

St. James-St. Leo Catholic Community

Second Sunday in Lent ~ March 1, 2015

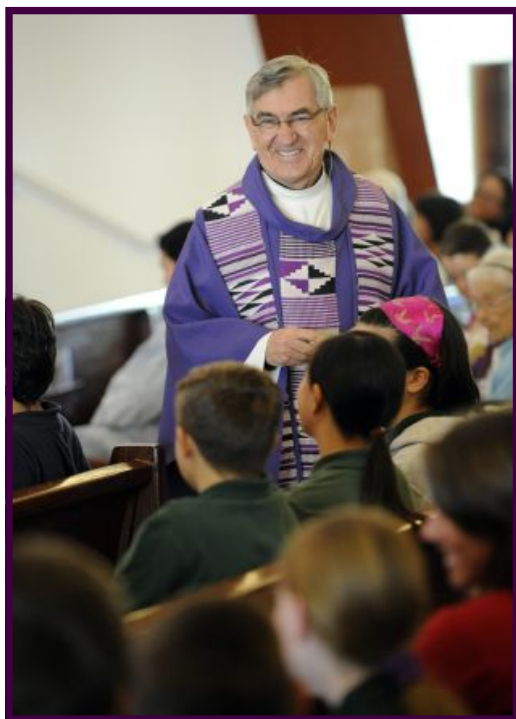
Parish Lenten Mission March 2 & 3

After the Morning Mass and at 7:00pm

MEET Rev. Msgr. Padraic Loftus and

LEARN more about Catholic Relief Services

Msgr. Padraic Loftus from Catholic Relief Services will be visiting St. James Parish February 28th- March 3rd. Catholic Relief Services is the official international relief and development agency that assists the poor and vulnerable in 100 countries on behalf of the Catholic Community in the United States. Msgr. Loftus is part of a national effort to raise awareness on behalf of the poor overseas and offers opportunities for us to get involved in the work of CRS.



what
you give up
for Lent
changes lives

“No act of virtue can be great if it is not followed by advantage for others. So, no matter how much time you spend fasting, no matter how much you sleep on a hard floor and eat ashes and sigh continually, if you do no good to others, you do nothing great.” John Chrysostom

“Whenever our interior life becomes caught up in its own interests and concerns, there is no longer room for others, no place for the poor. God’s voice is no longer heard, the quiet joy of his love is no longer felt, and the desire to do good fades.”

“We end up being incapable of feeling compassion at the outcry of the poor, weeping for other people’s pain, and feeling a need to help them, as though all this were someone else’s responsibility and not our own.” Pope Francis

CRS: ‘Showing love to the poorest of the poor’

MASS SCHEDULE

St. James

(In English)

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM
11:30 AM & 6:00 PM

St. Leo Mission

(In Spanish)

Sunday: 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM
1st Saturday (English): 8:00 AM

Daily Mass at St. James

8:00 AM | Monday - Friday

Liturgy of the Hours

7:30 AM | Monday - Friday

Eucharistic Adoration

8:30 AM – 8:00 PM | Thursday

Communion Service

6:45 AM | Monday - Friday

8:00 AM | Saturday

Reconciliation

3:30 PM | Saturday

or upon request

Baptism

Call (858) 755-2545 ext. *101

Marriage Preparation

Call Parish Office
(858) 755-2545 ext. *112
9 months prior to wedding

St. James Church

625 S Nardo Avenue
(858) 755-2545 | Fax: (858) 755-3845

St. Leo Mission

936 Genevieve Street
(858) 481-6788 | Fax: (858) 481-5832

www.stjamesandleo.org

Mass Intentions

- Mon., Mar. 2** ~ Pina & Robert Mendoza †
Tue., Mar. 3 ~ Larry Valentino †
Wed., Mar. 4 ~ Stanley Cveykus Int.
Thur., Mar. 5 ~ Robert Klamerus †
Fri., Mar. 6 ~ Frances McDermott †

To arrange for a Mass Intention for any of the weekday Masses, please stop by or call the parish office.



