

SAINT JAMES' ANGLICAN CHURCH

Fresno, California

April 28, 2019

*The Second Sunday of Easter
Liturgy of Kenya*



*This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will
rejoice and be glad in it.*

Psalm 118:24

St. James' Anglican Church

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. to Noon

VISION

We are seeking God's place for us in the world by abiding in Christ, following His teaching, discerning His will, and staying committed to godly fellowship and our Anglican heritage.

INFORMATION

Website - www.stjas.org

St James' Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/stjas.org>

SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

8:00 am Service with Holy Eucharist

Meeting at: Church Office, 1300 E. Shaw Ave., Suite 174

1:30 pm Family Service with Holy Eucharist

Meeting at: Campus Bible Church, 222 E. Fountain Way,
Fresno, CA 93704

CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Monday through Friday

8:00 am - Morning Prayer & Holy Eucharist

1300 East Shaw Ave., Suite 174

Fresno, CA 93710

you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Acclamation

The People standing, the Celebrant says this or a seasonal greeting

Celebrant: The Lord be with you:
People: And with your spirit.
Celebrant: The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it:
People: Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad.
Celebrant: I was glad when they said to me:
People: Let us go to the house of the Lord.
Celebrant: Praise the Lord:
People: The name of the Lord be praised.
Celebrant: Let us pray:

ALL:

Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world,

Celebrant: Glory to the Father:
People: Glory to the Son.
Celebrant: Glory to the Spirit:
People: For ever three in One.
Celebrant: Be glorified in the United States:
People: Be glorified in California.
Celebrant: Be glorified at home:
People: Be glorified in the Church.
Celebrant: Be glorified on earth:

People: Be glorified in heaven.
Celebrant: Glory to the Father:
People: Glory to the Son.
Celebrant: Glory the Spirit:
People: For ever three in One.
Celebrant: Hallelujah!
People: Amen!

The Lessons

Holy Scripture is from the English Standard Version

Please be seated

After each Lesson, the Reader may say

The First Lesson

Acts 5:12, 17-22, 25-29

Now many signs and wonders were regularly done among the people by the hands of the apostles. And they were all together in Solomon's Portico.

But the high priest rose up, and all who were with him (that is, the party of the Sadducees), and filled with jealousy they arrested the apostles and put them in the public prison. But during the night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said, "Go and stand in the temple and speak to the people all the words of this Life." And when they heard this, they entered the temple at daybreak and began to teach. Now when the high priest came, and those who were with him, they called together the council and all the senate of the people of Israel and sent to the prison to have them brought. But when the officers came, they did not find them in the prison, so they returned and reported

And someone came and told them, "Look! The men whom you put in prison are standing in the temple and teaching the people."

Then the captain with the officers went and brought them, but not by force, for they were afraid of being stoned by the people. And when they had brought them, they set them before the council. And the high priest questioned them, saying, "We strictly charged you not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and you intend to bring this man's blood upon us." But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than men.

Psalm 111 *Confitebor tibi*

- 1 Hallelujah!
I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, *
in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.
- 2 Great are the deeds of the Lord! *
they are studied by all who delight in them.
- 3 His work is full of majesty and splendor, *
and his righteousness endures for ever.
- 4 He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; *
the Lord is gracious and full of compassion.
- 5 He gives food to those who fear him; *
he is ever mindful of his covenant.
- 6 He has shown his people the power of his works *
in giving them the lands of the nations.
- 7 The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; *
all his commandments are sure.

- 8 They stand fast for ever and ever, *
because they are done in truth and equity.
- 9 He sent redemption to his people;
he commanded his covenant for ever; *
holy and awesome is his Name.
- 10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; *
those who act accordingly have a good understanding;
his praise endures for ever.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

The New Testament Lesson

Revelation 1:1-19

The revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave him to show to his servants the things that must soon take place. He made it known by sending his angel to his servant John, who bore witness to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw.

Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it, for the time is near. John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord

God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty." I, John, your brother and partner in the tribulation and the kingdom and the patient endurance that are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos on account of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet saying, "Write what you see in a book and send it to the seven churches, to Ephesus and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea." Then I turned to see the voice that was speaking to me, and on turning I saw seven golden lamp stands, and in the midst of the lamp stands one like a son of man, clothed with a long robe and with a golden sash around his chest. The hairs of his head were white, like white wool, like snow. His eyes were like a flame of fire, his feet were like burnished bronze, refined in a furnace, and his voice was like the roar of many waters. In his right hand he held seven stars, from his mouth came a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was like the sun shining in full strength. When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, "Fear not, I am the first and the last, and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades. Write therefore the things that you have seen, those that are and those that are to take place after this.

Gradual

Holy Spirit Come to Us

Holy Spirit, come to us
Kindle in us the fire of your love
Holy Spirit, come to us

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel

John 20:19-31

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld." Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe." Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed." Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

After the Gospel, the Reader says: The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon - Anthony Velez

All stand to recite the Nicene Creed, the Celebrant first saying

Celebrant Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

Celebrant and People

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

After each petition there is a time of silence for the Clergy and People to add their own prayers.

The Deacon or other person appointed says

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Almighty and ever-living God, we are taught by your holy Word to offer prayers and supplications and to give thanks for all people. We humbly pray that you would mercifully receive our prayers. Inspire continually, we pray, the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity and concord; and grant that all who confess your holy Name may agree in the truth of your holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord, in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

We pray that you will lead the nations of the world into the way of righteousness; and so guide and direct their leaders, especially Donald, our President, that your people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace. Grant that our leaders may impartially administer

justice, uphold integrity and truth, restrain wickedness and vice, and maintain true religion.

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord, in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

Give grace, heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and especially to your servant(s) our Archbishop/Bishop/Priest/Deacon, etc., that by their life and teaching, they may proclaim your true and life-giving Word, and rightly and duly administer your holy Sacraments. And to all your people give your heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation, that with reverent and obedient hearts we may hear and receive your holy Word, and serve you in holiness and righteousness all the days of our lives.

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

Prosper, we pray, all those who proclaim the Gospel of your kingdom among the nations, and help us to fulfill your great commission; making disciples of all nations; teaching them to obey all that you have commanded.

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

We ask you in your goodness, Lord, to comfort and sustain all who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially_____]

And those on our Intercessory Prayer List:

Uma	Healing	Pr. Arlynne	Healing	Margaret	Healing
Rita	Healing	Judy	Healing	Keturah	Custody
Susie	Healing	Jordan	Healing	Amira	Strength
Gladys	Healing	Gary	Healing	Ann	Healing
Suzy	Continued healing & strength			Kristen	Healthy Pregnancy
Albert	Healing				

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

We remember before you Lord, all your servants departed this life [especially Mildred Facciani] in faith and fear: and we bless your holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified you; praying that you will give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of your heavenly kingdom.

Aloud or Silent

Reader Lord in your mercy.

People Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant concludes with the following prayer

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. *Amen.*

Confession of Sin

The Deacon of other person appointed says the following

The celebrant says,

Hear the words of challenge and comfort:

All say together:

Almighty God, Creator of all, you marvelously made us in your image; but we have corrupted ourselves and damaged your likeness by rejecting your love and hurting our neighbors. We have done wrong and neglected to do right. We are sincerely sorry and heartily repent of our sins. Cleanse us and forgive us by the sacrifice of your Son; remake us and lead us by your Spirit, the Comforter. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Declaration of Pardon

All say together,

Thank you, Father, for forgiveness. We come to your table as your children, not presuming but assured, not trusting ourselves but your Word. We hunger and thirst for righteousness, and ask for our hearts to be satisfied with the body and blood of your Son, Jesus Christ the righteous. *Amen.*

The Peace

The Celebrant says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with your spirit.

