

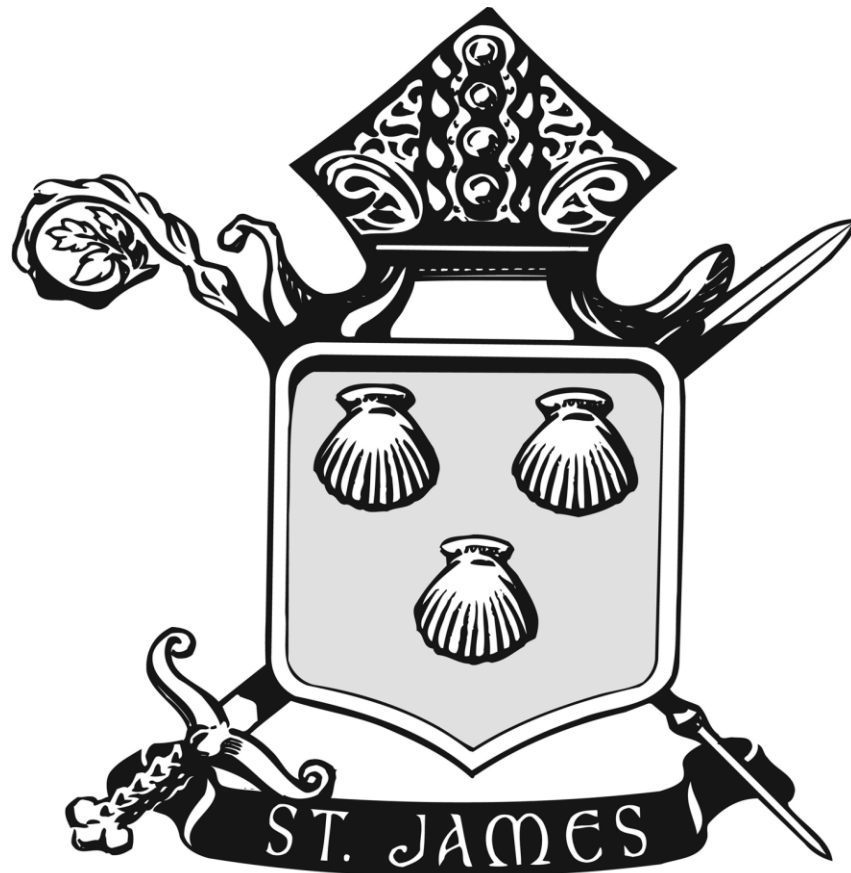
SAINT JAMES' ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL

Fresno, California

January 10, 2016

The First Sunday After The Epiphany *The Baptism of Our Lord*

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II



*I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may
reach to the end of the earth.*

Isaiah 49:6

St. James' Anglican Cathedral

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

MISSION

Sharing the life and love of Jesus Christ with all peoples, by preparing our youth and every generation to make disciples, by serving our neighbors, and by building up the body of Christ.

INFORMATION

Website - www.stjas.org

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

CATHEDRAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

8:00AM - Traditional Service with Communion

9:30AM - Adult Forum

10:30AM - Family Service with Communion

CHAPEL SCHEDULE

Monday through Friday

7:45AM - Morning Prayer & 8:00AM - Holy Eucharist

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

Please stand after an opening Scripture is read.

The Word of God

Processional: Hymn

The Celebrant Blessed be God: The Father, The Son, and
The Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by
the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and
worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High,

Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. *Amen.*

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect of the Day

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

The Lessons (*Holy Scripture is from the English Standard Version. The Psalm is from the Book of Common Prayer, 1979 Ed.*)

Please be seated.

After each Reading, the Lector may say,

People may respond,

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The First Lesson

Isaiah 42:1-9

Behold my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry aloud or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a faintly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be discouraged till he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his law. Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people on it and spirit

to those who walk in it: "I am the Lord; I have called you in righteousness; I will take you by the hand and keep you; I will give you as a covenant for the people, a light for the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord; that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to carved idols. Behold, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth I tell you of them."

Psalm 89:20-29 *Tunc locutus es*

- 20 I have found David my servant; *
with my holy oil have I anointed him.
- 21 My hand will hold him fast *
and my arm will make him strong.
- 22 No enemy shall deceive him, *
nor any wicked man bring him down.
- 23 I will crush his foes before him *
and strike down those who hate him.
- 24 My faithfulness and love shall be with him, *
and he shall be victorious through my Name.
- 25 I shall make his dominion extend *
from the Great Sea to the River.
- 26 He will say to me, 'You are my Father, *
my God, and the rock of my salvation.'
- 27 I will make him my firstborn *
and higher than the kings of the earth.