Prayer Requests

Ed Andrews	Kathy Dunn	Roseanne Schwall
Maren Angellotti	Daniel Filler	Deidre Sims
Scott Barnes	Michael Holland, Sr.	Kate Turner
Ann Briggen	Kathy Martinez	Kathleen Varni
Jean Brosnahan	Betty Mettee	Kathleen Vernon
Aaron Clubb	Jay Jon Moisa	Bruce Wadman
Nora Cochrane	Trevor Paine	Lise Zondler
Stanley Cveykus	Josefina Rivas	

We are happy to list the names of persons who need special prayers. Names will be listed for one month.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday:** Second Sunday of Lent; Penitential Rite for Candidates for Full Communion
Tuesday: St. Katharine Drexel
Wednesday: St. Casimir
Friday: First Friday; World Day of Prayer; Abstinence
Saturday: Ss. Perpetua and Felicity; First Saturday

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith (Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18).

Psalm — I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).

Second Reading — If God is for us, who can be against us? (Romans 8:31b-34).

Gospel — Jesus was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white (Mark 9:2-10).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Ps 19:8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25

Collection

Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2015	\$2,533.00
February 22, 2015	\$15,851.00
Total	\$18,384.00

Budgeted \$22,125.00

What return shall I make to the Lord for all the Lord has given me

— Psalm 116

Annual Catholic Appeal

“Called to be Merciful”

St. James—St. Leo Catholic Community is pleased to participate in the 2015 “Called to be Merciful” Annual Catholic Appeal. This appeal supports charitable needs throughout the Diocese of San Diego. Your gifts make possible the work that impacts so many in our diocese: service to the poor and imprisoned, education for children in Catholic schools and training of catechists, formation of candidates from the priesthood, ministry to our youth and to young people on university campuses, preparation of couples for marriage, and support for parish development in Imperial Valley. You can make your contribution online at www.diocesediago.org or by mailing in or dropping off your response card to the parish office. Our goal this year is \$93,000.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Most of us have heard many times the story of how God tested Abraham, as reported in our first reading from Genesis. Often there may be various emotional reactions to the situation as it unfolds. However, there are two important aspects of the narrative that we sometimes miss.

Yes, Abraham was tested, but so was his son Isaac. It would seem that Isaac was a willing participant in the ordeal. Isaac clearly did not protest nor resist lying on the altar in preparation for what would occur. Isaac offers an example of one of the basic tenets of stewardship: he trusted completely in God (and in his father, as well). That kind of total trust is difficult, but if we do not trust in the Lord, it is hard for us to make the kind of commitment to stewardship and discipleship the Lord wants from us.



The other feature of this story we sometimes miss is the parallel between Abraham and his son, and what would occur between God and His only son, Jesus Christ. Everything from the mountain to hauling the wood up the mountain to the father sacrificing his son to deliverance from death is reminiscent of Christ's sacrifice for us, and God's willingness to offer “His only begotten Son, that those who believe in him may not perish, but have everlasting life.” (John 3:16)

Gn 22: 1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116: 10, 15-19; Rom 8: 31B-34; Mk 9: 2-10

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Dios puso a prueba la devoción de Abraham al pedirle que sacrificara a su hijo Isaac (Génesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18).

Salmo — Siempre confiaré en el Señor (Salmo 116 [115]).

Segunda lectura — Dios entregó a su único Hijo para que ahora interceda por nosotros (Romanos 8:31b-34).

Evangelio — Jesús, acompañado por Elías y Moisés, se transforma de manera luminosa ante Pedro, Santiago y Juan (Marcos 9:2-10).

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Dn 9:4b-10; Sal 79 (78):8, 9, 11, 13; Lc 6:36-38

Martes: Is 1:10, 16-20; Sal 50 (49):8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12

Miércoles: Jer 18:18-20; Sal 31 (30):5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28

Jueves: Jer 17:5-10; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 16:19-31

Viernes: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Sal 105 (104):16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Sábado: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 9-12; Lc 15:1-3, 11-32

Domingo: Ex 20:1-17 [1-3, 7-8, 12-17]; Sal 19 (18):8-11; 1 Cor 1:22-25; Jn 2:13-25

Adoración Eucarística

El lunes 2 de marzo 2015 tendremos la adoración al Santísimo Sacramento del Altar, desde las 9:00 am hasta las 5:00 pm. Oremos por nuestro futuro obispo y las intenciones del Papa Francisco para este mes de marzo:

Intención Universal: Científicos.