Announcements and Celebrations: see page 24

Celebrant Is the Father with us?
People He is.
Celebrant Is Christ among us?
People He is.
Celebrant Is the Spirit here?
People He is.
Celebrant This is our God:
People Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Celebrant We are his people:
People We are redeemed.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts:
People We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God:
People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right and our delight to give you thanks and praise,

Holy Father, living God, supreme over the world, Creator, Provider, Savior and Giver. From a wandering nomad you created your family; for a burdened people you raised up a leader; for a confused nation you chose a king; for a rebellious crowd you sent your prophets. In these last days you have sent us your Son, your perfect image, bringing your kingdom, revealing your will, dying, rising, reigning, remaking your people for yourself. Through him you have poured out your Holy Spirit, filling us with light and life.

Therefore with angels, archangels, and all in heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, forever praising you and saying:

(Celebrant and People sing together)

Sanctus (*Proulx*)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Hosanna in the highest.

(The Celebrant continues)

Almighty God, Owner of all things, we thank you for giving up your only Son to die on the cross for us who owe you everything. Pour your refreshing Spirit on us as we remember him in the way he commanded. On the same night that he was betrayed he took bread and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take, eat"; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

People Amen. His body was broken for us.

(Celebrant continues)

In the same way, after supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; he gave it to them saying, "Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

People Amen. We are brothers and sisters through his blood.
 We have died together. We will rise together. We will
 live together.

Celebrant

Therefore, heavenly Father, hear us as we celebrate this covenant with joy, and await the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ. He died in our place, making a full atonement for the sins of the whole world, the perfect sacrifice, once and for all. You accepted his offering by raising him from death, and granting him great honor at your right hand on high. Now sanctify by the Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine that they may become for us the body and blood of our Savior Jesus Christ.

People Amen. Jesus is Lord.

Celebrant This is the feast of victory.

People The Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
 Hallelujah!

As Jesus taught us, we now say

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into

temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and

the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Celebrant I am because we are:

People We are because he is.

Celebrant We are one body:

People We share one bread.

Celebrant Draw near with faith:

People Christ is the host and we are his guests.

Agnus Dei *Willan*

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.

Facing the People, the Celebrant may say the following invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God. [Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.]

or this

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb. *John 1:29, Revelation 19:9*

The Ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the People.

The Bread and Cup are given to the communicants with these words

The body of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was given for you, preserve your body and soul to everlasting life. [Take and eat this in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your heart by faith, with thanksgiving.]

The blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, which was shed for you, preserve your body and soul to everlasting life. [Drink this in remembrance that Christ's blood was shed for you, and be thankful.]

The Ministration of Communion

Communion Laudate Dominum

Laudate Dominum, Laudate Dominum,
Omnes gentes, Alleluia!

(Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, all nations, alleluia!)

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Jubilate Deo

Jubilate Deo, jubilate Deo, alleluia!

In the Lord rejoicing! Christ is risen from the dead! Alleluia!

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Almighty God, Holy Father, we have sat at your feet, learned from your word, and eaten from your table. We give you thanks and praise for accepting us into your family. Send us out with your blessing, to live and to witness for you in the power of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ, the first born from the dead. *Amen.*

The Blessing

Celebrant	All our problems:
People	We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant	All our difficulties:
People	We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant	All the devils works:
People	We send to the cross of Christ
Celebrant	All our hopes:

People
Celebrant

We set on the risen Christ
Christ the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you
and scatter the darkness from before your path:
and the blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son,
and Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with
you, always.

People

Amen.

Dismissal

Christ Is Alive!

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Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the
Spirit.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia

Postlude:

He Is Exalted

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Welcome! Visitors

We are so pleased that you are here with us. Please fill out the “Communication Page” on the back cover and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher, and then join us for coffee in the Solarium after the service.

An Anglican Catechism

<http://www.anglicanchurch.net/?/main/catechis>

Question of the Week

What does scripture mean when it tells you to fear God?

It means that I should live mindful of his presence, walking in humility as his creature, resisting sin, obeying his commandments, and reverencing him for his holiness, majesty, and power.

