

St. James Parish ~ Menomonee Falls, WI

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

May 1 2011

**First Eucharist 2011
St James Parish, Menomonee Falls**



Congratulations to our young parishioners who will be celebrating Eucharist for the first time over the April 30 & May 1 and May 7 & 8 weekends.

Emma Amstadt
Marisa August
Samantha August
Meghan Backus
Samantha Backus
Alexis Bain
Sydney Bartos
Brady Batzko
Adam Bauman
Jack Bill
Samuel Bonesho
Nicholas Bongard
Lauren Bredeson
Andrew Buschke
Grace Butscher
Megan Calvey
Dominic Carini
Connor Cedeno
Jakob Ciardo
Lukas Ciardo
Gabriela Cibulka
Sebastian Cimbalnik
Madison Cmeyla
Julia Dempski
Tyler Dongarra
Thomas Droese
Patrick Dugan
Jayden Ermer
Sydney Fenner
Burke Feuerstein

Connor Fitzgerald
Margaret Flynn
Mitchell Fox
Faith Frei
Alexis Goetz
Samuel Goodnetter
Leah Groholski
Luke Grunzel
Ryan Hammond
Mackenzie Hietpas
Carson Hilt
Isabelle Hooge
Nicholas Huhn
Gretchen Kabitzke
Alyssa Kaczmarek
Katelyn Kaminski
Charlie Kinowski
Anthony Krenek
Lucas Kroneberg
Grace Kurucz
Christopher Lang
Matthew Lehner
Abigale Lemke
Kayla Lewinski
Jack London
Ian Markano
Seth Murphy
Evan Nyhouse
Gretchen O'Neill
Maddie Paar
Jacob Pfeifer

Lauren Porter
Olivia Reiner
Jack Reinhart
Cruz Riojas
Matthew Romuald
Andrew Scargill
Otto Schenk
Chloe Schmidt
Grace Schmidt
Courtney Schraufnagel
Logan Schueler
Amanda Seidl
Eliza Siade-Cox
Isabella Sirianni
Charlotte Skibinski
Kaitlyn Slaats
Nolan Smarelli
Jake Sohre
Jayden Sonnemann
Jackson Tremelling
Christian Wagner
Zachary Werra
Grace White
Jordan Wilson
Liam Wrench
Garrett Yager
Jake Yahnke
Jordan Young
Kelsey Zunke
Natalie Zuzick

Scripture for the week of May 1, 2011

1	SUN	Acts 2:42-47/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31
2	Mon	Acts 4:23-31/Jn 3:1-8
3	Tue	1 Cor 15:1-8/Jn 14:6-14
4	Wed	Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21
5	Thu	Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36
6	Fri	Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15
7	Sat	Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21
8	SUN	Acts 2:14, 22-33/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Father Art is on Vacation this coming week (May 2nd through May 6th). There will be no morning Mass. We will have **Word & Communion** on Tuesday, May 3rd.

Tuesday, May 3

8:00 am **Word & Communion** (chapel)

Saturday, May 7**(Sunday Liturgy)**

5:00 pm † Mary Jane Rhode (Barb & Bob Schuelke)
† Don Cawley (Frances Nigbor)

Sunday, May 8 Third Sunday of Easter

8:15 am † Marylyn Etzel & Lorraine Gruber (Family)
† Jeanne Carlson (Dee & Don Ooton)
10:15 am † Leipzig Family & Robert Schwartz
(Tom & Catherine Leipzig)
† Tom Huettl (Family & Friends)

LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO RENT

New Pastor with Golden Retriever
Seeks Small House to
Rent
Near St. James Parish.
Call Father Mike Moran at 920-382-7582.

**HEALTH MINISTRY ...**

We will not have the **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick** on May 6th. Our next Anointing of the Sick will take place on **Friday, June 3rd**. Please watch the bulletin near the end of May for an announcement regarding this event.

**PEW VIEW
BEWARE OF WHAT YOU EAT!**

As we welcome just over 100 children to the Table of the Lord for First Communion during these next two weekends it seems like a good opportunity to reflect on the meaning of the body and blood of Christ. We hear regular news alerts about food recalls and a variety of health organizations either promote the advantages of eating certain foods or issue dire warnings about the possible dangers of eating other foods. Perhaps Communion should come with statements promoting proven benefits as well as something similar to those pages of "May cause side effects" warnings that come with pharmaceuticals.

