St. James Catholic Church

A living cell of the Catholic Diocese of Corpus Christi

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June 18, 2023 – Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass

WEEKENDS Saturday 5:00 PM – Bilingual Sunday 10:00 AM – English

WEEKDAYS Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri 8:00 AM

Major Feast Days (Holy Days): As announced

CONFESSION 15 minutes before Mass outside of church or by appointment.

A Hearty Welcome

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church, No matter what your current family or marital situation, No matter what your past or present religious situation, No matter your personal history, age, background, race, etc., No matter what your own self-image or esteem, You are INVITED, WELCOMED, ACCEPTED, LOVED and RESPECTED AT St. James.

Contact the Office for any assistance.
Please do not join St. James until you know what you are
getting into, but please don't walk away from
St. James until you know what you are
walking away from.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

PAROCHIAL TEAM

Pastor Rev. Jacob

Office Administrator R. Anthony Hinojosa

Parish Secretary Juanita L. Martinez

Parish Catechetical Leader Anna Castillo

> Bookkeeper Cristina Rea Sanchez

Parish Council Chairman Luis Hernandez

Finance Council Chairman Louis Sanchez

> Altar Society Eugenia Padron

Altar Servers Coordinators Kimberly Cuéllar Beatrice Hernandez

> Guadalupanas Pres. Juanita Cruz

Cursillistas Vocal Maria Luisa Ortiz English Choir Margaret Smith

MISSION STATEMENT:

The Catholic community of St. James Church is made up of loving and sensitive members seeking to meet their spiritual needs, strengthen their faith, and affirm their continued existence as the Church of Jesus Christ today and tomorrow. In their quest to evangelize, it is their mission to assist everyone toward a more abundant experience of the riches of their liturgy and sacraments, and to convince all of Christ's sheep that the Lord's Day is indeed for all.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend we will have a second collection for the Newman Center.

FATHER'S DAY NOVENA

The Father's Day Novena begins on **Saturday**, **June 17**th **and continues through Sunday**, **June 25**th. Please bring your intentions.

FATHER'S DAY BAKE SALE

We will have a Father's Day bake sale this Sunday, June 18th after the 10:00am Mass. All are welcome.

CURSILLISTAS ULTREYA INTERPARROQUIAL

The Cursillistas will have our Ultreya Interparroquial next **Sunday on June 25, 2023**. **Registration** will start at **1:30pm** in the parish hall with the **program** starting at **2:00 pm**. All are welcome.

FOURTH OF JULY BINGO

Sunday, July 2nd we will have our next Bingo at our St. James Parish Hall, from 1pm to 4pm. All are welcome. If you would like to donate or contribute, please bring new prizes or gift cards to the parish office. For additional information contact Martha Cuellar.

FIESTA SPONSORSHIP

Anyone who would like to be a sponsor for our Fiesta Bingo on November 4, please contact Martha Cuellar at 361-318-4974.

FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

We would like to thank all those who helped put together our Feast of Corpus Christi Procession last Sunday, and also thank all who participated to make it a beautiful procession.

CALL TO BECOME A DEACON

If anybody feels the call to become a deacon, please contact the office AT 361-358-4825 and the diocese will begin the initial inquiry meeting in August.

PRAY FOR THE SICK LIST

To add names to The Pray For The Sick list, please fill in names to be prayed for in the folder in the back of the church or contact the parish office. Thank you.

CONDOLENCES

St. James expresses condolences to the family of **Celestina Cuevas Bridge**, and to the family of **Rosario Flores Gonzales**. May their souls rest in peace.