Exodus 20:20, Psalm 111:10, Proverbs 8:13; 9:10

Resources for families with children

We love having children worship with us at St James and are so glad you are here! Children of all ages are welcome to stay with their families for worship. **Sunday School is offered for children ages 4-13! We will meet before church from 12:30-1:15 each week in Rooms 5-6.**

We have children’s bulletins in the back of the church for those who are interested. Nursery service is also available for infants and toddlers up to age 4, if you choose. If you are looking for some additional ideas on helping your child worship look for the brochure in the back titled Bringing Children to Worship. Whatever option you choose, we hope you experience the love of Christ as you worship with us today!

Volunteers needed

It takes a family to raise faithful disciples of Christ, and we need 2-3 more volunteers to help support our littlest members. Volunteers are needed in the nursery and Sunday School programs. If you can help, or are interested in finding out more details, please contact Paula Velez (559-389-8042 or kasadevelez@gmail.com).

Adult Forum

When: Sundays, 11:00 am to 12:00 noon

Where: Mark & Wendy DeRaud's home at 1161 W. Celeste, Fresno

Mark DeRaud is presenting:

The Art of Knowing

Requests for Assistance from St. Stephen's Fund

To request assistance from the Companions of St. Stephen's Fund, please call the church office at (559) 222-3721 during business hours or call Jeanine Werner at (559) 875-2465.

Daughters of the Holy Cross Prayer Box

The Daughters of the Holy Cross have a prayer box for your prayer requests. The Daughters will pray for you daily for one month or longer upon your request. Cover yourself in prayer by these servants of God. The prayer box is located right inside the door as you enter the church.

Widows in Christ

We meet the 1st Tuesday of the month

Fellowship and Prayer Support

For more information contact Dana Taylor 559-437-0971

If we walk in the light as HE is in the light, we have fellowship with one another.

1 John 7

Disciple's Fellowship – Sundays at 12:15 pm

at Campus Bible Church in Room 4.

We will be discussing the book on Discipleship

Thank You to ...

Derek Addelsee and Joel Velez for
manning the Sound Booth on Easter Sunday. Great Job!!

Music

Margaret Licon and our Choir for making
our Easter Sunday Glorious!

Easter Lunch

To the Ibo/Caribbean Women for providing a wonderful lunch for
everyone to enjoy after our Easter Service. It was delicious.

John Downing Retiring

John Downing is retiring after 28 years of dedicated service and amazing
technical skills as our sound man. Please consider sending him a note
thanking him for his service. His mailing address is:

P. O. Box 4461, Fresno, CA 93744-4461

Vestry Member Needed

Jordan Blanchard is stepping down from the Vestry. We will need to have
an election to replace her. If you are interested in running for Vestry,
please let Fr. Carlos know or call the office 222-3721. The election date will
be May 12th. An eligible nominee is (a) a baptized person in good standing
with St. James Anglican Church; (b) whose name is enrolled in the register of
the church; (c) who is a communicant who regularly participates in worship
services at the church; (d) who is a faithful financial contributor of record;
who has either been confirmed or received into the Anglican Church; (e) who
is at least 18 years of age; and (f) who has satisfied the foregoing
requirements for at least ninety days prior to the date of an election.
Prayerfully consider who would be willing to share their expertise and
leadership skills with St. James.

Vestry Retreat

The Vestry will be at a planning retreat May 17th and 18th

1. Please pray for us as we reconsider a possible name change for St. James'.

2. We will also be looking at the process needful for bringing a new priest after Fr. Carlos retires.

We invite everyone to write your thoughts and prayers about either of these topics. Please keep us in your prayers to fine the Lord's, mind and heart on these issues. If you wish to email please send it to Chris Whitehead at clwhite1975@yahoo.com

National Day of Prayer Thursday, May 2, 2019

Clovis: Noon: at City Hall 1033 5th Street, Clovis

Fresno: Noon: at New Covenant Church, 1744 E. Nees Ave.,
Fresno

6 PM Northwest Church, 5415 N. West Ave., Fresno

5:30pm -7:30pm Prayer Walk at Fresno State

Meet in the Peters Business (PB 194)

Anglican Church Women's Spring Luncheon Saturday, May 4, 2019, 11:30 am-1:30 pm

Where: St. Columba Church, 5073 N. Palm Ave., Fresno

Speaker: Founder & CEO Vicki Luna, Light House Recovery

Tickets: \$15.00

For more information contact Mary K. Leonard at 222-3721.