Jesus clearly stated the benefits of consuming the Eucharist. "Whoever eats this bread will live forever." (Jn. 6:51) And, "Unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you." (Jn. 6:53) Partaking in the Eucharist obviously has healthy spiritual benefits!

But what about the possible side effects of receiving communion? The last supper account in John's Gospel reports that "during the supper Jesus got up and washed the feet of his disciples." There wasn't even time for the Eucharistic meal to be digested and Jesus was moved to action. Not only that, when Jesus finished washing their feet he told his disciples, "I've just given you an example of what you are to do." So, Jesus told them the effects of partaking in the Eucharist: eating leads to service.

This is exactly what happened to Toni and Tom Bohman from St. James as reported in the Good Friday (April 22, 2011) edition of the Milwaukee Journal/Sentinel. There on the front page of the local section was a picture of Toni washing the feet of a woman at the Repairers of the Breach Shelter in Milwaukee. This was not just a symbolic "a little water over the foot" type of church washing. This was a bathing with warm soapy water followed by the application of soothing anointments and salves on the feet of a homeless woman who had probably put on some pretty rough miles. Check out the story at <http://www.jsonline.com/features/religion/120430059.html>. It is a perfect example of what happens when we "dine with the servant" as Fr. Art says in that article. For then we too can become servants. Be careful what you eat.

Jesus gave a "food warning" during the last supper when he told them, "If the world hates you, realize that it hated me first" and "If they persecute me, they will also persecute you." (Jn. 15:18;20) To receive the Body of Christ can be dangerous. Be careful what you eat but Jesus assured us, "Don't be afraid of those who can destroy the body but cannot kill the soul." (Mt. 10:28)

Receiving the Body and Blood of Christ might bring about some profound changes in one's life. Are you ready for them? Enjoy the feast and happy First Communion!

Next week: Reflections on Unleavened Bread.

Daryl Olszewski
Pastoral Associate

Dr. John Whitcomb - Speaking on "Wellness"

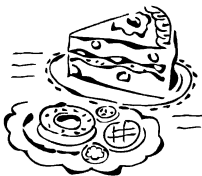


Cancer . . . Heart attack . . . Stroke . . . Alzheimer's - which diagnosis would scare you? **Chemotherapy . . . Heart surgery . . . Physical therapy/Rehab . . . Prescription drugs** - which treatment option would you prefer? Why wait to hear these words or treatments from your doctor? Why not try to alter your lifestyle to avert, avoid or delay these maladies? Dr. John Whitcomb; educated at John Hopkins and Yale University has spent the last 30 years at St. Luke's, Froedert, and Mt. Sinai as an emergency physician and is currently lead physician in Aurora's wellness program. **Dr. Whitcomb will speak on Sunday, May 22nd at 9:30 a.m.** Plan to stay after the 8:15 Mass or come early to the 10:15 Mass to hear him speak and answer your questions of what lifestyle changes you can make to help avoid our increasingly costly medical options. Dr. Whitcomb grew up as a missionary kid in India whose father promoted proper agrarian/agricultural technology, vegetarian eggs and what is now becoming "in vogue" in our society: eating more fresh fruits, vegetables, and fish, lowering your stress and your blood pressure. Don't miss your opportunity to hear Dr. Whitcomb who has presented various programs at the UCC church for the last five years.

Presented by: Human Concerns Committee & Field of Dreams Community Gardeners.

Fellowship Weekend May 7th & 8th

Families with last names starting with letters "N" through "Sc" 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

THANK YOU CORNER!

THANK YOU KC MEMBERS!

The Christian Formation Department would like to thank the members of the Knights of Columbus for their generous donation of rosaries and prayer cards that we distributed to our First Eucharist Candidates this year.

A BIG THANK YOU!

I would like to give a Big Thank You for the basket of goodies I received from St. James.

Evelyn Semrow

THINK SPRING!!

