for the Novena for Life, Sunday, May 22 through Monday, May 30, honoring the Feast of the Visitation on May 31st. We especially pray for the Dobbs Supreme Court decision and that our country upholds a culture of life.

See or download novena from https://www.usccb.org/resources/novena-life-feast-visitation-blessed-virgin-mary

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CHAPTER III I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT

683 "No one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by the Holy Spirit." "God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!"

This knowledge of faith is possible only in the Holy Spirit: to be in touch with Christ, we must first have been touched by the Holy Spirit. He comes to meet us and kindles faith in us. By virtue of our Baptism, the first sacrament of the faith, the Holy Spirit in the Church communicates to us, intimately and personally, the life that originates in the Father and is offered to us in the Son.

684 Through his grace, the Holy Spirit is the first to awaken faith in us and to communicate to us the new life, which is to "know the Father and the one whom he has sent, Jesus Christ."

But the Spirit is the last of the persons of the Holy Trinity to be revealed.
From the CCC

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