

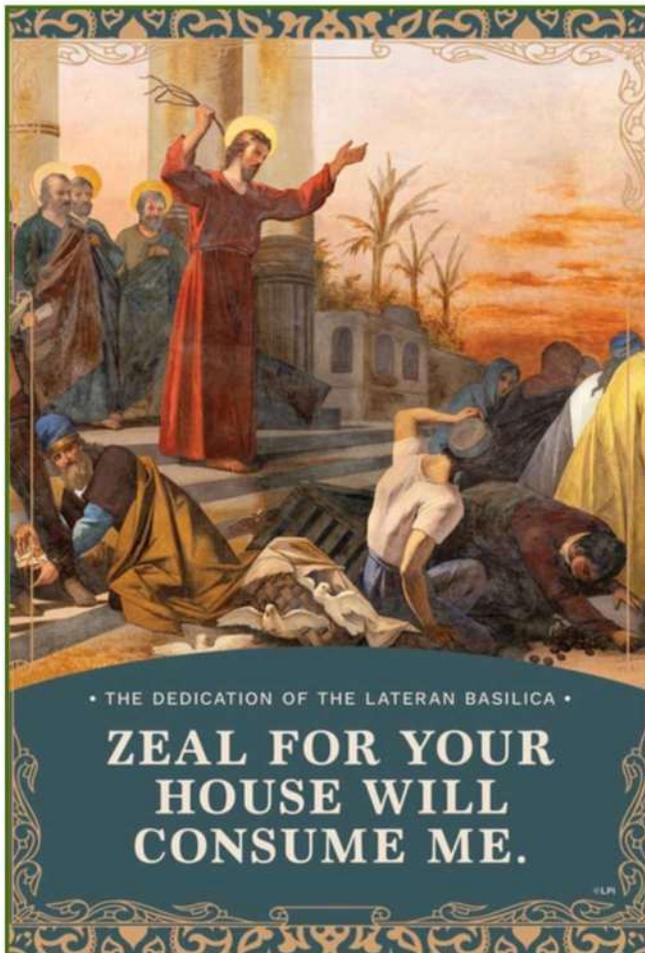


St. James Roman Catholic Parish

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

"Where you are a stranger, but once!"

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica / November 9, 2025
La dedicación a la basílica de Letrán / 9 de noviembre de 2025



Parish Hours

Weekend Masses † Saturday - 4:00PM

Sunday - 8:00AM - 10:00AM -

12:00PM (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 -

1:00PM /

Monday - Tuesday - Thursday - 9:00AM-

Noon 12:30PM - 4PM /

Wednesday & Friday - 9:00AM - Noon /

Saturday - 2:00PM - 4:00PM

St. Vincent de Paul † Pantry Phone: 623-

581-0728, Hours: Wednesday & Saturday

9:00AM until 11:30AM



ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH — A FAITH AND FAMILY COMMUNITY

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 Ext.104
Youth Minister Brianna Chavez Ext. 105
- **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
- **Funeral Coordinator** Gretchen Fenninger
James Poppleton
- **Bulletin Editor** Brianna Chavez
brianna@stjames-greater.com
- **Communications Coordinator** Thelia Morris
- **Office Volunteers** Carol Brown
Grace Miller
Irene Molette
Bobbi Paul
Angie Radau
Denise Burton
- **St. Vincent DePaul** Phone: 623-581-0728
- **Holy Cross Catholic** Phone: 623-936-1710
- **Cemetery & Funeral Home** (Available 24 hours)

Intentions

Monday, November 10th

8am — Elizabeth Grace (Deceased)

Tuesday, November 11th

8am — Living and Deceased St. James Veterans

Wednesday, November 12th

7pm — John Mette (Deceased)

Thursday, November 13th

8am — Gregg & Kirsten Hillhouse (Twins Birthday)

Friday, November 14th

8am — Fred and Ernie Sierra (Deceased)

Saturday, November 15th

8am — Gilbert and Daniel Kroll (Deceased)

4pm — St. James Parishioners

Sunday, November 16th

8am — Make Da & Tekle Berhan (Deceased)

10am — Jordan Dickerson (Deceased)

12pm — Alberto Gutierrez & Teodora Chavez (Deceased)

6pm — John Mette (Deceased)

St. James Council Members

Pastoral Council:

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

Finance Council:

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

Financial Blessings

Sunday, October 26, 2025 Offertory.....\$10,551.08

Weekly Offertory Budget.....\$14,115.00

THANK YOU
for your generosity

Use this QR Code to donate to St. James electronically



SCAN ME

Now you can support our parish by donating online!

