

**St. James Parish ~ Menomonee Falls, WI**  
**A Member of the Menomonee Falls Cluster Parishes**  
**( St. James, St. Mary's & Good Shepherd )**

*July 31, 2011*

We welcome all of our Guests, Families and Friends  
who join us today for the celebration of our  
Patron Saint

# **James the Greater, Apostle**

**AND PATRON SAINT OF OUR PARISH**

Jesus called two men names James. Our patron is called “greater” simply because he was the older of the two names James! This fisherman from Galilee was a son of Zebedee and the older brother of John. The two brothers and Peter are considered to be the closest disciples to Jesus. It is possible that he was also a first cousin of Jesus. Some scholars believe their mothers were sisters. James and John are also called the “sons of thunder”, possibly because of their zeal and, perhaps, their temperaments.

He has a close connection with Spain (and is that country’s patron saint). It is believed that he preached there. He was one of the first apostles who was martyred (all were killed for their faith except his brother John.) He was beheaded during the persecution of Herod Agrippa I between 42 and 44 and buried in Jerusalem (Acts 12:1-3)

**He is the patron saint of pilgrims,  
pharmacists, laborers and those suffering  
from arthritis.**



## Scripture for the week of July 31, 2011

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| 31 | SUN | Is 55:1-3/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21         |
| 1  | Mon | Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:22-36                       |
| 2  | Tue | Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14       |
| 3  | Wed | Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28 |
| 4  | Thu | Nm 20:1-13/Mt 16:13-23                        |
| 5  | Fri | Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28                        |
| 6  | Sat | Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9       |
| 7  | SUN | 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33     |

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK ...

**Monday, August 1**

**St. Alphonsus Liguori**

8:00 am † Bill & Kay Hynes  
(Less & Maureen O'Hearn)



**Tuesday, August 2**

**St. Eusebius of Vercelli & St. Peter Julian Eymard**

8:00 am † Johanna Block (Antczak Family)

**Wednesday, August 3**

8:00 am † Jack Lepak (Laverne Lepak)

**Friday, August 5**

8:00 am † Don Cawley (Bernie & Sue Renzelmann)

**Saturday,**

**(Sunday Liturgy)**

5:00 pm † Norbert Kowalske (Doug & Cheryl Kowalske)  
45th Wedding Anniversary—Mary & Don Gruber

**Sunday, August 7**

8:15 am † For all St. James Parishioners

10:15 am † Larry, Mike & Al Konkol  
(Marie Konkol & Family)



- II Patrick Austinson &  
Katrina Samp
- I Raul Getino &  
Michelle Pinzl

## The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly

A Timeless Tale of Intimacy Gone Wrong

**Saturday, August 6th**

**Sheraton Brookfield, 375 S Moorland Rd**

**Cost: \$35 per couple**

Please join us for dinner, talk, and fellowship as we listen to internationally known Catholic Guest Speaker, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, talk on topics of spirituality in marriage, family, and intimacy. Deacon Burke-Sivers is the founder and director of Aurem Cordis & host of the EWTN series "Behold the Man: Spirituality for Men", "Made in His Image: Family Life Today" and "Christ the Servant: the Vocation of Deacons". For more information or to register, please call St. John's Parish Office at 414-321-1965.

## PEW VIEW

[The "Servant's Quarters" were vacant this past week as Fr. Mike was on vacation.]

In a sense our parish "Mass on the Grass" has its origins with Jesus himself. Today's Gospel of the multiplication of the loaves and fish on a Galilean hillside expresses an overt Eucharistic theme. This story is so important that it is the only miracle of Jesus recorded in all four Gospels. Its setting and theme are ideal for our annual "Mass on the Grass" celebration.

While Jesus attempts to get some well-deserved quiet time, large crowds pursue him for cures. Jesus meets people where they are. No doubt he was jostled by the throngs as they jockeyed for his attention. But he was among the people, incarnate God pressing flesh against flesh. This Eucharistic narrative implied a messiness of crowded, hot, sweaty humans pushing and shoving for divine intervention and blessing. Picture July 3<sup>rd</sup> Lakefront Fireworks but without the port-a-potties!

