

# St. James Parish ~ Menomonee Falls, Wisconsin

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

July 8, 2012



## Wisdom of the Lord

- When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands!" *Mk 6:2*

*From The Servant's Quarters*

• "You're getting too big for your britches, young man!" Did your mother ever say that to you? (I don't know a comparable saying for a girl!) I heard this occasionally from my mother when there was something about my attitude she didn't like. I think that's what the people in the hometown of Jesus are saying to him. He's teaching. He's healing. His popularity is rising in other communities. And so they ask, "Where did he get all this? ...Isn't this the carpenter, the son of Mary, a brother of James, and Joses and Judas and Simon? Aren't his sisters our neighbors here?" *Familiarity breeds contempt!*

• What a contrast with last week's gospel. The woman with a hemorrhage touched him and was healed. The dead daughter of the synagogue official was brought back to life! Why? In the words of Jesus, "It is your faith that has cured you."  What will help us grow and deepen in our faith? I think this is a good question to wrestle with during these days of summer. Hopefully we can all carve out some leisure to think about our faith.

• Maybe the familiarity issue in the gospel can call us to be open to the surprises of God. Perhaps the Lord is touching us in a way we are not attuned to yet. How might Jesus be bringing wholeness and tranquility into our hearts? Lord, increase our faith. Lord, make us alert to discover your surprises.

• Last Sunday I was drawn beyond my usual routine by presiding at the two Sunday liturgies at our sister parish, St. Martin de Porres in Milwaukee. It was a bit of a homecoming for me. In 1952 my parents were married in that church! (the former St. Elizabeth Church) And in 1976 I lived there for a year as a Capuchin seminarian.

• I discovered a familiar face from those bygone days, who is still living and ministering there, Sister Callista, a Little Falls Franciscan sister. She has served the community in many ways throughout the years and continues to be a vibrant part of the parish.

• I had a tour of the facility (including my old bedroom!) and saw the food pantry, updated with the help of some of our parish members.

• Once again we have invited the people of St. Martin de Porres parish to our Mass on the Grass. They in turn have extended an invitation to us to join them for their

parish picnic August 12th, beginning with a 10:00 am Mass.

• And I would like to encourage us to take part in their first fund raiser for the year. Saturday, July 14, they will host a musical performance at St. Robert Catholic School in Shorewood, 2200 E. Capitol Drive. The "Tempters" will be performing beginning at 8:15pm. Tickets are \$15.00 per person.

• *I got a job at a bakery because I kneaded dough!*

*Fr. Mike & Comet*

**Readings for the Week of July 8, 2012**

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a  
 Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22/Mt 9:18-26  
 Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38  
 Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7  
 Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9/Mt 10:7-15  
 Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23  
 Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33  
 Next Sunday: Am 7:12-15/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/  
 Mk 6:7-13

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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**Monday, July 9**

8:00 am † Richard Davey (Karen Davey & Family)  
 † Marie & Lester Bastenbeck (Barb Jackamonis)

**Tuesday, July 10**

8:00 am † Terry Boho (Diane Loch)  
 † Special Intention (Bob McMahon)

**Wednesday, July 11**

8:00 am † Jerry Wendelberger (Joyce Hartay)  
 † Special Intention (Bob McMahon)

**Friday, July 13**

8:00 am † Jo & Pauline Fleischman (Francis Fleischman)

**Saturday, July 14**

**(Sunday Liturgy)**

5:00 pm † Tom Braden (Harry & Shirley Goetz)  
 † Anna Mae Curtis (Jeanne & Dick Lueck)

**Sunday, July 15**

8:15 am † Robert Spitz (Les & Maureen O'Hearn)  
 † Joe Rondone (Bob McMahon)  
 10:15 am † Joe & Marilyn Marchese (Family)  
 † Leipzig Family & Robert Schwartz (Family)

**BANNS OF MARRIAGE**

III Jon Suttner & Nora Tetkoski  
 I Eric Hitt & Meagan Rinka



**July 1, 2012 Contributions**

Stewardship	\$19,683.01
Offertory	\$ 818.21
Mortgage	\$ 3,604.50
Chapel	\$ 220.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$24,325.72</b>

**St. James' Weekly Tithes (Outreach)**

Since the 1980's St. James has distributed a portion of its weekly income as a tithe for various outreach programs and organizations. This past week \$500 was donated to:

**Repairers of the Breach** which provides shelter to the homeless.

**CAR RAFFLE**

It's that time again.....St. James Annual Car Raffle!!