Usa este código QR para donar a St. James electrónicamente



SCAN ME

Ahora puedes apoyar a tu parroquia ¡Donando en línea!

Monthly donations will be debited on or after the 27th of each month

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.

Phone 623-581-0707 † Fax 623-581-0110 † Web Site - www.stjames-greater.com † email - admin@stjames-greater.com

Sunday Readings

First Reading:

Along both banks of the river, fruit trees of every kind shall grow; their leaves shall not fade, nor their fruit fail. (Ez 47:1-2, 8-9,12)

Psalm:

The waters of the river gladden the city of God, the holy dwelling of the Most High! (Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9)

Second Reading:

Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? (1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17)

Gospel:

Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." (Jn 2:13-22)



Monday, November 10th

Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday, November 11th

Wis 2:23-3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday, November 12th

Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday, November 13th

Wis 7:22b-8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25

Friday, November 14th

Wis 13:1-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday, November 15th

Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8

This Week at St. James...

Monday, November 10th

8:00am –8:30am Daily Mass

Tuesday, November 11th

Veterans Day

8:00am –8:30am Daily Mass

9:00am –12:00pm Safe

Environment Training

Support

2:30pm –3:45pm Legion of

Mary

6:00pm –7:30pm Junior High

Group

6:00pm –8:00pm Pastoral

Council

Wednesday, November 12th

7:00am –11:00am Rummage

Sorting

9:00am –12:00pm Staff

Meeting

6:00pm –7:30pm First

Reconciliation Preparation

Class

6:00pm –6:45pm

Reconciliation

7:00pm –7:30pm Daily Mass

Thursday, November 13th

8:00am –8:30am Daily Mass

9:00am –12:00pm Safe

Environment Training

Support

10:00am –12:00pm Rosary

Makers

5:30pm –7:00pm Español

Coro Practicar

6:00pm –7:30pm Teen

Confirmation class

:30pm –8:00pm Finance

Council Meeting

7:00pm –8:30pm English

Choir Practice

Friday, November 14th

8:00am –8:30am Daily Mass

8:30am –4:00pm Adoration

4:00pm Benediction

6:00pm –8:00pm Young

Adults Group

Saturday, November 15th

Mass Times: 8am and 4pm

Pulpit Talk - Adobe Mountain

SVdP Envelope Collection

10:00am –11:00am Baptism

2:00pm –3:30pm

Reconciliation

Sunday, November 16th

Mass Times: 8:00am,

10am,12pm (Spanish), 6pm

Pulpit Talk - Adobe Mountain

SVdP Envelope Collection

7:00am –8:00am Choir

Rehearsal

9:00am –10:00am Choir

Rehearsal

9:00am –12:00pm Pancake

Breakfast

10:10am –10:35am CLOW

11:00am –12:00pm Choir

Rehearsal

11:15am –12:00pm Rosary

12:10pm –12:35pm CLOW

(Spanish)

1:15pm –1:45pm Rosary -

Divine Mercy Chaplet

2:00pm –4:00pm Christmas

Pageant Rehearsal

7:00pm –8:30pm Teen Group



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.

Important Information



St. James Parish is on a journey know, love, and serve Christ in our parish community. Together we must embrace Christ's vision for missionary discipleship so our parish can thrive and be a place for others to grow together in faith.

The very first step in this process involves assessing our greatest strengths and opportunities, and that is where the Disciple Maker Index (DMI) comes in! The DMI is an important survey tool that invites you to reflect on your discipleship journey here at St. James.

The Disciple Maker Index is designed to:

- Invite parishioners to reflect on their journey of discipleship.
- Enable parish leadership to make data-driven decisions.
- Help parishioners grow in their faith.

The 10–15-minute survey can be accessed through an online link from November 15 through December 31, 2025, and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide your perspective on our parish's efforts to help you grow in relationship with Christ. All responses will be confidential, and the parish will only receive information about the community as a whole. We will share the link with you a bit closer to the launch of the survey. Paper surveys will also be available for those who do not have the ability to complete the survey online.

Together we must embrace Christ's vision for missionary discipleship so our parish can thrive and be a place for others to grow together in faith.