28 I will keep my love for him for ever, *
and my covenant will stand firm for him.

29 I will establish his line for ever *
and his throne as the days of heaven

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 Second Lesson

Acts 10:34-38

So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

Gradual:

When Christ's Appearing

Hymn # 131

Then, all standing, the Deacon reads the Gospel, first saying,

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel

Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

As the people were in expectation, and all men questioned in their hearts concerning John, whether perhaps he were the Christ, John answered them all, "I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming, the thong of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had

been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form, as a dove, and a voice came from heaven, "Thou art my beloved Son; with thee I am well pleased."

After the Gospel, the Reader says

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon – Fr. Carlos Raines

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only 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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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.

Prayers of the People

From the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Anglican Church of Australia.

Deacon or other leader

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishop(s): Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Foley, our Archbishop; Eric, our Bishop; and the Clergy who serve you in this congregation; and for our missionaries: Martin & Rose; Brad & Sue; Frank & Ann; Peter; and for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for Barack, our President; Jerry, our Governor; Ashley our Mayor; and our other elected representatives; our Armed Forces and their families.

Pray for justice and peace.

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison.

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him.

I ask your prayers for the departed –

Pray for those who gave their lives for our Country.

Pray for those who have died.

Pray for those on our intercessors list or any others you would pray for

Those listed on our intercession list and any others you would pray for:

Ethan Cancer Healing

Rita Healing

Helen Special Needs

Tristen's Parents Spiritual Healing

Fr. Gordon Cancer

Gladys Inner Healing

Suzy	Recovery & Healing	Laura	Inner Healing
Danny	Cancer Healing	Valerie	Healing of her heart
Fr. Antonio	Healing	Dave	Back Healing
Haley	Healing	Marguerite	Back Healing
Margarita	Kidney transplant (no rejection)	Florence	Strength

Pray for the 40th Combat Aviation Brigade, Army National Guard, deployed to the Middle East.

We give Thanksgivings for..

Celebrant offers the following Collect

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth:
Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do
your will: through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Confession of Sin

The Deacon says,

Let us hold a moment of silent reflection before the confession.
Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest, stands and says,

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power

of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

The Peace

All stand. The Celebrant says to the people
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And with your spirit.

Receiving Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are invited to come forward to receive Communion. If you choose not to receive, please indicate by crossing your arms and you will receive a blessing.

Prayer is available during Holy Communion time in the prayer area and after the service at the altar rail. Look for someone in a red Healing Prayer Team prayer vest to pray with you.

The Holy Communion

Offertory

Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty. For everything in heaven and on earth is yours. Yours, O Lord, is the kingdom, and you are exalted as head over all.

1 Chronicles 29:11

Offertory:

Like The Murmur

Hymn # 513

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with your spirit.
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.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant

Because in the mystery of the word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and people

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and Earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

It is appropriate to kneel.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil

and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify + us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with

him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

Silence

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to **say**.

The Lord's Prayer:

People and Celebrant

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, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Agnus Dei:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Lord I am not worthy that you should come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

The Body of Christ, the Bread of Heaven. *Amen.*

The Blood of Christ, the Cup of Salvation. *Amen.*

Communion:

Great Is the Resplendence

Great is the resplendence from the one light:

Our one light is Jesus.

Great is the resplendence from the one light;

We are one in Christ.

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There is One Lord

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism;

There is one God who is Father of all.

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After communion the Celebrant says: Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Or the following

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and

serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

Dismissal:

Star In the East

Hail the blest morn, see the great Mediator,
Down from the regions of glory descend;
Shepherds, go worship the babe in the manger,
Lo, for His guard the bright angels attend.

*Brightest and best of the sons of the morning,
Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid;
Star of the East, the horizon adorning,
Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid.*

Cold on His cradle the dewdrops are shining;
Low lies His bed with the beasts of the stall.
Angels adore Him in slumber reclining,
Wise men and shepherd before Him do fall.

Say, shall we yield Him, in costly devotion
Odors of Edom and off'rings divine,
Gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean
Myrrh from the forest and gold from the mine?

