



St. James Roman Catholic Parish

A Faith and Family Community

19640 N. 35th Avenue, Glendale, Arizona 85308

Phone 623-581-0707 † Fax 623-581-0110

www.stjames-greater.com

Mission Statement

St. James Roman Catholic Parish is a warm and welcoming, Christ centered community, dedicated to the service of all.

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time / XXVII Domingo ordinario

October 6, 2024 / 6 de Octubre de 2024



Mark 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Warning: The Parish's Parking Lot's Repairs Cause Some Closure

Monday through Thursday, October 7-10, the St. James Office will be closed during the repair and resurfacing of the Parking Lot. Anyone coming to Daily Mass on those days please park your vehicle in the dirt parking lot by the south side of the Hall. Someone will be stationed in the Hall to assist you in entering by those doors.

Weekend Masses † Saturday - 4:00PM

Sunday - 7:30AM-9:00AM-11:00AM-1:00PM (Español)-6:00PM

Daily Mass † Wednesday - 7:00PM

Monday-Tuesday-Thursday-Friday-Saturday - 8:00AM

Holy Days † Please consult the Parish Office

Reconciliation † 2nd & 4th Wednesdays - 6:00PM-6:45PM

Saturday - 2:00PM - 3:30PM, Or by appointment / o con cita previa

Parish Office Hours † Sunday - 8:00AM-2:00PM /

Monday-Thursday - 9:00AM-Noon 12:30PM-4PM /

Friday - 9:00AM-Noon / Saturday - 2:00PM-5:30PM

OUT OF RESPECT

WE ARE ASKING YOU TO COOPERATE WITH THE SECURITY TEAM WHEN THEY ASK YOU **NOT** TO (RE)ENTER THE CHURCH DURING CONSECRATION OF THE HOST AND WINE, THE READINGS, THE GOSPEL AND THE HOMILY.

IMPORTANT MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Tues., Oct. 8, Pastoral Council

Thurs., Oct. 10, Finance Council

Sat., Oct. 12, Brand and Style Guide Committee

COMING EVENTS

SUN., OCT. 13 AT 11:30 - 3PM, NACHO AND MORE IN THE HALL

FRI. & SAT., OCT. 18 (7AM - 4:00PM) & 19 (7AM - 2PM): RUMMAGE SALE

SAT., OCT 26 FROM 5:00PM UNTIL 8:00PM: TRUNK OR TREAT

SAT. & SUN., NOV. 23RD AND 24TH: CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

YOUR ST. JAMES STAFF

- | | |
|--|---|
| † Pastor | Fr. Ben Onegiu, AJ |
| † Parochial Vicar | Fr. Felix Kauta, AJ |
| † Deacons | Dcn. Frank Devine
Dcn. Ron TenBarge |
| † Sisters in Residence | Sr. Betty Banja, S.H.S.
Sr. Rose Santa Acan, S.H.S. |
| • Office Manager | Kristy Hillhouse Ext. 101 |
| Administrative Assistant | Terri Simonetta |
| • Director Liturgy & RE | Sr. Sophie Lado, S.H.S. |
| Formation Assistant | Terri Simonetta |
| Youth Minister | Brianna Chavez |
| • Director of Music | James Poppleton |
| Assistant Music Director | Mike Giacalone |
| • Receptionist | Joanne Trentacoste |
| • Facilities Manager | Rene Vera Ext 116 |
| Maintenance | Martin Sanchez |
| • SET Coordinator | Christina Metelski |
| • Gift Shop | Mary Ann Zimmerman Ext 120 |
| • Funeral Coordinator | Deacon Frank Devine |
| • Bulletin Editor | Gretchen Fenninger |
| • Communications Coordinator | Thelia Morris |
| • Office Volunteers | Carol Brown
Grace Miller
Irene Molette
Bobbi Paul
Angie Radau |
| • St. Vincent DePaul | Phone: 623-581-0728 |
| • Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home | Phone: 623-936-1710
(Available 24 hours) |

