

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
The Parish Community of



St. James



St. Francis Xavier



St. Mary's

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**MASSES**

Monday 7:00 pm (St. James)  
Tuesday 9:30 am (St. Francis)  
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Friday 7:00 pm (St. James)  
Saturday 10:30 am (St. James)  
Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm (St. James)  
Sunday 8:30 am (St. Mary's), 10:00 am  
(St. James) & 11:30 (St. Francis)

**OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 2:00 - 5:00 pm  
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Phone: 905-936-4266  
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**CONFESSIONS**

Saturday 4:30 pm—5:15 pm at St. James

**BAPTISM**

Once a month on Sundays at St. James  
Contact the office for more details

**PARISH DIRECTORY**

(905-936-4266)

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**Catholic Women's League (CWL):**

Helene Compeau (president)  
(647) 522-3346 or [helenecompeau2@gmail.com](mailto:helenecompeau2@gmail.com)

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

Registration for 2025/26 will open in September 2025

**ADORATION**

Sign up at the office for the code to St Francis Xavier  
for access to Adoration

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Masses can be offered for loved ones, living or deceased.  
We can accept Mass intentions up to one year before the  
intention, please contact the Parish Office to book

**CATHOLIC LATTE**

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Weekly Mass Intentions	
Monday August 18 at 7 pm	For those who are served by the St. Vin-
Tuesday August 19 at 9:30 am	For the special intentions of Jessica and Daniel Shoemaker
Wednesday August 20 at 9:30am	For the people of God, vocations to the priesthood, the holy souls in purgatory, and a special intention
	Fr. James Neil Carruthers +
	Available for Mass Intention
	For the people of God, vocations to the priesthood, the holy souls in purgatory, and a special intention
Friday August 22 at 7 pm	Nora Wallace +
	Available for Mass Intention
Saturday Aug. 23 at 10:30 am	Available for Mass Intention
Saturday August 23 at 5:30 pm	Anita Colagiacomo +
Sunday August 24 at 8:30 am	Henrique Machado +
Sunday August 24 at 10 am	John Kurc +
Sunday August 24 at 11:30 am	For the people of God

**Praying for the Sick**

If you or a family member is sick, please let the office know and we will add their name to the prayers of the faithful.

Please pray especially for Sharon Dugan, Olga Stanczyk, Victoria Reid, Tom Kennelly, Christina Burke, Jennifer Leclerc, Jennifer Trott, Joe Cirianni, Joe Gaudio, Maria DeFatima Rego, Eduarda Raimundo, Rita Webber, Lynda Pollice, Liliana Zuniga, Esmer Isip, Shane Power, Baby Rocco Meliambro, Margaret Milne, Katherina La Fuente, Colleen Butler, Luca D'Ambro, and Aiden Booth, Anne Van Dyk, and Janette Wallace .

Please also pray for those who have recently passed away, especially Peter Van Dyk, Elaine Sherrer and Father James Neil Carruthers.

**Volunteers Needed—Church Cleaning**

Our parish community is looking for ongoing volunteers to help clean our Churches!

St James is cleaned Wednesdays at 10:30am until noon

St Francis is cleaned Wednesdays after morning Mass from 10am until noon

St Mary's is cleaned the First Monday of the month at 10am


Volunteers who would like to join can contact the office for volunteer screening.

**Sacrament Registration**


Registration for First Communion and Confirmation will be opening this September! Stay tuned for more information.



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To enroll in the Pre Authorized Giving Program please pick-up a registration form at the back of the Church and drop it off at the Parish Office.

**Special Collection**

Next weekend there will be a second collection for the Catholic Missions in Canada. Catholic Missions in Canada and the select-ed dioceses in Northern Canada will benefit from your generosity to sustain and extend the Catholic faith to isolated, poor and hard-to-reach mission areas in our country. Thank you for your support of this important work!

Fr. Daniel Malingumu from Tabora Missions Appeal in Virginia Beach will be joining us to celebrate mass.

Thank you in advanced for your generosity!



**Youth Ministry**



In October, St. James Parish is going to have two youth ministries launching! Edge is for grades 6 through 8 (ages 11-14). LifeTeen is for grades 9 through 12 (ages 15-18).

Both youth ministries will feature games, talks, snacks, and group discussions. And both are completely free - there is no cost to attend or registration fee!

Edge and LifeTeen will run on alternating Friday nights from 5:30 - 7 pm for October through June. A schedule is coming soon!

We're also working on creating a youth ministry option for younger kids (below gr. 6), as well as young adults (older than 18) - **more details coming soon!**

To sign up as a participant or volunteer, and for more information, please contact the parish office! Volunteers are invited to share their interests and skills to find the best avenue to volunteer (i.e., leading small group discussions, giving talks, running games etc.)




**Mass Intentions**

Masses can be offered for loved ones, living or deceased. A Mass intention can be for an individual or for multiple people, such as a couple or a family. We can accept Mass intentions up to one year before the intention (i.e. through August 2026). Please contact the Church office for a Mass intention. There are two kinds of Masses available:

*Announced Masses:* you may offer this Mass on a chosen date and the intention is announced at the beginning of Mass. The suggested donation is \$20. Weekend Masses are presently booked until the end of December 2024. Weekday Masses are available anytime.

*Unannounced Masses:* you may offer this Mass, which will be celebrated privately by Fr. Eric. The suggested donation is \$10.



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