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

We would like to thank **Anna Castillo**, **Nicolas Castillo**, & **Casey Ponce** for cleaning our church this week.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 17 Father's Day Novena 1st Day
5:00 PM † Juan Gomez by Patricia Gonzalez

Liliana Muñoz Webb by Cruz Muñoz Richard & Irma De Leon by Julian Longoria, Jr. Salvador Andrade In honor of Father's Day & Healing By his Wife

Sunday, June 18 Father's Day Novena 2nd Day

10:00 AM † Ascencion "Chon" Carrizales by Carrizales Family

- † Gilbert T. Cardenas, Sr. by Sons & Daughters
- † Felix Abrigo Hernandez by Desirre H. Treviño
- † Jesus Naranjo Contreras For Father's Day By Aurora Contreras & Children & Grandchildren
- † Genevieve S. Treviño given by the Family
- † David Lopez by Children

With care and compassion, we pray for:

- † Roland Cantu by parents Monico & Lupita Cantu
- † Roland Michael Cantu by grandparents Monico & Lupita Cantu
- † Melissa Ann Keller by Rosalinda & Ernest Orozco
- † Domingo Silvas, Sr. by Sons & Daughters
- $\ensuremath{\dagger}$ Conrado Perales, Sr. by Sons & Daughters
- † Johnny Sr. & Johnny Jr. Ramirez by Family
 For his health Jorge Andres Garza by Yolanda Aleman
 Adam Garcia In honor of his Birthday by Family

Monday, June 19	8:00 AM	Father's Day Novena 3 rd Day
Tuesday, June 20	8:00 AM	Father's Day Novena 4th Day
Wednesday, June 21	8:00 AM	Father's Day Novena 5th Day
Thursday, June 22	8:00 AM	Father's Day Novena 6th Day
Friday, June 23	8:00 AM	Father's Day Novena 7th Day

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Rene Diaz, Carolina Lopez, Frank Loya, Jr., Rose Coffeen, Cruz Guerrero, Maria G. Perez, Natalie Bauch, Jorge Andres Garza, Andrea S. Gonzales, Roxanne Salazar, Steven Gonzales, Cerise Garcia, Lupita Mata, Arturo Martinez, Jr., Diana Lee Landreth, Alfredo Maldonado, Sally Garza Tovar, Rosario Cruz, Nieves & Olga Cardenas, Amelia Garcia, Sara Ochoa, Manuel R. Martinez, Juan Aguirre, Lila Ann Garcia, Chris Baldillez, Henry Rodriguez, David Luera, Juan F. Garcia, Lila Ann Garcia,

Rosario Cruz, Rosa Perez Ortiz, Rogelia Silvas, Enoe Garcia, Ansolmo Garcia, Jr., Yolanda Garcia, Linda Garza, Lionel Gonzales, Fred M. Cuellar, Henry Guerrero, Andena Sandoval, Dalia Puga, and to all at Christus Spohn.

Please fill in names to be prayed for on the list in the folder in the back of the church or contact the parish office. Thank you.

MASS SCH	IEDULE				9 12 2
Date	Time	USHERS	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat., June 17	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Juanita Cruz	Lisa Blanton	Andres Hernandez, Araceli Hernandez
Sun., June 18	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Susana Martinez	Janie Maldonado	Rico Flores, Mia Flores
Sat., June 24	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Angie Garcia	Salvador Andrade	Krislynn Cuellar
Sun., June 25	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Rosie Ortega	Susana Martinez	Daniel Hinojosa, Rayleigh Guerra

AUDITORS

June 18
Rosalinda Orozco,
Margaret Mesquita
June 25
Janie Maldonado,
Alice Sanchez
July 2
Kimberly Cuellar,
Luis Hernandez
July 9
Juanita Cruz,
Elfida Garcia
July 16
Rosalinda Orozco,

Margaret Mesquita

OT XI [A] (June 18) Ex 19:2-6; Rom 5:6-11; Mt 9:36—10:8

The main theme of today's readings is that we are commissioned or sent, to transform others with the "Good News" of God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and salvation through Jesus His Son.