The 7th grade class at Queen of Apostles school along with Falls Mills Greenhouse are offering merchandise vouchers. Proceeds from the voucher sale will help the class of 2012 prepare for their graduation trip to Washington DC. Vouchers will be sold for \$12 each, and are worth \$12 in merchandise from Falls Mills Greenhouse. Falls Mills (located on Mill Road, just east of Townline Road) is one of Menomonee Falls hidden treasures!! They offer a wide assortment of flats, gorgeous hanging baskets, vegetables, perennials and much more. Come and support your local business while helping the 7th graders at Queen of Apostles!! To get your vouchers, stop by our table after all Masses on the weekend of May 7th and 8th or contact Sandra Schultz at 262-246-6776 or email her at schultz4@wi.rr.com. We are happy to take orders over the phone, and we'll deliver the vouchers right to your home. Get a jump start on this year's gardening! Thank you very much for your support.

WAUKESHA COUNTY

DRUG COLLECTION & AWARENESS

Reduce substance abuse, prevent childhood poisonings and help protect our environment. **You can bring** prescription medication, over the counter medication ointments, sprays, inhalers, creams, vials, herbals, pet medications and mercury on **Saturday, May 14th, 2011** to Community Memorial Hospital between the hours of 9:00 am and 12 noon. (W180N8085 Town Hall Rd, Menomonee Falls). **Do not bring** biohazardous material (including sharps), household hazardous waste, bulk prescription drug samples and personal hygiene products.

For more information please visit www.waukeshacounty.gov/drugcollection.

Time for Elections of our Trustee

John Swanson is running for Trustee for the 2011-2013 term. If you would like to run or know anyone who would like to run for this position please be informed that Candidates must be nominated in writing by 10 or more registered parish members. Nomination forms are available in the parish office if you would like one. All nomination forms **Must be back** to the parish office **no later** than Sunday, May 22nd. Any questions regarding what is needed to be a trustee feel free to call the parish office at 262-251-3944.

Catholic **Hometown** **Nazareth** Where Jesus was a Kid™

This year the cluster parishes of St. Mary's, Good Shepherd and St. James will be working together to provide 2 weeks of Vacation Bible School. The first week will take place **June 13-17th** at Good Shepherd and the second week will happen at St. James on **August 1st-5th**. You are welcome to attend either week.

Children going into 4K through 5th grades are invited to participate in a week of fun and bible learning. Students going into 6th grade through adults are encouraged to participate by serving as helpers or leaders. You can help 1 day or all week. If you would like to help in any way please contact Sue Devine-Simon at devinesimons@archmil.org or call 262-253-2904 or register as a volunteer at the link below. Register online at...<https://www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/hl/vbsofthefalls>



"Our Town"

Hamilton High School Drama invites you to this spring's entertaining production of *Our Town* by Thornton Wilder. Performances will be May 5 and 6 at 7 pm and matinees on May 7 and 8 at 1 pm at the Hamilton Fine Arts Center. Ticket prices are \$8 for adults and \$5 for students / senior citizens. There will be a "buy one / get one" promotion for senior citizens on Saturday, May 7.

Thornton Wilder's classic play *Our Town* is about the small picture perfect town of Grover's Corners. It begins with the Stage Manager giving an overview on the town and then focusing on the Gibbs and Webb families. Time passes and in Act three, the play changes pace and a character gets to visit a childhood memory, realizing the importance of life.

MACCW Annual Convention/Assembly May 17, 2011

Milwaukee Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (Caring Catholic Women) invite you to their **91st Annual Convention/Assembly** to be held at Mary Queen of Heaven Parish, 106th & Lincoln in West Allis. 8:30 -9:00 registration and continental breakfast followed by motivational speaker, Carol Sullivan. Mass will be held at 11:00 a.m., celebrated by Fr. Domenic Roscioli. Buffet luncheon at 12:00 with entertainment to follow. **COST is \$25.00**. Please send payment to: MACCW % Bea Sikorski, W310 S9024 Cherolkee Pass, Mukwonago, WI 53149. **Deadline for reservations is May 10, 2011**. Any questions? Call Bea @ 262-636-4312 or Audrey at 414-327-4378.

6th Annual Thrift Sale



We will begin accepting your donations Monday, May 16th thru Friday, June 3rd.

So please remember us when cleaning out closets - basements - garages, etc.

And

Also tell your friends, neighbors too!

We will accept most anything except large appliances, records, magazines, computer equipment, baby car seats, baby cribs or mattresses.

