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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.

**C A L E N D A R**  
Registration for Sacraments Preparation  
July to September 2022  
Please note of our summer Mass Times:  
Saturday English at 5:30pm  
Sunday English at 9:00am  
Sunday Spanish at 12:00pm

Collection Update for July 23-24, 2022

Repair & Maint Fund	\$	
<b>General Collection</b>	\$	3,651.00
AVG weekly expense	\$	3,500.00
<b>Deficit</b>	\$	0

**Thank you very much for your usual support to our parish!**  
**Please continue to help us in the best way possible that you can to support our parish's needs.**

Join our FB page.  
Scan the QR code.



St. James, Molalla is hiring a **TECHNICAL ASSISTANT**. Part-time position (10-12 hours per week, work on weekends).  
Applicant must be knowledgeable in MS applications and multimedia and use of media equipment. The job includes but not limited to functions in liturgy and office assignments.  
Preferably bilingual.  
For more information or to send application: stjamesmolalla957@gmail.com or call 503-829-2080.



**FORMED**<sup>®</sup>  
A St. Augustine online parish resource.  
Formed is available for all parishioners of St. James Catholic Church, Molalla and it is for free.  
To access the resources from FORMED: <https://signup.formed.org/>  
Enter St. James Catholic Church, Molalla  
Enter your name and email.  
You are signed up. Start browsing and enjoying its contents.

**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.



**THE SCALLOP**

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**Fr. Cit's Column**

Wealthy. When can I say I am wealthy? Jeff Bezos. Elon Musk. How did they get where they are? Many factors made them who and brought them where they are. It is quite a rigorous process not for the faint heart. I think, most of us want to be in the position of the world's richest persons, if only it were for the best interests of the many. I mean, we all understand that the process of getting richer and richer is not always for the best interest of the many, for, in that process, many things are sacrificed not just simple organic things in life but also the rights and privileges of each living individual and the welfare of the general make-up of creation. How did the superpowers become so? By defeating the less. By erasing the obstacles that prevent one to be on the top. It destroys or subverts if only to gain the top most position in the hierarchy of powers. The same happens in the promotion of one's wealth. He has to be selfish, intelligent and competitive, unafraid, unapologetic, ambitious, driven...  
I just wonder how Jeff Bezos or Elon Musk differ from me? I mean, besides having a lot of resources, what else makes them different from me? Or is it actually not at all true. Is it not true that your resources commensurate to the kind of life you live? So if I have 25 thousand dollars annually, I am poor. And yet I can live as the richest man on earth if I intend to do so. This brings to mind this Thai speaker on TED, Jon Jandai, who, in his 15-minute talk described how life in the city is ideal but repressive. He said, to idealize the city life is good however a life well lived in the country is much more ideal if only taken well in its right context. In his story, he said that he was enticed to live in the city, to study, and be rich like all others who dreamed of contemporary living. He was a failure. He grappled with finishing his studies and get a good job. Thus he returned to the country, tilled the land, produced his daily resources. He owned his time and has plenty of time to relax and read. He has built three houses in just a span of 1 year. In comparison, his former classmates had finished school, became engineers and earned a living. Unfortunately, they are struggling, has not built even one home, and has no time to relax. -30-  
Ricos. ¿Cuándo puedo decir que soy rico? Jeff Bezos. Almizcle de Elon. ¿Cómo llegaron a donde están? Muchos factores hicieron que ellos y los trajeron donde están. Es un proceso bastante riguroso, no para el débil corazón.  
Creo que la mayoría de nosotros queremos estar en la posición de las personas más ricas del mundo, aunque sólo fuera por los mejores intereses de muchos. Quiero decir, todos entendemos que el proceso de hacerse más rico y más rico no siempre es para el mejor interés de los muchos, porque, en ese proceso, muchas cosas son sacrificadas no sólo cosas orgánicas simples en la vida, sino también los derechos y privilegios de cada individuo viviente y el bienestar de la composición general de la creación. ¿Cómo se volvieron las superpotencias? Derrotando a menos. Borrando los obstáculos que impiden que uno esté en la parte superior. Destruye o subvierte aunque sea sólo para ganar la posición más alta en la jerarquía de poderes. Lo mismo sucede en la promoción de la riqueza. Tiene que ser egoísta, inteligente y competitivo, sin miedo, sin apología, ambicioso, impulsado...  
Me pregunto cómo Jeff Bezos o Elon Musk difieren de mí? Quiero decir, además de tener muchos recursos, ¿qué más los hace diferentes de mí? O no es realmente verdad en absoluto. ¿No es cierto que sus recursos proporcionales al tipo de vida que usted vive? Así que si tengo 25 mil dólares al año, soy pobre. Y, sin embargo, puedo vivir como el hombre más rico de la tierra si tengo la intención de hacerlo. Y, sin embargo, puedo vivir como el hombre más rico de la tierra si tengo la intención de hacerlo. Esto trae a la mente al orador tailandés sobre TED, Jon Jandai, quien, en su charla de 15 minutos describió cómo la vida en la ciudad es ideal pero represiva. Dijo, idealizar la vida de la ciudad es buena sin embargo una vida bien vivida en el país es mucho más ideal si sólo se toma bien en su contexto correcto. En su historia, dijo que estaba seducido a vivir en la ciudad, a estudiar y a ser rico como todos los demás que soñaban con la vida contemporánea. Fue un fracaso. Él luchó con terminar sus estudios y conseguir un buen trabajo. Así regresó al país, cultivó la tierra, produjo sus recursos diarios. Él poseía su tiempo y tiene mucho tiempo para relajarse y leer. Él ha construido tres casas en apenas un lapso de 1 año. En comparación, sus antiguos compañeros de clase habían terminado la escuela, se habían convertido en ingenieros y se ganaban la vida. Desafortunadamente, están luchando, no ha construido ni una sola casa, y no tiene tiempo para relajarse. -30-



