

THE SCALLOP

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MASS INTENTIONS:

Al Wallaert +

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Fr. Cit's Column

Dwelling place. Well it was made public that Pope Leo will live in the Vatican's Apostolic Palace. It is the official papal residence where the new Pope will live, the apartment on the top floor of the Apostolic Palace. Will his choice make a buzz? Maybe. Just maybe, but not quite his predecessor's creating a buzz over his choice of doing nothing of the traditional. He did a lot of those out of the ordinary choices though. Something that hinted his true unique spirit. This choice also hints on the difference of this new pope's style not only in his spiritual life but also in the way he will lead the whole church. And that excites us all. Why would this choice (of his residence) matter? I am not offering an expert's analysis. Only a personal reflection. In the seminary, we were assigned our room. I have no idea how they come up with the room assignments. Probably there is no one criterion except the basis of what rooms are available. And the General Beadle (or the house president) is assigned the "first" room. It is like a suite, spacious, furnished and comfortable. A place fit for a king! I have learned that that room had produced many important names in the diocese, from those who got to be ordained priests, for they had become important role leaders and a few bishops of the church.

There must be something in that room. I am not sure what. What I am enthused about is that if everywhere is sacred, there is that one place God made separate.

Jesus sits at the right hand of the Father. That is the dwelling place reserved only for Jesus. That's the only place fit for the Son of God. And we are all invited by God to dwell with him. What a privilege. Dwell with him is to commune right where God is, not apart or separate from him. If we see it in the context of praise, we dwell with God in the holy place of Communion, where, together with God, we eat and drink of the festival food. For me, I am glad I have no choice where to dwell but the dwelling place God chose for me. I think being assigned where to be placed means for me to be trained to dwell with the holy.

Lugar de vivienda. Bueno, se hizo público que el Papa León vivirá en el Palacio Apostólico del Vaticano. Es la residencia oficial papal donde vivirá el nuevo Papa, el apartamento en el último piso del Palacio Apostólico.

¿Su elección hará ruido? Tal vez. Solo tal vez, pero no del todo su predecesor está creando un zumbido sobre su elección de no hacer nada de lo tradicional. Sin embargo, hizo muchas de esas elecciones fuera de lo común. Algo que insinuaba su verdadero espíritu único. Esta elección también insinúa la diferencia del estilo de este nuevo Papa no solo en su vida espiritual, sino también en la forma en que dirigirá a toda la iglesia. Y eso nos emociona a todos.

¿Por qué importaría esta elección (de su residencia)? No estoy ofreciendo el análisis de un experto. Solo una reflexión personal. En el seminario, nos asignaron nuestra habitación. No tengo ni idea de cómo se les ocurren las asignaciones de las habitaciones. Probablemente no haya un solo criterio, excepto la base de las habitaciones disponibles. Y al General Beadle (o al presidente de la casa) se le asigna la "primera" habitación. Es como una suite, amplia, amueblada y cómoda. ¡Un lugar digno de un rey! He aprendido que esa sala había producido muchos nombres importantes en la diócesis, de aquellos que llegaron a ser ordenados sacerdotes, porque se habían convertido en líderes importantes y algunos obispos de la iglesia. Debe haber algo en esa habitación. No estoy seguro de qué. Lo que me entusiasma es que si todo es sagrado, hay un lugar que Dios separó. Jesús está sentado a la diestra del Padre. Esa es la morada reservada solo para Jesús. Ese es el único lugar apropiado para el Hijo de Dios. Y todos estamos invitados por Dios a morar con él. ¡Qué privilegio! Habitar con él es comulgar justo donde Dios está, no aparte o separado de él. Si lo vemos en el contexto de la alabanza, moramos con Dios en el lugar santo de la Comunión, donde, junto con Dios, comemos y bebemos de la comida de la fiesta. En mi caso, me alegro de no tener otra opción que no sea la morada que Dios escogió para mí. Creo que el hecho de que se me asigne el lugar donde se me va a colocar significa que yo he sido entrenado para morar con lo santo.



