

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Tuesday, February 1

8:30 am Mass at Good Shepherd

Wednesday, February 2

8:00 am Robert & Bobby Ament Robert & Evelyn Weber (Vi Ament)

Friday, February 4

8:00 am Mary McCluskey (Kim) St. James Parishioners

Saturday, February 5

4:30 pm Shirley Berger (Ted Hoffarth) Tony & Carol SedImeier (Christine)

Sunday, February 6

8:15 am	Marilyn Grassel (Family)
	Rita & Michael Wyszkowski (Family)
10:30 am	Tom Joynt (Marge Boehm)

Readings for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday:	Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17
-	[cf. 15ab]/
	1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30
Monday:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
2	Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/
	Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/
-	Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-
-	12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/
-	Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/
-	Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:	Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/
	1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/ Lk 5:1-11

Observances for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday:	4 th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week
Monday:	St. John Bosco, Priest
Tuesday:	
Wednesday:	The Presentation of the Lord;
	World Day for Consecrated Life
Thursday:	St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr;
2	St. Ansgar, Bishop
Friday:	
Saturday:	St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr
Next Sunday:	5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
	St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

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TOWN HALL MEETING

Sunday, February 6th at 11:45 am Live in the Community Center

Thursday, February 10th at 6:30 pm Via Zoom

(Zoom link will be found on our website & sent in the weekly email next week.)

The state of the Parish, financial information, and some department updates will be covered at these meetings.

Please plan to join us!

Get your Pizza for Superbowl Sunday!!!

The youth who are going on Mission Trip are making and selling pizzas for your Superbowl gatherings.

Please support us by purchasing your pizzas from our mission group.



Pizzas are \$7.00 each or 3 for \$20.00.

We have Cheese, Sausage, and pepperoni to choose from. We are taking orders until February 4th.

You can call the CF office (262-251-0897), or order from one of our missionaries after the masses on January 29th and 30th.

Ordered pizzas (and extras) will be available to pick up on February 12/13th.

MISSION STATEMENT

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

Something to Ponder... The Holy Spirit fills the cosmos, renews the earth, inspires believers!

To each person the reality of the Holy Spirit is manifested for the common good. — I Corinthians 12:7



The Holy Spirit was the essential part of creation "in the beginning" by moving over the waters as a mighty wind, described as the "breath of God" (Genesis 1:2), separating the mighty waters from the dry lands. The created cosmos is the greatest and clearest expression of the presence and activity of God.

When the Holy Spirit enflames the followers of Christ, nothing stays the same. The Spirit breathed life into the man and the woman we call Adam and Eve. The most poignant description of human beings is *"breathing clay."* Our life-long breathing enables us to be fully human in our thoughts, actions, ideas, creations.

Be mindful of your daily breaths. The Holy Spirit is being manifested to you and through you!

BREATH OF HEAVEN, HOLD ME TOGETHER BE FOREVER NEAR ME, BREATH OF HEAVEN BREATH OF HEAVEN, LIGHTEN MY DARKNESS POUR OVER ME YOUR HOLINESS, FOR YOU ARE HOLY, BREATH OF HEAVEN

YES I CAN DO THAT!

Our St. James Parish Family is looking for an EXPERIENCED, TECH SAVVY individual to help run the livestream of our weekend Eucharist.

We have all of the equipment – just need the talent!



Are you out there?

Just call the Parish Office at 251-3944.

St. James is here to help all people experience meaning and purpose in life.

PRAYER NETWORK -

If you have a prayer request, please send an email to Terri Grimmer at:<u>tmg1123@yahoo.com</u> If you would like to help us in praying for these requests please contact Terri so she can add you to her email list.

Important news!

St James Parish is now a "Drive-up" Covid-19 Testing station for our Community to offer relief for our area hospitals and clinics. Testing will take place Monday thru Friday between 10 am & <u>5 pm</u> unless we have a funeral. Our website will help keep you updated regarding this.

Volunteers will hand out and collect the questionnaires and self test kits as people drive up to be tested. Testing takes place through drive up only so those being tested must stay in their cars, **NO walk-ups allowed**. Testing is for all ages and no appointment is necessary. The average turn around time for results throughout the country is between 36—48 hours.

This is a State of Wisconsin sanctioned station and there is no cost to St. James. St. James Parish will receive \$2.00 for each test that is done at our station. For more information please see our website, or call / email Terri Weber in the Parish Office: 262-253-2259 or

tweber@stjames-parish.com.



Coordinator of Youth Ministry



Do you have a passion for bringing Jesus into the lives of youth? Do you excel at recruiting others to teach? If you do, then we want to talk with you!

St. James Parish, a vibrant Catholic community of over 1600 families with a Christian Formation program serving 600 children, has an immediate, full-time opening for a Coordinator of Youth Ministry. This position strives to empower young people to live as disciples of Jesus through active participation in the life, mission and work of the Catholic Faith Community. Responsibilities include creating, developing and coordinating various programs and activities for students in grades 6-12 and will partner with the Director of Christian Formation to provide leadership and support for catechists and volunteers.