Para que quienes se dedican a la investigación científica se pongan al servicio del bien integral de la persona humana.

Intención por la Evangelización: Contribución de la mujer.

Para que se reconozca cada vez más la contribución propia de la mujer a la vida de la Iglesia.

Misión de cuaresma

El Padre Ricardo Juárez predicará en la Misión de cuaresma los días 2 al 5 de marzo. Preparemos la fiesta de la Pascua, en este tiempo de gracia, perdón y misericordia.

**El 5 de marzo habrá confesiones**

Anote en sus calendarios.

Vía Crucis

El viernes 6 de marzo los invitamos a meditar en la pasión del señor siguiendo los pasos de Cristo en el Viacrucis bilingüe. Iniciamos a las 6:00 pm en el templo de san James.

Catecismo

Algunos catequistas y ministros de los diferentes ministerios asistirán el día 14 de marzo al congreso de Educación religiosa en Anaheim. La sesión de catecismo la dirigirán los padres de familia en casa. Busquen el día, la hora y el lugar para hacer la reunión familiar.

REFLECIÓN DOMINICAL

La mayoría de nosotros hemos escuchado muchas veces la historia de cómo Dios probó a Abraham, como se informa en la primera lectura del Génesis. A menudo puede haber diversas reacciones emocionales a la situación que se desarrolla. Sin embargo, hay dos aspectos importantes de la narrativa que a veces nos perdemos.

Sí, Abraham fue probado, pero también lo fue su hijo Isaac. Parecería que Isaac era un participante dispuesto en el calvario. Isaac claramente no protestó ni resistió acostado en el altar, en preparación para lo que ocurriría. Isaac ofrece un ejemplo de uno de los principios básicos de la administración: confiaba completamente en Dios (y en su padre, también). Ese tipo de confianza total es difícil, pero si no confiamos en el Señor, es difícil para nosotros hacer el tipo de compromiso con la corresponsabilidad y el discipulado que el Señor quiere de nosotros.



La otra característica de esta historia que a veces echo de menos es el paralelo entre Abraham y su hijo, y lo que ocurriría entre Dios y Su único hijo, Jesucristo. Todo, desde la montaña para transportar la madera a la montaña para el padre sacrificar a su hijo a la liberación de la muerte es una reminiscencia del sacrificio de Cristo por nosotros, y la voluntad de Dios para ofrecer "a su Hijo unigénito, para que los que creen en él no perezca, sino que tenga vida eterna. (Juan 3:16)

Gn 22: 1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18; Salmo 116: 10, 15-19; Rom 8: 31B-34; Mc 9, 2-10

HORA SANTA

El sábado 14 de marzo tendremos la Hora Santa ante nuestro Señor Sacramentado, de 7:00 a 9:00 pm. Habrá momentos de alabanza e intercesión y oración contemplativa. Pediremos por la santificación de nuestros sacerdotes, religiosos, religiosas y misioneros, así como por la unidad y fidelidad en nuestros matrimonios.

¡¡¡Atención!!!

El próximo domingo 8 de marzo habrá cambio de hora. Nuestras actividades se regirán con la nueva hora.

Días extraordinarios de confesiones

El domingo 29 marzo inicia la semana mayor, la semana santa preparémonos con una Buena confesión. Habrá confesiones en los siguientes templos:

St María	03 de marzo	a las 6:30 pm	Oceanside
St León Magno	05 de marzo	a las 7:00 om	Solana Beach
San Patricio	11 de marzo	a las 7:00 pm	Carlsbad
St Thomas More	16 de marzo	a las 7:00 pm	

Pastoral Care

St. James Healing Prayer

NEED PRAYER St. James Healing Prayer Ministers, trained, caring and confidential, are here in the church to pray over your needs at different times throughout the month.

