

St. James Major Catholic Church

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Mass Times

Saturday: 4:00 pm (Anticipated)
Sunday: 10:00 am
Monday – Friday: 8:30 am (in Chapel)

Holy Hour: First Friday following the 8:30 am Mass.
Perpetual Help Novena: Tuesdays after Mass

Confessions

Saturday: 3:15 – 3:45 pm
And by request

Church Office Hours

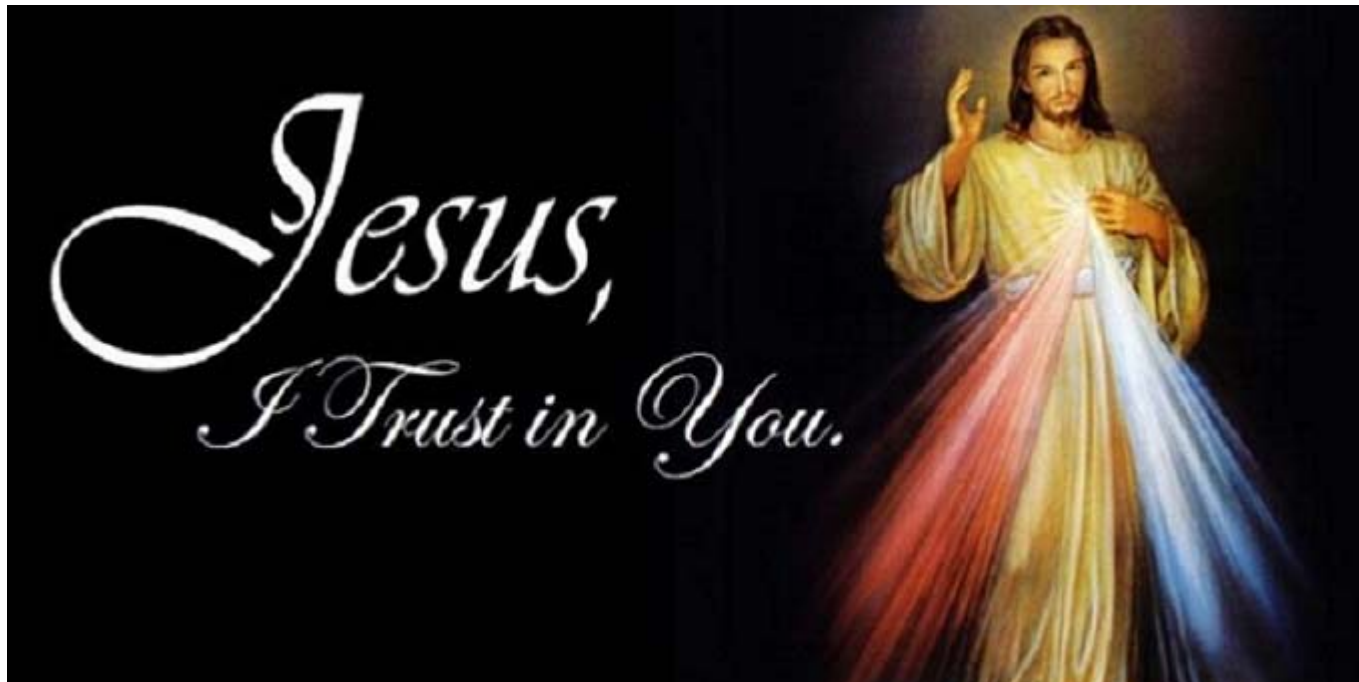
Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 3:30 pm

New Parishioners: Welcome to the Parish! Please complete a registration form (found on the tables at the doors) and introduce yourself to the priest.

Baptisms: Please contact the Priest or Deacon to arrange for a seminar and time for the Baptism.

Weddings: Arrangements should be made at least six (6) months in advance of the date of the wedding. Please contact the priest before committing to any other arrangements.

Funerals: Please contact the church as soon as the need arises and before making any arrangements with the funeral parlor.



The message of The Divine Mercy is simple. It is that God loves us – all of us. And, He wants us to recognize that His mercy is greater than our sins, so that we will call upon Him with trust, receive His mercy, and let it flow through us to others. Thus, all will come to share His joy.

The Divine Mercy message is one we can call to mind simply by remembering ABC:


A - Ask for His Mercy. God wants us to approach Him in prayer constantly, repenting of our sins and asking Him to pour His mercy out upon us and upon the whole world.

B - Be merciful. God wants us to receive His mercy and let it flow through us to others. He wants us to extend love and forgiveness to others just as He does to us.

C - Completely trust in Jesus. God wants us to know that the graces of His mercy are dependent upon our trust. The more we trust in Jesus, the more we will receive.

