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 Iglesia Católica
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These councils advise Fr. Cit on pastoral and financial processes of the parish. The Pastoral Council's regular meeting is every third Tuesday and the Finance Council's meeting is First Tuesday of the Month in the hall at 6:30pm. Parishioners can audit in the meeting.

OCIA If you are an adult, not baptized or baptized other than the Catholic baptism, and would like to join the Catholic Church, the OCIA 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 servir a la Iglesia y a nuestra comunidad por medio de la fe.

C A L E N D A R

March 1, Parish Auction
 March 5, Ash Wednesday (check Ash Wednesday Schedule)
 March 7, 6:00pm, Stations of the Cross
 March 7, 6:45pm, Soup Supper

For more information and guidance on the spiritual activities during the Jubilee, please subscribe to the phone app.
Para obtener más información y orientación sobre las actividades espirituales durante el Jubileo, suscríbese a la aplicación del celular.

Discover the Jubilee 2025!
 Download the *jubilaem25* app

PILGRIMS OF HOPE

OFFICIAL PILGRIM SITES IN ARCHDIOCESE OF PORTLAND
 St. Mary's Cathedral, Portland; The Grotto, Portland; Holy Rosary, Portland; Our Lady of Lavang, Happy Valley; St. Paul, St. Paul; St. Vincent de Paul, Salem; St. Alice, Springfield; Shepherd of the Valley, Central Point; Sacred Heart, Newport and St. Monica, Coosbay.

Collection Update for February 22-23, 2025

General Collection	\$ 3 904.50
Expenses (weekly estimate)	\$ 4 300.00
Deficit	\$ 395.50

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.

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MARCH 2, 2025



THE SCALLOP

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Fr. Cit's Column

March 5th is Ash Wednesday. On this day the season of Lent starts.

Forty days. Ash Wednesday starts our Lenten observance where we devote our lives in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. All of them are desired for practice in order to attain growth in spiritual life. The ashes we receive on Ash Wednesday is a symbol of our commitment to reconciliation and personal transformation.

The forty days of Lenten observance is penitential. *Poenitentia*,e means repentance or remorse for sinful acts deliberately or unintentionally done. To repent of one's own sins is a desire to be reformed and do retribution to a wrong deed. It includes an active commitment to own up to the errors they had done, to make up of the errors done and to strive not to commit the same errors anymore.

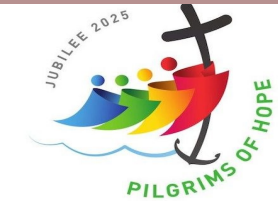
Why forty days? First of all, we have a lifetime commitment to personal transformation. The forty days of Lenten season reflects the 40 days of Jesus' desert retreat. By imitating Jesus' spiritual devotion, we begin the program of transformation from sinner to saint. Take note: It is only a commencement of our commitment to sainthood. The work continues to progress when we seek the Lord's help and guidance. Only through his strength we can keep up with the challenges that are involved in this program.

The imposition of the ashes is a reminder that we are sinners needing ransom for our sins. That means, while we actively engage in repentance, the grace of God's mercy is the effective gift that makes us saint.

By receiving the ashes on our head this Ash Wednesday, we promise to God our personal conversion. In the same way, we plead to God that he strengthens us in transformation. -30-

MASS INTENTIONS:

	MARCH
Rosalia Morales +	1
Rosalia Morales + St. James Parish	2
Rosalia Morales +	3
Rosalia Morales +	4
Rosalia Morales + Kelly Chapman +	5
Rosalia Morales +	6
Rosalia Morales +	7



Cuarenta días. El Miércoles de Ceniza comienza nuestra observancia de Cuaresma, donde dedicamos nuestras vidas a la oración, el ayuno y la limosna. Todos ellos son deseados para la práctica con el fin de alcanzar el crecimiento en la vida espiritual. Las cenizas que recibimos el Miércoles de Ceniza son un símbolo de nuestro compromiso con la reconciliación y la transformación personal.

Los cuarenta días de observancia de la Cuaresma son penitenciales. *Poenitentia*,e significa arrepentimiento o remordimiento por actos deliberada o involuntariamente cometidos en error. Arrepentirse de los propios pecados es un deseo de ser reformado y hacer retribución por una mala acción. Incluye un compromiso activo de reconocer los errores que han cometido, de compensar los errores cometidos y de esforzarse por no cometer más los mismos errores.

¿Por qué cuarenta días? En primer lugar, tenemos un compromiso de por vida con la transformación personal. Los cuarenta días de la temporada de Cuaresma reflejan los 40 días del retiro de Jesús en el desierto. Al imitar la devoción espiritual de Jesús, comenzamos el programa de transformación de pecador a santo. Toma nota: Es solo el comienzo de nuestro compromiso con la santidad. La obra continúa progresando cuando buscamos la ayuda y la guía del Señor. Solo a través de su fuerza podemos mantenernos al día con los desafíos que está involucrado en este programa.

La imposición de las cenizas es un recordatorio de que somos pecadores que necesitan rescate por nuestros pecados. Eso significa que, mientras nos involucramos activamente en el arrepentimiento, la gracia de la misericordia de Dios es el don efectivo que nos hace santos.