<u>Birthdays</u>	<u>April 29-May 4</u>
Jordan Blanchard	30
Sebastian Menees	May 1
Alice Whitaker	2
Tom Orr	3
<u>Anniversaries</u>	
Marc & Ginny Zalky	30

ST. JAMES' CLERGY

The Rt. Rev. Eric Menees, Bishop

The Very Rev. Carlos L. Raines, Rector

The Rev. Dr. Dale Matson, Priest

The Rev. Anna Hearn, Deacon

ST. JAMES' STAFF

Dr. Margaret Licon, Organist and Choir Director

Carol Raines, Interim Music Facilitator

Mary K. Leonard/Susan Sanders, Office Assistants

VESTRY MEMBERS

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Jordan Blanchard	400-1725
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Dave Russell	297-0480
Paula Velez	255-2310
Armando Ruiz	803-2249
Margaret Polacek	269-0743

Ministry Assignment

Rector's Warden
People's Warden/Pastoral Care
Missions
Evangelism/Hospitality
Transition/Ushers/Greeters
Children/Youth Ministry
Prayer Ministries
Church Treasurer

St. James' Mission Statement

We will fulfill our Mission by focusing on:

1. Teaching the whole counsel of God through liturgical worship and devotion to prayer and praise.
2. Offering gifts and talents expressed in relationships.
3. Small Groups.
4. Building a relationship with Jesus Christ and each other.
5. Making disciples for outreach to the valley and to the world.
6. Caring ministries and Communion for those unable to attend.
7. Reaching out to youth.

Nursery- (0-4) is available throughout the worship service, although parents are encouraged to pick up their children after the peace for communion.

Saint James' Youth – St. James Youth 7pm-8:30pm at the home of Gary and Marian Facciani at 5289 N. Fisher Ave., Fresno, 93710. No meetings during June, July, & August. Periodic activities to be announced. If you need any information call Gary or Marian at 224-6022.

Prayer

- Prayer is available during Holy Communion in the prayer area and also after the service at the altar rail. Look for someone in the red Healing Prayer Team prayer vest to pray with you.
- Daughters of the Holy Cross prayer chain - Kathy Willson: 981-0513 or Valerie Norman-Shaul 299-9149.

This Week at a Glance

Monday - Friday

8:00 am Morning Prayer and Holy Eucharist

Tuesday:

6:00 pm Choir Practice

Wednesday:

7:00 pm – St. James' Men's Group – DeRaud's home
1161 W. Celeste Ave, Fresno 93711

7:00 pm – Boundaries (In All Relationships)
Meet at the home of Randy and Sue Hague
1239 E. San Jose, Fresno 93710

Thursday:

6:00 am Prayer and Praise – Church Office Chapel
6:00 pm Women's Bible Study- Church Office

Sunday Services:

8:00 am – Church Office, 1300 E. Shaw Ave., #174, Fresno
11:00 am – Adult Forum at Mark & Wendy DeRaud's Home
1161 W. Celeste, Fresno 93711
1:30 pm – Campus Bible Church, 222 E. Fountain Way, Fresno

Visitors Welcome!

We are so pleased that you are here with us. Please fill out the "Communication Page" below and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher, and then join us for refreshments after the service. Please give us as much information as you care to share so that we can stay in contact with you:

COMMUNICATIONS PAGE

Date: _____

Name: _____ Birthday: _____

Spouse: _____ Birthday: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Email: _____

Is this your 1st visit ___ 2nd visit ___ 3rd visit ___ ?

I came as a guest of _____

Please indicate: Single ___ Married ___ Anniversary _____

Names/Birthdays of Children Living at Home: _____

Prayer Requests: _____

I want to sign up for a Small Group: _____

Note to Office: _____
