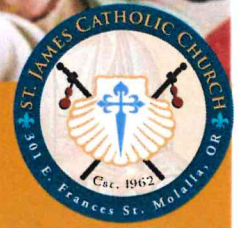
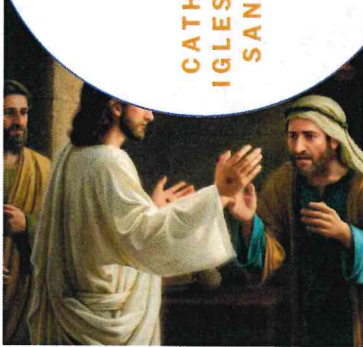


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ST. JAMES
CATHOLIC CHURCH
IGLESIA CATOLICA DE
SANTIAGO APOSTOL



Fr. Cit's Column

Easter Sunday to Pentecost. The Easter season is fifty (50) days.

In these fifty days, Jesus' appearances to his disciples are proclaimed. Note that the readings of the Easter Masses are taken from the New Testament. The First Reading, which is usually an Old Testament piece, this time is a reading taken from the Acts of the Apostles. This is to give emphasis to the work of the early church as a fruit of the work of the Holy Spirit that empowered the first Christian church proclaiming the Good News to all peoples of the world.

The Holy Spirit is very important in this work (mission). When Jesus breathed the Spirit in the disciples' life, he breathed life to the church moving in the direction of making all corners of the world Christ's disciples. "As the Father sent me, so I am sending you." (John 20:21). "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." (Matthew 28:19).

Note that vital to the retelling of the story of Jesus' Resurrection are the accounts (testimony) of the witnesses. While the tomb was empty, that alone was not the whole story to prove Jesus was raised from the dead. It was the account of all those for whom Jesus appeared flesh and bones, not spirit or ghost. In one of Jesus' appearances, in the sea of Tiberias, he prepared a meal (breakfast) for his disciples. Jesus ate with the disciples. In another appearance, Jesus asked his disciples to probe the wounds in his side and hands. Also, at Eastertide the chronicles of the growth of the Christian church are retold. The word spread throughout the region and beyond that this Jesus was raised from the dead and appeared to his disciples. Because of this, many believers were added to the community of believers and the Church continued to grow.

The Easter joy is a powerful truth it makes the faith grow and bear fruits. >

Del domingo de Pascua a Pentecostés. La temporada de Pascua dura cincuenta (50) días. En estos cincuenta días se proclaman las apariciones de Jesús a sus discípulos. Cabe señalar que las lecturas de las misas pascuales se toman del Nuevo Testamento. La Primera Lectura, que suele ser un texto del Antiguo Testamento, esta vez es una lectura tomada de los Hechos de los Apóstoles. Esto es para dar énfasis a la labor de la iglesia primitiva como fruto de la obra del Espíritu Santo que empoderó a la primera iglesia cristiana que proclamó la Buena Nueva a todos los pueblos del mundo.

El Espíritu Santo es muy importante en esta labor (misión). Cuando Jesús sopló el Espíritu en la vida de los discípulos, dio vida a la iglesia que avanzaba en la dirección de hacer de todos los rincones del mundo discípulos de Cristo. "Así como el Padre me envió, yo te envío a ti." (Juan 20:21). "Id y haced discípulos de todas las naciones, bautizándolas en el nombre del Padre, del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo." (Mateo 28:19).

Tenga en cuenta que, para volver a contar la historia de la resurrección de Jesús, son vitales los relatos (testimonios) de los testigos. Mientras la tumba estaba vacía, esa sola no era la historia completa para probar que Jesús había resucitado de entre los muertos. Era el relato de todos aquellos para quienes Jesús apareció carne y huesos, no espíritu o fantasma. En una de las apariciones de Jesús, en el mar de Tiberíades, preparó una comida (desayuno) para sus discípulos. Jesús comió con los discípulos. En otra aparición, Jesús pidió a Sus discípulos que sondearan las heridas en Sus costados y manos.

Además, en Pascua se vuelven a contar las crónicas del crecimiento de la iglesia cristiana. La noticia se difundió por toda la región y más allá de que este Jesús había resucitado de entre los muertos y se apareció a sus discípulos. Por ello, muchos creyentes se añadieron a la comunidad y la Iglesia continuó creciendo.

La alegría pascual es una verdad poderosa, hace que la fe crezca y dé frutos.>

MASS INTENTIONS:

APRIL

Alan & Julie Deardorff int
Salud Miguel Contreras
y Nancy Vasquez
Mario Lagunes Hernandez +
Luree Gibboney +

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St. James Parish
Good of Knights of Columbus
Thanksgiving Chicho
and Alexander Rodas
Health of Jovita Lopez
Al Walleart +
George and Helen Baseel +
Lety Lopez +
Lee Smith +
Brock Meier +
Renda Meier +
Kathy Haley +
Kevin Wells +
John Bloebaum +
Harold Gibboney +
Luree Gibboney +
Tony Maher +
Benigno Gomez Suazo +
Mario Lagunes Hernandez +
Salud de Miguel Contreras y
Nancy Vasquez
Conversion de Alejandro
Jaimes y Barbara Gomez

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Dick McGlasson +
David Trapp +