Scripture: The first reading gives Israel the good news that the God of Mount Sinai loves and cares for his people. God showed His continuing care for Israel by liberating the people from slavery in Egypt and by offering them a relationship in which they would be God's "special possession, "-- "a kingdom of priests, a holy nation." Paul, in today's second reading, reflects on how Jesus in his life, death, and resurrection made manifest God's love and care for mankind. According to Paul, the greatest proof of God's love and care for us is Jesus' willingness to die on behalf of sinful mankind and so make possible a new and better relationship with God. Today's Gospel is, in effect, a reminder from God to each one of us: "You have received grace and talents from Me without charge, and so you have to give without charge through your simple, responsible, sharing lives." This is indeed the core of the priestly vocation and of the vocation of every Christian through his or her Baptism. Up to this point in the story, Jesus himself was the focus of the healing, teaching, and controversy. With the commissioning of his disciples, others began to assume some of the responsibility for the new movement that heralded the kingdom of God. That new movement was destined to grow later, with increasing diversity, as it extended beyond the borders of Galilee, into Gentile territory, becoming the Universal Christian Church.

Life Messages: 1) Be Jesus-Presenters: Jesus continues to be active in our lives through the Bible and the Sacraments. In addition, the Lord God gives us the Holy Spirit, the One Who teaches us, and reminds us of all that Jesus has said to us. We are invited to become one with God and Jesus, and to let the Holy Spirit work through us. We are asked to perform the works of Jesus, and through these works to reveal the power and character of God to the world. If we accept this invitation and live it out wholeheartedly, with God's grace people will look at us and say, "Jesus"

2) Be healers in the modern world: People are sick in body as well as mind. As Christians sharing Jesus' mission, we can bring healing and wholeness to people with whom we come into contact. Although we cannot raise the dead, we can help people to recover interest and a zest for living. People can be physically alive but dead in many other respects. "Cleansing the lepers" means rehabilitating and bringing back fully into our communities all those who, for one reason or another, are marginalized, rejected, despised, and ostracized on the basis of race, nationality, marital status, religion, gender or sexual orientation. We have to help casting out from our people the demons who possess them by means of addictions to alcohol, nicotine, drugs, pornography, sexual deviations, and the like, first by getting ourselves liberated and then helping others to get liberated from their evil addictions.

Anecdote:

Saint sheep thief: Years ago, there was a man in the West who was caught stealing sheep. They branded him on the forehead with the letters ST, "sheep thief." Later his life changed and he became a model for all. People forgot that ST stood for "sheep thief" and thought it symbolized "saint." –This is what Jesus wants to happen in every person's life, including yours and mine. He associated with sinners, had dinner with them, and once explained to his enemies that he came to call sinners that they might become saints of God. How can we cover the long distance from sinner to saint? In our text we have an example in Matthew.

We wish all you Fathers a

Happy Father's Day

May the Lord Bless you all



NEXT BAPTISM CLASS - July 3, 2023



Must wear a mask to attend class

All applications MUST be submitted to the church office before the last day of the previous month. Parents must be registered members at St. James. Items needed are:

Copy of the child's Birth Certificate
For sponsors - certificates of baptism.

communion, and confirmation, if married certificate of the sacrament of marriage from the respective Church.

Baptisms will take place 3rd Sunday of month after the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Baptism classes for parents and sponsors are held on the **first Monday** of every Month at 7:00 p.m. in the CCE Building.

Bulletin Deadline

Thursday at 12:00 Noon, please have your announcements and notices to the office for insertion into the bulletin. Thank you.



WEEKLY OFFERING

June 11th, 2023

 Envelope Collection
 \$1,495.61

 Loose Collection
 \$441.01

 Total
 \$1,936.62

 Second Collection
 \$388.58

May God bless you for your selfless sacrifice

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH 2023 EVENTS OF THE YEAR

(Tentative)

June 18: Father's Day Bake Sale

July 2: Fourth of July Bingo

September 3: Bingo

November 4: Fiesta

December 10: Christmas Celebration

23: Posada





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St. Alphonsa Gift Shop

Now open on: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 10:00 a.m. - Noon and 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. On Saturday from 10:00 a.m. - Noon

Saturday & Sunday after Mass at St. James Rosaries, bracelets, keychains, and more gift items are available. Please come by and visit the Gift Shop.