YOUR ST. JAMES COUNCIL MEMBERS

Pastoral Council: PastoralCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Chair - Bobbi Paul ▪ Vice Chair - Isabel Rogel ▪ Awichu Akwanya ▪ Marge Beach ▪ David Callaghan ▪ Gretchen Fenninger ▪ Jill Frier ▪ Cindy Lancaster ▪ Vince Paul - Knights of Columbus Liaison ▪ Andrew Thomas ▪ Florence Zelman-Fedde

Finance Council: FinanceCouncil@stjames-greater.com

Co-Chairs - Scott Frier and Elaine Gress ▪ Peace Agube ▪ Michael McManus ▪ Rob Miller ▪ DeAnn Norman ▪ Jim Strebler ▪ James Volz

Online Giving

St. James is set up to do automatic payments (ACH) from your checking or savings accounts. The parish will receive your contribution, even if you are out of town or out of state.

If you are interested, please stop by the Parish Office to complete an authorization form or follow the link on our website:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/PS-1351/>

Accounts will be debited on or after the 27th of each month.

THE WEEK AT ST. JAMES . . .

Daily Mass M,T,TH,F,S at 8:00AM and Wed at 7PM

Mon., Oct 7 8:00AM-DAILY MASS - PARK BY HALL
PARKING LOT REPAIR OFFICE CLOSED

Tue., Oct 8 8:00AM-DAILY MASS - PARK BY HALL
PARKING LOT REPAIR OFFICE CLOSED
6:30PM PASTORAL COUNCIL

Wed., Oct 9 PARKING LOT REPAIR OFFICE CLOSED
No Rummage Sorting Today
7:00PM-DAILY MASS - PARK BY HALL

Thu., Oct 10 8:00AM-DAILY MASS - PARK BY HALL
PARKING LOT REPAIR OFFICE CLOSED
5:00PM - 6:30PM Español Coro Practicar
6:30PM - 8:00PM FINANCE COUNCIL
6:30PM - 8:00PM OCIA
6:30PM - 8:00PM Cursillo
7:00PM - English Choir Practice

Fri., Oct 11 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
8:30AM - 4:00PM ADORATION
4:00PM BENEDICTION

Sat., Oct 12 8:00AM-DAILY MASS
9:00am - 11:00am Pastoral Council Brand & Style Guide Committee
2:00PM - 3:30PM RECONCILIATION
4:00PM VIGIL MASS

Sun., Oct 13 MASSES: 7:30 AM; 9:00AM, 11:00AM (CLOW), 1:00PM (Español), 6:00PM Mass (Youth Mass)
8:00AM - 11:00AM Safe Environment Training Status
11:00 AM - 2:30PM Nacho and More—Gift Shop Fund Raiser
7:00PM - 8:30PM Teen Group

Sunday, September 29th 2024

Sunday, September 29, 2024 Offertory:

\$20,363.17

Weekly Offertory Budget: \$14,115.00

Our goal is for the Plate Income to cover all Parish expenses.

Thank you for your generosity.



ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

Day	Date	Time	Mass Intention	Comment	Readings	Saint(s) with Feast Day
Mon.	7-Oct	8:00 AM	Seminarian Nathan Miller	Special Intention	GAL 1:6-12; LK 10:25-37	Our Lady of the Rosary
Tues	8-Oct	8:00 AM	Joey Benedetto	Deceased	GAL 1:13-24; LK 10:38-42	
Weds.	9-Oct	7:00 PM	Amy Turner	Deceased	Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Lk 11:1-4	Saint John Leonardi, Priest; Saint Denis, Bishop and Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs
Thurs.	10-Oct	8:00 AM	Connie Krucok	Special Intention	GAL 3:1-5; LK 11:5-13	
Fri.	11-Oct	8:00 AM	Katherine Hart	Deceased	GAL 3:7-14; LK 11:15-26	Saint John XXIII, Pope
Sat.	12-Oct	8:00 AM	Carolyn Gibbons	Deceased	GAL 3:22-29; LK 11:27-28	Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		4:00PM	Eugene and Grace Miller	28th Wedding Anniversary		
Sun.	13-Oct	7:30 AM	Luisa Hernandez	Deceased	Wis 7:7-11	
		9:00 AM	Ed Wilcox	Deceased	Heb 4:12-13	
		11:00 AM	St. James Parishioners		Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27	
		1:00 PM	Jose Sadot Aparicio	Deceased		
		6:00 PM	Shirley Wilderman	Deceased		