Successful applicants will be able to work collaboratively in a team setting, have 5-7 years of experience working with any combination of middle and high school youth and an appropriate background in theology, religious education or related field (Bachelors' degree preferred). This position requires flexible work hours with evening and weekend hours.

A full job description and application is available upon request and also available on our website:

https://www.stjames-parish.com.

Interested candidates please send cover letter, resume and completed application by mail or email:

St. James Parish-Personnel Committee Attn: Terri Weber W220 N6588 Townline Road Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

Email: <u>tweber@stjames-parish.com</u> Phone: 262-253-2259

Pastoral Health Care Coordinator

St James Parish, a vibrant Catholic Community of over 1600 families, has an immediate, part-time opening for a Pastoral Health Care Coordinator. The Pastoral Health Care Coordinator works closely with the pastoral staff to coordinate a healing ministry within the parish focusing on Mind, Body and Spirit.

This position coordinates the Health Ministry and serves as educator, referral agent, advocate, and on-site facilitator based on the needs of the parishioners.

Successful applicants will possess strong organizational, management and communication skills. A background in Public Health, Occupational Therapy or Social Work is desirable. This is a part-time position reporting to the Pastor/Parish Director with an average of 20 hours per week for 12 months. Some evening and weekend hours may be required.

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Weekly Collection:

	January 22 & 23, 2022		January 23 & 24, 2021		January 25 & 26, 2020	
Stewardship:	\$	16,142.00	\$	14,776.00	\$	19,789.72
Mtg & Maintenance:	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	\$	-0-
Line of Credit:	\$	585.00	\$	537.00	\$	412.00
Offertory: (Basket)	\$	601.50	\$	181.00	\$	963.50
Catholic Education:	\$	400.00	\$	180.00	\$	55.00
Prior Yr Assessment	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	\$	-0-
Facility Rental:	\$	-0-	\$	-0-	\$	250.00
Total:	\$	17,728.50	\$	15,674.00	\$	21,470.22

Thank you for your continued support of St. James Church!!!

To make an online contribution: Text: 73256 Message is: STJMF

MEN'S SPIRITUALITY OPPORTUNITIES

No Regrets Men's Conference

7:45 AM-2:00 PM Saturday, February 5th Good Shepherd Daniels Hall

The conference offers world-class teaching on topics relevant to men, live worship, challenging stories & group discussion. Cost is \$20 (\$30 if you bring a friend) and includes continental breakfast and lunch.

RSVP to Bryan: ramseyb@mygoodshepherd.org

Men's Spirituality Discussion Group

"The Lives of Great Christians" 7:00-8:30 PM Wednesday, February 23rd Good Shepherd Mary of Magdala Chapel An opportunity for men to gather for fellowship and discussion on spiritual and everyday needs. The 30-minute DVD lectures take a historical perspective on why great Christians lived the way they did. About an hour of discussion follows the video.

We invite men who are seeking to deepen their relationship with Christ, strengthen their faith with the help of others or just become better Christians to join us.

<u>That Man Is You</u>

at St. James Fridays beginning Feb. 4 at 6am in Community Center The second semester of "Becoming a Man After God's Own Heart" is right around the corner, and we hope you can join us. It's been typically groups of about 10 guys, so you're invited. Register at TMIY.org, or just show up on any Friday, Feb. 4th.

Friends are always welcome.

WAYS TO SERVE

PLEASE HELP! A BEAUTIFUL MINISTRY AWAITS YOU!

Perhaps you are looking for that special way to serve your St. James family.

There is an immediate need for **ACOLYES** to serve with Fr. Dennis, Fr. Don & Dcn. Sandy by setting a few things up prior to a Mass, assisting during Mass, and then a little clean up afterwards.

The assistance of an acolyte is essential in making any service, whether it's our **weekend Masses**, a wedding or funeral, run smoothly so that everyone can participate in undistracted prayer.

We are grateful to those who serve in this ministry already for weekend Masses, Funerals & Weddings, but have a lost some of our faithful ministers for various reasons and are in great need of a few more people to help serve in this ministry.

SENIORS ... If you are retired and able bodied ...

Consider serving St. James as a funeral acolyte . This is an "on-call" ministry, meaning when a funeral comes in we call our funeral acolytes to see who happens to be available on the day of the funeral.

Most funerals take place at 11:00 a.m on a weekday, occasionally we may have a Saturday funeral. The time commitment would be to come about 10:30 to set up, with most funerals being about an hour and a short time for clean up afterwards. Shadowing & training is available.

Please consider responding to this opportunity to serve as an acolyte here at St. James!

Call the Parish Office with your questions, or for more information at 262-251-3944.

Bereavement Ministry Outreach

St. James Parish family has organized a Bereavement Ministry outreach to our members who have lost a loved one. The ministers are available to walk with you through the days and weeks ahead.

Several weeks after the funeral we will reach out to family members in several ways. Our ministers will be available for a phone call or home visit. We will also send a series of small booklets on grief throughout the year.

If there are family members that you think would benefit from a contact, please let us know. We have resources for children and teens as well. Our intent is to listen, offer support and encouragement. If a parishioner suffers a loss in another parish or out of town, we would be willing to offer support to that person as well.