What really sells good is furniture - indoor and outdoor - sporting goods, men's tools, seasonal items, bedding and linens, housewares, electronics, craft items, toys, and children's gently used clothing - jewelry, antiques, collectibles, video's, CD's, DVD's and books!

Tax Donation tax forms will be available to those who request them!

Drop off times are: 7:30 am to 5:00 pm. Please do not drop off before or after those hours, nor leave any article outside the building.

The sale days are Thurs, June 9th, 8 am to 7 pm, Friday June 10th from 8 am to 3 pm

and Saturday June 11th from 8 am to 1 pm.

Last but not least our biggest need is volunteers, both before and during the sale. We can't have a successful sale without you - SO - Please Help - I'm also still looking for that "Go To" Person to work with me!

Any questions, please call Terri Weber 262-253-2259

or Emelie Klein at 262-253-1228.

Thank you All, and God Bless You!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

In today's gospel Christ says "Peace be with you." Let the peace and love of Christ reign in your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends are May 13-15 in Brookfield, WI; June 24-26 in Rockford, IL and July 22-24 in Madison, WI. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: alifetimeoflove.org or call (888) 574-5653. For a Weekend en Espanol March 4-5 and June 10-12 in Rockford, contact Hugo & Gaby at 630-690-2094.

St James Priority Relationships **5th Sunday in May**

Human Concerns continues to coordinate activities and service opportunities with our Priority Relationships. Just as a reminder, they are:

Local:

- St Vincent de Paul
- Sussex Outreach Services

County:

- Hebron House
- Interfaith Senior Programs

Inner City:

- Repairers of the Breach
- St Bens Meal Program



May's featured Relationship is the Sussex-area Outreach Services. Aaron Schmalzle, the Director of SOS will be speaking at all our Masses the weekend of May 28th & 29th.

The SOS Vision is to improve lives and build lives and strong community through:

Awareness
Assistance
Advocacy &
Supportive Listening

Outreach Services include:

1. Food Pantry (Food & Clothing)
2. Emergency Assistance
3. Counseling Assistance
4. Referral Services

At times, all people experience needs that could be bridged by others who care. In that spirit we united by serving our neighbor. You can make a difference in our community by:

Your donation of time...

will help people directly with their need for transportation, child care, food pantry assistance and other needs.

Your donation of talent...

will help in particular areas of your expertise, such as; tutoring, legal aid, budgeting, parenting skills.

Your donation of money...

will help to serve those most in need in our community.

SOS is an outreach arm of CCOS (Cooperating Churches of Sussex).

SOS serves people of all ages residing within the Hamilton School District, the Town of Lisbon & the Village of Merton.

For more information you can contact SOS @ 262-246-9860 or info@SussexareaSOS.org

or Tom Bohmann from St James @ 262-628-8323

Morning of Reflection for Women with Bishop Sklba

Equipping the Saints for the Work of Ministry

Saturday, May 7 – 8:30 am-12 noon

St. Francis de Sales Seminary, 3257 S. Lake Drive, St. Francis

Cost: \$10 per person - Pre-register by Friday, April 29

A morning of reflection for all women. Bishop Sklba will be leading this morning which will continue the conversation about faith, spirituality and service of women in the contemporary church. The morning includes continental breakfast, prayer, presentations by Bishop Sklba and Connie Bach and time for reflection. This program is being sponsored by the John Paul II Center of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Contact Bonnie Bresnahan, 414-758-2240 or bresnahanb@archmil.org to register or for more information.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, May 1

- 8:15 am First Eucharist Celebration at Mass
- 10:15 am First Eucharist Celebration at Mass
- 6:30 pm Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

Monday, May 2

Tuesday, May 3

- 6:30 am Men's Scripture Study (great room)
- No Bible Class This Week**
- Father Art on Vacation**
- 8:30 am Day of Adoration (chapel)
- 9:00 am T.O.P.S. meeting (cafeteria)
- 5:30 pm Holy Hour / Rosary (chapel)
- 6:30 pm Scripture Class (great room)

Wednesday, May 4

- 7:30 am Rosary (chapel)
- 7:00 pm AA meeting (room 5)
- All Committee Meeting Night

Thursday, May 5

- 9:00 am Senior Adult Bible Study (great room)
- 9:30 am AA meeting (room 5)
- 5:30 pm Eucharist Rehearsal
(church & community center)
- 6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop #2692 meeting (room 8)
- 6:30 pm Cub Pack #175 Committee meeting (room 7)
- 7:00 pm RCIA @ St. Mary's Parish

