

# St. James Roman Catholic Parish

**A Faith and Family Community**

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## Fourth Sunday of Easter May 3, 2020

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**Cemetery & Funeral Home** (Available 24 hours)

**Reconciliation** †

Saturday - 2:00PM - 3:30PM, or by appointment

**Parish Office Hours** †

Monday-Friday- 9:00AM-Noon

Saturday - 2:00PM-5:00PM

### Mass Live Streaming



Watch Mass on St. James' Facebook page

Saturday @ 4 PM

Sunday @ 8AM & 11 AM (Spanish)

<https://www.facebook.com/stjamesromancatholic/>

## Celebrating Mass from home

While the nation deals with the impact of COVID-19 (Coronavirus) and there are no Parish public gatherings. Catholics are encouraged to watch the Mass at 9 a.m each Sunday morning on AZTV Channel 7 or online at [youtube.com/phoenixdiocese](https://www.youtube.com/phoenixdiocese) or [facebook.com/phoenixdiocese](https://www.facebook.com/phoenixdiocese).

The Diocese of Phoenix broadcasts the Catholic Mass in Spanish on ESNE 41.3 at 11:30 a.m. each Sunday.

## Spiritual Communion

By making an Act of Spiritual Communion, we express our faith in Christ's Real Presence in the Eucharist and ask him to unite himself with us. Here is the Act of Spiritual Communion written by St. Alphonsus de Liguori:

My Jesus,  
I believe that You  
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and  
unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.



## ADORATION

Every Friday  
9AM - 4PM

Spend an hour with  
Jesus.

## Want the latest St. James News?

Stay in touch with us through Flocknote

Get important updates via email & text

**Flocknote** a new tool we're using, lets you choose what info you'd like to receive - via email or text message - from the various ministries and groups in our church. *You can unsubscribe any time.*



There are 2 easy ways to connect  
(pick one):

- 1 Visit our church at: [flocknote.com/stjamesgreater](https://www.flocknote.com/stjamesgreater)
- 2 Text **stjamesaz** to 84576 from your phone to subscribe to updates.

**Pastoral Council:** [PastoralCouncil@stjames-greater.com](mailto:PastoralCouncil@stjames-greater.com)

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## ACH CONTRIBUTIONS

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.

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

Sunday, April 26, 2020

Sunday Offertory: \$ 16,127.14

Children's Giving: \$ 0

Our goal is for the Plate Income to cover all Parish expenses. At this time, fundraising income is used to supplement the Plate income. **\*2019 Giving Statements are available for pickup in the office.**

Thank you for your generosity.

 *Mass Intentions*

May 4, 2020 - May 10, 2020

Masses are still available on the following dates:

July 27, 29

Aug 15, 22, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30

Sep 3, 4, 8, 13, 14, 17, 19, 21, 24, 25, 26

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.

MON	4 - May	8:00 AM	MARGARET SHELTON (BIRTHDAY)
TUE	5 - May	8:00 AM	SONIA & NORBERT GROVE (DECEASED)
WED	6 - May	7:00 PM	REYNOLDS FAMILY
THUR	7 - May	8:00 AM	ELENA & RICARDO PEREZ (60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY)
FRI	8 - May	8:00 AM	JOHN LUBERT (DECEASED)
SAT	9 - May	8:00AM	MARION & MARY KRAWIEC (DECEASED)
		4:00 PM	EARL CASHEN (DECEASED)
SUN	10 - May	8:00 AM	MOTHERS OF THE MEEHAN-CRABLE FAMILIES (LIVING AND DE-
		11:00 AM	MARIA LUISA ALEMAO & MARIA PEREIRA (DECEASED)
	Rectory		JOSEPH GIANGARRA
	Rectory		ELENA & RICARDO PEREZ (60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY)

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

***May 4 - May 9***

Mon: ACTS 11:1-18; JN 10:11-18  
 Tue: ACTS 11:19-26; JN 10:22-30  
 Wed: ACTS 12:24-13:5A; JN 12:44-50  
 Thu: ACTS 13:13-25; JN 13:16-20  
 Fri: ACTS 13:26-33; JN 14:1-6  
 Sat: ACTS 13:44-52; JN 14:7-14



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every **Friday** beginning at 9:00 AM and concludes at 4:00 PM.

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

Come visit Jesus, the Prince of Peace, the Creator of the Universe, the Merciful Savior, for just one of these Hours.

