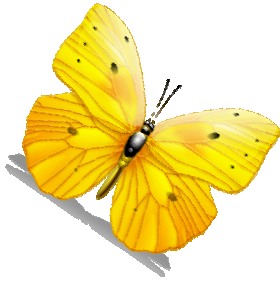


St. James Parish ~ Menomonee Falls, WI
A Member of the Menomonee Falls Cluster Parishes
(St. James, St. Mary's & Good Shepherd)

November 6, 2011



The Following Names Are Those Who Died
Between Oct. 1, 2010 & Sept. 30, 2011
That We Honored At Our
Mass of Remembrance
This Past Week

Helen Groth	10/2/10
Grace Zindl	10/4/10
Kenneth Wimmer	10/25/10
Walter Sullivan	11/2/10
Vera Piette	11/7/10
Anthony Buehner	11/16/10
Gerald Ehr	11/16/10
Jennie Sommerfelt	11/27/10
Walter Schmoller	11/28/10
Marcella Bartelt	11/29/10
Dorothy Schultz	12/6/10
Michele Legg	12/9/10
Frances Puerzer	12/15/10
Gail "Pete" Peterson	12/20/10
Peggy Konitzer	12/26/10
Helen Hansen	12/27/10
Marion Chmielewski	1/1/11
Mary Jane Milkie	1/17/11
John Cassidy	1/20/11
Alan Stauss	1/26/11
Richard Bednarczyk	2/6/11
Donald Cawley	2/12/11
Michael McCarthy	2/26/11

Dolores Komassa	3/30/11
Robert Widish	4/10/11
Paul Fricke	4/16/11
Katherine Primasing	4/18/11
Kurt Obermayr	4/21/11
Elizabeth Gumina	4/19/11
Ruth Jonen	5/4/11
Maria Bauer	5/6/11
John Parker	5/15/11
Rosaleen Povolo	5/25/11
Debra LoMenzo	5/28/11
Mark Wegener	5/30/11
Scott Wiese	5/31/11
Audrey Eichler	6/9/11
Marvin Leu	6/17/11
Cynthia Johrendt	6/23/11
Katherine Bastle	7/17/11
Terry Boho	7/27/11
Joseph Serio	8/2/11
Ralph "Bud" Reimer	8/10/11
Edward Mazurek	8/27/11



From The Servant's Quarters

Like similar thief who came turn of the today's gospel As a teaching "second coming"



parables (such as the by night and the re-master) the story in centers on the unex- the groom's arrival. method these parables helped early

believers cope with the delay of the Lord's return. As months stretched into years, and years into decades, some began to doubt Jesus would ever return. Many grew discouraged. Parables like this helped to channel negative attitudes and emotions into productive behaviors. Jesus' basic parable was reshaped to stress vigilance, preparedness and hopefulness.

Earlier in the Gospel Jesus had warned that merely crying out "Lord, Lord" is not sufficient for gaining entrance to the kingdom; only those who do the will of God are welcomed. Lip service must be supported by sure and steady preparedness, represented by the oil that keeps the lamps alight.

Two other details of the parable point to the fact that preparation is an urgent personal responsibility. When the bridegroom suddenly appeared, the maidens with no oil could not borrow it from others, and it did them no good to go and buy more. It was too late; they had the opportunity to be prepared, but for whatever reason, they had not done so. As we await the return of Jesus, we are to use the time we have - **this day, this hour, this moment** - to prepare him a welcome. Our preparation is a personal responsibility that cannot be borrowed from anyone else or "bought" at the last minute. Our preparation must be prayerful, purposeful and practical. This will keep our lamps well trimmed so as to light our way until Jesus comes.

In the light of Br. Dave's visit last weekend highlighting the St. Ben's meal program and the Capuchin Apartments in Milwaukee, Emelie Klein has recommended two inspirational books for us to read: Same Kind of Different Like Me! By Ron Hall and Denver Moore, and a follow-up book by the same authors: What Difference Do It Make. The first book will soon be made into a movie.