In the account of the miracle of the loaves there is a simplicity and "earthiness" that is far afield (literally) from the ritual precision, linguistic accuracy, and mystical experience the forth-coming New Roman Missal promotes. Jesus told his disciples to "have the people sit ("recline" in John's Gospel) on the grass." He does not tell them to kneel or stand but to be relaxed and comfortable so that they could be fed.

The prayer which Jesus says over the loaves is a brief and simple yet profound Hebrew blessing prayed over our gifts of bread and wine at Mass even today: "Blessed be God... through your goodness we have this bread to eat...this wine, the fruit of the vine...they will be come for us your body and blood."

The people were fed and hungers they probably didn't even know they had were satisfied with the Bread of Life. The fragments were collected in twelve wicker baskets. Wicker baskets! These precious remains were gathered not in elegant gold-lined bowls but collected in baskets made of ordinary materials. This is yet another symbol of the incarnate God connecting with our humanness and not being insulated from it. This was Mass on the Grass.

The twelve baskets, one for each apostle, were collected in a type of commissioning. What to do with the leftovers? Feed others! Our Mass on the Grass today commemorates the feast of our patron, St. James. James received one of those baskets and went off to feed others. The action was repeated through history and along the line we became recipients of holy fragments. We gather on the grass, reminiscent of that Galilean hillside and we celebrate amidst the messiness of indiscernible aisles, wobbly lawn chairs, and sweaty flesh bumping against sweaty flesh – incarnational spirituality at its best!

We will be fed and commissioned, carrying within the wicker baskets of our hearts the fragments needed to feed others right where they are – in the workplace or in the marketplace or on the grass...for this is the Mass!

Happy feast day!

*Daryl Olszewski ~ Pastoral Associate*



# Operation Backpack



The members of the Cooperating Churches of Sussex are sponsoring **Operation Backpack**. This is a way to ensure that every child in the Sussex area receives all of the necessary school supplies to get the school year off to a great start. You can help by donating needed school supplies. There will be a collection bin at church until August 14<sup>th</sup>. Suggested items include:

|                                    |                                  |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| New backpacks                      | Compasses                        |
| <b>Wide-ruled</b> notebooks        | Calculators (basic 4-function)   |
| <b>Wide-ruled</b> loose leaf paper | Watercolor paints                |
| Folders                            | Crayons (24-count)               |
| Pens (black, blue, red)            | Erasers (pencil cap and regular) |
| Markers (fine and broad tip)       | School glue                      |
| #2 pencils                         | Glue sticks                      |
| Rulers                             | Child-size scissors              |
| Protractors                        | Post-It Notes                    |
| Highlighters                       | Permanent markers                |

(If you prefer, we will also accept gift cards to stores that sell school supplies. We will use them to purchase additional supplies.)

We are, again, accepting cash donations. This money will be given to Sussex Food Pantry for distribution throughout the year to families that have difficulty affording field trips or other special school expenses.

Distribution of supplies will be **Thursday, August 18th** from 9:00am–11:00am and 5:00pm–7:00pm at Sussex United Methodist Church on Main Street. If you or someone you know is in need of school supplies, please contact Michele at the St. James Parish office (262-251-3944) to register. To be eligible for the supplies, students must attend a school in the Hamilton School District or attend one of the Cooperating Churches of Sussex (Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, Lisbon Presbyterian Church, Redeemer United Church of Christ, St. Alban's Episcopal Church, St. James Catholic Church, Sussex United Methodist Church).

***Working together, we can enhance children's learning by providing them the tools they need.***



## Fellowship Weekend August 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>.

Families with last names starting with letters ...

### **"A" through "D"**



are encouraged to bring the treats for Fellowship Weekend. If you prefer to bring cheese, sausage and crackers; etc. Saturday evening, that would be wonderful. If you are going to be out of town when it's your turn, please feel free to bring something either the month before or after.