Mass Intentions

Masses are still available on the following dates:

Nov 9, 16, 23, 30

Dec 4, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 20, 22, 28, 29, 30, 31

Those dates above have one or more Masses currently open. We encourage you to request a special day to have your Mass intentions. In an effort to accommodate everyone, we respectfully ask that requests be limited to no more than two Masses within the same week, Mon-Sat or one Sunday Mass. Please stop by the Parish office.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every **Friday** beginning at 8:30 AM and concludes at 4:00 PM. Come visit Jesus, the Prince of Peace, the Creator of the Universe, the Merciful Savior, for just one of these Hours.

During exposition, Jesus cannot be left unattended. Adoration = ONE hour.

We have been told that Jesus has been left alone recently. To prevent this we are requesting that we have 2 people sign up for each hour. Please stop by the office if you have an hour between 8:30 and 4 on Fridays that you can spend visiting Jesus.

Sacrament of Baptism

Sacramento de Bautismo

Please contact Terri-Ext 104.

Must be a registered parishioner for six months. Preparation classes are required. A brochure is available in the church foyer.

Sacrament of Marriage

Sacramento de MatrimonioN

Nine months in advance. Preparation classes are required.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office when seriously ill.

Please pray for the sick in our community, especially those from our Parish.

Eric Abraham, Anaya, Baylor Anderson, Marge Beach, Joe Benedetto, Laura Conrady Blum, Stephen Brown, Gary Burr, Timothy Castelli, Kim Center, Martha Coronado, Joyce Coronel, Ofelia Cruz and Family, Julianna DeMello, Margo Duepner, Virginia Duran, Marcus Riley Emerson and Family, Cathy Faga, Brian Ferber, Damas Francis, Josephine Francis, Robert Gallegos, Fernando Garcia, Ezexiel Gonzalez, Luisa Gonzales, Nancy and Don Gorny, Liz and Tom Grace, Geoff Grassau, Denie Hall, Sondra Hare, Weston Heiser, Bill Hoelke, Dave Hornbeek, John Houder, John Ingram, Sr., Leslie Irwin, Ann Iusi, Brian Jones, Michael Knecht, Krista, Bud Lucy, Regina Lucy, Diana O. Macandog, Adriana Maldonado, Tom Martell, Donna Mathews, Michael Mathews, Tim Matlack, Rejy Matyniak, Sean McCarty, Jimmy McWilliams, Kim Monthie, Marie Agnes Mukandinda, Bill Onacki, Charles Palame, Peter Palame, Vince Paul, Hal Pawlowski, Vanessa Perez-Bustos, Ken Pritchett, Elizabeth Ornelas Racanelli, Mia Racanelli, Vinnie Racanelli, Gabriel Reed, Larry Ryan, Lauren Rodriguez, Eduardo Serna & Family, Janice Swiebocki, Francine Tackett, Connie Tirisie, Jim Trentacoste, Anthony Valencia, Cynthia Alvarez Valenzuela, Joseph Vignali, David Whitton

Please also remember our homebound parishioners and their caregivers in your prayers.

† Please pray for those who have died and their families. † Theresa Kauffman †

Pray For All of Our Service Men and Women.

"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior." AMEN.

St. James Youth and Teen Formation Updates

Kinder– 6th grade

Our next Family Formation night is **November 6th** at 6pm. The topic of the night is: Jesus, my Friend and Savior.

If you are registered and missed October's Family Formation night, please contact Ms. Terri to coordinate picking up your Home Lessons.



Thank you to all who attended Family Formation night. If you need any assistance with your Home Lessons please contact Ms. Terri in the office.

We are praying for your families.

YOUTH MINISTRY



Teen Group is for students in **9th - 12th grade**. This group meets on Sundays after the 6pm Youth Mass. Please stop by the office to register. **Registration is ongoing.** Come check it out!



Junior High Group is for **ALL students in 7th and 8th grade**. Students meet on Tuesdays from 6pm to 7:30pm and runs September to May. **Registration is ongoing.** Come join the fun!



Teen Confirmation class:

Parents, please check your email for very important information on how the students can access their online workbook.

Our next in person class is October 24th.