Two other books I recently referred to in my homilies are The Naked Now by Fr. Richard Rohr, dealing with discovering God in the present, here, and now. And What You Think Of Me Is None Of My Business, by Terri Cole-Whittaker.

When Fr. Gene arrived 18 years ago an extensive re-

freshing of the rectory occurred through the generosity of many of you. As I settle into this beautiful office building and home, I'm noticing that some of the window treatments are now in need of updating. Perhaps some of you have changed the décor in your homes and have some used but still usable window treatments that would improve the looks of the rectory. Please give a call if you have something to share.

And I'm still offering tours to potential buyers of my home on Beautiful Lake Bernice.

So there was a robber who broke into the public radio station and stole a hundred thousand dollars worth of pledges!

Fr. Mike & Comet

Scripture for the week of November 6, 2011

6	SUN	Wis 6:12-16/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/ Mt 25:1-13
7	Mon	Wis 1:1-7/Lk 17:1-6
8	Tue	Wis 2:23—3:9/Lk 17:7-10
9	Wed	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/ Jn 2:13-22
10	Thu	Wis 7:22b—8:1/Lk 17:20-25
11	Fri	Wis 13:1-9/Lk 17:26-37
12	Sat	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Lk 18:1-8
13	SUN	Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/1 Thes 5:1-6/ Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday, November 7

8:00 am † Vera Piette
(Louise & John Vos)
† Denis Knetzger Nola Knetzger



Tuesday, November 8

8:00 am † Jack Lepak (Lavern Lepak)

Wednesday, November 9

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

8:00 am † Paul Fricke (Doris Fricke)

Friday, November 11 St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

8:00 am † Pauline Metzger (Mitzie & Stan Kasprzak)

Saturday, November 12

(Sunday Liturgy)

5:00 pm † Stanley Gruber
† Joe Marchese (Marilyn Marchese)

Sunday, November 13

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15 am † Tom Metzger (Mitzie & Stan Kasprzak)
† Jim Vodnik (Family)
10:15 am † Joe Butscher (Jennifer Butscher)
† Stacia & Kasmer Klimas (Klimas Family)

PLEASE SEE PAGE 5

For a very important flyer on the DASH Program to be held here at St. James on November 16, 2011



Holly Days Will be Here Soon

December 3 and 4, 2011



- Updated -

Holly Days is a fundraiser for our parish. To make Holly Days a SUCCESS again this year, we need your generous support in the following areas:

Silent Auction Donations

This year we are hoping to expand on the Silent Auction for Holly Days. Example of donated ideas could be:

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| | Vacation Timeshares, Vacations Homes/Packages | |
| Spa Packages | Sports Tickets | Marcus Tickets / Symphony Tickets |
| Opera Tickets | Golf Packages | Gift Certificates |

Please contact Wendy Dye @ 262-246-3460 or Wendy Crisci @262-246-8647.

Theme Basket Donations

You can donate one of two ways; donate either an entire basket or an item for a basket. There are 12-theme baskets ideas so please donate according to one of the themes:

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| Wine | Games | Gardening | Kids Craft | Golf |
| Sporting | Movie Night | Coffee/Tea | Cleaning Supplies | Spa |
| Candy/Chocolate | Bakers Items | | | |

If you are donating an entire basket, please drop off the basket at St. James Parish Office.

If you are donating an item(s) for a basket(s), please drop off item(s) in the boxes marked for Holly Days Theme Basket in the Gathering Space at church by November 21st.

The Used Book Sale

Books, CD's, DVD's, & Videos (please no encyclopedias or magazines). Donation boxes for Books/CDs/DVDs will be in the Gathering Area through November 28th.

Nearly New Christmas Boutique Items

Nice, nearly new, Christmas items needed for the Christmas Boutique. Donation boxes for Christmas Boutique Items will be in the Gathering Area through November 28th.

Secret Santa's Workshop (where children can buy gifts for their family at a minimal cost.)

