St. James Catholic Church

A living cell of the Catholic Diocese of Corpus Christi

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July 2, 2023 – Thirteenth 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

Today's second collection is for Peter's Pence Collection. Your generous contributions are appreciated. Next weekend we will have a second collection for the Building, Repair, & Maintenance Fund.

FOURTH OF JULY BINGO

This Sunday, July 2nd we will have our Bingo at our St. James Parish Hall, from 1pm to 4pm. All are welcome. If you would like to donate or contribute, contact Martha Cuellar.

GUADALUPANAS MEETING

The Guadalupanas will have a meeting on **Monday**, **July 3rd** at **7pm** in the CCE Building. All are welcome.

PARISH OFFICE

The parish office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.

DEVELOPING LEADERSHIP SKILLS

St. James Church is organizing a two-day advanced class on **DEVELOPING LEADERSHIP SKILLS**. The class will be on Saturday, **July 22**nd and Sunday, **July 23**rd. Await for more details.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)

St. James Catholic Church will be having Vacation Bible School on **August** 4th, 5th, & 6th. More information and additional details will be available soon, contact **Eugenia Padron** at 361-354-0040.

CCE REGISTRATION

CCE classes will begin on **Sunday**, **September 10**th, registrations forms are available in the back of the church or the parish office.

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.

PRAY FOR THE SICK LIST

After three months The Pray For The Sick list has been cleared, please fill in names to be prayed for on the list in the back of the church or contact the parish office. Thank you.

THANK YOU, ST. JAMES

This is a letter of gratitude, to all our St. James champions who sponsor and attend all our Fund Raisers, especially Bingos and Fiestas; you know who you are. When the call comes you answer with your support and attendance. St. James couldn't make it without you. You show up and you help, God Bless You, you are the reason we are still here. You are the Angles that surround the Church

They say it takes a village and you are an important part of this village. You raise families, you are the pillars of this church and we Thank You for everything you do

Yours in Christ

Coordinators of the Program,

Martha Cuellar

Susana Morón

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

We would like to thank the **Guadalupanas** for cleaning our church this week.

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday, July 1

5:00 PM † Benny Gomez by Patricia Gonzalez

† Celestina Cuevas Bridge by Erlinda Ortiz

† Isabel "Chavelita" Garcia by Cruz Muñoz

Sunday, July 2

10:00 AM † Rosario Ybarra by Ernest & Rosalinda Orozco

† Julio & Baudelia Salazar & Geronimo Ortiz For Julio's Birthday by Erlinda Ortiz

† Nicolas Ryan Aleman For repose of his soul By Yolanda Aleman

† Roland Cantu by his parents Monico & Lupita Cantu

† Roland Michael Cantu by Maria Luisa Ortiz

Monday, July 3

8:00 AM

Wednesday, July 5

8:00 AM Thursday

Thursday, July 6

8:00 AM

Friday, July 7

8:00 AM † Connie Markwick, Muñoz, Ewart & Guerrero families

† Gilbert Deuce Herrera For his Anniversary By the Rosenbaum Family

PRAY FOR THE SICK



With care and compassion, we pray for:

Mary & Juan Antonio Gutierrez, Stella Sanchez, Danny & Dora Loya, Leon & Hilda Pharma, Rosario Cruz, Ruth White, Carolina Lopez, Adrian Musquez, Leticia Musquez, 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.

Bulletin Deadline

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

Thank you.

MASS SCHEDULE				I	
Date	Time	USHERS	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat., July 1	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Beatrice Hernandez	Lisa Blanton	Andres Hernandez, Theresa Salazar, Adam Garcia
Sun., July 2	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Mary Ortiz	Susana Morón	Daniel Hinojosa, Krislynn Cuellar, Arturo Martinez IV
Sat., July 8	5:00 PM	Luis Hernandez Michael Deleon	Elfida Garcia	Salvador Andrade	Araceli Hernandez, Rayleigh Guerra, Catalina Sanchez
Sun., July 9	10:00 AM	Jimmy Cardenas Ernest Orozco	Susana Martinez	Janie Maldonado	Rico Flores & Mia Flores