This message and devotion to Jesus as The Divine Mercy is based on the writings of Saint Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun who, in obedience to her spiritual director, wrote a diary of about 600 pages recording the revelations she received about God's mercy. Even before her death in 1938, the devotion to The Divine Mercy had begun to spread.

Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception of the B.V.M.



WELCOME

No matter where you are from, what you do, what your current family, marital or life situation...

No matter your personal history, age, background, race or political affiliation...

No matter your religion or self-perceived relationship with God or the Church...

We are very happy you are with us at St. James Major Church



Please remember to pray for our men and women who are serving in the armed forces, especially:

SSgt Bryan Stovall, Jr., USMC	PO2 Melissa Flot, USN
CPL Darren Brazley, Jr., USA	PVT Robert Cook, USA
SSgt. Anthony Montz, USAF	Alvin Benjamin, USN
Sr.A. Davin Hornsby, USAF	A1C Andrew Montz, USAF
SGT Robert Lambert, USA	

It's Fellowship Weekend!

Please join your parish family for snacks/soft drinks (Saturday, April 7) and donuts/coffee (Sunday, April 8) after Mass.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)

Mass Intentions



Each Mass is offered for the intentions of all present and for the following:

SATURDAY, APRIL 7

4:00 pm SJM Parishioners, living & deceased

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

10:00 am Intentions of all our parishioners who are ill and for those who have asked for prayer

Repose of the souls of

- +Elvera Eddington
- +José & Lupa Montenegro
- +Shirley Z. Wainright
- +Thelma & Leon Woll, Sr.
- +William M. Dwyer, III
- +Gertrude Brulee

- +Rita Major
- +Rochelle Age
- +Jacques Marchand
- +Roy Sterling, Sr.
- +Alexis Llopis
- +Cross Family

MONDAY, APRIL 9

8:30 am +Clarence "Benny" Parent, Jr.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

- 8:30 am +Wilkins Family
- +Joseph Chevis
- +Stephanie Sierra

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

8:30 am +Poor Souls in Purgatory (P.L.)

THURSDAY, APRIL 12

8:30 am +Phyllis King

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

8:30 am +Peter Flattmann

Please pray for them: Valerie Smith, Mary Mitchell, Gloria Mitchell, Denise Thomas, Audrey Wilson, Gail Wright, Theresa Morris, Gloria Harris, Gertrude Harris, William Mitchell, Maggie Haney, Dominic Carmouche, Loretta Parent, Walter Glapion, Yvonne Bechet, Gerald Mercadel, Sr., Susan Lauterbach, Thais Ardoin, Russell Jordan, Denise Rachal, Herbert Briant, Sr., Irene Ward, Theresa Jupiter, Marguerite Ragas, Irma Springer, Wilbert Clementin, Sr., John Washington, Byron Williams, Jr., Kim Stovall, Michelle Irwin, Dennis LeBlanc, Betty Reynolds, Meredith LeBlanc and Clarence, Robert and Buster Mitchell.



Please pray for all of our parishioners, especially those who are homebound or in hospitals, nursing homes and hospice. Please notify the rectory of the change in status of your relatives on the prayer list.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

- 09 Monday **ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD**
Isaiah 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40; Hebrews 10:4-10; Luke 1:26-38
- 10 Tuesday **SECOND WEEK OF EASTER**
Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93; John 3:7b-15
- 11 Wednesday **ST. STANISLAUS or**
SECOND WEEK OF EASTER
Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34; John 3:16-21
- 12 Thursday **SECOND WEEK OF EASTER**
Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34; John 3:31-36
- 13 Friday **ST. MARTIN I or**
SECOND WEEK OF EASTER
Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27; John 6:1-15
- 14 Saturday **SECOND WEEK OF EASTER**
Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33; John 6:16-21
- 15 Sunday **THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**
Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4; 1
John 2:1-5a; Luke 24:35-48

Lectors & Commentators

- Apr 07 Greer Adams, Montrelle Sinegar
- Apr 08 Denise Thomas, Lawrence Dejan



Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

- Apr 07 Gaynell Marchand, Kerry Winder
- Apr 08 Madeline Curtis, Louis Flattmann



Returned to Christ through Death

John Washington

Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land

The Good Friday collection supports Christians living in the Holy Land and for the upkeep of shrines and holy places where Jesus lived, taught, preached and died. Your donations to this annual appeal was \$520. Thank you.

Church Support



OFFERTORY COLLECTION (March 24-25)

First Collection	\$2052.00
Second Collection	492.00
	\$2544.00

HOLY THURSDAY COLLECTION (March 29)

Collection	\$ 422.00
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OFFERTORY COLLECTION (March 31, April 1)

First Collection	\$3303.00
Second Collection	827.00
	\$4130.00

Please support your parish!