Santa's workshop is very low on new items for men and boys. Also, tissue paper is needed for wrapping. Donation boxes for Christmas Boutique Items will be in the Gathering Area through November 28th.

Holly Days Bake Sale

Please consider baking for the Holly Days bake sale. If you have any questions contact Rita Calmes at 246-6420.

Volunteers Needed

Watch for sign-up sheets in the Gathering Space weekends of November 12/13, 19/20 and 26/27.

Watch the bulletin and website for more up-dates

ATTENTION: GREETERS

Time off requests for January – March must be submitted to Lori Jansen by December 3rd at lorijansen@att.net or 262-246-5942.

Holy Saints!

Thanks to all the children who participated in the All Saints Day Liturgy. It was an uplifting and fun experience. Your "saintly" presence helped to make our celebration a little more wonderful!

Holly Days-Bake Sale

We need lots of baked goods and volunteers to help work the bake sale at the Holly Days Event, December 3rd & 4th, 2011. If you are going to bake, please bring your treats pre-packaged. Call Rita at 246-6420 if you would like more information.



Needed: A Nativity Set (or 2)

Do you have a nativity set that you are no longer using that the Christian Formation program could have? We are in need of a few child friendly sets that we could set up in each of the class rooms. If you have a set that you would like to donate, please drop it off at the Christian Formation office or call Sue 262-253-2904. Thanks!

Break Open the Word

During Advent we offer a special opportunity for children (5TH grade and younger) during the 8:15 mass called Break Open the Word. They are dismissed from the Liturgy right after the opening prayers to hear the readings in a child friendly way. They then get to reflect on the scriptures with an adult leader and pray the prayers of the faithful together. The children then return to the assembly to continue the Liturgy. It provides meaningful ways for them to understand the Liturgy of the Word.

We could use a few more adults to help lead our children in this reflection. We would schedule you once or twice during the Season of Advent. Please call Sue at 262-253-2904 if you would like more information about helping.

Advent is almost here, have you thought about joining a small scripture/prayer group for Advent? **Monday's with Mark** might be just what your looking for. Starting Monday Nov. 21st and ending on Monday Dec. 19th, we will take a journey through Mark's Gospel (all 16 chapters) as we enter into the B cycle readings.

We've already set up a website that will be a secondary "Host" to this series, you'll find the reading assignments, background information and so much more.

Check out:


<https://sites.google.com/site/stjamesscripturestudies/>

Dinner is included each week, we ask that you register ahead of time by calling Tracy in the CF office 253-2908 or dereszynskit@archmil.org

Registration will close at 8pm on Wed. Nov. 16th.



10% Days at Culver's are back. All proceeds from Monday Nov. 14th will benefit the Mission Trip Please visit the Sussex Culver's with this coupon on Monday Nov. 14th, valid ALL DAY!!!!



---Templeton Middle School---
 FUNDRAISING COULDN'T TASTE ANY BETTER!
 JOIN US AT
CULVER'S OF SUSSEX
 ON
November 14th, 2011
 PRESENT THIS COUPON WHEN ORDERING an
 10% will be donated St. James Mission Trip
 Amount:

Interested In Liturgical Dance

We have three young dancers who will bring liturgical dance into our worship service during specially selected mass celebrations. The first such opportunity to witness this dance will be during Advent. Additional dancers and leaders are needed. If you would like to dance, learn to dance, choreograph or help lead contact Sue Mangan – (262) 366 – 1211 or sueman-



Important Art & Environment Meeting

There will be a planning meeting for our **Christmas Season** on **Tuesday, November 8th** at 7:00 pm in the gathering area. Anyone who is interested in helping with decorations for the Christmas Season is encouraged to attend this very important meeting (**we need your help**). If you can come on the 8th of November or help out, please call Cookie at 262-252-4005.