All Sundays -- After the 9am Mass

First Mondays -- 9-10am

Second Tuesdays -- 7-8:15pm

Third Saturdays -- After the 5pm Mass

We Care Greeting Card Ministry

If you know of a parishioner who would be encouraged by receiving a "love note" during an illness or following the death of a family member, please contact Mary Jane Brue (Get Well), (760) 804-0923 (mjbrue@roadrunner.com) or Peggy Anderson (Sympathy), (760) 942-5471 (pganders@pacbell.net)

Support Group for Separated/Divorced

Support for anyone suffering from the pain and loss associated with a separation or divorce. We meet Sundays at 10:15 a.m. at St. James Catholic Church – Ministry Center in Solana Beach. For more information contact Frank Grant at (760) 533-1520 / fwgrant@gmail.com or Jan Nadler PhD at (760) 814-8604.

Family Mental Illness Support Group

Pain and suffering have come into your life, but remember pain, sorrow, suffering are but the kiss of Jesus—a sign that you have come so close to him that he can kiss you.

Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Come share, pray and support families who have a love one with a brain disorder. Spend time with people who understand mental illness. St James is a place of support and community. If you need to talk please call: Marie at (760) 845-9033 or Sandy at (858) 729-8522.

Eucharistic Adoration

"Sitting before the Presence is like a body exposing itself before the sun to absorb its rays. Silence in the Hour is a tete-a-tete with the Lord. In those moments one does not so much pour out written prayers, but listening takes its place."

-from The Autobiography of Fulton J. Sheen

Spend an hour a week with the Lord in the chapel behind the Altar. Please sign up to spend an hour on Thursdays with Jesus. Call Grace (858) 755-0613 or email grace.g@pacbell.net

All are welcome to join the **Rosary group any Monday** 6pm in the chapel behind the Altar.

Lenten Schedule

Fridays

6:00pm Bilingual Station of the Cross

6:30pm Fish Feast

San León Mision Confesiones

Thursday, March 5 at 7:00pm

St. James Penance Service

Tuesday, March 17 at 7:00pm

Wednesday, April 1

7:30pm Taizé Prayer around the Cross

Holy Thursday, April 2*

St. James

7:00pm Musical Meditations on the Eucharist

7:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

* no morning Mass

San León Mision

7:00pm Misa Cena del Señor

Good Friday, April 3*

St. James

12noon Stations of the Cross

2:00pm Divine Mercy Service

7:30pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

* no morning Mass

San León Mision

6:00pm Drama de la pasión del Señor

Holy Saturday, April 4

St. James

7:30pm Easter Vigil

San León Mision

7:30pm Vigilia Pascual

Easter Sunday, April 5*

St. James

7:30am, 9:00am & 11:30 am Mass

* no 6:00pm Mass on Easter

San León Mision

10:30am Misa

* no habrá misa de 8:30am este día

Set Clocks Ahead 



Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour on Sunday, March 8th!



First Saturday Mass/Rosary at St. Leo Mission Church - March 7, 2015

Please join us for First Saturday Mass at St. Leo for the Monthly Fatima Devotion.

7:00-8:00 am - Reconciliation

7:30 am - Fatima Rosary

8:00 am - Mass

8:30 am - Litany of Our Lady & Chaplet of Divine Mercy

All are welcome. Please park on the street or in the parking lot on the south side of Genevieve street across from St. Leo.

For more information, please call Phyllis (858) 481-5631 or Walt (858) 793-0881



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of the Valentine's Day blood drive! 42 pints were donated.

The next blood drive at St. James will be September 13.

Celebrating St. Patrick

The annual St. Patrick's Day Celtic Mass celebrating the Feast of Saint Patrick will be held on Monday, March 16th at Our Mother of Confidence Church, 3131 Governor Drive, San Diego at 6:00pm. All are welcome to attend. For more information contact: Kathleen Gerry at Our Mother of Confidence (858) 587-0848

40 Days for Life

February 18 - March 29, 2015

"A Worldwide Movement to Protect Mothers & Babies"

Join with others from our Diocese in peaceful prayer of the Rosary on the Sidewalk Public Right-of-way on Craven Road outside the North County Women's Medical Center, 120 Craven Road, San Marcos.