Since we are no longer able to MAIL the raffle tickets, we are asking each family to pick up their tickets in the gathering area. **The drawing will be held Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> after the Mass on the Grass.** This is a major fundraiser for the parish and your support is greatly appreciated!



We express our sympathy to the families of **Josephine St. Louis and Lucilla "Sal" Duplantis**

May they find peace and happiness with our Lord Jesus in heaven.

*In Deepest Sympathy*



**ADORATION TAKES PLACE IN THE CHAPEL ON TUESDAYS**

**8:30 AM—5:00 PM**

**Please consider joining us for prayer.**



My heartfelt thank you for all who have helped me celebrate my 95<sup>th</sup> birthday last Sunday. The food, the many cards and hugs, and love you showed made the day one to live in my heart and mind forever.

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**No Fellowship in July**

See you on July 22nd for Mass on the Grass, the Picnic and Car Raffle!

**2012 Annual MASS ON THE GRASS**

**Sunday, July 22nd, the liturgy will be at 10:30 am, followed by our family picnic and annual Car Raffle Drawing!**

Please fill out the sign up sheet to let us know how many will be attending and how many brats and/or hot dogs you would like. The sign-up can be found in the newsletter, the June 24th bulletin or on our website: stjames-parish.net.

**The deadline to sign up for the picnic is Sunday, July 15th.**

**It's very important to sign up if you plan to attend so that we have enough brats/hot dogs to fill everyone's request.**

Join us for food, fun, and music. Invite your friends and families.

Just let us know how many are staying for the picnic and what you can bring to pass.

All are invited to join us for the liturgy even if you cannot stay for the picnic.

**Remember to wear RED!**

**Welcome to the following parishioners who have joined us here at St. James over the past few months:**

Ellen Allen  
Jason & Lynne Ciriacks

Marion Stoller  
Jon & Michelle Von Haden



## **2012-2013 CHRISTIAN FORMATION REGISTRATION**

Registration is available online for the 2012-2013 CF year. On July 1, registration will be open to all parishes in the cluster and fees will increase \$25. Classes fill on a first come basis.

Forms can be found online at [www.stjames-parish.net](http://www.stjames-parish.net); under the Christian Formation link. Don't forget to submit your volunteer form and \$50 registration fee at the time of registration. Please respond to the CF Survey when registering.

Any questions call the CF office at 251-0897 or email at [beimbornm@archmil.org](mailto:beimbornm@archmil.org).

## **Theology on Tap for Young Adults**

Just a reminder that Theology on Tap runs from 7:00 – 9:00 PM on July 11 at Krueger's Entertainment Center in Menomonee Falls. The July 11 topic is "Voting With a Catholic Conscience," presented by Lincoln Rice.

Contact [tdodge@directs.com](mailto:tdodge@directs.com) or 414-308-7295 for more information. Registration is not necessary. Bring a friend!

## **GIFT – Fall 2012**

Attention St. James households and parishioners...if you would like to participate in GIFT (Growing in Faith Together) and have not yet registered, please go to the Christian Formation section of our parish website to register. Registrations are taken on a first come, first serve basis. Sunday GIFT fills quickly, so act soon! Often there is more room in the Tuesday GIFT sessions. The eight GIFT dates (and four Digging Deeper dates – also a part of GIFT!) are on the CF section of the website under GIFT. Please be aware that as of July 1<sup>st</sup> we opened up our GIFT registration to the other parishes in our cluster, so don't delay...act now!