Chapters 3 and 4 should be completed online before Oct. 24.

Jesus is the Good Shepherd



Last week the Teen Group had an exercise in how to not be misled.



First Reconciliation Prep. Class

Our next class is **October 23rd at 6pm.**

(Registration is closed for this class)

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

GOSPEL - Mk 10:2-16

The Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, "Is it lawful for a husband to divorce his wife?" They were testing him.

He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?"

They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her."

But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, *God made them male and female. For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.* So they are no longer two but one flesh.

Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." In the house the disciples again questioned Jesus about this.

He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery."

And people were bringing children to him that he might touch them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this he became indignant and said to them, "Let the children come to me; do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child

will not enter it." Then he embraced them and blessed them, placing his hands on them.

Evangelio - Mc 10, 2 - 16

En aquel tiempo, se acercaron a Jesús unos fariseos y le preguntaron, para ponerlo a prueba: "¿Le es lícito a un hombre divorciarse de su esposa?"

Él les respondió: "¿Qué les prescribió Moisés?" Ellos contestaron: "Moisés nos permitió el divorcio mediante la entrega de un acta de divorcio a la esposa". Jesús les dijo: "Moisés prescribió esto, debido a la dureza del corazón de ustedes. Pero desde el principio, al crearlos, Dios los hizo hombre y mujer. *Por eso dejará el hombre a su padre y a su madre y se unirá a su esposa y serán los dos una sola cosa. De modo que ya no son dos, sino una sola cosa.* Por eso, lo que Dios unió, que no lo separe el hombre".

Ya en casa, los discípulos le volvieron a preguntar sobre el asunto. Jesús les dijo: "Si uno se divorcia de su esposa y se casa con otra, comete adulterio contra la primera. Y si ella se divorcia de su marido y se casa con otro, comete adulterio".

Después de esto, la gente le llevó a Jesús unos niños para que los tocara, pero los discípulos trataban de impedirlo.

Al ver aquello, Jesús se disgustó y les dijo: "Dejen que los niños se acerquen a mí y no se lo impidan, porque el Reino de Dios es de los que son como ellos. Les aseguro que el que no reciba el Reino de Dios como un niño, no entrará en él".

Después tomó en brazos a los niños y los bendijo imponiéndoles las manos.

St. James Future Events

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Occasion</u>	<u>Location/Comment</u>
Fri & Sat	Oct 18 & 19	7:00AM - 4:00PM 7:00AM - 2:00PM	Rummage Grounds & Hall	Next Rummage Sale	
Sat	Oct 26	5:00PM - 8:00PM	Hall & South of Hall	Fall Festival including Trunk or Treat	
Sat & Sun	Nov 23 & 24	TBA	Hall	Christmas Bazaar	

REFLECTIONS ON THE 27TH SUNDAY.

It is the first Sunday of October, and this month is dedicated to our Blessed Mother, the month of the Rosary. Homilies this month will be reflecting on the role and the place of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the plan of salvation and in our lives in general. Today, however, I would like to connect the message of this Sunday's readings to the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, with a special emphasis on St. Joseph.

The first reading was taken from the second account of the creation narrative (Genesis 2:24-25). According to the first narrative of creation, (Genesis 1:1-25), a man and a woman are created instantaneously through God's words. God said, "*Let us make human being in our own image*" (Genesis 1:1-26). In the second account, however, a man and a woman are created through God's hands and separately. God first makes a man using dust of the ground. Then makes a woman from the rib of a man. (Genesis 2:7, 18-22). The main teaching from this reading is that God has created a man and woman to be collaborators with each other and with God. Man and woman are "co-creators". They are at the same called to complement each other and to be interdependent.

The second reading, we are reminded that a man and woman are consecrated human beings (Hebrew 2:11). In the priestly prayer, Jesus says that we may be consecrated in truth (John 17:17).

In today's Gospel Jesus speaks about marriage as Covenant of enduring love between a man and a woman. Jesus also emphasizes that the marriage bond is indissoluble. "*What God has joined together, no human beings must separate*" (Mark 10:9). He confirms this teaching as coming directly from God, that through marriage the two become one flesh (Genesis 2:24).