We are in need of more volunteers. If you would like to join this ministry, please contact the parish office for more information at 262-251-3944.



Bereavement Ministry

ANOTHER WAY TO SERVE

ST. JAMES COMMUNITY GARDENS

As we look forward to spring this year, we mark our twelfth year of community gardening. Something we want to be thankful for and want to thank our past volunteers for - their hard work and dedication.

The Cooperating Churches of Sussex (CCOS) food pantry is thankful for our donations of freshly grown vegetables and looks forward to spring gardening too. Although it may be hard to visualize gardening with the severe cold and snow, volunteers are busy planning for spring. Some seeds have already been ordered due to a shortage of some varieties. Not all your favorite seeds may be available this year, so shop early. And you may notice an increase in prices for seeds from previous years.

We are also planning for our annual **Plant Sale**. So, start thinking of your own gardens and what plants you might want from our sale. We will soon start recruiting seed starting volunteers, so if you would like to start seeds (indoors) for our plant sale and

gardens, please let us know. Growing

lift spirits as winter drags on.

seedlings and watching green shoots help



Please consider volunteering this year, even if you haven't helped in the past. We can use your help. To volunteer please call or text: (414) 587-1202 or email:

<u>pschneider@wi.rr.com</u>. Thank you for your continued support of our gardens and the CCOS food pantry.

ADORATION TAKES PLACE IN THE CHAPEL EVERY TUESDAY 8:30 AM—5:00 PM Please consider joining us for prayer. Adoration closes with praying the Rosary from 4-5 pm.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The National Coalition Against Domestic Violence (NCADV)

... reports that the impact of COVID-19 on domestic violence is still being assessed. Preliminary indicators are that the pandemic has exacerbated risk factors (isolation, financial stress, etc.) likely to result in an increase in domestic violence.

At its root, domestic violence involves one intimate partner exercising power and control over another. It often starts with name-calling, threats or distrust. The abuser may go through a phase of apologizing and seeking forgiveness. However, domestic violence tends to escalate and intensify over time into extreme control and abuse. Characteristically, an abuser is extremely jealous, possessive, easily angered, blaming, and controlling. Abusers objectify their victims and consider them as property or sexual objects. They externalize causes of their behavior by blaming their partner, stress, or other reasons.

Last month Pope Francis denounced domestic violence with the following: "For me the problem is nearly satanic, because it's about profiting off the weakness of those who can't defend themselves, who can only try to stop the blows," he said. "It's humiliating, very humiliating."

To learn more about the Catholic Church's position on domestic violence, please refer to the pastoral response below. If you are in an abusive relationship and feel unsafe, it is important you reach out to a local resource before approaching your partner. ~Monika Wiese

Waukesha Women's Center24-Hour Hotline <u>262.542.3828</u> (for female and male survivors)

National Domestic Violence Hotline, 1.800.799.SAFE (7233) When I Call for Help: A Pastoral Response to Domestic Violence Against Women | USCCB







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Or, contact Peter's Way Tours at peter@petersway.com or 800-225-7662.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, Ja	nuary 30		
-	Mission Trip Pizza Sales after All Masses		Week
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Tuesday, F	obruary 1		Deacon
	Day of Adoration (Chapel)		Barbara
	Morning Mass at Good Shepherd	I I	Terri We
9:00 am	Scripture Study (Zoom)		
10:00 am	Covid Test Site until 5 pm (Drive thru)	I I	Diana W Mary Ko
4:00 pm	Holy Hour/Rosary (Chapel)		•
6:00 pm	G1-10 CF Classes (Classrooms)		<u>Christia</u> Sue Dev
Wednesday	/, February 2		
	Mass (Chapel)		Kristin K
8:30 am	Green Plant Team Meeting (Great Room)		Amy Rue
9:00 am	Be Strong/Stay Strong (Comm. Center)		Mary An
	Staff Meeting (Zoom)		
10:00 am	Covid Test Site until 5 pm (Drive thru)		<u>Mainten</u>
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	Wood Carving Club (Room 7) Covid Test Site until 5 pm (Drive thru)		ASSIST
	Webelo Den Meeting (Cafeteria)		Fr. Denn
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	Strong Bodies (Cafeteria)		Dea
	Covid Test Site until 5 pm (Drive thru)		Bart
	G9 & G10 Retreat (Community Center)		 Terr
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8:30 am	No Regrets Conference (Good Shepherd)		Mar
	Individual Reconciliation (Reconcil. Room)	•	 Sue
4:30 pm	Mass (Church)		Kris
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St. James' Parish Office Hours: Monday—Friday 7:30 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.

Christian Formation Office Hours: Sun & Tues, 8 am -7pm Mon-Wed-Thurs, 8 am - 4pm Fri—8 am – 2 pm

Eucharistic Celebrations

Saturday 4:30 pm (Individual Reconciliation 3:45-4:15 pm) Sunday 8:15 & 10:30 a.m.

kdays: Wednesdays & Fridays at 8:00 a.m.—Chapel

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