4:00 pm Mass, Saturday, July 11

Welcome, Welcome, Welcome!

Thank you **everyone for wearing masks and social distancing!**

LIVE STREAM 11:30 a.m. Mass , Sunday, July 12
with **Fr. Tom** and *'Praise and Worship'* with **Dominic Olaso**

Happy Birthday, to all those receiving their birthday blessings!

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July 19, 2020

Mission Statement:
Living the Gospel of Our Lord as a Community of Faith.

CHURCH SCHEDULE

OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Closed all State & Federal Holidays

WEEKDAY MASS
Monday to Saturday
7:30 a.m.

WEEKEND MASSES
Saturday, 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday, 11:30 am

CONFESSIONS
By appointment

ADORATION & BENEDICTION
First Friday
8:00 a.m.

KE AKUA ALOHA CHARISTMATIC PRAYER GROUP
Thursdays
7:00 p.m.

PADRE PIO DEVOTION
Second Saturday
After 4:00 p.m. Mass

FOOD PANTRY
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

WEBSITE:
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SAINT JAMES - THE GREATER

July 25
(Feast Day)

Upcoming Events

JULY 20 - JULY 26, 2020

20th - MONDAY
6:00 AM Outreach - Hall
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

21st - TUESDAY
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall

22nd WEDNESDAY
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall

23rd - THURSDAY
6:00 AM Outreach - Hall
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

7:00 pm Ke AKAU Aloha Charismatic Group
(Church)

24th- FRIDAY
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

10:00 AM Food Pantry - Hall

25th - SATURDAY
7:30 AM MASS
(Church)

8:00 AM Church Cleaning
4:00 PM MASS
(Church)

26th - SUNDAY
8:30 AM MASS
(Church)

11:30 AM PRAISE AND WORSHIP MASS
(Church)

Live-Stream

Pastor's Corner

Fr. Thomas Joseph, PHD

Story of Saint James "the Greater"

Nothing is known of St. James the Greater's early life, though it has been established that he is the son of Zebedee and Salome and brother of John the disciple.
The title "the Greater" was added to St. James' name to help distinguish him from the Apostle James "the Less," who is believed to have been shorter than James.

Saint James the Greater was one of Jesus' first disciples. James along with his father and John the Apostle was fishing when Jesus came to the shores of the Sea of Galilee and called for the fishermen, who were unable to catch any fish that day, to dip their nets in the water once again. When the fishermen followed Jesus' instructions, they found their nets full, and after emptying the fish on board, the boats nearly sank from their weight.

Called by Jesus to witness his Transfiguration, James was one of only three and when he and his brother wanted to call fire upon a Samaritan town, both were rebuked by Jesus. Following Christ's Ascension, James spread the Gospel across Israel and the Roman kingdom as well. He traveled and spread the Word in Spain. It is said that one day, as he prayed, The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to him and asked him to build her a church, which he did.

In 44 AD, Saint James the Greater was martyred for his faith after he returned to Jerusalem by King Herod, who decapitated him. Saint James is known as the first apostle to die. As he was not allowed to be buried following his martyrdom, his remains were taken to Compostela, Spain, by some of his followers, who buried him.

In the ninth century, his remains were discovered and moved to a tomb in Santiago de Compostela. Because Santiago de Compostela is the most frequently visited following Rome and Jerusalem, Pope Leo declared it a shrine.

(taken from *Saints & Angels - Catholic Online*)

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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

8:30 am - Sun, July 20
Deceased Tse Family +

11:30 am - Sun, July 20
Pro Populo
(for all Parishioners)

7:30 am - Mon, July 21
Susan Kwon +

7:30 am - Tues, July 22
James Kwon +

7:30 am - Wed, July 23
Theresa Kwon +

7:30 am - Thurs, July 24
Paul Kwon +

7:30 am - Fri, July 25
Theresa Jun +

7:30 am - Sat, July 26
Peter il Gyu Park +

4:00 pm - Sat, July 26
Norman Gruz +

MASS INTENTIONS

The best way to remember our dearly departed is by praying for them. And the best prayer we can offer is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Masses can be offered for health and healing, in thanksgiving, for birthday blessings, etc. So we encourage you to walk into the parish office and register.

Donation of $10.00 per Mass is requested.
Please make checks payable to:
St Pius X Church
Mahalo!

OFFERING COLLECTION
July 11 & 12, 2020

Total Collection…..... $	2,319.00
Building Fund.....$	156.00
Candles.....$	20.25
Funeral.....$	300.00
Total .....$	**2,795.25**
Online Giving.....$	**185.00**
(July 6- July 10)	

SUNDAY REFLECTION

The kingdom of heaven is like. . .

In his parable of the weeds among the wheat, Jesus confirms what we already know to be true: evil exists in the world. We see evidence of it all around us. Sometimes it even seems as if evil is winning out. Will the weeds eventually choke out the wheat and overrun the field of God's kingdom?

Jesus assures us that it will not. In the end, the angels of God will sort the good from the bad, and evil will be destroyed forever. The fact is, by his death and resurrection, Jesus has already won the victory over evil. Someday God's kingdom will reign over all the earth.

Meanwhile, how can we hasten its coming? It's significant that after telling the first parable about the weeds and the wheat, Jesus tells two more parables about the kingdom of heaven. It's like a tiny mustard seed that grows into a large bush. It's like a little yeast that leavens a whole loaf of bread. These are hopeful images! God's kingdom isn't static. It begins in many small ways and then grows and grows.

You have a part to play in its growth! With every prayer, with every act of faith, with every good deed, you help to build the kingdom of heaven on earth. Making time for prayer, worshipping at Mass, helping the poor, sharing your faith, reaching out to a friend in need, speaking out in defense of life—in these ways and more, you can participate in growing God's kingdom. Yes, they can seem like small things. But so are the mustard seed and that little pinch of yeast.

So don't get discouraged by the evil you see, and don't give up hope. Believe that your small acts of faithfulness really do make a difference. And taken together with other believers, they become a mighty force in choking out the weeds of this world.

"Lord, may your kingdom come!"
(taken form The Word Among Us)

Readings for the Week

Sunday, July 19
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wisdom 12:13,16-19
Romans 8:26-27
Matthew 13:24-43
(or Matthew 13:24-30)

Monday, July 20
St. Apolinaris, Bishop and Martyr
Micah 6:1-4, 6-8
Matthew 12:38-42

Tuesday, July 21
St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Micah 7:14-15, 18-20
Matthew 12:46-50

Wednesday, July 22
Saint Mary Magdalene
Song of Songs 3:1-4b
(or 2 Corinthians 5:14-17)
John 20:1-2, 11-18

Thursday, July 23
Saint Bridget, Religious
Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13
Matthew 13:10-17

Friday, July 24
St. Sharbel Makhluf, Priest
Jeremiah 3:14-17
Matthew 13:18-23

Saturday, July 25
Saint James, Apostle
2 Corinthians 4:7-15
Matthew 20:20-28

Sunday, July 26
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kings 3:5, 7-12
Romans 8:28-30
Matthew 13:-52
(or Matthew 13:44-46)