

Jesus said

SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2026

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ST. JAMES
CATHOLIC CHURCH
IGLESIA CATOLICA DE
SANTIAGO APOSTOL

WELCOME

Others, Welcome

JESUS

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Psalm 145: A Praise and Gratitude Psalm

R. The Lord is near to all who call upon him.

Every day will I bless you,
and I will praise your name forever and ever.
Great is the LORD and highly to be praised;
his greatness is unsearchable.

R. The Lord is near to all who call upon him.

The LORD is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and of great kindness.

The LORD is good to all
and compassionate toward all his works.

R. The Lord is near to all who call upon him.

The LORD is just in all his ways
and holy in all his works.

The LORD is near to all who call upon him,
to all who call upon him in truth.

R. The Lord is near to all who call upon him.

MASS INTENTIONS:

SEPTEMBER

Wayne Otter +

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0900 St James Parish

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1230: Amparo Guerra Garcia +

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No Mass

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tue 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 availa-
ble as needed.

Adoration on Thursdays
9:30am to 7:45pm

24-Hour adoration every first
Thursday of the month

Psalm 145 is the only psalm explicitly titled "A Praise of David." It is structured as an acrostic, with each verse beginning with successive Hebrew letters. It stands at the head of the final cluster of praise psalms (145-150), marking a shift from prayer to doxology. Unlike many psalms of lament or petition, Psalm 145 contains no requests—only adoration. The psalm ends with David's personal vow to praise God forever, inviting "all flesh" to join in blessing His holy name. This closing line is often seen as David's final testament of praise. Psalm 145 presents a balanced portrait of God: infinitely great yet intimately good. It invites believers to daily praise, meditation on God's works, and transmission of faith across generations. Its emphasis on God's kingship also connects to broader biblical themes of divine rule.

20th Annual Rosary Bowl NW SAT OCT 3 2026 | 9AM-3PM

A EUCHARISTIC AND MARIAN CELEBRATION

Featuring a keynote on
The Apostle of the Rosary
Saint Bartolo Longo



Auxiliary Bishop
Peter Smith



Saint Bartolo Longo
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Keynote Speaker
Fr. Theodore Lange



EVENT DETAILS

9am Confession | 10am Mass

11am Holy Hour and Rosary

1:30pm Keynote on Saint Bartolo Longo

The Apostle of the Rosary

Eucharistic Miracles Exhibit

Community Resource Fair | Diaper Drive

2:45 pm Chaplet

East Salem Community Center

1850 45th Ave. NE, Salem, OR

Sat Oct 3 2026 | 9am - 3pm

A freewill offering taken

Details at dinamarie.org



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

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH
Iglesia Catolica de St James

Fr. Manuel Pastor
Scott Scofield Pastoral Associate
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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
Jim Casey	Monica Bergmann
Jorge Lopez	Kent Burtner
Phil Bergmann	Roberto Lua
Ivonne Chavez	Norma Amezola
Carla Gee	Marilyn Kendall
Elizabeth Rodriguez	
Charlotte Bloebaum	
Marcie Salvetti	
Vanessa Bautista	
Sharon Kemp	
Miguel Bautista	
Yazmin Estevez	
Bill Robles	
Lupita Robles	

These councils advise Fr. Manuel 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 every second Tuesday of the Month in the hall at 6:30pm. Any parishioners may attend and audit the meetings.



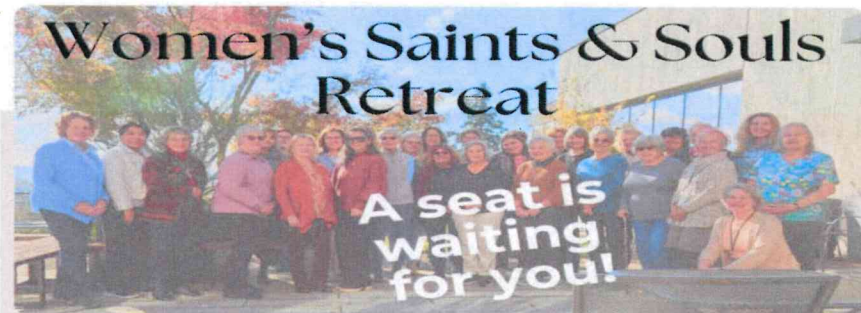
Parish Mission and Vision

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.



Oct. 30 - Nov. 1, 2026

with Retreat leader
Dina Marie Hale

founder of Faith Moments™

RETREAT FEATURES:

Conferences with Dina Marie
 Mass & The Divine Office with the Monks
 Celebrate All Saints Day with the Monks
 Confession
 optional spiritual direction
 private room and bath with a scenic view
 delicious meals with a hilltop view
 time for rest, reflection and rejuvenation

Our theme
Sinners,
Saints and the
Holy Spirit



RETREAT LOCATION:

Saint Benedict Guesthouse & Retreat Center at
Mount Angel Abbey

TO REGISTER: dinamarie.org or 503-380-2575

Collection Update for 7 September —13 September, 2026

General Collection	\$
Expenses (weekly estimate)	<u>\$ 4 300.00</u>
Variance	

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

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