(Twin Oaks Valley Rd (south) & Craven Rd)

Vigil Hours: 7 am - 7 pm every day

Park at Ralph's Plaza

This is an Ecumenical Outreach

Visit: www.40daysforlife.com/sanmarcos

Contact for more information:

Tony DePaola - 760-473-4258; email: Tony40days@gmail.com

Lenten Penance Schedule

Mar 3	St. Mary Star of the Sea	6:30pm
Mar 11	St. Patrick	7pm
Mar 16	St. Thomas More	7pm
Mar 17	St. James	7pm
Mar 18	St. John	7pm
Mar 19	Mission San Luis Rey	7pm
Mar 21	Mission San Luis Rey	10am
Mar 23	Nativity	7pm
Mar 23	St. Elizabeth Seton	7pm
Mar 30	St. Mark	6:30pm
Mar 31	St. Peter	6:30pm

Operation Rice Bowl 2015

Hungering for a Bountiful Earth

This week CRS Rice Bowl takes us to the coffee highlands of Nicaragua, where we're called to protect both the goodness of creation and the livelihoods of struggling families. How will this week's fast remind us of the sacredness of God's creation and our duty to protect it?



SJA Gala 2015 ~ Celebrate!

Saint James Academy's annual gala is coming soon on March 28th at the La Costa Resort & Spa. The theme is "Celebrate our Faith, our Family, our Academy, our Parish". It is the biggest fundraiser of the year for the school and sure to be a fun evening. Your support is greatly appreciated through purchasing raffle tickets after mass, attending the event, making a donation or giving an item for the auction. We truly appreciate your support. For more information contact Kelli Fuller, Gala Chair at (858) 692-0065 or visit www.saintjamesacademy.com.

Tax Assistance

St. James Church is again sponsoring free income tax assistance for 2014 Federal and California returns. Under the auspices of the AARP Tax-Aide program, this free tax-preparation service is available to low-and middle-income taxpayers, with the primary focus being on those who are 60 and older. The service will be offered each Saturday morning from 9am to 1pm from February 7 through April 11. To make an appointment call the Solana Beach Senior Center office (858) 509-2587 between 9am and 5pm Monday through Friday.

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Events happening this week:

- Sun., March 1** 10am Healing Prayer, Prayer Chapel
10am RCIA, Gathering Room
10:15am Divorced Care, Conference Room
- Tue., Mar 3** 6:30pm Bible Study, Ministry Center
- Wed., Mar 4** 7pm Returning Catholics, Social Room
- Thur., Mar 5** 10am Seasons of Hope, Gathering Room
- Fri., Mar 6** 6pm Fish Feast, Hall
6pm Bilingual Stations of the Cross, Church
- Sun., Mar 7** 10am Healing Prayer, Prayer Chapel
10am RCIA, Gathering Room
10:15am Divorced Care, Conference Room

Friday Fish Feast 2015

The featured fish for this weeks dinner will be Mahi Mahi with Parsley Sauce. This meal with benefit St. Leo Youth.

Tickets are available on line at:

<http://www.kofc12749.org> and after all weekend Masses. For more information stop by our table after Mass.

Doors open at 6:00pm. Appetizers at 6:30pm. Dinner is at 7:00pm.

Annual Lenten Collection

Next weekend has been designated for the 2015 Annual Lenten Collection. Special envelopes will be available for the collection which supports the works of Catholic Relief Services, the Church in Africa and the Church in Latin America. Please prepare to respond generously to this worthwhile collection.

Please Help Soledad Become A Nutritionist



Soledad grew up in the Casa Eudes Girls Home. There's a history is diabetes in her family which prompted her to want to be a nutritionist. But she has no parents or immediate family who can help her achieve her goal.

Through our new scholarship program, St. James Mission Circle is trying to change all that. We want to provide tuition and living expenses so Soledad can attend college in Tijuana. Won't you please help us give her a life-changing scholarship?

For details on how you can help, contact Jeff Sturgis at pres@missioncircle.com or Maggy Hillenbrand at carlmaggy@aol.com. Or send a donation to Mission Circle, P. O. Box 1376, Solana Beach, CA 92075. Please mark the envelope "Futures Program".

We can't change Laura's difficult past ... but we can change her future.

WELCOME TO St. James-St. Leo Catholic Community!

We warmly welcome all visitors and hope you will consider making our community your parish home. Church attendance does not make you or your family registered members. Registration forms are in the brochure rack at the entrance of the church, or at the parish office.

PASTORAL STAFF

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<http://www.eudistes.org/english.htm>