Thank you for helping with this important project and please continue to pray for this intention and for the growth and protection of our parish.

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Did you know there are churches in Rome older than St. Peter's? St. John Lateran is one of four major basilicas in the Eternal City, and it is by far the oldest. The land was donated by an ancient Roman family to the Emperor Constantine, who in turn gave it to the Church. For hundreds of years, St. John Lateran was the "mother church." Popes lived on the grounds through the 14th century. The church itself suffered from pillaging by invaders, fires, and earthquakes. It has been restored and rebuilt five times since the 300s. On this feast, we remember more than a building. We celebrate the resiliency of our faith. Though trials may come in our parishes, personal lives, and the world, the Church endures through the grace of Jesus Christ.

Ministry Updates



ST JAMES CHRISTMAS PAGEANT 2025

TELL ONE, TELL ALL...St James Christmas Pageant is on **Friday, December 19, 2025 @ 7:00 pm.** (Children to arrive at 6:00 pm in costume.) Mandatory dress rehearsal Thursday, December 18th, time to be determined. **Adult and Youth Group volunteers are needed!**

We are inviting the children Pre K-6 grade to participate in the reenactment of "The Story of the Birth of Jesus". We are currently casting the following: Choir of Angels, *Innkeepers/Townspople, and *Shepherds, Stable Animals ages 3-5 (Camels, Cows, Donkeys and Lambs).

There is no cost to participate in this pageant, as costumes will be provided; however, there will be a free will offering on the day of the pageant. We do ask that you be as generous as possible as these funds go directly to the Children's and Music Ministries.

This is a wonderful Christmas gift your children can give to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! Don't miss out! If you are interested in signing up for this pageant, please contact Jeannie Mascaro through the front office.

ST. JAMES 'GREATER' HANGOUTS

YOUNG ADULTS' BIBLE STUDY

STORY OF SALVATION - "Three Promises that Changed the World"

NOVEMBER 14, 2025

AGES: 18-35 | TIME: 6-8PM

LOCATION: ST. JAMES PARISH HALL
19640 N 35TH AVE GLENDALE, AZ 85308

Meet new people and gain a deeper understanding of God's plan of Love - from Creation to Christ and beyond. All are welcome! Bring your Bible!

Family Formation!

Next Family Formation is
Wednesday, December 3rd
at 6pm.



First Reconciliation:
Next class is **November 12th at 6PM**

JOIN THE YOUTH GROUP



Junior High (6th - 8th grade):
Tuesdays 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Teen Group (9th - 12th Grade):
Sundays 7:00pm - 8:30pm



SPONSOR

Do you want to **help the youth group** but without the drama? **Sponsor a meal** for our **Teen Group** on **Sunday night**. From Lasagna to pizza to sandwiches, you make it, we eat it. To sign up just scan the QR code or contact Brianna via email, brianna@stjames-greater.com.

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 Matrimonio

Nine months in advance. Preparation classes are required.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office when seriously ill.

Stay Connected



**No Coffee and Donuts
on November 16th**

Enjoy a the pancake breakfast
instead provided by the Knights of
Columbus!



**This week our pantry
needs cereal, fruit and
canned vegetables.**

SVdP: In today's Gospel, Jesus promises that if the temple is destroyed, He will raise it up again in three days. This is the true hope He offers.

When you give to SVdP, you give a sign of hope to your neighbors who have nothing. Do you have a few hours a week to give back? Our Conference is in need of volunteers.

"Let us allow God to act; He brings things to completion when we least expect it."
St. Vincent de Paul

Do you have a few hours to give weekly? SVdP is in need of drivers to deliver food.

ADOBE MOUNTAIN THANKSGIVING DESSERTS

It's time for Adobe Mountain's School's Thanksgiving. For those of you that don't know, Adobe Mountain is Arizona States prison, housing the boys and girls under 18 years who break the laws of our communities. For many years, St. James has provided treats to the kids after their Thanksgiving dinners.



All treats must be purchased at grocery stores or bakeries and presented in their original package. Please leave the receipts with the treats.



Chaplain will pick up all treats by **11:30am on Wednesday, November 26th.**



Thank you for the love and care you have given these kids!