For us Christians, we look at the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph as an exemplary family to be imitated by all. Three years ago, we were blessed to have the year dedicated to St. Joseph.

Who is St. Joseph? In December 2020, Pope Francis issued a letter, *Patris corde* (With the Fathers Heart), on the 150th anniversary of the proclamation of St. Joseph as the patron of the Universal Church. Pope Francis mentions some qualities of St. Joseph which I wish to reiterate. He is a father, beloved, tender, loving, obedient, accepting, creative, courageous, working and always in the shadows. St. Joseph exhibited these qualities as he took care of the Holy Family in Nazareth. These same qualities of St. Joseph, are expected to be found in all fathers in our various families. St. Joseph also a model to be followed by all boys, young men, husbands, fathers, fathers-in-law, grandfathers, etc.

St. Joseph was a humble man who accepted being in the shadows of Jesus and Mary. Being in the shadow, in a positive way, St. Joseph always lets Mary and Jesus shine. Like St. John the Baptist speaking about Jesus Christ, St. Joseph had to decrease so that Mary and Jesus may increase (John 3:30). He disappeared from the scene so that Mary and Jesus may appear clearly. He kept silent so that they may speak to us. St. Joseph is an example of fathers who are not domineering but fathers who are always caring.

Pope Francis compares St. Joseph's being in the shadow to the ordinary people of our time. During the pandemic we saw this in the dedication of the doctors, nurses and the first responders who took care of the victims of Covid-19. Those people offered hope to victims and yet remained unnoticed, like St. Joseph. If you are disappointed because people do not praise you when you do something good, then learn from St. Joseph. St Joseph was called to play a vital role at the crossroads of the Old and the New Testaments. His was the time of uncertainty, obscurity and confusion. He was a person of tender love and patience and he accepted Gods plan, especially those engulfed by obscurity.

We pray for our families to be always fashioned and pattern their lives on the Holy Family.

REFLEXIONES DEL DOMINGO 27.

Es el primer domingo de octubre, y este mes está dedicado a nuestra Santísima Madre, el mes del Rosario. Las homilías de este mes reflexionarán sobre el papel y el lugar de la Santísima Virgen María en el plan de salvación y en nuestras vidas en general. Hoy, sin embargo, me gustaría conectar el mensaje de las lecturas de este domingo con la Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y José, con especial énfasis en San José.

La primera lectura fue tomada del segundo relato de la narración de la creación (Génesis 2:24-25). Según la primera narración de la creación (Génesis 1:1-25), un hombre y una mujer son creados instantáneamente a través de las palabras de Dios. Dios dijo: "Hagamos al ser humano a nuestra imagen" (Génesis 1:1-26). En el segundo relato, sin embargo, un hombre y una mujer son creados por las manos de Dios y por separado. Dios primero hace al hombre usando el polvo de la tierra. Luego hace una mujer de la costilla de un hombre. (Génesis 2:7, 18-22). La enseñanza principal de esta lectura es que Dios ha creado a un hombre y a una mujer para que sean colaboradores entre sí y con Dios. El hombre y la mujer son "cocreadores". Están al mismo tiempo llamados a complementarse y a ser interdependientes.

En la segunda lectura, se nos recuerda que el hombre y la mujer son seres humanos consagrados (Hebreos 2:11). En la oración sacerdotal, Jesús dice que seamos consagrados en la verdad (Juan 17,17).

En el evangelio de hoy Jesús habla del matrimonio como alianza de amor duradero entre un hombre y una mujer. Jesús también subraya que el vínculo matrimonial es indisoluble. "Lo que Dios ha unido, no lo separe el hombre" (Marcos 10:9). Él confirma que esta enseñanza proviene directamente de Dios, que a través del matrimonio los dos se convierten en una sola carne (Génesis 2:24).

Nosotros los cristianos miramos a la Sagrada Familia de Jesús, María y José como una familia ejemplar a ser imitada por todos. Hace tres años, tuvimos la suerte de dedicar el año a San José.