### We can never have too much bakery

### Field of Dreams Community Garden

We recently sent our youth off to Kokomo, IN for their mission trip. You don't have to travel far to see teenagers doing service work. A 16 year old Sussex Hamilton student named Tyler recently joined our Field of Dreams garden volunteers. He started to work with our veteran gardeners to help prepare produce to take to the Cooperating Churches of Sussex (CCOS) food pantry. He became inspired by our garden; volunteers, and seeing our vegetables help people at the food pantry. So he started his own garden at home by building raised beds, a boarder, fencing and plans to cover the paths with wood chips. What he is learning at the parish garden he is putting to use at his home garden. He plans to help feed his family with fresh vegetables and will "plant an extra row" to donate to the food pantry. His questions have increased about gardening and how to increase production and avoid diseases and pest damage. He brings excitement, enthusiasm and fun to our volunteers. So even if you are young or have little knowledge of gardening, you too can help. We all learn from each other and our volunteers are happy to share their knowledge and experience. If you are interested in joining our group contact Paul Schneider at (414) 587 -1202 or email [pschneider@wi.rr.com](mailto:pschneider@wi.rr.com)

### **CF Registration Fees & Catechist Sign Up**

If you have not registered please don't forget about us and get your registration in. We continue to register through August but our regular fees have now kicked in. We also want to remind you that classes fill up on a first come first serve basis so at this point you should include a 2<sup>nd</sup> choice for the session time as nearly 400 families have registered at this point. You can register by going to our St. James website and clicking on "Christian Formation" or stop in our office to fill out a form during the week. We also ask that you volunteer in some way as well as pay \$25 down towards your fees when you register.

We will also continue our plea throughout the summer for catechists and classroom aides. If you are considering either of these ministries please sign up on the catechist board in the Gathering Area or call us in the Christian Formation Office at 251-0897 to see what sessions and grade levels are in need of someone to share their faith!

### **HEALTH MINISTRY ...**

On Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup> at the 8:00 am Mass in **THE CHURCH**, we will celebrate the **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**. This is a grace-filled, strengthening and healing sacrament for anyone dealing with emotional, chronic or terminal illnesses or facing surgery. If you cannot come August 5<sup>th</sup>, please contact Ann (250-2663) or Father Mike (253-2212) to arrange a time to anoint you.

### **Food for the Hungry**

Food for the Hungry, Inc needs volunteer drivers to pick up and deliver bread products to our expanding food pantries in Southeastern, Wisconsin. **We primarily need volunteers at the Brownberry Outlet in Oconomowoc**. However, help is needed at the same Outlet in Brookfield. If you are able to help just one or two days a week for a few hours, it would be gratefully appreciated.

If you can spare some time, please feel free to call me at (414) 771-0715.

**Mike Czarnecki, Coordinator**



### **St. Roman's Fundraiser**

Join the faith community of St. Roman as they fundraise for their parish on Friday, September 9, 2011 from 7 to 10 p.m. The night includes a silent auction, raffle items and the world famous Glenn Miller Orchestra to get people up and dancing. The event takes place at the St. Roman Betz Center, 1810 W. Bolivar Ave., Milwaukee, with reserved table seating available at \$25, and non-reserved seating at \$20. For more information or to order tickets, call (414) 282-9063 or visit [www.stromans.com](http://www.stromans.com).

**Beginning on the first Tuesday of August (Aug. 2) our Day of Eucharistic Adoration will close with an evening Vespers service.**

Deacon Bob will be the presider. It will then be offered every first Tuesday of the month, starting at 5:30 p.m. in the Historic Chapel.

For the other Tuesdays there is a closing service during which time the Scriptural Rosary, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and the Divine Praises are part of the hour of closing. Please make an effort to join us at this time for an hour to praise the Lord and be free of the everyday worry and stress.

For anyone who needs some time away from the stress and worry of the world, and cannot make the evening hour, please stop in for a visit earlier in the day to spend time with the Lord in Adoration of His Blessed Sacrament. Exposition begins every Tuesday after the 8:00 am morning Mass.

We hope to see you there. Everyone is welcome. Please accept the Lord's invitation to pay Him a visit. No time is too long or too short.

## Attention All Golfers!

Join us ~ Saturday, August 20th

For

### St. James Golf Outing

Songbird Hills Golf Course  
W239 N8700 Hwy 164  
Hartland, WI

11:00 am ~ Putting Contest begins

12:00 Noon ~ Tee-off

6:00 pm ~ Dinner



### \$75.00 Registration fee includes:

- Putting contest
- Golf tees and cart
- Prizes and golf awards
- Refreshments on the course
- Auction/Raffle
- Dinner

**Don't delay!** Sign-up your Foursome today! Twosomes, singles and Corporate Foursomes are also welcome!

Golf brochures/registration forms are available in the parish office or please call Frank Wanner 262-246-3398 for more information.