**Sacrament of Baptism**

**Sacramento de Bautismo**

Please contact Mary Ann-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**

Please contact Deacon Ron-Ext 100 (for English), or Deacon Marvin-Ext 100 (for Spanish) nine months in advance. Preparation classes are required.

**Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**

Call the Parish Office when seriously ill. Communal Anointing is held on the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM.

**NEXT SUNDAY**



***May 10***

ACTS 6:1-7  
 1PT 2:4-9  
 JN 14:1-12

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

Tyrone Apollo, Rich Baker, Fr. Frank Bartel, Laura Conrady Blum, Bob Conrady, Brian Ferber, Peggy Hickey, Mary Hodler, Jane Kolstedt, Notty Koot, Nancy Lawson, Iridian Allyn Mendoza Leyva, Bud Lucy, Sean McCarty, Irene Mulette, Gene Montay, Samuel Paul, Rocky Racanelli, Lucille Retker, Don Ruff, Barbara Walker, Janet Warnke, Millie Yalung

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

We welcome your prayer requests for your family members and friends. Direct permission from the person is needed. They will remain on the list for 30 days. If someone is seriously ill, you may request that they remain on the list for 3 months. If after 3 months they wish to remain on the prayer list, please contact the Front office to be listed on the bulletin board for an extended period. Thank you.

† Please pray for those who have died.†

**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.



- ◆ **Articles** for the church bulletin need to be submitted and approved by administration no later than **noon on Tuesday**. Send to [bulletin@stjames-greater.com](mailto:bulletin@stjames-greater.com)
- ◆ **Announcements** must be submitted in writing or by email to James no later than **noon on Tuesday**. Email: [jamespoppleton@gmail.com](mailto:jamespoppleton@gmail.com)
- ◆ **Flyers** to advertise upcoming parish or diocesan events must be submitted to [jamespoppleton@gmail.com](mailto:jamespoppleton@gmail.com) no later than Tuesday noon to be included in the video loop for the upcoming weekend.

**All articles, announcements and flyers will be included—space permitting.**

### ST. JAMES GIFT CARD PROGRAM

Shop right here at St James and support the parish at the same time. You choose the cards you want to purchase, pay face value of the card, and St. James will receive a percentage of the sale.

Orders will be placed on **May 17 2020 at 12:00pm.**



Plan ahead, budget your spending, and spread your spending over a couple of paydays!

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

Questions? Contact Irene Molette at [scrip@stjames-greater.com](mailto:scrip@stjames-greater.com)

### CALLED TO PROTECT UPDATES

During the COVID-19 crisis, the Diocese is allowing registered parishioners to take the Called to Protect Foundation Class online at <https://phoenix.cmgconnect.org/>

This class will be available in English and Spanish. Volunteers will have to complete all necessary paperwork online first and then take the class. For any questions, call Chris Metelski at 602 803-4046.



### FAITH FORMATION

We have some EXCITING news about Elementary Formation for 2020-2021.

Watch the bulletin for more Information coming soon!

**Do you shop Amazon?** Now you can earn money for St. James for most Amazon purchases! Just do your shopping on [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com), and the Amazon Smile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible items purchased to the charitable organization of your choice...**ST. JAMES!**

### WHAT IS BENEFIT?



- ✓ It is an App that you can download on your smart phone! Available from iTunes or Google Play Store.
- ✓ Choose St James as your Beneficiary, and a % of your purchases will be paid to the parish.
- ✓ Purchase a gift card from the App and you will immediately receive a passcode to give to the store, restaurant, or even for purchases on-line.

### Immaculate Hearts Gift Shop and Café



The Gift Shop cabinets in the receptionist area are stocked with new items for your shopping convenience.

Featured items: Mother's Day Cards

### St. James Recycle Program

**Earn Money for St. James**

**Aluminum Cans**

**Flattened Card Board Boxes and Plastics Types 1 & 2**

**Newspapers, Boxes, Discarded Mail, Telephone Books, Paperboard, Magazines, and Catalogs, etc.**

**PET Polyethylene Terephthalate**  
e.g., Soft Drink Bottles, Mouth Wash Bottles, Peanut Butter Jars

**HDPE High Density Polyethylene**  
e.g., Milk Jugs, Detergent, Shampoos & Conditioners and Bleach

**Please drop your recyclable items on your way to Church or work**



Today we celebrate "Good Shepherd Sunday" where we reflect on Jesus' care and love of us and hear his words, "I came so that they may have life and have it more abundantly."