**Mass Schedule**

**M to F at 9:00AM**  
**Sat at 5:30PM (Eng)**  
**Sun at 9:00AM (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.**

**Mass Intentions**

July

	30
Paul Tran + St. James Parish	31
	1
Paul Tran +	2
Irene, Onnie Burch + Family Chris Maurer +	3
Paul Tran +	4
	5

**A 10 Day Pilgrimage to The Holy Land**  
Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus

St. James Catholic Church – Molalla, OR  
Under the Spiritual direction of  
Fr. Aniceto Guiriba  
(Fr. Cit)

May 23<sup>rd</sup> – June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023  
\$3500.00

Roundtrip from Portland International Airport (PDX), OR.  
Additional departure cities available upon request



Tel Aviv \* Haifa \* Caesarea \* Nazareth \* Cana \* Tiberias \* Sea of Galilee \* Jordan River \* Mt. Tabor \* Jerusalem \* Gethsemane \* Bethlehem \* Masada \* Jericho \* Dead Sea \* Mt. of Olives \* Mt. Zion \* Holy Sepulchre

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Thursday, August 18- Sunday, August 21st, 2022  
Powell Butte, Oregon

This event welcomes young adults to share a weekend focused on faith and fellowship among the great outdoors.

Join us for the **3rd annual Camp Verso L'Alto** where we can encounter Christ in the liturgy, in others, and in nature.

Who: For young adults age 22-35

Where: Cascade View Retreat Center located at 14427 SW Alfalfa Road, Powell Butte, OR 97753

When: Meet Thursday Aug 18th at 8pm in Powell Butte and return to Portland Sunday night Aug 21st

Cost: \$200 includes lodging, activities and meals

Pay online and select "Event Registrations/FEES" for the Fund and type "CVLA" for the Note.

Registration is now open!

Register here. <https://www.campversolalto.org/young-adult-or-2021>

We have available spots for 25 men and 25 women. Sign up now. Learn more about the weekend below. Hope to see you there!

Contact [ark@stmichaelportland.org](mailto:ark@stmichaelportland.org) for questions.

**Sacraments Preparation for Year 2022-2024/  
Formacion por Sacramentos 2022-2024**

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 a 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.

Estamos anunciando la apertura de la inscripción para la preparación de los sacramentos para nuestros niños y jóvenes. La inscripción para la Primera Comunión y Confirmación se abre el 2022 de junio para niños que son de primer grado y jóvenes que son de octavo grado. Este año de formación comienza un programa de dos años para la Primera Comunión y Confirmación.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o inscripción, póngase en contacto con Miguel Serrano 503-829-2880.

También buscamos catequistas voluntarios.

**BBQ Recap**

We wish to thank all those that helped in making this year's Chicken BBQ a HUGE success. For all those who worked the hours planning, over the grill, in the kitchen, in the hall and the go booth, without you, we could have not put this on. For those who dined-in and those who purchased to go thank you for supporting the event.

Our net proceeds:

Gross Sales	\$ 17, 229.61
Total expenses	\$ 7,920.99
Net Profit	\$ 9,308.61

Thank you! See you next year!



**WORLD YOUTH DAY | SUMMER '23**  
LISBON | FATIMA | CAMINO DE SANTIAGO | AVILA | MADRID



**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 10:00am 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 503-568-2636.

**Music:** We always need people to join our choirs. They practice on Wednesday nights at 6:00pm. 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 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 Jim Currie 971-226-3949 for more information.