AUDITORS

July 2
Kimberly Cuellar,
Luis Hernandez
July 9
Juanita Cruz,
Elfida Garcia
July 16
Rosalinda Orozco,
Margaret Mesquita
July 23
Janie Maldonado,
Alice Sanchez
July 30
Kimberly Cuellar,

Luis Hernandez

OT XIII [A] (July 2) 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

The common theme of today's readings is the witnessing mission given to Christ's followers to love God and our brothers and sisters through hospitality, generosity, commitment in humble service, and the practice of corporal and spiritual works (acts) of mercy (charity). The readings also remind us of the sacrifice demanded of Jesus' disciples and the suffering they will endure for their Faith when they bear witness to Jesus.

Scripture: In our first reading, we see, the welcome given to the prophet Elisha by an elderly, childless couple who lived in Shunem. The wife recognized the holiness of Elisha. She showed him reverence and hospitality by inviting him to dine with her and her husband and by arranging an upper room of their house so that Elisha might stay with them when he visited the area. In response, Elisha promised her, "This time next year you will be fondling a baby son." The promise was fulfilled by God. Today's Responsorial Psalm (Ps 89). reminds us that we are the children of God Who tells us, "My mercy[kindness] is established forever." The second reading, taken from Paul's letter to the Romans, explains why those who care for the followers of Jesus are caring for Jesus himself, and those who show hospitality to any one of them are eligible for a reward. By our Baptism, we have been baptized into Jesus' death and buried with him, and we look forward to our resurrection with him (Rom 6:5). Since Baptism is our entrée into this new life, it makes us part of the Body of Christ, and Christ is truly present in us. That is why the one who welcomes us welcomes Christ and becomes eligible for a reward. Today's Gospel lesson concludes Jesus' great "missionary discourse" in which he instructs the twelve apostles on the cost and the reward of the commitment required of a disciple. The first half of these savings of Jesus details the behavior expected of his disciples, and the second half speaks of the behavior expected of others towards the disciples. Jesus assures his disciples that whoever shows them hospitality will be blessed. Those who receive Jesus receive the One who sent him. Also, those who help the "little ones," (believers) and the poor, the sick, and the needy will be amply rewarded.

Life message: 1) We need to be hospitable and generous: Hospitality means acknowledging the presence of God in others and serving Him in them, especially those in whom we least expect to find Him. We, as individuals and as a community, are to look for opportunities to be hospitableand, of course, there are plenty of ways of offering hospitality. Maybe hospitality is offered through a kind word to a stranger - or even a smile. A kind smile or a "hello" to someone waiting with us in a grocery line may be the only kindness that person encounters all day. We become fully alive as Christians through the generous giving of ourselves. What is more important than the sending of checks for charitable causes is the giving of ourselves to people, primarily in the way we think about them, for from that spring will flow the ways we speak to them and about them, forgive their failings, encourage them, show them respect, console them, and offer them help. Such generosity reflects warmth radiating from the very love of God.

May you have a happy and safe 4th of July



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

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

Baptisms will take place 3^{rd} 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.



WEEKLY OFFERING

June 25th, 2023

Envelope Collection \$1,460.61 Loose Collection \$330.70 Total **\$1,791.31**

Second Collection \$333.36

May God bless you for your selfless sacrifice

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH 2023 EVENTS OF THE YEAR

(Tentative)

July 2: Fourth of July Bingo

16: Guadalupanas Bake Sale

August 4,5,6: Vacation Bible School

13: Guadalupanas Bake Sale

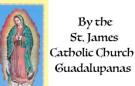
September 3: Bingo

November 4: Fiesta

December 10: Christmas Celebration

23: Posada





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St. James has launched a new phone app called Tabella to send out announcements so that you may stay informed.



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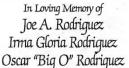


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In Loving Memory of Garlos "Ghale" Salazar Sr. by his wife Valentina L. Salazar his children Viola, Connie, Susanna, Garlos, Jr. & Eddie and his grand children

In Loving Memory of The Longoria Family and Salazar Family By Valentina Salazar and Family

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.