By your gift to SvDP you will reveal the love of the "Good Shepherd" to your suffering brothers and sisters.

Our Pantry is open On Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday mornings for assistance during this time of trouble.

This week our Pantry is in need of soup, rice and pasta. "Love to be real, it must cost, it must hurt, it must empty us of self." Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Sunday, May 03, 2020

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER;  
GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

Follow the leader

When we were kids, playing “follow the leader” was easy. One child was designated as the pattern to imitate, and we just did whatever they did. In these days of crisis, it can seem harder to tell who the designated leader is. Is it the president or the pope, the pastor or the medical expert? Do we do what our parents advised, or listen to the recommendations of trusted friends? What do we do when media experts disagree? If we call ourselves Christians, then Christ is the ultimate authority for our values and criteria. Make a verse of scripture your daily companion.

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 2:14a, 36-41; 1 Peter 2:20b-25; John 10:1-10 (49). “For you had gone astray like sheep, but you have now returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.”

Monday, May 04, 2020

EASTER WEEKDAY

Stand your ground

“The shepherd cannot run at the first sign of danger,” said Father Stanley Rother, and he didn't, which made him a martyr in 1981 in civil war-torn Guatemala. Even though he knew his name was on a death list, this priest from Oklahoma stayed with the people he had been serving since 1968, during which time he built a farmer's co-op, a school, a hospital, and a radio station. He was beatified in 2017.

Learn more about this inspiration for faith in the book [\*The Shepherd Who Didn't Run\*](#).

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 11:1-18; John 10:11-18 (279). “A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”

Tuesday, May 05, 2020

EASTER WEEKDAY

Keep things in context

Catholics celebrate 50 days of Easter with a special emphasis on the Gospel of John. But with the Gospel of John comes a particular concern. At Mass, we hear—amid the evangelist's poetic prose—some jarring references to “the Jews.” Historically, such language sadly led to a legacy of hate and harm. With anti-Semitism making headlines again, look to the short Vatican II document called [\*Nostra aetate\*](#). It honors the Jewish people as our faithful forebears, tapping a truth right out of John 10: Jesus was an observant. Honor our religious ancestors by learning more about them.

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 11:19-26; John 10:22-30 (280). “Jesus walked about in the temple area.”

Wednesday, May 06, 2020

EASTER WEEKDAY

Follow the Light

“This Little Light of Mine” has been young Christians' joyful favorite for nearly a century. It has also been an anthem for civil and human rights movements. For people of faith, we who believe that Jesus has come into the world as light, the song serves as a directive to allow God's light to shine through the example of our lives. Reflect today on the example you have set during difficult times. Have you given into darkness and despair or served as a beacon of hope and support for those around you?

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 12:24—13:5a; John 12:44-50 (281). “I have come into the world as light, to keep anyone who believes in me from remaining in the dark.”

Thursday, May 07, 2020

EASTER WEEKDAY

A masquerade to take seriously

In today's gospel Jesus says, “Whoever receives the one I send, receives me.” It is in keeping with our tradition to see the poor, the migrant, the refugee as sent by God to stretch our hearts and open us to the Good News. Mother Teresa often referred to seeing Jesus “in the distressing disguise of the poor.” Indeed, how distressing it is to see the suffering being endured by those with the least. Take a step today to “receive” Jesus in the disguise of the poor.

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 13:13-25; John 13:16-20 (282). “Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever receives the one I send receives me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me.”

Friday, May 08, 2020

EASTER WEEKDAY

Youthful mystic

Imagine growing up with a saint in your hometown! New Jersey-native Teresa Demjanovich, honored today, was like many young people with responsibility for caring for aging parents while also getting an education and a job. She then became a religious sister but died just two years later at age 26. Known as a prayerful, holy woman, Teresa was deeply spiritual and considered a mystic. “Our heart is the compass that magnetically follows the north star of desire,” Teresa wrote. “To locate my treasure I have but to unearth the lodging of my desires.” As you pray this day, consider how God is leading you through your heart and desires.

TODAY'S READINGS: Acts 13:26-33; John 14:1-6 (283). “Do not let your hearts be troubled. You have faith in God; have faith also in me.”



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Later if business is poor, he ADVERTISES it for sale.

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