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Duane Schwartz +
Don Rath Kainy +

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Deloras Falgoust +
Andy and Marvel Mejarus +

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Mike Majerus +
Annet Majerus Hill
And Michael Hill +

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James Majerus +
Robert Lewis +

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St James Catholic Church Molalla
Annual Auction April 25th, 2026
 Doors Open at 4:30 PM

Growing in Peace with GOD

Early Bird Tickets \$45.00 purchased by April 12th
 Starting April 13th the tickets are \$50.00
 Oral Auction items need to be turned in by April 12th
 Silent Auction items need to be turned in by April 19th

Renovación carismática católica
 Te invitamos a vivir, este fin de semana, el:

SEMINARIO

De Vida en el *Esíritu*

Viernes 17
 De 6:30 pm a 9:00 pm

Sabado 18
 De 8:00 am a 6:00 pm

April 17 y 18 2026

Jesús quiere tocar tu vida.

Predicadores:
 P. Zib Diácono Jose Gutiérrez. Luis Hernández

Saint James Catholic Church
 301 E Frances st Molalla OR 97038

Save the Date



Pentecost Sunday Community Mass
 10:00AM
 Community Socials after Mass
 Everyone is invited.



May 30-31, 2026, after the Masses

Stewardship

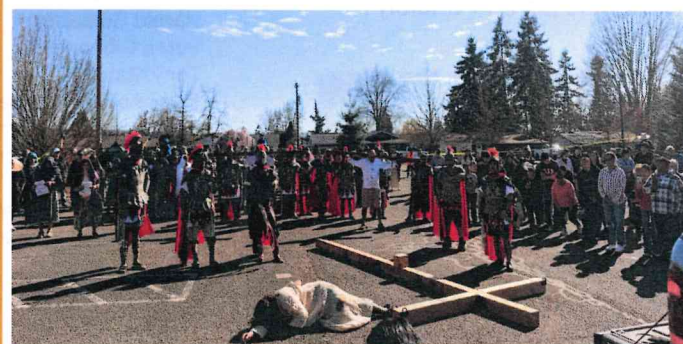
a way of life

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



Scholarship program for High School Seniors, College or Trade Schools. Form available in the office.



The pictures on the right are taken from the Holy Week liturgies. Top. Good Friday Live Stations of the Cross. There were roughly two hundred people in attendance. The procession started from the Clark Park to the street of Frances leading to the church. The actors were parents and children and catechists of the Confirmation classes. Bottom. The twelve disciples in their garb. The disciples participated during the Triduum. There were some 24 of them who took turns participating at the Washing of the Feet, Passion and Easter Vigil.

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 crew of volunteers to sustain a program attractive to young people in building their faith. Contact the office (503-829-2080) if you can help in organizing this ministry. Adriana Mendoza leads the team.

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. 24-hour Adoration every first Thursday. 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

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Fr. Cit Pastor
 Scott Scofield Pastoral Associate
 Miguel Serrano Pastoral Assist Formation
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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
 Carol Freeman
 Marilyn Kendall
 Alma Gomez
 Froi Otter
 Eneilson Rodas
 Marilyn and Jeff Wilson
 Jorge Lopez

Finance Council
 Monica Bergmann
 Kent Burtner
 Roberto Lua
 Norma Amezola
 Marilyn Kendall

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.

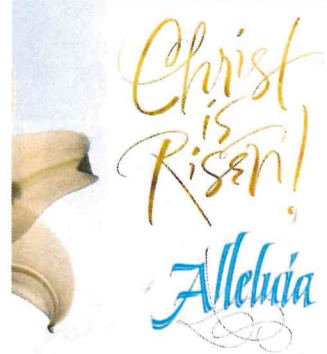
Somos una comunidad Cristiana de raíces variadas, unidas por Dios, guiada por Santiago el mayor, adorando, evangelizando y guiando mutuamente hacia la santidad.

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

- April 11-12 Anointing of the Sick after each Mass
- Abril 17-18 Retiro de Iniciacion
- April 25 Parish Auction and Dinner
- May 3 First Communion
- May 6 Confirmation
- May 15-17 Rummage Sale
- May 20 Adult Confirmation
- May 24 Pentecost Celebration Bilingual
 Mass at 10:00am



*congratulations on your initiation
 and welcome to the Church*

*Monica Y Rosas Nuñez
 Delaila Grageola Perez
 Juliet Castro Perez*

*Yatzin Iglesias Perez
 Allen Brian Grageola Perez
 Bertha Alicia Valenciano*

Please call the emergency number 971.206.4991 only for anointing or last rites. Our office phone number receives calls regarding sacraments and general office inquiries.

Llame al número de emergencia 971.206.4991 solo para la unción o los últimos ritos.

Collection Update for April 4-5, 2026

General Collection	\$ 8 218.00
Expenses (weekly estimate)	<u>\$ 4 300.00</u>
Deficit	\$ 00.00



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 work fairly well. Please consider doing so. God bless you.

Online giving

Please consider online giving. It does not take more than 15-minutes to sign-up for online giving. You help lessen paper waste and you do not miss any unfulfilled envelopes.

Please contact Scott Scofield at the business office.

Call 503-829.2080

or send email at stjamesmolall957@gmail.com.