Vainly we offer each ample oblation,

Vainly with gold we His favor secure.
Richer by far is the heart's adoration;
Dearer to God are the prayers of the poor.
Star in the East, Southern Harmony. 1835

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
People Thanks be to God.

Visitors Welcome!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Forum – 9:30 a.m. – Schofield Meeting Room
(aka Zoe Eden Downstairs Meeting Room)

Today, January 10th Fr. Dale Matson will speak on
***God in the Mountains.* Lots of pictures with his presentation.**
Starting January 17th Cat Young will present *Ears to Hear.*

Sunday School

Age 3 through Sixth Grade
Begins at 10:30 a.m. in Room 8 in Sunday School Wing
No Sunday School during June, July, and August.

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 box is located in the Narthex or in the back of the Chapel.

St. James' Men's Group (Pure Desire Conqueror Series) is meeting on

Wednesday evenings from 7pm-8:30pm. All men in our Cathedral family are invited to join us in Schofield Hall.

Women's Bible Study

The new session begins Thursday, January 14th at 6 pm
in the Fireside Room. Everyone Welcome!

Attention – Annual Meeting coming up!

On Sunday, January 24th, after the 10:30 service we will have our Annual Meeting and a Special Tribute to Deacon Melinda as she answers God's call to serve at Good Shepherd Church in Reedley. Lunch will be provided. Plan to come!

Important – Please Note!

Email address for Fr. Carlos: clraines1@gmail.com.

Emergency phone after office hours: (559) 353-2371

Birthdays

Justin Williams
Geri Stirling
Ellen Nelson
Gregory Young

Jan. 10-16

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Anniversaries

REMEMBER A \$1 A DAY FOR MISSIONARY SUPPORT!

Altar – The Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God.

The Aumbry candle burns in honor of Christ's presence in the Blessed Sacrament.

Child Care – A TV monitor is available in the Fireside Room as a “Cry-Room,” so that parents of young children may watch and listen to the service. Please ask an usher for directions.

Sunday School - Baptism/First Communion/Eucharist instruction class (Sunday School) Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:25. All children between 3-11 years old are welcome. For more information please contact Marian Facciani, 906-9267

There is no Sunday School during June, July, and August.

Saint James' Youth – St. James Youth 7pm-8:30pm in the Loft – Meets September through May. No meetings June, July, and August.

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

7:45 am Morning Prayer

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

Wednesday:

6:30 pm – Small Group Bible Study–Andy Ehrhart 779-9505

7:00 pm – St. James' Men's Group

(Conqueror Series Pure Desire) Schofield Hall

7:00 pm – St. James' Youth - Loft over the office

Thursday:

6:00 am – Prayer and Praise – Chapel

6:00 pm – Women's Bible Study – Fireside Room

Friday Office Closed at Noon

Sunday Sunday Services

8:00 am – Rite I – Chapel

10:30 am – Rite II – Cathedral

ST. JAMES' CLERGY

The Rt. Rev. Eric Menees, Bishop

The Very Rev. Carlos L. Raines, Dean

The Rev. Antonio Castaneda, Associate for Hispanic Ministry

The Rev. Dale Matson, Priest
The Rev. Anna Hearn, Deacon

ST. JAMES' STAFF

Carol Raines, Interim Music Director
Mary K. Leonard/Susan Sanders, Office Assistants
Mr. Nat Tibpha, Sexton

CHAPTER MEMBERS

Ministry Assignment

Andy Ehrhard	779-9505	Dean's Warden
Chris Whitehead	908-2012	People's Warden/Pastoral Care
Uma Chand	273-7606	Fellowship
Terri Lawrence	905-2508	Outreach

Sue Hague	779-8025	Prayer
Anthony Velez	375-9613	Youth & Young Adults
John Brough	250-7507	World Missions
Forest Risch	385-4191	Evangelism
Pat Fennacy	222-3105	Stewardship
Dave Russell	297-0480	Building & Grounds
Molly Neely	313-3099	Discipleship
Robert Werner	304-5122	Communications
Margaret Polacek	269-0743	Church Treasurer

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Bishop Eric Menees, Fr. Carlos Raines, Fr. Antonio Castaneda

St. James' members

Grace Evans	709-8008
Dave Russell	940-1402
Chris Whitehead	908-2012

Our Lady of Guadalupe members

Chava Esteves	317-4051
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Maria Garcia	916-6304

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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: _____

I need Offering Envelopes _____