New Communications Committee Forming

St. James is a busy congregation with lots of activities, events, meetings, and programs being held every week. With so much going on, some things don't get as much "press" as others. We would like to form a Communications Committee to fix this problem. Still in the planning stages, our goal is to use all media resources available to us to keep the congregation and community informed. **If you would like to know more, please email Hayde at thbecker80@sbcglobal.net**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Do you have a couple of hours a month to spare? We are looking for a crew of about six to ten people to help clean the microwave, stoves, refrigerators, counter tops in the Community Banquet Center and the cafeteria twice a month. The usage of these rooms has greatly increased and we want to make sure we keep these areas clean, on a regular basis. Please call the Parish Office if you can help us out! 262-251-3944.

COMPANIONS ON THE JOURNEY

All MEN and WOMEN who have lost a loved one are invited to Maxims Restaurant on Capitol Drive in Brookfield for friendship, a meal and sharing at 9:30a.m. on Monday November 14, 2011. We also welcome all caregivers to join us.

All denominations are welcome. If you know someone who would benefit from this please invite them.

If you have any questions please call Shirley at 262-246-0553. We look forward to seeing you there!!!

Flapjack Fund Raiser

The ever popular Flapjack Fundraiser at Applebee's is also back to benefit the 2012 Mission Trip Saturday Nov. 19th, 7:30am--10am, we'll be serving up Flapjacks, Sausage & a Beverage all for the incredible price of \$7.00 per person!!! Make sure to purchase your Flapjack Breakfast Tickets from one of the Mission Trippers in the back of church the week-ends of Nov. 5th/6th or 12th/13th.

Two Saints and a Good Shepherd Cluster Health Ministry Sponsors
(St. James, St. Mary's & Good Shepherd Parishes)

The DASH Program (**D**ietary **A**pproach to **S**top **H**ypertension)

*with Amy Poetz, Dietitian
Community Memorial Hospital Clinical
Dietetics Department*



November 16, 2011

7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

St. James Parish Cafeteria
(North Entrance of School Building)
W220N6570 Town Line Road
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051



- ◆ *What is the DASH eating plan?*
- ◆ *What foods are encouraged and what are limited on the DASH eating plan?*
- ◆ *How can following the DASH eating plan help with pre-existing and potential medical problems?*
- ◆ *Quick and easy ways to incorporate the DASH eating plan into Holiday eating!*

Safeguarding All of God's Family

We are offering one more training session for those who volunteer in any capacity with children. This includes, Catechists, aides, child care providers, chaperones/drivers for service and retreat outings. This one time training event is required by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee to help educate our adults in ways to keep our kids safe. St. James will be holding a Safeguarding session on **Thursday, November 17th** in the Community Center at **6:30p.m.** To register, go to www.archmil.org and click on Safeguarding All of Good's Family link near the bottom of the page. If you have any questions please call 251-0897.

LifeSavers for Life

Thank you all who donated to the Knights of Columbus' *LifeSavers for Life* fund raising campaign last week. We collected \$461.24 from concerned parishioners as Gummie Life Saver candies (symbolic of Save-A-Life) were handed out at the exits. The funds will be used to further **Pro Life** initiatives for the unborn – one of the Catholic Social Teaching's core principle of – Respect for Life. "Thank You" for your generosity.



Weekly Schedule

Sunday, November 6

Mission Kids selling Pancake Breakfast Tickets
after both Masses (gathering area)

- 8:15 am CF classes. K4/K5
- 9:00 am Candidate/Sponsor Meeting (community center)
- 9:30 am CF classes. Grades 1-5
- 4:30 pm CF classes. Grades 6-10
- 6:30 pm CF classes. Grades 6-10
- Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

Monday, November 7

- 6:30 pm CF classes. Grades 6-10

Tuesday, November 8

- 6:30 am Men's Bible Study (great room)
- 8:30 am Bible Class (great room)
- Day of Adoration (chapel)
- 9:00 am T.O.P.S. meeting (cafeteria)
- 10:00 am Lord Teach Me to Pray (reconciliation room)
- 5:00 pm CF classes. Grades 1-5
- 5:30 pm Holy Hour / Rosary (chapel)
- 6:30 pm CF classes. Grades 1-5
- Scripture Study (great room)
- 7:00 pm **A&E Christmas Planning meeting**
(gathering area)
- 7:30 pm KC Board meeting (rectory meeting room)