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



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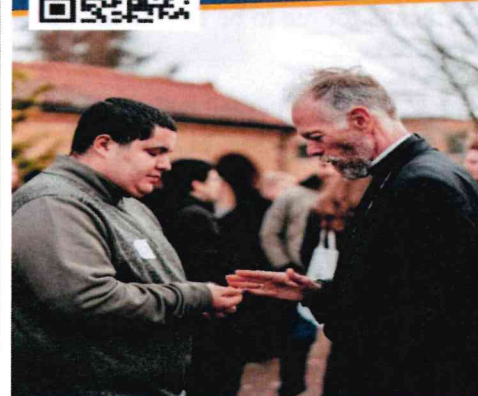
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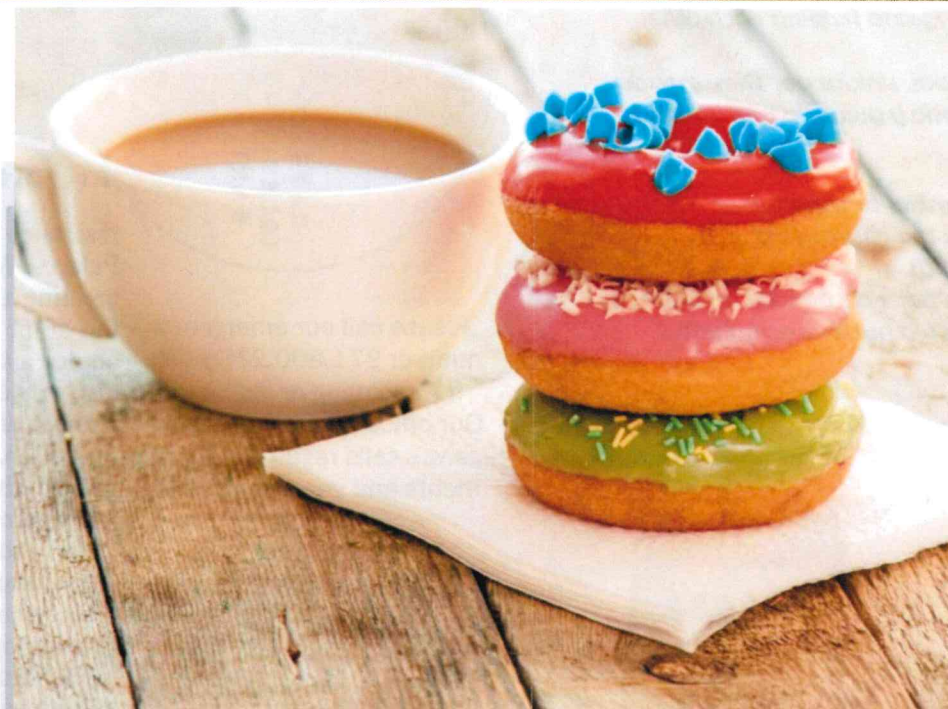


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Your gift to the Archbishop's Catholic Appeal supports Mission-Passionate Education



Our Coffee and Donuts Hour after the 9 am Sunday Mass needs support! We need families to help set up and serve coffee and donuts each Sunday, and clean up afterwards. With your commitment to this ministry we can have a comfortable rotation of one Sunday every two months or so. Please Contact Roy Salvetti at (503) 568-2636 to volunteer!



Our "40 cans of food for 40 days" for Lent was a great success! St James Parish donated 900 lbs of food with which we will support and feed our neighbors. As well, these donations allow us to provide additional support for utilities and other daily needs. THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH—GOD BLESS EACH OF YOU!

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.

We are on the web!
stjamesmolalla.org

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH
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de Santiago Apostol

Fr. Cit Pastor
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Office is open
 Monday to Thursday, 10:00AM to 2:00PM
 and Friday at 10:00AM to 12:00PM

Pastoral Council	Finance Council
Carol Freeman	Monica Bergmann
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Alma Gomez	Roberto Lua
Froi Otter	Norma Amezola
Enedilson Rodas	Marilyn Kendoll
Marilyn and Jeff Wilson	
Jorge Lopez	

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 Cristiana de raíces variadas, unidas por Dios, guiada por Santiago el mayor, adorando, evangelizando 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.

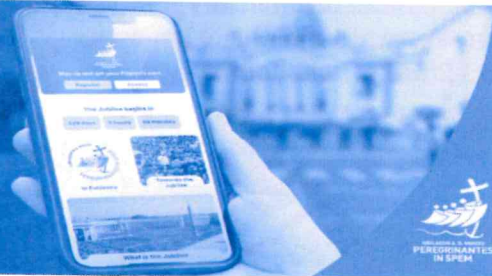
C A L E N D A R

May 30, 9am to 5 pm, Life Line Screening Event
 Parish Hall—Appointments Required
 June 8, 10:00am
 Pentecost Sunday Mass (Bilingual)
 June 8, 11:00am Community Breakfast
 June 22, 10:00am
 Corpus Christi Mass (Bilingual)
 June 22, 11:00 am Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon



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Collection Update for May 12-18 , 2025

General Collection	\$ 2 944.00
Expenses (weekly estimate)	\$ 4 300.00
Deficit	\$ 1,356.00

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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