Al recibir las cenizas sobre nuestra cabeza este Miércoles de Ceniza, prometemos a Dios nuestra conversión personal. De la misma manera, le rogamos a Dios que nos fortalezca en la transformación.-30-

MASS SCHEDULE

M to F at 9:00AM
Sat at 5:30PM (Eng)
Sun at 9:00AM (English) and 12:30PM (Spanish)
Confession Sat at 4:00-5:00PM but is always available as needed.
Adoration on Thursdays 9:30am to 7:45pm
24-Hour adoration every first Thursday of the month

Your ministry's bulletin item can inform our people about your work. You are encouraged to let the whole parish know any of your work. Photo-stories are highly encouraged. The bulletin is normally printed on Thursdays. Get your story in on a Wednesday at stjamesmolalla957@gmail.com

MANDATE FROM HEAVEN

FIVE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY 1925-2025

MORNING PROGRAM

- 7:00 AM - CHECK IN BEGINS
- 7:15 AM - ROSARY
- 7:30 AM - HOLY MASS
- 8:45 AM - COFFEE BREAK



FATHER DAN REEHIL

Exorcist
Diocese of Nashville

CONFERENCE BEGINS

- 9:00 AM - FR. DAN REEHIL
- 9:00-10:00 AM - CONFESSIONS
- 10:00 AM - COFFEE BREAK
- 10:15 AM - JESSE ROMERO
- 11:15 AM - COFFEE BREAK
- 11:30 AM - ERIC TAFOYA



JESSE ROMERO

Catholic Lay Evangelist
Virgin Most Powerful Radio

MIDDAY BREAK

- 12:30 PM - ANGELUS & LUNCH



ERIC TAFOYA

Catholic Lay Evangelist
@TraditionalUrbanCatholic7

AFTERNOON PROGRAM

- 1:15 PM - FR. DAN REEHIL
- 2:15 PM - JESSE ROMERO
- 3:00 PM - DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET
- 3:15 PM - ERIC TAFOYA
- 1:15-4:00 PM - CONFESSIONS



DEACON JAMES THURMAN

Deacon
Archdiocese of Portland

CLOSING BLESSING

- 4:00 PM - FINAL BLESSING



LENT 2025
HOLY LEAGUE
CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

THEHOLYLEAGUE.ORG

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MARCH 8, 2025
7:00 AM - 4:00 PM
ST. STEPHEN
CATHOLIC CHURCH
1112 SE 41ST AVENUE
PORTLAND, OR 97214

MARION VICARIATE LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

- March 11, 6:30pm, St. Luke, Woodburn
- March 18, 7:00pm, St. Mary, Mt. Angel
- March 20, 6:30pm, St. Patrick, Canby
- March 27, 6:30pm, St. Paul, Silverton
- April 2, 7:00pm, St. James, Molalla
- April 3, 6:30pm, St. Paul, St. Paul



ADULT ED PROGRAM (SUNDAY) AFTER 9:00 LITURGY WITH KENT BURTNER
"The Social Doctrine of the Catholic Church."

ADULT ED PROGRAM WITH DIANA GREENE EVERY TUESDAY AT 6:30PM
"Deep Calls to Deep"

Ash Wednesday Mass with imposition of Ashes Schedule, March 5th
Horario de las Misas con Imposicion de Cenizas en Miercoles de Ceniza, 5 de Marzo

- 8:00am English Mass (Misa en Inglés)
- 9:00am English Mass (Misa en Inglés)
- 5:30pm English Mass (Misa en Inglés)
- 7:00pm Misa en Español (Spanish)



Embark on a 14-Day Pilgrimage to Rome, Fatima, Lourdes & Spain with Fr. Cit and St. James RCC

Join Regina Tours, Fr. Cit, and St. James Roman Catholic Church for a profound 14-day pilgrimage, departing from Portland, Oregon, on November 3, 2025, with prices starting at \$5,198.

Deepen your faith as you journey through Europe's most sacred sites. In Rome, walk through the Holy Doors at St. Peter's Basilica during the 2025 Jubilee, attend Mass at St. Mary Major, and visit the Basilicas of St. John Lateran and St. Paul Outside the Walls. Explore the Vatican, the Sistine Chapel, and St. Peter's Square. In Fatima, where the Virgin Mary appeared in 1917, visit the Chapel of the Apparitions and Basilica of Our Lady of the Rosary. Experience Lourdes, where St. Bernadette encountered the Blessed Mother, by joining a candlelight procession, bathing in the healing waters, and praying at the Grotto of Massabielle.

Continue through Spain, stopping in Avila, the hometown of St. Teresa of Ávila, to visit her convent and relics. Walk the historic Way of St. James in Santiago de Compostela, where the remains of St. James the Apostle are enshrined. Conclude your pilgrimage at the Benedictine Monastery of Montserrat, home to the revered Black Madonna, a symbol of faith and devotion.

Secure your place today! Contact Charles H at 1-800-228-4654 ext. 251 or visit <https://regina-tours.com/.../fr-cit-st-james-rcc-14-day.../> for full details. Don't miss this extraordinary opportunity for prayer, reflection, and spiritual renewal!



FATHER CIT & ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
14 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO ROME, FATIMA, LOURDES AND SPAIN
NOVEMBER 3, 2025



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 1st Tuesday at 10:00am 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 Scott Scofield 262-960-5717.

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 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 Scott Scofield (262-960-5717) for more information.

I CAN, YOU CAN, WE CAN

40 CANS FOR LENT