## **Help Needed on GIFT Sundays**

We are looking for some (non-GIFT) teens and/or adults who might like to volunteer their services by helping to serve and clean up after the GIFT meal is served. GIFT dates and times are posted on the Christian Formation section of our website (under GIFT). If you have some extra time and are willing to help out, please contact Peg Flahive, [flahivep@archmil.org](mailto:flahivep@archmil.org), or call 262-253-2915. Extra help would allow our Christian Formation staff to be present in the CF Office to assist our volunteer catechists. Childcare providers are also needed during the Sunday GIFT sessions, from noon-1:30. Providers would need to take the "Safeguarding All God's Family" two hour class offered through the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and held at St. James on August 29 OR September 12. Please contact Michelle Beimborn, [beimbornm@archmil.org](mailto:beimbornm@archmil.org) or call 262-253-2902 if you are interested in providing childcare.



## **Eucharistic Adoration Every Tuesday**

*How much time do you offer for Jesus during the week?  
Can you make a date to meet Him for some "Heart to Heart" talks?  
Or to just sit quietly with an old and dear friend?*

Come and be with Him in person in the Historic Chapel at St. James every Tuesday. He will be waiting from 8:30 am (immediately after Morning Mass) through 5:00 pm. Closing prayers, which include the Rosary, begin at 5:00 pm. There will now be a weekly sign up sheet on a small table in the Gathering Area by the space designated for the ministers of Communion. Even if you cannot make a long term commitment, please consider making an offering of time as often as possible. If you can make a commitment for a few weeks, please sign the sheet. There will be a new sheet each month so we can make sure all the hours are covered.

Remember it is Jesus who is asking you to prayerfully consider pledging some extra time with Him this week. Will you say "yes"?

## **Saturday Afternoon Movie Matinee ~**

Please join us this summer at St. Mary Parish as we explore "Catholicism - A Journey Around the World and Deep into the Faith". Father Robert Barron's 10-part documentary series will be presented on the following **Saturdays: July 14, 21, 28, and August 11 & 18** in the St. Therese Room from 2:30-4:30 p.m. To sign up, please e-mail Jim Waters at [mjh2os@yahoo.com](mailto:mjh2os@yahoo.com) or call 414/418-2137. There are a total of 10 hours so we will watch two per week, and if time allows, have a brief discussion following each episode.



The following description from the publisher says it all, "Journey with acclaimed author, speaker, and theologian Fr. Robert Barron to more than 50 locations throughout 15 countries. Be illuminated by the spiritual and artistic treasures of this global culture that claims more than one billion of the earth's people." The mystery and meaning of our faith is revealed in this wonderful and engaging presentation of our faith.

## **Fields of Hope and Dreams – Community Garden News**

Have you seen those tomato and pepper plants lately? As long as we keep up with the watering, the heat will continue to make our hot crops jump with growth. To make watering easier for our volunteers, we've installed a "drip watering system" in the **Field of Hope** garden. This system delivers a precise one gallon of water per hour (1 gph) to each individual tomato plant. No sprinklers, no soaker hoses, just a steady dripping of water to each plant. Our volunteers hook a hose up, turn the faucet on and the system does the rest. The volunteers then are free to water the pepper plants and water the **Field of Dreams** garden with a hose and watering wand. After one hour they return and turn off the drip watering system so each of our tomato plants has the precise drink it needs. We've already replanted lettuce and some other cool weather crops and are on track to grow and donate a bumper crop to the Cooperating Churches of Sussex's (CCOS) food pantry. Oh, and the new white fence around the Field of Hope garden looks pretty classy too!

Thank you – John Swanson, Ray Gross and Paul Stevens. If you'd like to join our garden volunteers, call (4140 587-1202 or email: [pschneider@wi.rr.com](mailto:pschneider@wi.rr.com))



## **WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

Today's readings talk about the hardness of heart of God's people and their lack of faith. What is the soil of our heart like? Open your heart to God and allow him to transform your life and your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are July 20-22 in Madison, WI; August 10-12 in Brookfield, WI and Sept. 14-16 in Crystal Lake, IL. Early registration is highly recommended. **For more information visit our website at: [alife-timeoflove.org](http://alife-timeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653.** For a fin de semana en Espanol in Rockford on Aug. 17-19, contact Hugo & Gaby at 630-690-2094.

### **REPAIRERS OF THE BREACH NEEDS BOTTLED WATER FOR HEAT EMERGENCIES**

In this heat wave *we urgently request donations of bottled water* to be dropped off at our Center at 1335 W. Vliet St. between 7:00 am - 4:00 pm daily. Although we are very pleased to offer air conditioning at our Center, bottled water is another way we are helping our destitute and homeless members cope with the heat, especially those living in situations where they cannot access drinking water during the night.