Liturgical Ministry Training



"Be not afraid" to serve! God calls each of us to share our gifts. Learn to serve as a *minister of the word, minister of the Holy Eucharist, and minister of hospitality.*

First Wednesdays at 10:00 AM

First Saturdays at 9:30 AM

Come, be part of something beautiful!

*Training and Retraining is done by Appointment.

Rosary Makers

Our Lady's Rosary Makers have started to meet again. Like all of our ministries they can use additional help. All supplies and instructions are provided.

**Work is 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 (623.581.0707) and someone will contact you.



**Thinking about becoming
Catholic?**

Calling all adults who have not finished their sacraments to join our OCIA program. We have started our classes but want YOU to join! Join us from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Parish Hall.

*Your Gifts have a Purpose -
Find a Ministry. Serve Your
Community.*

Choir, Altar Servers, Office Volunteers, etc.



Promote your business while supporting our parish! Purchasing an ad on the back of the bulletin helps you reach hundreds of local families each week. For details, contact the office.

What's Happening

DID YOU KNOW?

That as a registered parishioner at St. James, the cost for a funeral or hall usage will be less than for those not registered?



Just a few of the hundreds of Gift Cards available



Scrap order forms available in office; due by 3rd Sunday.
Need sooner? Order online! Enrollment Code available in office.

 RaiseRight.

Are you planning Black Friday shopping or maybe Cyber Monday shopping? You could help St James by using **gift cards ordered from St James by November 16th** for all your holiday shopping. These gift cards have no cost to you and can benefit St James greatly. Digital E gift cards are also available with the app or at their website. If you need help or have questions, please call the office. **Thank you for helping your parish!**

SAVE THE DATE

St. James Annual Christmas Bazaar will take place November 22nd and 23rd.

St. Vincent de Paul



Christmas Adopt-a-Family Program

Sponsors Needed

This is opportunity for individuals families or groups to sponsor one or more families in need during the holiday season.

If you are interested in donating please call 623-581-0728 and leave a message to request additional information about the program.

Spread the Joy!

FAMILY SIGN UP

Families interested in receiving assistance can call 623-581-0728.



DEDICATION OF ST. JOHN LATERAN





Independent Living | Assisted Living
Memory Support

Orchard Pointe at Arrowhead
67th Ave & Bell Rd • 623-321-2281

Orchard Pointe at Glendale
75th Ave & Deer Valley Rd • 623-299-8715

Orchard Pointe at Surprise
Bell Rd & Park View Place • 623-349-7965

orchardpointe.com

SHORT STAFFED?

Place an ad here to find new local talent for your business.



CALL
800-477-4574

RECREATIONAL SOCCER
PRACTICE 1 DAY/WEEK. GAMES SATURDAY MORNING

SONORAN FOOTHILLS SOCCER ORGANIZATION
PHONE # 602-466-1860



Jim Scarmozzino, Owner
(480) 799-7427

American Tree Trimmers
Enhancing Your Investment One Tree at a Time

AmericanTreeTrimmers.com info@americantreetrimmers.com

DOES YOUR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION NEED A NEWSLETTER?

Engaging, ad-supported print and digital newsletters to reach your community.

Visit lpicomunities.com



Scan to contact us!

IF YOU LIVE ALONE

MDMedAlert!™ STARTING AT \$19⁹⁵/mo.

- ✓ Ambulance ✓ Police/Fire
- ✓ Family/Friends ✓ GPS & Fall Alert

CALL NOW! 800.809.3570 md-medalert.com



ADT-Monitored Home Security

Get 24-Hour Protection From a Name You Can Trust

- Burglary • Flood Detection
- Fire Safety • Carbon Monoxide

ADT Authorized Provider | SafeStreets

833-287-3502



FREE AD DESIGN
with purchase of this space

CALL
800-950-9952

LET'S GROW YOUR BUSINESS

Place Your Ad Here and Support Our Parish!

CONTACT ME Mike McAleer

mmcaleer@4LPi.com • (800) 477-4574 x6307

Place Your Ad Here and Support our Parish!

Instantly create and purchase an ad with

AD CREATOR STUDIO



4lpi.com/adcreator



NEVER MISS OUR BULLETIN!

SUBSCRIBE

Have our bulletin emailed to you every week.

Visit www.parishesonline.com



SUPPORT OUR PARISH

SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS!



For ad info. call 1-800-950-9952 • www.4lpi.com

St. James Roman Catholic Parish, AZ

05-1356