¿Quién es San José? En diciembre de 2020, el Papa Francisco emitió una carta, *Patris corde* (Con el corazón del Padre), en el 150 aniversario de la proclamación de San José como patrón de la Iglesia Universal. El Papa Francisco menciona algunas cualidades de San José que deseo reiterar. Es padre, amado, tierno, amoroso, obediente, acogedor, creativo, valiente, trabajador y siempre en la sombra. San José exhibió estas cualidades mientras cuidaba de la Sagrada Familia en Nazaret. Se espera que estas mismas cualidades de San José se encuentren en todos los padres de nuestras diversas familias. San José también es un modelo a seguir por todos los niños, jóvenes, maridos, padres, suegros, abuelos, etc.

San José fue un hombre humilde que aceptó estar a la sombra de Jesús y María. Al estar en la sombra, de manera positiva, San José siempre deja brillar a María y a Jesús. Como San Juan Bautista hablando de Jesucristo, San José se tuvo que menguar para que María y Jesús crecieran (Juan 3:30). Desapareció de escena para que María y Jesús aparecieran claramente. Él guardó silencio para que nos hablaran. San José es un ejemplo de padres que no son dominantes sino de padres que siempre se preocupan.

El Papa Francisco compara el hecho de que San José esté en la sombra con la gente común de nuestro tiempo. Durante la pandemia vimos esto en la dedicación de los médicos, enfermeras y socorristas que atendieron a las víctimas de Covid-19. Esas personas ofrecieron esperanza a las víctimas y, sin embargo, pasaron desapercibidas, como San José. Si estás decepcionado porque la gente no te elogia cuando haces algo bueno, entonces aprende de San José. San José fue llamado a desempeñar un papel vital en la encrucijada del Antiguo y el Nuevo Testamento. La suya fue la época de la incertidumbre, la oscuridad y la confusión. Era una persona de tierno amor y paciencia y aceptaba el plan de Dios, especialmente aquellos sumidos en la oscuridad.

Oramos para que nuestras familias estén siempre modeladas y modelen sus vidas según la Sagrada Familia.



- Small group Bible Studies
 - English and Espanol Groups
 - Meeting weekly in our homes
 - Days and times vary by group
-
- Estudios bíblicos en grupos pequeños
 - Grupos en Ingles y Español
 - Reunión semanal en nuestras casas
 - Los días y horarios varían según el grupo

Contact bpaulsjc@gmail.com or inquire in the Parish office



OCIA at St. James

Thursday, 6:30PM until 8:00PM

Do you Know God?

Do you know your place in His plan?

Do you ever have time for Him besides Sunday's Mass?

Have you received Baptism, Holy Communion, Penance and/or Confirmation?

If you answered "No" to any of these, you need OCIA!!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST. JOHN FISHER COUNCIL #12856 GLENDALE, AZ

[St. John Fisher Council #12856 \(uknight.org\)](http://uknight.org)

Monthly Meeting - 1st Tuesday of the Month

St. James Parish Hall

All Catholic Men Are Welcome



Legion of Mary

Mother of God

Meets in St. James Hall



WE MEET IN THE HALL ON TUESDAYS AT 6:00 PM



"Be not afraid!"

"Come follow me...." Prayerfully consider participating as a Liturgical Minister: *Minister of the Word, Minister of Holy Communion, and Minister of Hospitality.*

The Lord callsordinary people to do extraordinary things...

The pandemic, death, aging, illness, and moving has severely altered our liturgical ministry. We seek to grow our Liturgical team for all Masses.

The Lord calls us to Stewardship; to examine our Time and Talents and to share them with one another. **Training and Retraining is done by Appointment.**

Please leave your name and contact information with the receptionist in the church office, 623.581.0707

We need your prayers.

Please prayerfully consider participating in the St. James Prayer Chain which is an informal email notification for prayer intentions. To become a participant, or "prayer partner", simply email prayerchain@stjames-greater.com. Your email address will be kept private.

Do you need prayers?

Your requests for prayers can be emailed to the same address and we will include your request in our prayers. Prayers for you, loved ones, friends, etc. Please obtain permission before submitting another person. Questions may also be sent to the above email address, or leave a message at the Parish office or 623-581-0707.



FELLOWSHIP IN ST JAMES
HALL
SUNDAYS FOLLOWING
THE 7:30, 9:00 AND 11:00
MASSES!

COME MEET YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS
AND HAVE DONUTS AND COFFEE (\$1.00 EA.)