We also appreciate donations as follows:

- New or clean good used underwear, adult men & women, all sizes;
- Light nylon summer jackets, adult men & women, all sizes;
- New or clean good used T-shirts, all adult sizes (no inappropriate wording);
- Bill caps, bandanas, other sun protection hats;
- New athletic socks;
- Light jogging suits, all adult sizes;
- Good used or new men's & women's athletic shoes, especially larger sizes;
- Good used or new comfortable/durable walking shoes, especially larger sizes;
- Duffle bags and suitcases on wheels;
- Good used or new casual appropriate summer clothing, adult men & women, all sizes;
- Good used or new appropriate dress-up summer clothing (suitable for church or an interview), adult men & women, all sizes (no party clothes);
- Shawls, fanny packs, plain white cotton handkerchiefs, small flannel throws;
- Good clean used or new jeans, all adult sizes;
- Insect repellent, sunblock, lip balm, first aid cream, small hand sanitizer, deodorant;
- Vinyl raincoat ponchos folded into small pouches.

Any of these additional items would be helpful and truly appreciated.

Continue to check our [website](#) for announcements regarding our celebrations this fall when our renovation is complete.

**Bereavement Ministry Training:  
Learning to Lend Support  
Saturday, September 22 – 9:00am – 12 noon  
St. John Vianney Parish, 1755 N Calhoun Rd,  
Brookfield 53005  
Cost: Free and open to everyone**

At one time or other most of us have felt at a total loss of what to say to or do for someone who is deeply grieving the loss of a loved one. Many of us actually say things that hurt, rather than help, since we don't understand the grief process adequately. If you wish to enhance your ability to comfort others, whether for your own use or as part of a Bereavement Ministry in your parish, you are invited to attend this Bereavement Ministry Training session. Registration is requested, but not required.

**Contact Polly at [pollys@stjohnv.org](mailto:pollys@stjohnv.org) or 262-796-3944.** The presenter, **Sharon Modrzynski**, is a certified Thanatologist and former Bereavement Director at St. John Vianney Parish. She has great experience in working with grieving people, both in Milwaukee and now in Wautoma, Wisconsin.

### **Saint Joseph's Tool Chest**

St. Joseph's Tool Chest is a not-for-profit corporation that gathers new and used tools, which are refurbished as needed and shipped to domestic and international ministries. These ministries focus their efforts to teach skills and trades to members of their communities, so that they may be able to support themselves and their families.



**SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH—NOON TO 5 PM  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 5TH—7:45 AM TO 10:30 AM  
ST. JAMES PARKING LOT**

(Any and all tools will be collected! Monetary contributions are always needed and appreciated.)

### St. James has Louis Liberti (Peter Anthony) Paintings For Sale

Louis Liberti Sr., (1920-2005) a member of St James Parish, was a noted artist who donated many of his works to our parish. He was in the top 10 of state and federal waterfowl stamp contests. Professionally, he was noted for his billboard paintings in the Milwaukee area. His name as an artist was Peter Anthony. He painted ducks, deer, horses, geese and cowboys. Mr. Liberti donated many of his paintings to St. James and they are for sale. Contact the parish office if you are interested in purchasing a painting.



### St. James Golf Outing August 11, 2012 Starting at 12:00 Noon Songbird Hills Golf Course

W239N8700 Hwy 164, Hartland



Foursomes, twosomes and singles welcome!  
**For full details see brochure and registration form in this month's monthly statement.**  
For more information call (262) 246-3398.

### Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide Support Group in Mukwonago

St. James (Mukwonago) Adult Faith Formation and Life's Connection is offering a powerful support and healing program. You are welcome to join them for a 12 week divorce recovery group that helps separated and divorced men and women heal from emotional wounds, deepen their personal relationship with Christ, and begin to live a full Sacramental life in the Church. This Christ-centered series is based on sound Catholic teaching and spiritual principles and each session helps people find peace, power and passion that may have been lost through divorce. CDSG was created to move the divorced or separated Catholic past the pain of divorce. Included in the series are topics covering: shock, denial, fear, anger, depression, loneliness, financial issues, battles in court, custody and visitation, annulment, dating again, marriage, sex, chastity and singleness.