Keep practicing those golf skills, because the prize for a hole-in-one is a **Hawaiian Golf Vacation** valued at **\$5,000.00!!**

We have most of the holes covered by sponsors, still need a few more, **now**, we need more golfers. Ask your friends or family members if they would like to join you for this fun filled day.

Corporate Sponsorships, and  
Donation items for the auction and raffles are welcome

All proceeds from the Golf Outing  
to benefit  
St. James Wish List.

## World Youth Day @ Home

**Saturday, August 20, 2011**

**2:00-8:00 pm ~ Archbishop  
Cousins Catholic Center**

World Youth Day @ Home is an opportunity to celebrate our Catholic faith in union with those attending World Youth Day in Spain. This event is open to all young people in grades 6-12 and will include contemporary praise and worship music, Mass with our new Auxiliary Bishop Hyning, dinner, breakout sessions with engaging speakers, and time for fellowship with youth from all over the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. The cost of the day will be only \$15. Details and registration at: [www.johnpaul2center.org](http://www.johnpaul2center.org).

## Jubilee Marriage Celebration

**October 1, 2011**

**St. Charles Borromeo,  
3100 W Parnell Ave., Milwaukee**

This Mass honors those married in 1986 or 1961, celebrating their 25th, 50th or more wedding anniversaries.

The Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated on **Saturday, October 1st**, beginning at 10:00 a.m., presided by Archbishop Jerome E. Listecki. A reception will follow in the Church Hall. Cost is \$35.00 per couple. For more information, please call Annette at 414-758-2201 or 877-558-5744.

**Registration for Silver/Golden Anniversary Celebration  
Please print all information! REGISTRATION DEADLINE:  
September 16, 2011**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (      ) \_\_\_\_\_

#Years married \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Marriage \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Special Assistance (Please specify)  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Please make your checks payable to:  
Archdiocese of Milwaukee.**

Send your registration and check to: Nazareth Project  
– Jubilee Celebration, Archdiocese of Milwaukee, P.O.  
Box 070912, Milwaukee WI 53207-0912

## Thank You All!

Great Blood Drive last Monday ~ Thank you Debbie Sonnemann, the Sonnemann Family and the Robotics Club from Hamilton High School. This could not have been accomplished without your hard work.

There were 80 donors and 68 units come back toward our objective of 50 units. Wow, what a great job your Robo kids did with the calling and Facebooking etc. What an amazing last Monday! Up to 206 patient lives will be impacted/saved by your efforts over this next week in our local community hospitals. WOW!

This is the best showing we have every had at St. James. Those parishioners who took part in this Blood Drive, thank you so much, so many peoples lives have been helped because you took the time to donate. You are all wonderful.

**Michele Schmitz ~ Administrative Assistant, St. James  
Don Kuhl ~ Waukesha County Blood Center Representative**

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday, July 31

10:30 am **Mass on the Grass & Family Picnic**  
6:30 pm Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

### Monday, August 1

9:00 am VBS Program  
1:00 pm CF staff meeting for G.I.F.T. (great room)  
5:45 pm Yoga Class (cafeteria)  
7:00 pm Theology on Tap @ Krueger's  
7:15 am Yoga Class (cafeteria)

### Tuesday, August 2

6:30 am Men's Bible Study (great room)  
8:30 am Bible Class (great room)  
Day of Adoration (chapel)  
9:00 am VBS Program  
T.O.P.S. Program (cafeteria)  
5:30 pm Holy Hour / Rosary (chapel)  
6:00 pm Journeying with Paul (patio & gathering area)

### Wednesday, August 3

7:30 am Rosary (chapel)  
7:45 am Yoga class (cafeteria)  
9:00 am VBS Program  
9:30 am Yoga class (cafeteria)  
7:00 pm AA meeting (room 5)  
All Committee Meeting Night

### Thursday, August 4

9:00 am VBS Program  
Senior Adult Bible Study (great room)  
9:30 am AA Meeting (room 5)  
6:30 pm VBS Ice Cream Social (community center)