Friday, May 6

- 9:00 am S.O.A.L. Program

Saturday, May 7

- 11:00 am Confessions (reconciliation room)
- 5:00 pm First Eucharist Celebration at Mass
- 6:00 pm Queen of Apostles Elementary School selling
Vouchers for Flowers for School Fund Raiser
(gathering area)

Sunday, May 8

- Queen of Apostles Elementary School selling
Vouchers for Flowers for School Fund Raiser
(gathering area)
- 8:15 am First Eucharist Celebration at Mass
- 10:15 am First Eucharist Celebration at Mass
- 6:30 pm Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

CONVENT CAMP OUT

June 10-11, 2011

Do you ever wonder why women become sisters? What does a convent look like on the inside? Do nuns have fun? Meet the sisters who will guide you through the activities planned for your visit. Have pizza with other girls. Take a tour of the convent. Play games. Pray. Find out what sisters really do, how they live and why they live that way. Ask questions. For more information go to www.HowDoIknow.org.

Directory

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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:

Administrative Office

Fr. Arthur Heinze, Pastor 251-3944
Fr. Jerry Hudziak, Help-out 251-3944
Daryl Olszewski, Pastoral Associate 253-2213
Mike Rooney, Deacon 251-3944
Barbara Schuelke, Pastoral Musician 253-2225
Terri Weber, Business Administrator 253-2259
Michele Schmitz—Parish Secretary 253-2235
Bob Wodushek—Deacon 251-3944

Christian Formation Center

Sue Devine-Simon, Child Ministry 253-2904
Sr. Carol Ann Jaeger, Adult & Family Ministry 253-2915
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Diana Wyszowski, Secretary 253-2902
Janet Block, Assistant Secretary 253-2916

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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.

A Few Easter Memorials that came in too late to be in the Easter Bulletin

Those Remembered:

- ✠ Henry P. Barth & Florence Donis
- ✠ Alvin & Dorothy Sauer; Bill & Elizabeth Lyman & Craig Kopp
- ✠ Willard Liedel & Sam Dlobik
- ✠ Ward & John Schroeder
- ✠ For all Family Members
- ✠ Jennie Sommerfelt
- ✠ Living & Deceased Family Members
- ✠ Hank & Ruth Steele; Howard & Mabel Jones; Fannie & Antone Kalina
- ✠ Marilyn DeBoth
- ✠ Ann & Louis Behen; John & Adelaide Vos, Barbara Lou Vos, Aunt Ann Esposito,
- ✠ Aunt Marie, Uncle Ed Kral and Jane Greeler
- ✠ Deceased Members of the Joseph & Clara Link Family
- ✠ Hank & Jeanne Carlson
- ✠ Living & Deceased Family Members

Remembered By:

- Sandra A. Stephenson
- Pat Lyman
- Barb Kelty
- Rosemary Schroeder
- Mark Pivotto & Christine Brooks
- Vince & Diane LeFaivre
- Robert & Susan Kobs
- James Steele
- James DeBoth

- John & Louise Vos
- Bernice Uibel
- Mary & Dave Pader
- James & Penny Diehn

ART & CRAFT VENDORS WANTED

For well- attended parish festival on June 3-4-5 at St. John Neumann in Waukesha. 8ft x 10ft booths available. Please contact coordinator Sue Foss at 262-542-3875 for more details.

Falls Patio Players Present ~ ANNIE

Join the Patio Players on May 6th & 7th at 7:30 pm. There is a Sunday Matinee on May 1st & 8th at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$18 for Adults and \$15 for Seniors/Students. The play is being presented at North Jr. High School Auditorium N88 W16750 Garfield Dr. For tickets go to fallspatioplayers.com

36th Annual Spring Salad Luncheon

Tuesday, May 17th, 2011 ` 11:00 am to 2:00 pm
St. Paul's United Church of Christ
N89 W16856 Appleton Ave
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

Advance sale tickets are available for \$9. Tickets purchased the day of the Luncheon will be \$10. For tickets please call Alice at 262-255-5709. Red Hat groups and those who are coming on their "lunch hour" are welcome but will need to make advance reservations for seating.