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ST. JAMES THE GREATER CATHOLIC CHURCH IGLESIA CATOLICA DE SANTIAGO APOSTOL

Mission: 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.

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

Mision: Somos una comunidad Cristian de raíces variadas, unidas por Dios, guiada por Santiago el mayor, adorando, evangelizándo y guiando mutuamente hacia la santidad.

Vision: 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.

Parish Council Members

Carol Freeman
Marilyn Kendoll
Edrin Delgado
Marilyn and Jeff Wilson
Alma Gomez
Froi Otter
Enedilson Rodas
J. Cesar Delgado

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.

CALENDAR

August to September-Registration for Sacraments Preparation
September 11, 10:00am Bilingual Mass
September 11, 11:00am Family Fun Day Picnic
September 18, Religious Education and all Sacraments Prep
September 30, last day of Religious Ed and Sacraments Prep Enrolment

Collection Update

August 6-7, 2022

General Collection \$ 2,839.47 Expenses (weekly estimate) \$ 4,300.00 Deficit \$ 1,460.53

Thank you all for your constant support for the welfare of our parish family.

May God reward you a hundredfold.



Parish Family Picnic

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 Sixth 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 sexto 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.

St. lames, Molalla is

hiring a part-time (10-12 hours per week, work on weekends) **TECHNICAL AS-SISTANT**. 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.

Save the date: September 11 10:00am Bilingual Mass 11:00am Food, Games, Entertainment

We have food from various groups of nations. Door prizes will be raffled. And games and entertainment will add the fun. If you want to share joy, you may donate a door prize. Box in narthex for your donation. On the day of the picnic, you may bring beverage and or dessert to share.

You can bring family and friends during the event.
See you there.

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 into the Catholic church. The instruction/formation runs about a year (10 months). If you are interested, join us any time. Normally, initiation happens at Easter Vigil. Easter vigil is on the eve of Easter Sunday. For more information call us at 503.829.2080. Come and see.

St. James the Greater Catholic Church



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Mass Schedule

M-F 9:00AM (Eng)

Saturday 5:30PM (Eng)
Sunday 9:00AM (Eng)

12:00PM (Esp)
Adoration Thursdays

9:30AM to 8:00PM

Confession Saturday 4:00-5:00PM but is always available as needed.



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Fr. Cit's Column

Bearers of the Word. Truth suffers but never dies (Teresa of Avila). As a teacher, I am aware that the truth is my responsibility. I am aware, too, that in telling the truth, I have to be informed and constantly trained by the truth so that I can assure my listeners that what I am telling them is truth.

I remember one conference for Filipino Language and Literature teachers I attended in Manila, the lecturers were renowned authors, master teachers and speakers. I was so blessed to hear them speak and add them to my updating. Their inputs were truly helpful as they were not readily available in the classroom. The difference: The truth coming from the source's mouth was way better.

The truth I have received must be repeated. That I did. I shared the truth according to the

mind of the author. I immediately saw a difference. My responsibility became a guardian of the truth that was entrusted to me. When I was teaching the truth that was shared with me by the author, it was a responsibility of keeping the truth and living it, of teaching exactly the truth that was entrusted to me by the author, believing in it, and putting life into it.

One subject I learned from Onofre Pagsanghan was language as non-verbal. In the Filipino language, he said, non-verbal is as effective as verbal. Signals, as he was referring to particularly, are "words" said through actions or emotions. Before the conference, I taught my students non-verbal as hand signals, body language like arms crossed, and emotions. In the conference, he specially mentioned that Filipinos show direction by moving the lips forward, as though giving a kiss. After the conference, I felt the responsibility to update the information I previously gave my students. I was fulfilled towards the students' excitement as the information was truly relatable. There was no opposition of any kind. On my part, I was proud to have that chance to make that truth available. -30-

Portadores de la Palabra. La verdad sufre pero nunca muere (Teresa de Ávila). Como maestro, soy consciente de que la verdad es mi responsabilidad. Soy consciente, también, de que al decir la verdad, tengo que estar informado y constantemente entrenado por la verdad para poder asegurar a mis oyentes que lo que les estoy diciendo es la verdad.

Recuerdo una conferencia para profesores de lengua y literatura filipina a la que asistí en Manila, los profesores eran autores de renombre, maestros maestros y oradores. Tuve la bendición de escucharlos hablar y agregarlos a mi actualización. Sus aportes fueron realmente útiles, ya que no estaban disponibles en el aula. La diferencia: la verdad que venía de la boca de la fuente era mucho mejor. La verdad que he recibido debe repetirse. Eso hice. Compartí la verdad según la mente del autor. Inmediatamente vi una diferencia. Mi responsabilidad se convirtió en un guardián de la verdad que se me confió. Cuando enseñaba la verdad que me compartía el autor, era una responsabilidad de guardar la verdad y vivirla, de enseñar exactamente la verdad que me había confiado el autor, creer en ella y poner vida en ella.

Un tema que aprendí de Onofre Pagsanghan fue el lenguaje como no verbal. En el idioma filipino, dijo, lo no verbal es tan efectivo como lo verbal. Las señales, como se refería en particular, son "palabras" dichas a través de acciones o emociones. Antes de la conferencia, enseñé a mis estudiantes no verbales como señales de manos, lenguaje corporal como brazos cruzados y emociones. En la conferencia, mencionó especialmente que los filipinos muestran dirección moviendo los labios hacia adelante, como si dieran un beso. Después de la conferencia, sentí la responsabilidad de actualizar la información que anteriormente les di a mis estudiantes. Me sentí satisfecho con la emoción de los estudiantes, ya que la información era realmente identificable. No hubo oposición de ningún tipo. Por mi parte, estaba orgulloso de tener la oportunidad de hacer que esa verdad estuviera disponible.-30-

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 503-568-2636.

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 lanell 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.





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