Amazon Charity Lists

(catholiccharitiesaz.org)

Under "Central Program" List
look for

Refugee Resettlement / UMP



**What Can I Do
To Help Stop Abortion?**

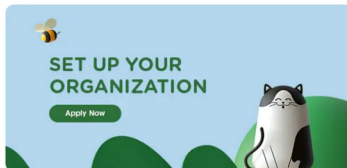
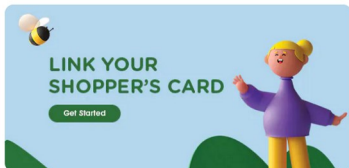
www.pro.life



St. James can earn Cash from Fry's via
your linking your Fry's Card to St. James.

Many Thanks to the participating St. James Parishion-
ers! On October 3rd we received a Check for \$242.46
from Kroger for your Fry's Purchases!

Fry's Community Rewards - Fry's Food Stores (frysfood.com)



SVdP News: In today's Gospel, Jesus
tells his disciples, "Let the children come to
me...for the kingdom of God belongs to such
as these."

This week, please help the Society of St.
Vincent de Paul to bring the love and mercy of Jesus to
children who are hungry and cold.

This week our Pantry needs, pasta, jelly, canned fruit,
and soup.

We cannot better assure our eternal happiness than
by living and dying in the service of the poor, in the
arms of Providence, and with genuine renouncement
of ourselves in order to follow Jesus Christ.

GIFT SHOP

FEATURE ITEM:

**This lovely angel with red hair
and a carrying a gold cross is a
great addition to any décor.**

Ceramic and only 7" tall.

Buy for yourself or give as a gift.



Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop
St. James the Greater - Glendale, AZ

The Gift Shop is open Sundays 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Also Open by Appointment

Follow us on Instagram **@stjamesgiftshop**

Volunteers Needed for the Gift Shop and Donut Ministries
Contact Mary Ann in the gift shop for details."

Visit St. James' Gift Shop Online!

<https://www.stjamesgreatergiftshop.org>



Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop
St. James the Greater - Glendale, AZ

HOME Gift Shop Seasonal Shop Raffle! Unique Finds Contact Blog
All sales from our gift shop directly support St. James Parish



ST. JAMES GIFT CARD PROGRAM

You can turn an everyday purchases into a fundraiser for St
James. Please consider purchasing gift cards for your favorite
places and support St James. You pay only the face value of the
card. St James receives a percentage of the card at NO cost to
you. This is just a small example of what is available:



**Please place your orders in the
office by Sunday, Oct. 20th 2024**

Stop at the Parish Office to pick up
an order form.

Questions? Contact Irene Molette
at the Office, 623.581.0707

Safe Environment Training (SET) Renewal Time

Use **cmgconnect.org** to access the SET Training.

Once you have completed the 2024/2025 training, then go to the upper left and click on Dashboard. Once that opens on the right look at their expiration date. If it says 07/01/24 or 07/01/25 then go to the background check box below and complete the information. Remember once you have completed the information click ONLY ONCE on the submit bar. The system has been slow but it will Read it.

Once you are done and if you have any doubts about what you have completed call Chris and she will Check. You can also contact Chris if you have any issues, forgot your username or password.

Please plan on getting this Renewal done early.

Active Shooter Class on Tues 10/22/24 at 6:30 in the Church.

. All Security team members, hospitality, EM, lectors, altar staff and choir should attend. All parishioners should attend.



**Any Youth volunteer who has graduated from high school and turned 18 years old
Must take the Adult Safe Environment Training.**

Please call the office and make an appointment with Chris to do your Foundation Class and complete all paperwork



*****THE SECURITY TEAM HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ENSURE THAT THE CHURCH IS NOT
(RE)ENTERED DURING THE CONSECRATION OF THE HOST AND WINE, THE READINGS,
THE GOSPEL AND THE HOMILY.*****



Children will not be allowed to go to the bathroom by themselves.

Small children and young teens need to be supervised,

In case of an emergency Security will be busy securing doors or evacuating people.



New Volunteers Always Needed

Our Security Volunteers at St. James would enjoy welcoming some Additional Volunteers to their very important Ministry! This would give some relief to volunteers who sometimes have to work every Sunday. If interested please contact Chris via the St. James Office, 623.581.0707.