Location: St James **Mukwonago**  
830 Hwy NN East - Mukwonago WI  
Cost \$40 per person for materials  
Beginning Date: Tuesday July 24th  
(meets for 12 consecutive weeks)

Time: 6:30 pm

Registration required: Call 363-7615 ext 129 or print registration form at [www.stjamesmukwonago.org](http://www.stjamesmukwonago.org)

### Drive for Health! – Your Driving Can Make a Difference for a Neighbor

Did you know that the number one request from seniors who contact Interfaith Senior Programs is for rides to healthcare appointments? Help Menomonee Falls seniors and adults with disabilities stay healthy and in their homes through your rides. Share when you are available to drive, and you will be matched with someone who needs your help. Even once or twice a month would help a neighbor without transportation. Contact Marcia Rupp at Interfaith Senior Programs for more information at (262) 549-3348, ext. 2409 or [MarciaR@interfaithwaukesha.org](mailto:MarciaR@interfaithwaukesha.org) or visit [www.InterfaithWaukesha.org](http://www.InterfaithWaukesha.org).



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**Summer Scholarship Blood Drive**  
Enter to win a scholarship for yourself or someone you know.



### St. James Catholic Church Scholarship Drive

Sponsored by Team 537 Charger Robotics

Monday, July 30, 2012

2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

W220 N6588 Townline Rd., Menomonee Falls

All attempting eligible donors may submit an official sweepstakes entry form at the time of donation for a drawing to win a \$500 scholarship. Community members including teachers, families and friends can donate on behalf of an eligible student to increase a student's chances to be awarded a scholarship. The more times a name is entered in the drawing, the better the chances of winning!

Make an appointment online at [www.bcw.edu/ScholarshipRobo](http://www.bcw.edu/ScholarshipRobo)  
or call 1-877-BE-A-HERO (1-877-232-4376).

*There is room for only 83 donors, so the chance to win \$500 is "one in only 83!"*

Please bring a photo ID

1-877-BE-A-HERO | [www.bcw.edu](http://www.bcw.edu)  

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday, July 8

6:30 PM Boy Scout Meeting (Cafeteria)

### Monday, July 9

7:00 PM Music Rehearsal (Church)

### Tuesday, July 10

6:30 AM Men's Scripture Study (Great Room)  
 8:30 AM Bible Study (Great Room)  
 Day of Adoration (Chapel)  
 9:00 AM T.O.P.S. Meeting (Cafeteria)  
 5:30 PM Holy Hour/Rosary (Chapel)  
 6:00 PM Exploring the Parables (Comm. Cntr.)  
 7:30 PM Knight's of Columbus Board Mtg (rectory)

### Wednesday, July 11

7:30 AM Rosary (Chapel)  
 7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Meeting (Comm. Cntr)

### Thursday, July 12

9:00 AM Senior Adult Bible Study (Great Room)  
 10:00 AM RCIA Cluster Meeting (Great Room)  
 1:00 PM GIFT Meeting (Great Room)  
 5:30 PM Community Banquet (Comm. Cntr)

### Friday, July 13

### Saturday, July 14

9:30 AM Baptismal Classes (Great Room)  
 4:00 PM Individual Reconciliation (Reconcl. Rm)  
 5:00 PM Baptisms at Mass  
 Art & Environment Witness Appeal

### Sunday, July 15

Art & Environment Witness Appeal at Masses  
 10:15 AM Baptisms at Mass  
 6:30 PM Boy Scout Meeting (Cafeteria)

## COMMON THREADS QUILTING GUILD

Now through August we are signing up new members who are interested in the many aspects of quilting beginners thru advanced.

We start in September 2012—June 2013. 10 months of quilting knowledge and inspiration with optional workshops by professional instructors meets mornings on the 4th Wednesday of the month at St. James church on Townline Road. If you are interested call Ginny at 414-651-1939.



## Directory

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

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**FAX:** 262-250-2679

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### EUCHARISTIC 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:

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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.