Wednesday, November 9

- 7:30 am Rosary (chapel)
- 1:00 pm Staff meeting (great room)
- 6:30 pm Tiger Cub Scout meeting #5 (room 6)
- Patrol Leader meeting (youth room)
- Dartball (cafeteria)
- 7:00 pm AA meeting (room 5)
- Parish Council meeting (great room)
- St. Vincent de Paul meeting (community center)
- Music Practice (church)

Thursday, November 10

- 9:00 am Senior Adult Bible Study (great room)
- 5:30 pm Community Banquet (community center)
- 6:00 pm Girl Scout meeting Troop #2893 (cafeteria)
- 7:00 pm Yoga Class (youth room)
- RCIA (church & gathering area)

Friday, November 11

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

Saturday, November 12

- 10:00 am CF grade 10 retreat (@ Redeemer)
- 4:00 pm Individual Reconciliation (reconciliation room)
- 5:00 pm Mission Kids selling Pancake Breakfast Tickets
(gathering area)
- 6:00 pm Blood Pressure Screening (great room)

Sunday, November 13

Mission Kids selling Pancake Breakfast
Tickets after both Masses (gathering area)

Blood Pressure Screening after both
Masses (great room)

- 8:15 am CF classes. K4/K5
- 9:30 am CF classes. Grades 1-5
- 10:15 am CF grade 10 Retreat @ Redeemer
- 11:30 am G.I.F.T. Program
- 4:30 pm CF classes. Grades 6-9 & 11
- 6:30 pm CF classes. Grades 6-9 & 11
- Boy Scout meeting (cafeteria)

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:

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Fr. Jerry Hudziak, Help-out	251-3944
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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.

Field of Dreams Community Garden

Most of us have read the children's book *The Little Engine That Could*. Our little garden ministry is just as determined. The following summarizes what was produced and donated to the Cooperating Churches of Sussex (CCOS) food pantry in 2011. Some produce was donated from home gardens from our "Plant an Extra Row" program. Donations were made in zip loc bags, labeled with a Field of Dreams label, with a recipe. Totals are summarized in gallons even though some produce was donated in quart sized bags.

Basil	11 ½ gallon bags	Onions (large)	70 individuals
Beans	31 gallon bags	Oregano	1 gallon bag
Beets	28 individual	Parsley	10 ¼ gallon bags
Beet Greens	16 ¾ gallon bags	Peppers	58 individual
Broccoli	21 ¾ gallon bags	Radish Leaves	9 gallon bags
Carrots	20 gallon	Radishes	7 gallon bags
Cucumbers	171 individual	Red Leaf Lettuce	2 gallon bags
Chives	7 gallon bags	Romane Lettuce	2 gallon bags
Garlic	6 ¾ gallon bags	Spinach Leaves	48 gallon bags
Garlic Chives	1 ½ gallon bags	Squash	1 individual
Green Beans	7 gallon bags	Sugar Snap Peas	3 ¼ gallon bags
Green Onions	4 gallon bags	Swiss Chard	27 gallon bags
Kale	24 gallon bags	Tomatoes (large)	201 individual
Lettuce	52 gallon bags	Cherry Tomatoes	18 gallon bags
Mint	¾ gallon bags	<u>FRUIT:</u>	
Mixed Greens	9 gallon bags	Apples (donated) ~ 8 gallon bags	

Fundraiser for Cystic Fibrosis on November 12th from 1 ~ 4 at the Germatown Legion Hall, N120 W15932 Freistadt Road. 20 plus home based vendors, Silent Auction, Bake Sale, Chair massage and Kids Corner. Please join us to help raise money for a wonderful cause. Please contact Judi Mulkey at 262-293-9102 or alsgal26@gmail.com for more information.