### Friday, August 5

Aluminum Can Drive (north parking lot)  
8:00 am Anointing of the Sick at Mass (church)  
9:00 am VBS Program

### Saturday, August 6

Aluminum Can Drive (north parking lot)  
4:00 pm Confessions (reconciliation room)

### Sunday, August 7

Aluminum Can Drive (north parking lot)  
6:30 pm Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

## Fall Retreat Opportunities

Please note these retreat opportunities coming up in September at the Redemptorist Retreat Center in Oconomowoc:

- September 9-11, Weekend Silent Preached Retreat for Women
- September 16-18, Weekend Preached Retreat for Married Couples
- September 21, Autumn Day of Prayer
- September 23-25, Father/Son Weekend Preached Retreat
- September 27-29, Midweek Women's Retreat.

For information on all Fall retreats, call 262-567-6900 or visit

[www.redemptoristretreat.org](http://www.redemptoristretreat.org)

## Directory

### St. James Rectory—Parish Office—262-251-3944

W220 N6588 Town Line Road  
Menomonee Falls, Wisconsin 53051  
Office Hours, Monday through Friday 8 am to 4 pm  
**FAX:** 262-250-2679

**e-mail address:** stjameschurch@bizwi.rr.com  
**Web-site address:** <http://www.stjames-parish.com>

### EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:15 am & 10:15 am  
Weekday Masses:  
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday  
8:00 am in the Historic Chapel

### PARISH STAFF:

#### Administrative Office

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|---|----------|
| Fr. Michael F. Moran, Administrator ..... | 253-2212 |
| Fr. Jerry Hudziak, Help-out .....         | 251-3944 |
| Daryl Olszewski, Pastoral Associate ..... | 253-2213 |
| Mike Rooney, Deacon .....                 | 251-3944 |
| Bob Wodushek—Deacon .....                 | 251-3944 |
| Barbara Schuelke, Pastoral Musician ..... | 253-2225 |
| Terri Weber, Business Administrator ..... | 253-2259 |
| Michele Schmitz, Parish Secretary .....   | 253-2235 |
| Mary Koloske, Assistant Secretary .....   | 253-2259 |

#### Christian Formation Center

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| Sue Devine-Simon, Child Ministry .....                 | 253-2904 |
| Peg Flahive, Adult & Family Ministry .....             | 253-2915 |
| Tracy Dereszynski, Coordinator of Youth Ministry ..... | 253-2908 |
| Diana Wyszkowski, Secretary .....                      | 253-2902 |
| Janet Block, Assistant Secretary .....                 | 253-2916 |

#### Health Ministry

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| Ann Sardegna — Parish Nurse..... | 250-2663 |
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#### Maintenance Department

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### Sussex Food Pantry, 246-9860

Mondays 5:30 to 7:00 pm  
Wednesdays 1:00 to 2:30 pm  
Saturdays 10:00 to 12:00 pm

**Interfaith:** 549-3348

## MISSION STATEMENT

St. James is a vibrant, welcoming Catholic Community Journeying towards the fullness of the Kingdom of God through worship, formation and service.

# **Heritage Weekend**

A Living History Event ~ Lisbon Community Park

**Heritage Weekend is a free event and everyone is welcome!**

## **When**

Saturday, August 13, 10am-5pm  
Sunday, August 14, 10am-5pm

## **Where**

Lisbon Community Park  
N78W26970 Bartlett Parkway  
Lisbon, WI

Over 65 re-enactors and more than 25 camps will be on-site representing their historic time period with demonstrations, games and other sights and sounds for an exciting historic adventure you won't forget!

Take a journey through history by visiting re-enactors from a variety of time periods:

- See a live presentation of an American Indian hoop dancer and a Wild West exhibit
- Enjoy a variety of period music - fife and drum, violin, banjo, guitar and more
- Visit re-enactment camps - Romans/Greeks, Western cowboy, WWII, Marines, Civil War, American Indian, Israeli soldiers and more
- Stop by and see antique fire engines and cars from varying time periods
- Cheer on the Lisbon Prairie Dogs as they challenge Dead City in a historic baseball game at 1:00 on Saturday

**Enjoy a home-cooked lunch!  
Food and beverages available for purchase**