



Saint James
CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. James Roman Catholic Church,
a diverse community rooted in vibrant
Eucharistic Liturgy, serves those in need
in partnership with others.



*Saint James Church is
staffed by the priests
and brothers of the
Missionary Servants of
the Most Holy Trinity*



STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

“You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the Kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.” - Mt 16:18-19

SAN PEDRO Y SAN PABLO, APÓSTOLES

“Tú eres Pedro y sobre esta piedra edificaré mi Iglesia. Los poderes del infierno no prevalecerán sobre ella. Yo te daré las llaves del Reino de los cielos; todo lo que ates en la tierra quedará atado en el cielo, y todo lo que desates en la tierra quedará desatado en el cielo”. - Mt 16, 18-19

SUNDAY MASS

9:30 a.m.

*1:00 p.m.

*Español/Spanish
(Church & On-line)

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday

7:30 a.m.

(Chapel & On-line)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday

9:00 a.m.– 4:00 p.m.

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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of the
Month

8:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
(Chapel)



JUNE 29, 2025

ON THE WAY....



May the grace and peace of the Holy Spirit be with us forever.

The Roman Catholic Church (that is to say, us!) operates two liturgical calendars simultaneously. The temporal cycle is designed around the saving events of Jesus' life, death and Resurrection. We begin the liturgical year centering on the birth of Jesus. The Advent season that precedes Christmas and the Epiphany cycle that follows it provide the opportunity to reflect on the mystery of the incarnation, that God is with us when Jesus was born. The center of the Church's year focuses on the saving events of Jesus' suffering, death and resurrection during Holy Week and Easter. The Season of Lent is designed to prepare us to celebrate Easter and, in particular, to prepare catechumens to receive the Easter Sacraments. The Bible readings during the fifty days of the Easter season show what Resurrection life looks like in the people and events of the early Church. Since the date of Easter is synchronized with the Hebrew calendar's designation of the date of Passover the particular day on which the feasts are celebrated can vary. The rest of the year, called ordinary or counted time, lays out for us chapter by chapter what Jesus said and did and how the lessons of the Old Testament led up to it and how the Church took those lessons to heart as found in the epistles. Over the course of the three-year cycle of readings we hear the story of Jesus and how to respond.

The other liturgical calendar is called the sanctoral cycle. The Church remembers the saints, our heroes of the faith, on a particular day during the year – usually the day on which they died and entered into glory. For example, we always celebrate St. Patrick on March 17. If March 17 or any saint's day is on a Sunday the saint's commemoration is not celebrated that year in favor of the Sunday. However, there are some saints' days which are so important that they can take precedence when they fall on a Sunday. Several of the Marian Feasts – Immaculate Conception, Annunciation, Assumption – can replace the Sunday liturgies. Today is another such time when the Sanctoral Cycle replaces the Temporal Cycle – the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles.

If you visit the city of Rome you'll find images of Peter and Paul everywhere. They were the major figures in the establishment of the Church centered in Rome, then the heart of the empire. That the Church celebrates them together is a lesson in itself. They were very different men with very different personalities and they have come to stand for two aspects of being Church. Peter, the pre-eminent follower of Jesus during his lifetime, has come to stand for the need for structure and stability for the Christian mission to flourish. The Pope is said to succeed to the Chair of Peter to show the importance of continuity and tradition for the well-being of the Church. St. Paul was, by his own admission, a Johnny-come-lately to the faith. But once he embraced Jesus, he embodies the need for change, adaptation, openness, renewal for the Church to remain ever young. Catholics need both sides of the Church – the institutional and the charismatic – to stay true to the Gospel of Jesus.

In the Most Holy Trinity,
Fr. John Edmunds, S.T

Sun 6/29	STS Peter And Paul, Apostles	
	9:30 a.m.	Mass (Presentation Hall & On-line) https://zoom.us/j/622647147 Passcode: SJSUNDAY (57935957)
	†	For the people of St. James
	1:00 p.m.	Mass - Español/Spanish (Presentation Hall)
Mon 6/30	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
	†	Sister Anne Bernice Whalon by Sister Bernadette Eaton
Tue 7/01	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
	†	Lee Benish by Ed and Karen Caspers
Wed 7/02	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
	†	Peter Pantarotto by Jim Skarzynski
	7:00 p.m.	Parish Council (On-line)
Thurs 7/03	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
Fri 7/04	7:30 a.m.	Mass (Chapel & On-line)
	8:30 a.m.	Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
Sun 7/06	14th Sunday In Ordinary Time	
	9:30 a.m.	Mass (Presentation Hall & On-line) https://zoom.us/j/622647147 Passcode: SJSUNDAY (57935957)
	†	Charles Page by the Page Family and Debra and Shirley Barker by Phyllis Barker
	1:00 p.m.	Mass - Español/Spanish (Presentation Hall)



**Eucharistic
Adoration
Friday
July 4th**

8:30 am Only! (Chapel)

Confessions available upon request

Congratulations & many blessings to our First Communicants



Clara Mamaril

Simon Farquhar

Desmond Ekerdt



Next Sunday, July 6, the Brother Chukwuma Anaele, ST, will be ordained a transitional deacon here at St. James by Bishop Perry at the 9:30am Mass.

Prayer of Pastoral Care

O God,
Bless the souls You have entrusted to our care. As You hear every one of their prayers, help us to hear them, too. Answer their prayer intentions and personal needs through us and our ministry, as we all seek to do Your will.
Amen.

SUMMER SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

**MAY 26, 2025 THROUGH
AUGUST 31, 2025**

**9:30 A. M. - ENGLISH
1:00 P. M. - SPANISH**



St. James has a google form for submitting prayer requests:

<https://forms.gle/ZgbVkgarRRgDmJR6A>



In Our Prayers



Our Home Bound:

Margie Bass
Paul Freeman
Orean Perry
Juanita James
Barbara Southhall

Our Sick:
Aayliah Cooper
Patsy Cunningham

Marvelean Doss
Claude Fisher
Paul Kanzer
Linda Griffin Kennard
Nancy McCarthy
Samuel Akuo Opong Duah
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