Rummage Report

Rummage needs additional volunteers for sorting on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Several volunteers are unable to help at the moment because of health issues.

At the moment, we are sorting at 7 a.m. on Wednesdays, usually for a couple of hours. Saturdays as needed.

We need more donations for the October sale and the Christmas Bazaar.

We don't have room for any more furniture and we have a lot of clothing,

We need household items such as linens, kitchen items, etc. Also toys & crafting supplies, books, etc.

And Christmas items for the Christmas Bazaar.

Our next sale will be October 18th & 19th.

We look forward to having a larger sale outside and hope the weather will be cooler by then.

Volunteer Help Needed

Churches always need volunteer assistance in many areas. The following are some specific areas of St. James that need help at the this time:

Admin Assistance

For Wednesday and Thursday Afternoons we need folks who can answer the phone, greet visitors and assist them in completing any forms they need to submit, e.g. Parish Registration, Mass Intention, Prayer List Request, etc.

Computer Savvy Person to Learn How to Live Stream Church Services

Training and usage requires that the persons be available Weekday and Saturday mornings. Please contact Gretchen at St. James, gretchen@stjames.com.

Gift Shop

The Gift Shop has an opening volunteer position to help with the social media marketing. You can work from home. If interested, please contact Mary Ann in the gift shop or call the office (623.581.0707) to leave a message.

Rosary Makers

Beginning in October Our Lady's Rosary Makers will start making rosaries again. All supplies and instructions will be provided. Work will be done on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month from 10:00AM until Noon in the Hall. If interested please leave your name and phone number at the Front Office and someone will contact you.



The committee for Trunk or Treat needs donations of Candy to be given out the night of the festival.

Please give donations to the office by October 23rd.

Thank you!

Help Wanted - Part Time Maintenance Staff Position

An experienced individual in Janitorial and Maintenance is needed for Evenings and Weekends.

If you are interested please contact the St. James Office at 623.581.0707

Se busca ayuda: puesto de personal de mantenimiento a tiempo parcial

Se necesita una persona con experiencia en limpieza y mantenimiento para las tardes y los fines de semana.

Si está interesado, comuníquese con la oficina de St. James al 623.581.0707.

ST JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC
RUMMAGE SALE



CLOTHES, SHOES, BOOKS, COLLECTIBLES & MORE

FRIDAY OCTOBER 18
7:00 AM TO 4:00 PM

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19
7:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

19640 NORTH 35TH AVENUE
GLENDALE, AZ 85308

NACHOS & MORE

Next Sunday, Oct. 13th
11:30AM until 3:00PM

IN THE PARISH HALL
COME JOIN US

MENU

Choice of Nachos, Hamburger, or Hot Dog.

Don't miss this great meal For only \$5.

Thank you for supporting St. James



FALL FEST @St. James



TRICK OR TREAT

SATURDAY OCTOBER 26 ST JAMES PARISH
5:00PM - 8:00PM

CANDY • GAMES • TRICK OR TREATING • FOOD
RAFFLES • MUSIC • FAMILY FUN

CAN & FOOD DONATIONS WILL BE COLLECTED FOR THE FOOD PANTRY
Don't forget to wear your "unscary" costume



On-Line Sign up for Trunk or Treat:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D45ADAF2FA4F49-51764229-stjames>



Services:

- Personal Care
- Non-skilled nursing
- Housekeeping
- Meal Preparation
- Socialization
- Transportation
- Hospice Care
- Meditation Reminders and Support.

DAINABEL HOMECARE AGENCY



602-813-6083

@dainabelcareagency.com

CELEBRATION

When planning an event, no matter how large, or how small, have you thought of using the St. James Hall?

The hall provides a convenient place to gather family and friends.

Interested, contact the St. James Office, 623.581.0707.

ST. JAMES IMMACULATE HEARTS GIFT SHOP (southwest corner of Parish Hall)



Bibles (English/Español), Variety of Rosaries, Holy Water Fonts and Bottles, 4" Statues, Wall Crucifixes, Medals, Rosary Bracelets, Pendants, Greeting cards, Chains and a selection of other items.

Open Sundays 8-1 PM